

SUMMER PLANS INCLUDE RETURN TRIP TO THE SPA FOR GOLDEN TEMPO



Golden Tempo | Sarah Andrew

by Tim Wilkin

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. – At 7:30 Sunday morning, Cherie DeVaux stood in front of a couple dozen media types and talked all things **Golden Tempo** (Curlin). There was plenty to say.

Moments before, she had brought the big horse out of his stall and Golden Tempo stood in the shedrow, gawked at the horse racing paparazzi and hammed it up. While DeVaux held him with a shank, Golden Tempo stuck his long neck past his trainer and took a bite out of the blanket of white carnations that was draped over a rail.

That's what the winner of the GI Belmont Stakes gets, and Golden Tempo figured he could do whatever he wanted with his flowers.

Golden Tempo stamped himself as the best 3-year-old in the land just over 12 hours earlier when he won the 158th running of the Belmont and gave DeVaux another piece of racing history to put on her resume.

Five weeks ago, DeVaux became the first woman trainer to win the GI Kentucky Derby and Golden Tempo made her the first female conditioner to win two Classic races in the same year when he won the Belmont by 1 1/2 lengths.

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FURTHER ADO BACK ON TOP IN MATT WINN

Spendthrift Farm's **Further Ado** (Gun Runner), last seen finishing a disappointing 11th as the favorite in the GI Kentucky Derby, got some consolation under the Twin Spires with an authoritative victory in the GIII Matt Winn Stakes at Churchill Downs Sunday.

Sent off the 3-5 favorite, Further Ado broke sharply and tracked pacesetter **Pavlovian** (Pavel) through a moderate quarter in :23.69 and a quickened half in :46.69. Further Ado coasted easily to the lead midway on the far turn and turned for home two lengths in front through three-quarters in 1:10.62. The favorite was never challenged from there as **Our Moneyman** (Mr. Money) chased him home in second.

Further Ado's final time for the 1 1/16 miles was 1:41.26, the second-fastest Matt Winn only behind his sire, **Gun Runner**'s 1:41.12 in 2016. Cont. p9

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Return Trip to Spa in Plans for Golden

Tempo (cont. from p1)

And, to make Saturday even sweeter, DeVaux saddled **Englishman (Maxfield)** to victory in the GI Woody Stephens three races before the Belmont, making her the first woman to train two Grade I winners on the same card.

"Having horses run on Saturday afternoons the way those two did yesterday makes your career," DeVaux said during the press gaggle at her barn on the Oklahoma Training Track. "We do this every day. We have a stable full of horses and we give the same attention to those as we do with these two. Going out and winning on the big days, that is what we work for."

DeVaux was scheduled to fly back to her base in Lexington Sunday night and then make a three-hour drive to Ellis Park in the early morning hours of



Cherie DeVaux's barn Sunday morning | Sarah Andrew

Monday. Golden Tempo is headed back to Kentucky on Monday, and he'll get a little down time there before resuming training at Keeneland, where he has been based since April.

Racing's newest superstar will be pointed to the Aug. 1 \$500,000 GII Jim Dandy Stakes at Saratoga at 1 1/8 miles. The ultimate summer goal will be the \$1.25-million GI Travers Stakes on Aug. 29.

"[Saratoga] is a track we know he likes," DeVaux said about the colt's summer plans. "With a horse like him, we just try to keep all the factors we know will work in his favor."

Another thing working in Golden Tempo's favor is the classic 1 1/4-mile distance. By winning the Derby and Belmont—which was being run for the third and final time at Saratoga (it will return to its normal distance of

1 1/2 miles when the race goes back to Belmont Park in 2027) Golden Tempo is two-for-two at the trip.

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He has a huge advantage over the rest of the division because of that.

“He is at the top right now, and we are right at the halfway mark,” DeVaux said. “There is a lot that can still happen.”

Golden Tempo and jockey Jose Ortiz, as they did in the Derby, rallied from last place to get the win, although this field was only nine horses compared to 18 in the Derby. And the team had to overcome a much slower pace than they got in the Derby to get to the Saratoga winner's circle.

“He is a very laid-back colt with a lot of confidence,” DeVaux said. “He has come a long way. He looks like a fit racehorse, and we have to maintain that going into the Jim Dandy.”

Plans for some of the horses that Golden Tempo vanquished in the Belmont are yet to be decided. Trainer Brad Cox, whose **Commandment** (Into Mischief) finished second, said he would wait to evaluate his horse before making any commitments.

Hall of Fame trainer Todd Pletcher said Sunday it “was too early to say” what might be next for third-place finisher **Renegade** (Into Mischief), who was beat in the Belmont by 5 1/4 lengths.

Renegade also lost to Golden Tempo in the Derby, coming up a neck short.

Hall of Fame trainer Bill Mott said that fourth-place finisher **Chief Wallabee** (**Constitution**) came out of the Belmont in good shape but said “it looked like it yesterday” when asked if his horse had distance limitations.

“We’ll probably take a step backwards, I suppose,” Mott said, sitting aboard his pony Rocky during training on the Oklahoma. “I have no excuse. Usually, you can’t make them do something they can’t do.”



Chief Wallabee | Sarah Andrew

Mott also saw his horse defeated soundly by Golden Tempo in the Kentucky Derby. You get no argument from him as to who the best 3-year-old in the country is.

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“Unless you want to go for Englishman,” he said with a laugh. “At the classic distance, I would have to say [Golden Tempo] is. He finished pretty strong in the Belmont.”

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BOOK'EM DANNO TO HEAD HOME TO MONMOUTH FOR HIS NEXT START

by Bill Finley

Book'em Danno (**Bucchero**), the best horse the New Jersey breeding program has produced in decades, will return to the Garden State and make his next start in the July 17 Mr. Prospector Stakes at Monmouth Park. The race will be run the day before the GI Haskell Stakes and the purse will be increased from \$100,000 to \$200,000.

It will be Book'em Danno's first start in New Jersey since he won the July 19, 2024 Jersey Shore Stakes at Monmouth,

“This has been in the works for a long time,” said Dennis Drazin, who heads the management team that operates the track. “We first discussed it as a team with them at the Eclipse Awards. Jay Briscione [who heads the Atlantic Six ownership partnership] has been terrific in trying to get us to showcase an Eclipse champion at Monmouth who is a New Jersey-bred.”



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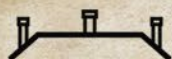
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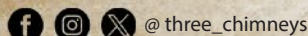
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Drazin continued, “We anticipate we will increase the purse for the Mr. Prospector to \$200,000, and he’s going to run with us. We’re excited about it. We’re going to turn it into a Book'em Danno day. We are going to give free admission to Oceanport residents and we’re going to try to do some special things to promote the horse. Book'em Danno is the best Jersey-bred in modern times and we’re excited to do everything we can to promote the horse. This should be a great prelude to Haskell Day.”

Trainer Derek Ryan said he is pleased to give something back to New Jersey.

“We’re going to run him in Jersey,” he said. “The owners are all local guys and Dennis Drazin has been very accommodating and wants to have a Book'em Danno Day before the Haskell. It's fitting because he's a Jersey-bred and the owners are all from around here. Dennis been very good to us. We think that running him at Monmouth is doing the right thing. Everyone will bring their family and friends.”



Book'em Danno | Sarah Andrew

The Mr. Prospector will be Book'em Danno's first start since an impressive win in the GIII True North Stakes Saturday at Saratoga. Though he won by just three-quarters of a length, he swept past GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner Bentornato (**Valiant Minister**) in the stretch with a devastating kick. The move prompted race announcer Frank Mirahmadi to say he won “with condescending ease.”

“That was the best race of his career,” Ryan said. “I honed on him for this race and I didn't hone on him for the Carter. I said

he wasn't 100% for that race. He still should have won the last one, but that's OK. It's part of the game. When I knew Bentornato was going to be in there, I had to have him extra, extra sharp. You could see from his works. I've never been that hard on a horse coming into a race. I worked him in :59, :59, :36. That's not my style. I just knew I had to have him at 100% to beat Bentornato.”

The Jersey-bred was somewhat of a controversial Eclipse Award winner because he skipped the Breeders' Cup, while Bentornato showed up and won. But Ryan hopes the True North put the issue to rest, that he proved he has the better horse.

“So now we've beaten him twice, in the Saudi Derby and yesterday,” Ryan said. “He's 2-0 against him. Like with Mike Tyson or Muhammad Ali, when you're 2-0 against another fighter, you've proven you're the best. We won the Eclipse Award because of our body of work, which was unbelievable. And we proved it yesterday.”

Book'em Danno is now 5-for-6 at Saratoga, but Ryan said that “you have to run your ass off to win up there.” He's hoping the Monmouth race won't be that tough.

“I need to get an easy race into him, though I shouldn't say that because some son of a bitch will come in there and make us run,” he said. “That's usually how it happens. You think you're getting an easy race into a horse and along comes some longshot to bust your ass.”

Ryan said he wasn't sure where Book'em Danno would run after the Mr. Prospector, but said a return engagement in the GI Forego Stakes at Saratoga is a possibility.

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Further Ado (Gun Runner**) returns to winner's circle in GIII Matt Winn Stakes at Churchill Downs Sunday.**

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AESTHETICS OUTNUMBERED ASTERISKS, AND SARATOGA SHINED AS TEMPORARY BELMONT HOST

The Week in Review, by T.D. Thornton

Some 3 1/2 years ago, when the New York Racing Association (NYRA) first announced that the GI Belmont Stakes would be relocated to Saratoga Race Course during the extensive renovation of Belmont Park, there was plenty of hand-wringing about whether or not the three-year move to a different track and a cutback in distance from 12 to 10 furlongs constituted over-tinkering with the third jewel of the Triple Crown.

"The debate is healthy. It means fans care," I wrote in a [Dec. 10, 2023 installment of this column](#). "But the racing world isn't about to tilt off its axis because of changes that will probably end up making the best of an unavoidable, temporary transition."

Now that three abbreviated versions of the "Test of a Champion" are in the books, it is hard not to argue that the mini-meets at Saratoga have been an aesthetic success.

And I say that from the perspective of someone who would have been perfectly fine with utilitarian Aqueduct Racetrack getting a classy send-off by being allowed to host Triple Crown stakes in each of its last three years before the track ceases racing later this month.

In fact, the tourism-ready, big-race festival atmosphere in upstate Saratoga might have worked too well in providing an exclamation point that workmanlike Aqueduct in Queens never could have matched.

With all of NYRA's downstate racing getting consolidated at the reimagined, smaller Belmont Park when it opens in September, you have to wonder how long it will take for at least some monotony of a two-track circuit to settle in once Saratoga goes back to 40 dates of racing and Belmont, its newness eventually wearing off, shoulders the other 10 months of the year.

No 12 furlongs? No problem.

From a historical perspective, the cutback to 1 1/4 miles ended up being a non-issue, at least in terms of not besmirching the record books with asterisks. That's because no Triple Crown was ever on the line at Saratoga in the past three years.

In that 2023 column for *TDN*, I wrote that with concerns of Triple Crown continuity in mind, "maybe the best outcomes to root for [at Saratoga] are close, competitive editions of the Belmont Stakes, with no one horse sweeping the series."

Turns out, that's what we got. All three runnings were a pretty good show.

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In 2024, the 17-1 Dornoch dueled the GI Preakness Stakes winner **Seize the Grey** into defeat, then withstood a late challenge from favored **Sierra Leone** (the eventual 3-year-old champion). The top three finishers were separated by only 1 1/2 lengths.

In 2025, the Derby winner Sovereignty (Into Mischief), who had skipped the Preakness, reeled in Journalism (**Curlin**), the Preakness victor, inside the eighth pole, kicking clear late to score by three lengths. Sovereignty would win the GI Travers Stakes by 10 lengths later that summer at the Spa, and would eventually be crowned 3-year-old champ and Horse of the Year.

On Saturday, Golden Tempo (**Curlin**), another Derby winner who bypassed the Preakness, was let go at generous 6-1 odds because most handicappers bet against him being able to replicate his last-to-first performance in Louisville against a Belmont field that appeared lacking in early pace.

Breaking slowly and to the outside from the outermost nine stall, Golden Tempo did indeed get parked well behind moderate fractions in the early stages of the Belmont. Jose Ortiz kept him in last until 3 1/2 furlongs out, splitting horses and then switching outside, with the 6-1 Commandment (Into Mischief) shadowing him one path wider through the far turn.

Golden Tempo uncoiled in the six path heading for home, flanked inside by 1.75-1 favorite Renegade (Into Mischief) and Commandment outside. The Derby winner shrugged off Renegade just before cresting the sixteenth pole, while the more stubborn Commandment stayed on until 50 yards out. All the while Golden Tempo continued to build upon forward momentum, extending his winning margin to 1 1/4 lengths and looking as if 12 furlongs would have been well within his comfort zone.

But comparing the three recent 10-furlong versions of the Belmont to each other, Golden Tempo's was decidedly the slowest.

Sovereignty's Belmont, over a track rated "good," was by far the fastest. His final time of 2:00.69 translated to a 109 Beyer Speed Figure, and he made his winning move accelerating through a final quarter-mile timed in an impressive :23.99.

Dornoch clocked 2:01.64 for his Belmont (101 Beyer), although his final quarter of 26.13 lagged among the three.

Golden Tempo was timed in 2:03.49 (98 Beyer), rallying late into a :25.93 closing quarter-mile. The skies had opened with rain prior to Saturday's race going off, but the track remained rated "fast."



Classic Q (Classic Empire), Counting Stars (**Honor A. P.**), and Nitrogen (Medaglia d'Oro), all Grade I winners on Friday and Saturday, pose for a photo Sunday morning at Mark Casse's barn in Saratoga. | Sarah Andrew

Widening the lens...

Regardless of the race's distance, since 2000 (not counting the pandemic-altered 2020 season), the Belmont Stakes has now been won by 14 horses who ran in the Derby, then opted out of the Preakness Stakes.

Since skipping the Preakness with a healthy Derby winner has only recently come into vogue, Sovereignty and Golden Tempo have been the only two Derby winners to accomplish that feat.

During the same 21st Century time frame, eight horses won the Belmont after not having run in either the Derby or Preakness.

There were also two Triple Crown winners (**Justify** in 2018 and **American Pharoah** in 2015) who, of course, ran in all three stakes.

Two others--**Afleet Alex** in 2005 and **Point Given** in 2001--ran in the Derby, won the Preakness, then also won the Belmont.



Cherie DeVaux and Golden Tempo | Sarah Andrew

Changing styles...

Where have all the truly dangerous early-speed threats gone in the Triple Crown?

Between 2014 and 2021, horses who raced either on the front end or forced the pace right behind the leader crossed the finish wire first in eight consecutive Kentucky Derbies (not counting two DQs).

In the five years since then, from a total of 15 Triple Crown races between 2022 and 2026, only five Triple Crown stakes have been won by forwardly placed horses.

Four of those wire-to-wire or pace-pressing victories were in the GI Preakness Stakes: **Early Voting** in 2022, **National Treasure** in 2023, **Seize the Grey** in 2024 and **Napoleon Solo (Liam's Map)** in 2026.

Dornoch in 2024 was the Belmont's lone with-the-pace winner during that time frame.

For the past five Derbies, every winner has rallied from well off the tailgate, with the exception of **Mystik Dan** in 2024, who stalked at the rail mid-pack while about three or four lengths behind the leaders.

In 2025-26, there were 36 qualifying races on the American portion of the "Road to the Kentucky Derby" points series. Only three were won in wire-to-wire fashion. Speed horses pressing the pace won 10, stalkers won 13, and deep closers won 10.

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CRUDE VELOCITY TO AIM FOR HASKELL

CSLR Racing Partners' **Crude Velocity (Beau Liam)** will look to stretch out for his next start in the 1 1/8-mile GI Haskell Stakes July 18 at Monmouth Park following his runner-up effort behind the impressive **Englishman (Maxfield)** in the seven-furlong GI Woody Stephens Stakes Saturday at Saratoga.

"I'm going to run him in the Haskell," trainer Bob Baffert confirmed. "We're going to stretch. I was going to run him in the Matt Winn today [Sunday at Churchill Downs], but I thought maybe, I was hoping that Englishman wouldn't show up there [at Saratoga], but then he showed up. We'll see."

Baffert was sure his charge would not be looking for a rematch with Englishman, who earned a 115 Beyer Speed figure for his track-record equaling performance Saturday.

"I will never run against that horse again," Baffert said of Englishman. "Crude Velocity will never see that horse in the gate again, unless they are going two turns. That was, I mean, wow... Crude Velocity was doing so well, I saw that time, that was crazy."

Tabbed a 'TDN Rising Star presented by Hagyard' following his debut win at Santa Anita in March, Crude Velocity won an optional claimer in Arcadia before defeating Englishman in the May 2 GII Pat Day Mile Stakes on Kentucky Derby day.

Baffert also reported **Nysos (Nyquist)** exited his win in the GI Hill 'n' Dale Metropolitan Handicap in fine shape and he put the 5-year-old among the best horses he has trained.

"He came out of it well," Baffert said of Nysos. "He'll be heading back to Kentucky now, Monday night. I haven't had a horse like him since like **American Pharoah**. He is that caliber of horse. He's really good."

The Met Mile offered a "Win and You're In" berth to the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile, which Nysos won by a head last November at Del Mar, but this year he is expected to target the GI Breeders' Cup Classic.

"Everybody wants to know what is next for him, but I don't know what's next for him," Baffert said with a laugh. "I know the Breeders' Cup is the goal, we'll work backwards from there and I'm not sure yet."

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Further Ado Back on Top in Matt Winn

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"He broke very well today, which is something he didn't do quite as well in the Derby," said winning trainer Brad Cox. "He was able to put himself right into the race and he finished up very well with a big run."

Irad Ortiz, Jr., who took off the Derby favorite to ride Renegade to a runner-up finish on the first Saturday in May, returned to ride Further Ado Sunday.

"We broke well today and I was able to get him into a good position just off the lead," Ortiz said. "He's a classy horse and I just tried to keep his attention through the wire. He was pretty straightforward to ride today and finished up well."



Further Ado | Julie Clark/Coady Media

Further Ado's next target will likely be the July 18 GI Haskell Stakes at Monmouth Park.

"We've had this race as a target after the Derby and he came into it training well," Cox said. "We felt like this was a good steppingstone to try something like the GI Haskell at Monmouth next."

Tabbed a 'TDN Rising Star, presented by Hagyard' after an eye-popping 20-length romp at Keeneland last season, Further Ado ended his juvenile campaign with a win in the GII Kentucky Jockey Club Stakes. He opened 2026 with a runner-up effort in the Mar. 7 GIII Tampa Bay Derby before romping home an 11-length winner of the Apr. 4 GI Toyota Blue Grass Stakes.

Pedigree Notes:

Further Ado was bred by John Oxley and his third dam is Oxley's champion mare Beautiful Pleasure. His dam, Sky Dreamer, a half-sister to Grade I winner Dream Dancing (Tapit), has a 2-year-old colt by Justify who sold to AMO Racing for \$250,000 at the OBS March sale earlier this year, and a yearling colt by Maxfield. The mare was bred to Flameaway last year.

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2nd Dam: To Dream About, by Monarchos

3rd Dam: Beautiful Pleasure, by Maudlin

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3--**Taptastic**, 118, c, 3, **Tapit**--Valadorna, by **Curlin**. O-Winchell Thoroughbreds & Stonestreet Stables; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Steven Asmussen. \$48,650. Margins: 2, 5HF, 4 1/4. Odds: 0.69, 14.87, 9.66.

Also Ran: Potente, Corona de Oro, Stop the Car, Pavlovian, Steel Imperium. Click for the **Equibase.com chart** or the **TJCIS.com PPs**. **VIDEO**, sponsored by **FanDuel TV**.

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POKER S.-GIII, \$291,000, Saratoga, 6-7, 4/up, 1mT, 1:32.92, fm.

1--**PASS THE HAT**, 120, h, 5, by **Collected**

1st Dam: Veronique, by Mizzen Mast

2nd Dam: Styler, by Holy Bull

3rd Dam: Set Them Free, by Stop the Music

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$300,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Pin Oak Stud LLC; B-B. Flay Thoroughbreds (KY); T-William I. Mott; J-John R. Velazquez. \$165,000. Lifetime Record: 10-4-1-2, \$344,280. *1/2 to **Nashville** (Speightstown), SW, \$233,350. **Werk Nick Rating: C**. Click for the **eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree** or **free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree**.

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2--**Capitol Hill**, 120, c, 4, Into Mischief--Meadowsweet, by Smart Strike. O-Tranquility Lake Farms LLC; B-Pam & Martin Wygod (KY); T-William I. Mott. \$60,000.

LANE'S END FOALD & RAISED

3--**Zulu Kingdom (Ire)**, 124, r, 4, Ten Sovereigns (Ire)--Zindziswa, by Smart Strike. O-Madaket Stables, LLC, Michael Dubb, William Strauss and Caruso, Michael J.; B-Ecurie Peregrine SAS (IRE); T-Chad C. Brown. \$36,000.

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Margins: NO, 1 3/4, 2. Odds: 10.39, 12.67, 0.32.

Also Ran: Salamis, Ridari (Fr). Scratched: Ambition, Castle Chaos, Ignite the Light, Multitask, Over and Ollie, Sara's Shaman, Tarantino. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or the [TJCIS.com PPs](#). VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

Pin Oak Stud's Pass the Hat outlasted stablemate Capital Hill for a gritty victory in the GIII Poker Stakes at Saratoga Sunday. The chestnut, sent off at 10-1, tracked heavily favored Zulu Kingdom through fractions of :23.92 and :47.60. Pass the Hat engaged the pacesetter at the top of the lane, while Capital Hill had all the momentum coming from off the pace to challenge the leaders inside the final furlong. Zulu Kingdom was first to blink, leaving Pass the Hat and Capital Hill to duke it out in the final strides with Pass the Hat getting the bob on the wire to earn the first graded victory of his career.



Pass the Hat (outside) battles Capital Hill | Sarah Andrew

"I'm glad that I got on the good side of that [photo-finish]," said winning jockey John Velazquez. "He was ready today. Bill [Mott] told me he was pretty sharp today and that's the way he was. We talked about it and we thought if Zulu Kingdom wanted to be the speed, we could sit right off him. We caught up to him and that's when Bill's other horse showed up. That's the way it worked out. I was very pleased with his effort."

Sideline for all of 2024 after opening his career with two starts in Kentucky for Tom Amoss in 2023, Pass the Hat resurfaced in the Mott barn last summer. He earned his first win for Mott while making his second turf start at Gulfstream Jan. 3. Fourth over the Gulfstream lawn in March, he was coming off an Apr. 18 optional-claiming victory at Aqueduct.

"It took us a while to figure out what he wanted to do," Mott said. "Last year when we started him out, we ran him the first time on the dirt, and he ran well, second time, no good, so we switched him over to the grass. He's gradually gotten a little better and a little better."

Pedigree Notes:

Pass the Hat is a half-brother to the speedy **Nashville** (Speightstown). His dam, Veronique, has a 2-year-old colt by **Curlin** and produced a filly by **Constitution** this year. Bobby Flay purchased the mare, with Pass the Hat in utero, for \$800,000 at the 2020 Keeneland November sale. In foal to **Curlin**, she was purchased by Repole Stable for \$750,000 at the 2023 Keeneland November sale.

Pass the Hat is the eighth graded stakes winner for Collected, whose daughter Thought Process won the GI Gamely Stakes in May.

Sunday, Saratoga

SOARING SOFTLY S.-GIII, \$200,000, Saratoga, 6-7, 3yo, f, 5 1/2ft, 1:01.02, fm.

1--**SLAY THE DAY**, 124, f, 3, by Into Mischief

1st Dam: Mind Out (MSP, \$102,840), by **Tapit**

2nd Dam: Kid Majic, by Lemon Drop Kid

3rd Dam: Call Her Magic, by Caller I. D.

(\$170,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP). O-Flying Dutchmen; B-Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY); T-Brian A. Lynch; J-John R. Velazquez. \$110,000.

Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-0, \$505,238. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.**

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2--**Hen Party**, 124, f, 3, Into Mischief--Fair Maiden, by Street Boss. O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-Eoin G. Harty. \$40,000.

3--**Cadenza**, 124, f, 3, **Charlatan**--Maddie's Odyssey, by Kitten's Joy. **1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE**. (\$385,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP). O-Stonestreet Stables LLC; B-KMN Racing, LLC (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. \$24,000.

Margins: 2 3/4, HF, 2HF. Odds: 0.68, 4.25, 5.50.

Also Ran: Flowerhead (Ire), Kingsolver, Should've, Alpenglow. Scratched: Niche. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or the [TJCIS.com PPs](#). VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

Flying Dutchmen's Slay the Day romped home a front-running victress of the GIII Soaring Softly Stakes at Saratoga Sunday. The 3-5 favorite, away alertly, battled through an opening quarter of :21.33 and was clear as the half went up in :44.05. Cadenza attempted to launch a challenge in upper stretch, but Slay the Day kept finding more and bound home an easy winner.

"She's been in good form and trained well going into it," said winning trainer Brian Lynch. "She ran awesome, no doubt about it, but we'd have been disappointed if she didn't show up because she was in such good order going into the race."

Slay the Day, winner of her turf debut at Gulfstream in March, won the 5 1/2-furlong GIII Limestone Stakes over the Keeneland lawn Apr. 10 and found only GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf Sprint winner Cy Fair (**Not This Time**) too good when second in the GIII Mamzelle Stakes last time out.

"As she's matured into racing, she's got tactical where she can switch on and switch off," Lynch said. "She doesn't seem, when she gets hooked, that she gets aggressive or wants to go head-and-head. It seemed like Johnny [Velazquez] could take her back a bit today and then go forward whenever he wanted to. It's starting to look like she's getting a bit push-button, which is fantastic as we move forward."



Slay the Day | Sarah Andrew

Pedigree Notes:

Mind Out, purchased by Pin Oak Stud for \$1.2 million at the 2021 Keeneland November sale, is a half-sister to champion sprinter Miss Mischief (Into Mischief) and to the dam of multiple Grade I-placed Rowayton (Into Mischief). Slay the Day is the mare's first foal. She also has a 2-year-old colt by **Curlin** and a yearling filly by **Gun Runner**. Her 2026 foal by **Nyquist** died.

Slay the Day was bred by the Bernhard family's Pin Oak Stud, while the operation's colors were carried to victory by Pass the Hat (Collected) in the GIII Poker Stakes earlier on the card.

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ALBERTO DELGADO EARNS FIRST TRAINING WIN

Alberto Delgado, who earned Eclipse Award honors as the champion apprentice jockey in 1982, recorded his first win as a trainer when In Honor of Jeff rallied from last in Sunday's sixth race at Laurel Park, a \$12,500 non-winners-of-two claimer for 3-year-olds and up at six furlongs.

It was the ninth starter saddled by Delgado, who retired from riding to train full time last December.

"It feels great. I ran a couple of horses, and they were not running well," said Delgado. "Even though this horse was training well, you just don't know. I'm just speechless right now."

Jockey Jean Briceño didn't receive any pre-race instructions from Delgado.

"I hated it when [trainers] gave me instructions," Delgado admitted. "Sometimes it took me off my game."

Delgado, a second-generation jockey from Carolina, Puerto Rico, was a hit from his first ride, winning 245 races during his Eclipse Award-winning season. On Aug. 16, 1982, he rode five consecutive winners at Delaware, then drove to Timonium, where he swept the late daily double. He surpassed the 200-win mark in each of the next four years.

From 1993 to 1996, Delgado won more than 120 races each year. In 1995, he guided Oliver's Twist to victory in the GIII Federico Tesio Stakes. Four weeks later, Delgado and Oliver's Twist finished second in the GI Preakness Stakes.

Delgado, 61, retired from riding with a record of 2,951 wins in 25,534 rides and career earnings of \$42,072,982. He earned 115 stakes wins, including 10 graded triumphs.

Delgado said that a training win doesn't feel the same as a riding victory.

"It's a different emotion," he said. "I feel like I'm watching my kids play a game, and they're winning. It's great. I love it."

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SNEAKILY MISSES BREAK, ROARS HOME TO 'RISING STARDOM' AT CHURCHILL



Sneakily | Coady Media

by Patrycja Szpyra

There was nothing stealthy about her leap into the air at the break but it didn't matter late as the eye-catching **Sneakily** (**Tapit**) went last to first to secure the *TDN* stamp of approval as the newest 'TDN Rising Star, presented by Hagyard' at Churchill.

The grey was debuted at Ellis Park Aug. 18 and had the misfortune of having to close on an uncontested leader. Having spent most of her time near the rear of the field after she broke slowly and was bumped around, Sneakily came home from four wide to be a clear second.

Given 5-2 odds for this second try, she missed the jump even worse here after rearing in the gate right as they were released and found herself last early as the frontrunner posted an opening quarter in :22.97 and a half in :48.45. Saving ground on the far bend as six panels went by in 1:12.40, Sneakily came nine wide into the lane, but was relentlessly closing the gap on **Paseo** (Mendelssohn) with every stride. Overhauling that one past the furlong marker, she rolled home from last to first to win by two lengths.

Sneakily is **Tapit**'s 56th *TDN* Rising Star and his 10th to earn the stamp of approval at Churchill Downs.

The victress is the first to the races for Sneaking Out, an accomplished half-sister to GSW Grecian Fire (Unusual Heat), MSW Been Studying Her (Fast Anna), and SW Smuggler's Run (Straight Fire).

Most recently, the dam's youngest half-sibling Cadenza (**Charlatan**) ran a game third in Sunday's GIII Soaring Softly Stakes at Saratoga.

Sneakily is a half-sister to a juvenile filly by **Olympiad**, who is the last registered offspring for Sneaking Out after her 2025 **Good Magic** died. She had been bred back to **Tapit** for 2026.

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5th-Churchill Downs, \$120,214, Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:47.16, fm, 2 lengths.

SNEAKILY, f, 3, by Tapit

1st Dam: Sneaking Out (MGSW, \$531,441), by Indian Evening

2nd Dam: Maddie's Odyssey, by Kitten's Joy

3rd Dam: Personal Odyssey, by Lemon Drop Kid

Sales history: \$850,000 Ylg '24 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$88,244. O-Wathnan Racing; B-KMN Racing, LNJ Foxwoods & Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

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GUN RUNNER'S LEADING CHANGE DAZZLES ON DEBUT, NEWEST 'RISING STAR'



Leading Change | Coady Media

by Patrycja Szpyra

When you're the half-brother to a multiple Grade I winner, expectations are always high, but **Leading Change** (**Gun Runner**) took a big first step to filling those shoes with a dazzling debut at Churchill Downs to earn a 'TDN Rising Star, presented by Hagyard' nod.

Selling for the princely price of \$800,000 as a yearling at the 2024 Keeneland September sale, the son of **Gun Runner** had a respectable worktab under his belt by the time he was entered for this contest. Drawn to the far outside, the post made little difference to the betting public when they sent him away as the heavy 6-5 favorite.

Leading Change broke well and stalked the action from third on the outside of the dueling early pace set in :22.59 and a crisp :45.13 for the half. The looming danger as heads turned for home, he quickly overtook that pair and extended his advantage on the rest with every stride. The Brad Cox trainee hit the wire 6 1/2 lengths in front of **Don's Winner** (Game Winner), who snuck up in the final strides to claim second.

The final time for the seven furlongs was 1:21.06. Leading Change is **Gun Runner**'s 24th 'TDN Rising Star' and is owner Wathnan Racing's second on the afternoon behind Sneakily (**Tapit**) in race 5.

The victor is a half-brother to the aforementioned multiple Grade I winner and GI Kentucky Oaks heroine Shedadesthedevel (Daredevil), \$2,777,458, who sold to Whisper Hill Farm at the 2022 Fasig-Tipton November sale for \$5-million to buy out a partnership. Her first to come of racing age is a juvenile filly by **Gun Runner** named Tinker Taylor.

His other half-siblings include fellow 'Rising Star' Star of Wonder (Uncle Mo), SW-KSA, GSP-USA, \$419,347 and Mojovation (**Quality Road**), GSP, \$375,988 as well as the dam of GISP La Wally (**Constitution**). The late Starship Warpspeed was barren on her 2024 Uncle Mo cover, making Leading Change her final offspring. This is the immediate female family of GSW & MGISP Crafty C. T. and MGSP Carmen's Baby.

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9th-Churchill Downs, \$118,076, Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:21.06, ft, 6 1/2 lengths.

LEADING CHANGE, c, 3, by **Gun Runner**

1st Dam: Starship Warpspeed, by Congrats

2nd Dam: Andria's Forest, by Forestry

3rd Dam: Andriana B., by Far North

Sales history: \$800,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$68,496. O-Wathnan Racing; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

LESLIE'S LADY S., \$225,000, Churchill Downs, 6-7, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:21.16, ft.

1--**EXPLORA**, 122, f, 3, by **Blame**

1st Dam: Collections Choice, by Bernardini

2nd Dam: Model, by Giant's Causeway

3rd Dam: Snowfire (GB), by Machiavellian

TDN Rising Star, presented by Hagyard (\$22,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP; \$350,000 2yo '25 EASMAY). O-Pegram, Michael E., Watson, Karl and Weitman, Paul; B-Mesingw Farm, LLC (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Florent Geroux. \$137,415. Lifetime Record: 9-5-3-0, \$1,259,415.



Leslie's Lady Stakes cont.

2--**On Time Girl**, 122, f, 3, **Not This Time**--Girl Daddy, by Uncle Mo. (\$375,000 RNA Ylg '24 KEESEP). O-Albaugh Family Stables, LLC; B-Albaugh Family Stables LLC (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. \$44,650.

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3--**Shilling**, 118, f, 3, Global Campaign--Pounds to Pennies, by Exchange Rate. (\$105,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP). O-Fern Circle Stables; B-Joe B. Mulholland Jr. & John P. Mulholland (KY); T-Kenneth G. McPeck. \$22,325.

Bred, Raised and Sold by Mulholland Springs

Margins: 1 1/4, 5, 2HF. Odds: 1.03, 0.96, 48.43.

Also Ran: Brooklyn Blonde, A Fine Chardonnay, Have Faith. Scratched: Sneaky Good.

'TDN Rising Star, presented by Hagyard' Explora returned to her winning ways on Sunday with a confident victory in the Leslie's Lady Stakes at Churchill Downs.

Off here at even-money, Explora found herself in a familiar position at the head of affairs, but had persistent company in Brooklyn Blonde (**Gun Runner**) through an opening quarter in :22.72 and a half-mile in :45.07. Turning that one away heading for home, Explora dug deep to fend off an oncoming rush from On Time Girl, but kept her at bay by a length. Shilling came on late to claim third.

Baffert said after the race that Explora's likely next target would be the Aug. 8 GI Test Stakes.



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After earning a Rising Star victory at Del Mar last summer, Explora returned to finish second behind stablemate Bottle of Rouge (Vino Rosso) in the GI Del Mar Debutante in September. A 4 1/2-length winner GII Oak Leaf at Santa Anita on Oct. 4, she came up just 3/4 of a length short in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies on Oct. 31.

In her seasonal opener, she ran off to a convincing 5 1/4-length score in the seven-furlong Santa Ynez Stakes at Santa Anita before coming up 1 1/2 lengths short to Meaning (**Gun Runner**) in the one-mile Las Virgenes Stakes on Feb. 8. Back on top in Oaklawn's GIII Honeybee Stakes on Mar. 1, she showed early speed but ultimately finished 2 1/2 lengths behind winner Always a Runner (**Gun Runner**) in the GI Kentucky Oaks.

With Explora in utero, Mesingw Farm secured Collections Choice for \$24,000 at Keeneland November in 2022 before selling the mare--in foal to a colt by **Beau Liam**--for \$24,000 at that venue in 2024. A \$22,000 Keeneland September yearling, Explora flourished into a \$350,000 Fasig-Tipton spring juvenile.

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QUEENSTON S., C\$125,000, Woodbine, 6-7, (C), 3yo, 7f (AWT), 1:23.25, ft.

1--**HIGHWAYTOTHEMOON**, 120, g, 3, by **Ransom the Moon**

1st Dam: **High Society Gal**, by **Society's Chairman**

2nd Dam: **Gal's Victory**, by **Victory Gallop**

3rd Dam: **Society Gal**, by **Linkage**

(C\$20,000 RNA Ylg '24 CANSEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.**

O-Centennial Farms (Niagara) Inc.; B-James Everatt, Janeane Everatt & Arika Everatt-Meeuse (ON); T-Dale A. Desruisseaux; J-Rafael Manuel Hernandez. C\$75,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, \$167,453.

2--**Military Time**, 120, c, 3, **Gun Runner**--Red Cabernet, by Signature Red. (\$350,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP). O-Barber, Gary and St. Elias Stable (Vincent Viola); B-Adena Springs (ON); T-Mark E. Casse. C\$25,000.

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3--**Brachetto**, 118, c, 3, Vekoma--Colorino, by Include.

1ST BLACK TYPE. O-McKague, Dr. Ross A. and McKague, Brenda; B-Ross A. McKague (MB); T-Julia Carey. C\$13,750.

Margins: 1 1/4, 1HF, 2HF. Odds: 3.05, 0.70, 5.45.

Also Ran: Thundermaker, Amore Mio, Believein.

In a race that annually offers an early glimpse of the season's Canadian Classic contenders, the Queenston Stakes went the way of Centennial Farm's Highwaytothemoon.

Installed the 3-1 second choice behind the more fancied Mark Casse-trainee Military Time, Highwaytothemoon was rushed to the front, leading Thundermaker (**Modernist**) and Military Time through an opening quarter in :23.06. Picking up the tempo through a half in :46.45, the leading duo hit the quarter pole in near tandem while the favorite started to close from the outside. Set down for the stretch drive, the pacesetter dug in late and was able to fend off Military time, who was 1 1/4-lengths back in second with Brachetto staying on to be third.

He launched his 3-year-old campaign defeating his elders by a neck in a 5 1/2-furlong optional claiming race on Apr. 19 at Woodbine. Most recently, he finished second to Casson, who inherited Highwaytothemoon's regular rider, Juan Hernandez.

Despite the Queenston's propensity in producing Plate runners, trainer Dale Desruisseaux indicated that route is unlikely for the speedster.

"Yeah, I think he's a one-turn kind of horse," he said. "Maybe in a perfect world against the right company he gets two-turns, but going against those top horses, he probably doesn't get the distance."

Highwaytothemoon, a first-out winner at Woodbine last summer, was third in the restricted Simcoe Stakes before finishing fourth on the grass in the five-furlong Algonquin Stakes.

"I think we did right by the horse, near the end of the year, he got a little bone bruising in his ankles so we put him away, cleaned him up and sent him down to Florida with Slade and Kelly Callaghan," said Desruisseaux. "They did a really good job wintering him for me and came up here in great shape and we're good from there."

High Society Gal produced a colt by Cupid in 2024 and a colt by **Speaker's Corner** last season. This represents the family of GISW Mona de Momma (Speightstown), the dam of dual GISW and sire Vekoma. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

LOUISIANA LEGENDS CHEVAL S., \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-6, (S), 3yo, 1m, 1:37.58, ft.

1--**CREOLE CHROME**, 122, c, 3, by **Volatile**

1st Dam: **Funny Moon** (GISW, \$530,900), by **Malibu Moon**

2nd Dam: **Fun Crowd**, by **Easy Goer**

3rd Dam: **Populi**, by **Star Envoy**

(\$55,000 Ylg '24 TTAYRL). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Three Diamonds Farm; B-Gulf Haven Farms, LLC (LA); T-Joe Sharp; J-Timothy Thornton. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, \$254,400. *1/2 to This Tea (**Curlin**), MGSP, \$165,320.



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2--**Lee Street**, 120, g, 3, Lexingtonian--Dragon Eyes, by **Candy Ride** (**Arg**). (\$14,000 RNA Ylg '24 TTAYRL). **1ST BLACK TYPE.**

O-Gulf Haven Farms; B-Gulf Haven Farms, LLC (LA);

T-Ronnie P. Ward. \$20,000.



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3--**Wherethehitsare**, 118, g, 3, Mitole--Seaside Candy, by **Twirling Candy**. O-Stewart Mather Madison; B-Stewart M. Madison (LA); T-Albert M. Stall, Jr. \$11,000.

Margins: 18, 3 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.05, 11.80, 7.60.

Creole Chrome had been facing tough company of late, finishing off the board in his two latest starts in graded company, however, he proved peerless against fellow Louisiana bred when running off to post a gaudy 18-length score in Saturday's Louisiana Legends Cheval Stakes at Evangeline Downs.

Offering little doubt who was fancied here, Creole was pounded down to 1-20 favoritism, and quickly justified the support. Squeezed back at the start, the flashy chestnut was nonetheless up to press the issue as longshot Mogumbeaux (Mo Tom) cut out a quarter in :23.99. Taking over soon after, the favorite was narrowly on top through a half in :47.02, but it was a matter of time before he would crank it up a notch. Clear turning for home, Creole Chrome drew clear with every stride through the lane, scoring by 18 lengths over 11-1 chance Lee Street.

A debut winner sprinting against Louisiana bred in his juvenile season, the colt ended that campaign with a third in the Louisiana Champions Day Juvenile at the Fair Grounds in December. Victorious in his next two, including the Feb. 28 1 mile 70 yard Louisiana Stallion of the Year Star Guitar Stakes, Creole Chrome finished a well-beaten fourth behind Further Ado (**Gun Runner**) in the GI Blue Grass Stakes at Keeneland before coming home sixth, beaten 11 1/4 lengths, by Crude Velocity (**Beau Liam**) in the GII Pat Day Mile at Churchill Downs on May 2.

Out of GI CCA Oaks heroine Funny Moon, Creole Chrome is a half to Grade II placed This Tea (**Curlin**). The 20-year-old mare, who most recently realized \$45,000 when selling in foal to **Tiz the Law** in the 2021 Keeneland November sale, produced a filly by Pappacap last year. This represents the extended family of Champion Older Horse Vanlandingham and Champion 3-year-old Colt Temperence Hill. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**



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LOUISIANA LEGENDS SOIREE S., \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-6, (S), 3yo, f, 1m, 1:40.00, ft.

1--**MIDNIGHT PASSION**, 119, f, 3, by **Quality Road**

1st Dam: **Midnight Fantasy (MSW, \$340,971)**, by **Midnight Lute**

2nd Dam: **St. Jean**, by **Macho Uno**

3rd Dam: **French Park**, by **Ecton Park**

O/B-Coteau Grove Farms, LLC (LA); T-Patrick Devereux, Jr.; J-Colby J. Hernandez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 6-5-1-0, \$218,800.

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2--**Liteupthenite**, 124, f, 3, Aurelius Maximus--City Gone Wild, by City Zip. (\$15,000 Ylg '24 TTAYRL). O-Norman Stables LLC; B-Channon Farm, LLC (LA); T-Jayde J. Gelner. \$20,000.

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3--**Thrill Seeker**, 116, f, 3, Cupid--Louie's Backyard, by **Curlin**. (\$60,000 Ylg '24 TTAYRL). O-Carl R. Moore Management, LLC; B-Southern Cypress Thoroughbreds & Scotty Robin (LA); T-Joe Sharp. \$11,000.

Margins: 4 3/4, 2HF, 8. Odds: 0.60, 5.80, 2.40.

Also Ran: **Whisper Me a Smile**, **Lost Art**. Scratched: **Walknto Neworleans**.

Looking to keep a three race-win skein in tact, favored **Midnight Passion** made short work of her state-bred rivals with another confident score in Saturday's Louisiana Legends Soiree Stakes.

Fractious at the gate, **Midnight Passion** nonetheless broke well enough to settle behind 5-1 chance **Whisper Me a Smile** (Carpe Diem), who posted an opening quarter mile in :24.83. The 3-5 choice started to apply some pressure after a modest half in :49.01, she poked her head in front midway on the far turn started to amp up the tempo passing the quarter pole. In command a furlong out, the grey was uncontested late, winning by 4 3/4 lengths over **Liteupthenite**. **Thrill Seeker** was third.

The winner of her initial two starts facing state-breds, both at Delta Downs, **Midnight Passion** was runner-up in the seven-furlong Louisiana-bred Premier Night Starlet Stakes at that venue in February. Unbeatable at this venue since, she took the open Acadiana Stakes at six panels before adding a win in the Cajun Miss facing Louisiana-breds at seven-eighths on May 1.

Midnight Fantasy, a half-sister to MSWs **Secret Faith** (Aurelius Maximus) and **Strong Promise** (Broken Vow), was purchased by breeder Coteau Grove Farms for \$500,000 with this foal in utero at the 2022 Keeneland November sale. The multiple stakes winner produced an Uncle Mo filly in 2024 followed by a filly by **Not This Time** last season.

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2nd-Churchill Downs, \$134,348, Alw, 6-7, (NW1STL), 3yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:01.31, fm, 3 lengths.

TROUBLE CALLING (c, 3, Dialed In--Into Trouble {SW, \$182,749}, by Into Mischief) took a minute to break his maiden, but got the job done at fifth asking, earning a 91 Beyer figure for his effort at Fair Grounds Feb. 14. He was stepped up to stakes company Apr. 3 at Keeneland to win the Lafayette Stakes by a head, but was a distant eighth in the GII Pat Day Mile behind **Crude Velocity (Nyquist)** and **Englishman (Maxfield)**. Both of those returned last Saturday in the GI Woody Stephens Stakes and the latter nearly broke the track record at Saratoga en route to victory while **Crude Velocity** ran second. Making a first start over the turf here, the 5-2 shot was scrubbed along after the break, but saved ground along the fence going into the bend to put himself in striking range at the top of the stretch. Rallying to take command in the final sixteenth, he pulled away from **Ganaas (War Front)** to win by three lengths. **Trouble Calling** is the third consecutive stakes winner for **Into Trouble**, thus making him a half-sibling to **Troubleshooting (Not This Time)**, GISW, \$1,786,556 and **Big Trouble (Kantharos)**, SW, \$412,593. The dam's most recent of age is a juvenile filly by **Nashville** and she has a yearling filly by that same sire. Her youngest is a 2026 **Kantharos** filly. Lifetime Record: SW, 8-3-2-1, \$413,213. Click for the **Equibase.com** chart or **VIDEO**, sponsored by **FanDuel TV**. O/B-Donamire Farm (KY); T-Gregory D. Foley.



Scottish Lassie | Sarah Andrew

4th-Churchill Downs, \$134,000, Alw (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.20, ft, 2 1/4 lengths. **PARADISE CITY (f, 4, McKinzie--Washington Bridge {GSW, \$273,502}, by Yankee Gentleman)** hit the board in the Iowa Oaks going 8 1/2 furlongs on the dirt and the one-mile GIII Winter Memories on the turf last season. Rounding out the year with a fifth in the GII Sands Point and GIII Pebbles Stakes--both at the Big A--she was given a 7-1 chance to get off the mark in this return to the main. Settled in a close-up fourth early by Irad Ortiz Jr., the bay was tipped out for the stretch drive, was driven through the leading rank and drew clear to score by 2 1/4 lengths over Irina's Charm (Justify). A half to Mnasek (Empire Maker), GSW-UAE, \$118,653, the daughter of GSW Washington Bridge has an unraced juvenile brother by Nyquist and a foal sister by Cogburn. Sales history: \$25,000 RNA Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$105,000 2yo '24 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 13-3-3-1, \$317,367. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV](#).

O-C2 Racing Stable LLC, Shining Stables LLC, Braverman, Paul and Pinch, Timothy; B-Don Alberto Corp (KY); T-Saffie Joseph, Jr.



3rd-Saratoga, \$121,250, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23.18, ft, 8 1/2 lengths. **SCOTTISH LASSIE (f, 4, McKinzie--Bodebabe, by Bodemeister)**, a nine-length winner in the 2024 GI Frizette Stakes, proved her love for Saratoga with a third in the GI Acorn before a 15 1/2-length tour de force in last year's GI CCA Oaks. She was a flat fourth last out Sept. 20 in the GI Cotillion at Parx before going on the sidelines. A [TDN Insight in Sunday's edition](#), the 3-5 favorite broke well and immediately stepped forward to control the tempo through opening splits of :22.71 and a half in :45.37.

Flavien Prat was largely motionless as they swung for home, and his mount needed little encouraging to put away Limes Don't Lie (McKinzie) in the lane to post a dominating margin.

The winner, a half to Scot's Law (Tiz the Law), MSP, \$158,551, has an unraced juvenile brother by Corniche in addition to a foal-brother by Practical Joke. Sales history: \$50,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$85,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR; \$3,800,000 RNA 3yo '25 FTKNOV. Lifetime Record: 8-3-0-3, \$804,510. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV](#) O-Sportsmen Stable, Parkland Tbreds, Photos Finish LLC, Corms Racing Stable and J Abreu.; B-Winchester Farm (KY); T-J Abreu.

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1st-Saratoga, \$105,000, (S), Alw, 6-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41.34, fm, 3 1/4 lengths.

ALL OF IT (f, 3, Mendelssohn--Indy's Lady {MSW, \$202,378}, by Take Charge Indy) kicked off her career with a victory at first asking Apr. 16 at Aqueduct with a dominating 5 1/4-length margin over fellow New York-breds, and returned here at a sixteenth longer to make it two in a row. Sent off as the slim 2-1 favorite, All of It tracked the action from midpack and after a half-mile in :48.39, had inched closer to the front entering the final bend. Three wide entering the lane but rallying to take command inside the eighth pole, the daughter of Mendelssohn drew clear of the field to win by 3 1/4 lengths. Considerate City (Temple City) ran on well to get second. The victress is the second winner to the races behind her elder half-sister Inamorata (More Than Ready). The pair has a juvenile half-sister by Maclean's Music in the wings as well as a 2026 half-brother by Bolt d'Oro. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$99,000. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV](#). O/B-Jump Sucker Stable (NY); T-Miguel Clement.

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6th-Saratoga, \$115,000, Msw, 6-7, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05.00, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

BOOKED (c, 2, Yaupon--Fingerprint, by Competitive Edge), runner-up in his debut going 4 1/2 panels at Churchill Downs on Apr. 28, was installed the 8-5 choice to get it done this time. Hustled into contention from his outside berth, the favorite was asked to survey Call Attendant (**Speaker's Corner**) who issued a :22.11 opening quarter mile. Poised to take over at any time, the half to Zadorsky (Tapiture, MSP, \$446,767) caught the frontrunner at the quarter pole and drew clear late to score by 1 3/4 lengths over Jack's Golden Goal (Omaha Beach). **Insighted in Sunday's TDN, 3-1 second choice Just a Holiday (Justify) finished eighth.**

From the family of Kentucky Derby winner Super Saver and GISW Callback (**Street Sense**), the colt has a year-younger brother by **Two Phil's**, who was secured in utero when dam Fingerprint was purchased for \$20,000 at the Fasig-Tipton March Digital sale. Sales history: \$325,000 Ylg '25 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$80,770. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Jackpot Farm, Fults, Alvin and Itkin, Jason; B-Peace Of Heaven Thoroughbreds (IN); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

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New York Special (inside) defeating Morning Prayer
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2nd-Saratoga, \$100,000, (S), Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41.98, fm, head.

NEW YORK SPECIAL (f, 3, Curlin--Achalaya, by Bellamy Road), runner-up going seven furlongs on the dirt against Empire bred at the Big A in April, was given a 7-2 chance to go one better on the turf here. Settled in a ground-saving position behind early pace, New York Special was well covered up at the quarter pole and in need of daylight turning for home. Getting it just in time, she raced between rivals in the stretch and was all out to best Morning Prayer (Combatant) by a head at the wire. Factory Setting (**McKinzie**) was third.

The winner is a half to MGISW **Casa Creed** (Jimmy Creed, MGSP-KSA, \$2,691,308) and Chess's Dream (Jess's Dream), GSW, \$238,908. A daughter of MGSW Wild Heart Dancing (Farm Way), Achalaya is also responsible for a juvenile filly by **Life Is Good** (Beach Life) and a filly foal by **Justify**. Sales history: \$475,000 RNA Ylg '24 FTSAUG; \$500,000 Ylg '24 FTKOCT.

Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$70,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV**

O-Gary Barber; B-30 Year Farm (NY); T-Mark E. Casse.


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11th-Saratoga, \$100,000, (S), Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18.36, gd, 1 1/2 lengths.

KING FARRO (g, 3, King for a Day--Twelve Toes, by Not This Time) finished third on debut last October at Aqueduct and again May 10 on seasonal bow when stretching out to a mile against fellow New York-breds at that venue. Given 7-2 odds to get it done here, he shied in at the start, but recovered well to track just off the leaders from along the rail. Under a ride passing the five-sixteenths after opening splits of :22.08 and a half in :45.77, King Farro was angled five wide for the homeward drive before going well clear of the field inside the final furlong.

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Irish Goodbye (**Cairo Prince**) tried to reel him back in but came 1 1/2 lengths short in the end. The victor is the second to the races for his dam, but her first winner. He has a juvenile half-sister named She's a Twelve (Yaupon) as well as a 2026 half-sister by Jackie's Warrior. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, \$74,200.

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7th-Woodbine, C\$78,817, Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10.75, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

HAPPY DESTINATION (f, 3, Runhappy--Destination Love, by Friesan Fire), sent off at 3-1 for this unveiling, wasn't particularly quick out of the gate but readily loved up to take the lead, skipping through an opening quarter in :22.84. Continuing to show the way over Nanina (Ger) (**No Nay Never**) through a :46.07 half, she powered away late to graduate by 2 1/4 lengths. Destination Love produced her latest, a colt by Classic Empire, in 2024. Sales history: \$35,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,981. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Gary Barber; B-BHMF, LLC (KY); T-Mark E. Casse.



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7th-Santa Anita, \$67,000, Msw, 6-7, 3, 4, 5yo, 6 1/2f, 1:16.36, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

DUKE SILVER (c, 3, Silver State--Comic, by Distorted Humor) debuted Mar. 7 in the same maiden special at this venue which yielded GI Woody Stephens runner-up Crude Velocity (**Beau Liam**), GISP Civil Liberty (**Independence Hall**), and two other next-out winners. After finishing third there, he tried to take them gate to wire last out Apr. 4, but faded to fourth in the lane.

Going into the gates here as the 8-5 favorite, Duke Silver pressed the pace through a :21.75 opening quarter and had taken command passing the three-eighths while slowly inching away from the field. Sir Davis (**Justify**) tried to mount a rally as they spun into the lane, but could not cut into the margin beyond 3 1/2 lengths late. Duke Silver is the first to the races for Comic, and her first winner. His half-siblings include a yearling colt by **Dr. Schivel** and a 2026 **Charge It** colt. This is the immediate female family of GISW Callback (**Street Sense**) and SW Defy Gravity (Bandini), the dam of SW Green Destiny (Super Saver) and granddam of SP Owen's Leap (Bolt d'Oro). Sales history: \$335,000 2yo '25 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$51,600. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Muir Hut Stables LLC; B-English Range Farm (FL); T-Mark Glatt.

Purchased by Joe Moran

2nd-Monmouth, \$58,680, Msw, 6-7, 2yo, 4 1/2f, :52.69, ft, 1 length.

CITY STREAKER (c, 2, Sea Wizard--Upset City, by City Zip) gave his owners, trainer, and sire the exacta in this race after he caught a flier out of the gate, led every step of the way, and held off his stablemate Sea Devil (Sea Wizard) to win by a length. The 6-5 favorite Black Label (**Nyquist**) was outrun every step of the way. City Streaker is a full-brother to Ship to Shore, SW, \$146,970 and is the fourth straight offspring by Sea Wizard from the dam. They have a yearling full-sister in the wings and Upset City returned to that stallion for a sixth time for 2026. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$37,800. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O/B-Holly Crest Farm (NJ); T-Eddie Owens, Jr.



TD ANOTHER TRAVIS DURR GRADUATE

7th-Hawthorne, \$30,000, Msw, 6-7, 3yo/up, 5fT, :56.12, fm, 2 3/4 lengths.

CAPOVIVO (g, 3, Constitution--Merry Meadow {MGSW, \$852,800}, by Henny Hughes), backed down to 4-5 for his career unveiling, broke quickly, took command early, led throughout and crossed the wire 2 3/4 lengths ahead of Rockfest (Rock Your World) at the wire.

In addition to Capovivo, MGSW Merry Meadow produced MSW and GSP Hozier (Pioneer of the Nile, \$759,205) and a 2024 filly by Constitution and a **Two Phil's** colt earlier this season. Sales history: \$25,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP; \$145,000 2yo '25 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,000. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Patricia's Hope LLC and Knollwood Stables; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Larry Rivelli.



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2026 Stud Fees Listed

Colonel Liam (**Liam's Map**), Ocala Stud, \$6,500

74 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners

4-Presque Isle Downs, 4:51 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Cash Cashel, 10-1

4-Presque Isle Downs, 4:51 p.m. ET, Msw 4 1/2f, Gangam Grey, 3-1

Drain the Clock (**Maclean's Music**), Gainesway Farm, \$10,000

134 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners

4-Presque Isle Downs, 4:51 p.m. E, Msw 4 1/2f, Final Minute, 6-1
\$95,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Mind Control (Stay Thirsty), Rockridge Stud, \$6,000

119 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners

4-Presque Isle Downs, 4:51 p.m. ET, Msw 4 1/2f, Topsy Mojo, 5-2

Mutasaabeq (Into Mischief), Pleasant Acres Stallions

25 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners

4-Presque Isle Downs, 4:51 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, What a Deal, 12-1

\$22,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: MONDAY, JUNE 8

2026 Stud Fees Listed

Uncle Chuck (Uncle Mo), Journeyman Stud

111 foals of racing age/16 winners/2 black-type winners

4-Presque Isle Downs, 4:51 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, Uncle Kef, 9-2

Wellabled (Shackleford)

3 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners

5-Thistledown, 2:50 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Willing N Abled, 2-1



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LOUISIANA LEGENDS TURF S., \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-6, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:44.62, ft.

1--**WICKED AS HAGGART, 118, g, 4, Bobby's Wicked One--**

Simply Sweet, by Super Saver. O-Autumn Hill Farms Racing Stables, Inc.; B-Autumn Hill Farms Racing Stables, Inc. (LA); T-Allen Landry; J-Jansen Melancon. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 11-5-4-1, \$244,850.

2--**Good and Stout, 118, h, 5, Coal Front--Ready Witted, by** More Than Ready. (\$55,000 Ylg '22 OBSOCT; \$75,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR). O-Whispering Oaks Farm LLC; B-Adcock's Red River Farm, LLC & Hume Wornall (LA); T-Carrol Castille. \$20,000.

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3--**Cosmic Train, 118, g, 7, Klimt--Cosmic Emergency, by** Any Given Saturday. (\$55,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$19,000 RNA 2yo '21 OBSAPR). O-Delanie J. Calais, Jr.; B-Coteau Grove Farms, LLC (LA); T-Jerry Delhomme. \$10,000.

Margins: 6, 2 1/4, 2 3/4. Odds: 0.40, 23.30, 5.10.

LOUISIANA LEGENDS MADEMOISELLE S., \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-6, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03.76, ft.

1--**SIX STRING, 118, m, 5, Star Guitar--Oh Whata Holiday (MSP, \$157,291), by Harlan's Holiday.** O-World War IV Racing and Rebel Tide Racing LLC; B-World War IV Racing & Rebel Tide Racing LLC (LA); T-Allen Landry; J-Timothy Thornton. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 28-12-7-4, \$622,910.

2--**Synthetic, 124, f, 4, Midshipman--Always Here Too, by** Include. (\$75,000 Ylg '23 FTKJUL). O-Keith Plaisance; B-Clear Creek Stud LLC & Theodore Brandon (LA); T-Joseph R. Felks. \$20,000.

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3--**Sassi Strutter, 124, m, 5, Sassicaia--She's Prado's Idol, by** Screen Idol. O-Elite Thoroughbred Racing LLC; B-Michele Rodriguez (LA); T-Lee Thomas. \$10,000.

Margins: NO, 1, 9HF. Odds: 4.60, 0.20, 4.50.

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LOUISIANA LEGENDS TURF DISTAFF S., \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-6, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:39.25, ft.

1--**KALIL, 118, f, 4, Practical Joke--Hatpin (SW & MGSP, \$257,897), by Smart Strike.** (\$57,000 Ylg '23 BSLY&M).

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Set-Hut LLC; B-Scott & Company Farm, LLC (LA); T-Jeff Delhomme; J-Timothy Thornton.

\$60,000. Lifetime Record: 15-4-4-2, \$230,660.

*1/2 to Dannhauser (Johannesburg), MSW & GSP, \$313,487;

1/2 to Shaishee (Indian Charlie), GSW-UAE, \$345,992.

2--**Jojo Bean, 118, f, 4, Midshipman--Vera Belle, by Not For Love.** (\$14,000 RNA Ylg '23 BSLY&M). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Baronne Farms LLC; B-Baronne Farms, LLC (LA); T-A Landry. \$20,000.

3--**Nodah, 124, m, 6, Mor Spirit--Forest Path, by El Corredor.**

O-Kenneth L. Roberts Racing Stables Inc.; B-J. Adcock

& Nathan C. Granger (LA); T-Benard Chatters. \$11,000.

Margins: 7 1/4, 3, 2 1/4. Odds: 2.00, 6.20, 1.90.

LOUISIANA LEGENDS SPRINT S., (NB) \$100,000, Evangeline Downs, 6-6, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04.06, ft.

1--**EL DINERO, 124, g, 5, El Deal--Money for Makeup (SP), by**

Forestry. (\$25,000 Ylg '22 LTBSYM; \$36,000 2yo '23 TTAAPR).

O-Tav Enterprises LLC; B-J. Adcock & Hume Wornall (LA);

T-Patrick Devereux, Jr.; J-Colby J. Hernandez. \$60,000.

Lifetime Record: 29-8-8-6, \$620,640.

2--**Clear as a Bele, 120, g, 6, Clearly Now--My Friend Bele, by**

My Friend Max. O-Dark Horse Investments, LLC, K Dela-

houssaye & L Cortez B-Delmar Caldwell (LA); T-David Terre.

\$20,000.

3--**Ragtime Wine, 122, g, 4, Secret Circle--Muscadine Wine, by**

Musket Man. O-Elite Thoroughbred Racing LLC; B-Michele

Rodriguez (LA); T-Lee Thomas. \$10,000.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 1. Odds: 17.20, 6.30, 0.30.

JOHN J. REILLY H., (NB) \$81,000, Monmouth, 6-7, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.84, ft.

1--**CAIRO SURPRISE, 120, g, 3, Cairo Prince--Groovy Surprise**

(SW, \$226,430), by Giant Surprise. O/B-Hope Haskell Jones

(NJ); T-Cathal A. Lynch; J-Paco Lopez. \$45,000. Lifetime

Record: 8-4-4-0, \$181,600.



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2--**Boardwalk Jack, 122, g, 4, Sea Wizard--Ebony Ball, by Park**

Avenue Ball. O-Jersey Pride Racing LLC and Boardwalk Racing;

B-Colonial Farms (NJ); T-Eddie Owens, Jr. \$15,000.



ANOTHER TRAVIS DURR GRADUATE

3--**Great Navigator, 125, h, 6, Sea Wizard--All Even, by Stephen**

Got Even. O/B-Holly Crest Farm (NJ); T-E Owens, Jr. \$7,500.



ANOTHER TRAVIS DURR GRADUATE

Margins: 6 1/4, 2HF, 1HF. Odds: 0.10, 6.00, 16.80.

WESTERN CANADA S., (NB) C\$50,500, Century Mile, 6-6, 3yo, 6f, 1:10.47, ft.

1--**JAVIER, 120, g, 3, Practical Joke--Allegory, by Unbridled's**

Song. (\$16,000 2yo '25 FTDJUL). O-Don B. Danard; B-Dell Ridge

Farm, LLC (KY); T-Carson Frey; J-Brian Boodramsingh.

C\$30,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$42,876.

*1/2 to Copper Bullet (More Than Ready), GSW, \$339,345.

2--**Helioo, 122, c, 3, Authentic--Sunbury, by Speightstown.**

(\$200,000 Ylg '24 FTSAUG; \$18,000 2yo '25 FTDAUG).

O-Don B. Danard; B-William Humphries & Altair Farms LLC

(KY); T-Mel Snow. C\$10,000.



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3--**Debrusk, 124, g, 3, Finality--Real Vain, by Western Trick.**

(C\$8,500 Ylg '24 BRCAUG). O-Condilenios, Dino, Froelich,

Jordan, Georgeopoulos, Georges and Georgeopoulos, Terry;

B-Red Rock Farm (BC); T-Dino K. Condilenios. C\$5,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 1HF, 1. Odds: 3.30, 7.90, 1.55.

10,000 LAKES S., (NB) \$50,000, Canterbury, 6-6, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.15, ft.

1--**STREET WARRIOR, 119, g, 5, Barbados--Some Silver Gal, by**

Majestic Warrior. O/B-Suzanne Stables (MN); T-Joel Berndt;

J-C Roman. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 12-7-2-2, \$200,800.

2--**Haunted Haze, 119, g, 6, Ghostzapper--Vapor Cloud, by**

Distorted Humor. (\$10,000 4yo '24 FTLOTH). O-H Duncan;

B-Lothenbach Stables Inc (MN); T-E Martinez. \$9,550.



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3--**Distorted Pro, 119, g, 6, Distorted Humor--Pro Pink, by**

Touch Gold. O-Novogratz Racing Stables, Inc.; B-Novogratz

Racing Stable, INC (MN); T-McLean Robertson. \$5,050.

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Margins: 3 3/4, 6HF, HF. Odds: 0.40, 5.10, 6.00.

CHARIOT CHASER S., (NB) C\$49,000, Century Mile, 6-6, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11.48, ft.

1--**PLAYFUL, 122, f, 3, Violence--Pleased, by Bernardini.**

(\$39,000 RNA Ylg '24 FTKOCT). O-Newtown Anner Stud Farm;

B-Newtownanner Stud Farm (NY); T-Gonzalo Anderson;

J-Dane Nelson. C\$30,000. Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-3, \$81,983.

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2--**What a Force, 122, f, 3, Counterforce--Everything's a Blur, by**

Joey Franco. (C\$25,000 Ylg '24 BRCAUG). O-Peter, David,

Welsh, Ed and Dale, Dennis; B-Paul Caravetta (BC); T-Tim

Rycroft. C\$10,000.

3--**Daou, 120, f, 3, Flameaway--Feeling Funny, by American**

Pharaoh. (\$22,000 Ylg '24 KEESEP). O-Mohamad K. Khan;

B-Debby M. Oxley (KY); T-James R. Brown. C\$5,000.

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Margins: 1, 6, 3/4. Odds: 0.90, 3.45, 23.40.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Churchill Downs, \$124,849, 6-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42.07, fm, neck.

FAYE'S GOLD (f, 3, Goldencents--Anna Pavlova, by Unbridled's Song) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-3-2-2, \$195,305. O-Triton Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Frankfort Park Farm (KY); T-Grant T. Forster. *\$55,000 Ylg '24 KEEJAN; \$35,000 RNA Ylg '24 KEESEP; \$40,000 2yo '25 OBSAPR.

Raised & Grazed at FRANKFORT PARK FARM

5th-Saratoga, \$105,000, (S), 6-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:01.64, fm, neck.

NEW YORK SCRAPPY (g, 5, Solomini--Cheyenne Autumn, by Indian Charlie) Lifetime Record: 18-5-2-3, \$236,195.

O-Kantarmaci, Ilkay, Zilla Racing Stables and America's Pastime Stables; B-F. Galvin & J. Johnson (NY); T-Ilkay Kantarmaci.

*\$25,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$110,000 2yo '23 OBSOPN.

**1/2 to Firecrow (Maclean's Music), SW & GSP, \$267,126; Full to National Identity, SW & GSP, \$458,488.

Raised and Prepped at Johnson & Johnson Farm

10th-Saratoga, \$105,000, (S), 6-7, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23.57, gd, 1 length.

LONG POUR (c, 4, Tom's d'Etat--Pursuing Justice, by To Honor and Serve) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-2, \$167,759. O-Calumet Farm; B-Big Dom Racing Stable LLC (NY); T-George R. Arnold II.

*\$30,000 RNA Wlg '22 FTNMIX; \$85,000 Ylg '23 EASOCT.

5th-Woodbine, C\$103,880, (NW2L)/Opt. Clm (\$35,870), 6-7, 3yo/up, 5fT, :56.64, fm, 5 1/4 lengths.

BACKROADSBILLY (g, 5, Society's Chairman--Gertie T, by Midnight Lute) Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-1, \$113,833. O-Sabino, Anthony and Holmes, Tom; B-Brian Wright (ON); T-Richard G. Hayashi. *C\$15,000 Ylg '22 CANSEP.

9th-Woodbine, C\$87,040, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$21,522-\$22,957), 6-7, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:29.53, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

ITSASTORMYMONDAY (g, 4, Get Stormy--Heir of Light, by The Factor) Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-0, \$103,611. O-La Huerta, Inc.; B-Pope McLean, Marc McLean & Pope McLean Jr. (KY); T-Donald C. MacRae. *\$26,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP.

Yearling recommendation by Marette Farrell

2nd-Santa Anita, \$67,500, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 6-7, 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:02.80, ft, 4 1/4 lengths.

COURTSIDE ACTION (g, 3, Straight Fire--Tryst, by Candy Ride {Arg}) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$61,200. O-Legacy Ranch, Inc.; B-Legacy Ranch (CA); T-Andy Mathis.



Long Pour by Tom's d'Etat | Sarah Andrew

5th-Santa Anita, \$67,500, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 6-7, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05.11, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

TAPATIA MIA (f, 3, Stay Thirsty--Sweet Lips Pooh, by Rio Verde) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$102,940. O-Grey, Sandra Lee, Lovingier, Terry C., Moroney, John and Ryan, Michael John; B-Terry C. Lovingier (CA); T-Save R. Knapp. *\$65,000 Ylg '24 FTCAIR. **1/2 to Choluta Lips (Empire Way), SW, \$163,750; Full to Tapatio Leo, SP, \$270,139.

7th-Laurel, \$58,430, 6-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:01.73, fm, 1/2 length.

CACTUS (g, 6, Twirling Candy--Gypsy Judy {SW, \$158,175}, by Kitalpha) Lifetime Record: SP, 26-8-5-3, \$290,737. O-Save R. Smith; B-James A. Hibbert (MD); T-W. Robert Bailes. *\$52,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT; \$300,000 2yo '22 OBSMAR.

8th-Gulfstream, \$56,000, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:02.54, ft, 4 1/2 lengths.

SPINELLI (f, 3, Upstart--Town Grad, by Speightstown) Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-1, \$78,146. O-D. J. Stable LLC; B-Brereton C. Jones (KY); T-Joseph F. Orseno. *\$60,000 Wlg '23 KEENOV.

8th-Prairie Meadows, \$47,349, (S), 6-6, (NW2L), 3yo, 6f, 1:09.97, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

CRUX (g, 3, Jimmy Creed--A. P. Test, by A.P. Indy) Lifetime Record: SP, 4-2-2-0, \$84,928. O-Carroll Rumbaugh; B-Iowa State University & Team J&K, LLC (IA); T-Tom Wellington. *\$9,500 Ylg '24 IOWOCT. **1/2 to Testosterone (Birdstone), GSP, \$494,297.



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7th-Charles Town, \$36,600, (S), 6-6, (NW4L), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:19.45, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

NOBLE RULING (c, 3, Code of Honor--Bench Ruling, by Successful Appeal) Lifetime Record: 10-4-1-1, \$104,594. O-Grams Racing Stable LLC; B-Timothy C. Grams & Judith A. Grams (WV); T-Timothy C. Grams. *1/2 to Judgement Day (**Divining Rod**), MSP, \$165,724.

7th-Prairie Meadows, \$36,500, (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 6-6, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.00, ft, head.

MISSION BEACH (g, 5, **Curlin--Stoweshoe {SW}, by Flatter)** Lifetime Record: 23-8-3-1, \$261,555. O-Kirk Sutherland; B-Doug Branham & Felicia Branham (KY); T-Jose Silva, Jr. *\$400,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$80,000 3yo '24 FTDMAV.

6th-Prairie Meadows, \$35,500, 6-7, (NW1\$X), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09.38, ft, 3/4 length.

ROME'S CONQUEST (g, 4, Coal Front--True Chick, by Yes It's True) Lifetime Record: 12-5-2-1, \$117,629. O-Charles D. Nielsen; B-Mikelle Farm (MD); T-Jon G. Arnett. *\$55,000 Ylg '23 EASOCT.

6th-Charles Town, \$34,100, 6-6, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:26.02, ft, 4 lengths.

I'M NOT CATTY (g, 3, Uncle Lino--Just Catty, by Catienus) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, \$53,828. O-Brown, Nicole and Brown, Ronney W.; B-Five C's Stable (MD); T-Ronney W. Brown. *\$2,700 Wlg '23 FTIDEC.

5th-Albuquerque, \$30,500, (S), 6-7, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:02.87, ft, 2 lengths.

BYE BYE VICKI (f, 3, Sporting Chance--Two Stepper {SW, \$124,510}, by Attila's Storm) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$43,385. O-Bob Matney; B-B-4 Farms, LLC (NM); T-Todd W. Fincher.

6th-Canterbury, \$29,000, (S), 6-7, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:27.28, ft, 6 1/4 lengths.

NAVARRE (c, 3, Runhappy--Mesa Mirage, by Sky Mesa) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$42,995. O-Carin J. Offerman; B-Almar Farm Partners (MN); T-Troy A. Bethke. *\$62,000 Ylg '24 MNSAUG. **1/2 to Mister Banjoman (**Maclean's Music**), MSW, \$287,703.

5th-Canterbury, \$28,050, 6-6, (NW2X), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.29, fm, 4 1/4 lengths.

SUSHI MAN (g, 4, Astern {Aus}--Kitty Boo {GB}, by Invincible Spirit {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SW, 10-4-3-0, \$138,357. O-One Bid Stable; B-One Bid Stable LLP (MN); T-Coty W. Rosin.

5th-Canterbury, \$26,500, 6-7, (C), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36.94, fm, nk SHANKAPOTAMUS (g, 4, Temple City--Stellabrini {SP, \$136,979}, by Added Edge) Lifetime Record: 13-3-3-0, \$65,583. O-EW and MB, LLC; B-MB/VM LLC (MN); T-Stacey Rushton.

7th-Canterbury, \$26,000, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$30,000), 6-7, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.42, fm, 3 1/2 lengths.

TONKA WARRIOR (g, 7, Cupid--Gottah Penny, by Stravinsky) Lifetime Record: MSP, 36-8-8-6, \$421,391. O-Xtreme Racing Stables LLC; B-Christopher Shelli & Caliburn Farm LLC (NY); T-McLean Robertson. *\$52,000 Wlg '19 FTNMIX; \$160,000 Ylg '20 EASOCT.

7th-Albuquerque, \$25,500, (S), (C)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 6-7, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08.67, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

ANTONIOS MARK (g, 6, Marking--Bekat Bekat, by Lawyer Ron) Lifetime Record: 36-10-1-12, \$581,684. O-Andy A. Banegas; B-Fred Alexander (NM); T-Jose R. Gonzalez, Jr..

6th-Fort Erie, C\$22,010, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03.51, ft, 3/4 length.

SOUPERGIRL (f, 4, Souper Speedy--My Pal Ariana, by Aragorn {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-6-2-1, \$153,105. O-ICON Racing Stables; B-Northern Dawn Stables Inc (ON); T-Anthony Adamo. *C\$19,000 RNA Ylg '23 CANSEP.

RATINGS HANDICAP:

7th-Lone Star, \$24,000, 6-7, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39.36, gd, 5 lengths.

TIBURON (g, 6, **Good Magic--Enoree {SP}, by More Than Ready)** O-Judge Lanier Racing LLC; B-Mark Dodson (ON); T-Dick Cappellucci. *1/2 to Ready for Candy (**Twirling Candy**), MGSW-USA, GSP-Can, \$368,421; 1/2 to Bolt Enoree (Bolt d'Oro), SP, \$226,265.



1st-Prairie Meadows, \$21,000, 6-7, 4yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:42.96, my, 1 1/2 lengths.

FIRST BID (h, 5, More Than Ready--Realistic, by **Tapit)** O-Spencer Kucera; B-Burleson Farm, Sequel Thoroughbreds & Timber Town Stables (KY); T-Marvin A. Johnson.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Guerra, g, 3, **Army Mule--Sonic Cyster, by Tiznow.** Woodbine, 6-7, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18.13. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$32,702. B-Owen Kiernan (MD). *\$25,000 Wlg '23 FTIDEC.

Egyptian Mistress, f, 3, **Cairo Prince--Mischievous Champ, by Into Mischief.** Santa Anita, 6-6, (C), 6 1/2ft, 1:16.73. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-0, \$27,200. B-Stepaside Farm LLC (KY). *\$35,000 RNA Ylg '24 KEESEP.

Kind Soul, g, 3, **Free Drop Billy**--Sparkle O Mine, by Discreetly Mine. Prairie Meadows, 6-7, (S), 6f, 1:11.32. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, \$40,230. B-Todd M. Lieber (IA).

Valeska's Promise, f, 3, **Mark Valeski**--Tiz Ground Speed, by Tiznow. Lone Star, 6-7, 1m (off turf), 1:42.38. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-1, \$26,893. B-Jada Humphrey (AR).

Mid Summer, f, 3, **Mendelssohn**--Splashy Kisses (MGSP, \$113,880), by **Blame**. Laurel, 6-7, 1 1/16mT, 1:41.79. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$32,120. B-Phoenix Thoroughbreds (III) LTD (KY). *\$60,000 Ylg '24 FTKOCT.

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Dr. Jekyll, c, 3, **Volatile**--Blameitonthebadboy, by **Blame**. Gulfstream, 6-7, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:51.69. Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-1, \$63,420. B-Dominique Damico (FL). *\$45,000 Ylg '24 OBSWIN; \$45,000 2yo '25 OBSMAR.

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Airmail Flyer, g, 4, **Air Force Blue**--Letters and Notes, by Corinthian. Canterbury, 6-7, (S), 7 1/2fT, 1:33.24. Lifetime Record: 8-1-1-0, \$26,420. B-Gerry Herringer & Mary Ann Herringer (MN). *\$25,000 Ylg '23 MNSAUG.

Why Not Him, g, 4, **Union Rags**--Allusion, by Street Cry (Ire). Lone Star, 6-7, 1m (off turf), 1:39.28. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$22,912. B-Tony & Holmes, & Norevale Farm (KY). *\$25,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$19,000 RNA Ylg '23 OBSOCT. **1/2 to Common Defense (**Karakontie {Jpn}**), MGSP, \$668,798.

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Penalty Box, g, 4, **Violence**--Lady Alida (SW, \$147,264), by Street Boss. Churchill Downs, 6-7, 7f, 1:21.78. Lifetime Record: 7-1-3-1, \$132,940. B-Hidden Brook Farm (KY). *\$170,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP.

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Frostelle, h, 5, **Frosted**--Lemon Belle, by Lemon Drop Kid. Monmouth, 6-7, 6f, 1:10.51. Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-3, \$85,829. B-Rock Ridge Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY). *\$12,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '23 OBSOPN. **1/2 to Raise Cain (**Violence**), GSW, \$763,477.

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Air Force Blue, Airmail Flyer, g, 4, o/o Letters and Notes, by Corinthian. MSW, 6-7, Canterbury

Army Mule, Guerra, g, 3, o/o Sonic Cyster, by Tiznow. MSW, 6-7, Woodbine

Astern (Aus), Sushi Man, g, 4, o/o Kitty Boo (GB), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). ALW, 6-6, Canterbury

Barbados, Street Warrior, g, 5, o/o Some Silver Gal, by Majestic Warrior. 10,000 Lakes S., 6-6, Canterbury

Blame, Explora, f, 3, o/o Collections Choice, by Bernardini. Leslie's Lady S., 6-7, Churchill Downs

Bobby's Wicked One, Wicked as Haggart, g, 4, o/o Simply Sweet, by Super Saver. Louisiana Legends Turf S., 6-6, Evangeline

Cairo Prince, Cairo Surprise, g, 3, o/o Groovy Surprise, by Giant Surprise. John J. Reilly H., 6-7, Monmouth

Cairo Prince, Egyptian Mistress, f, 3, o/o Mischievous Champ, by Into Mischief. MCL, 6-6, Santa Anita

Coal Front, Rome's Conquest, g, 4, o/o True Chick, by Yes It's True. ALW, 6-7, Prairie Meadows

Code of Honor, Noble Ruling, c, 3, o/o Bench Ruling, by Successful Appeal. ALW, 6-6, Charles Town

Collected, Pass the Hat, h, 5, o/o Veronique, by Mizzen Mast. Gill Poker S., 6-7, Saratoga

Constitution, Capovivo, g, 3, o/o Merry Meadow, by Henny Hughes. MSW, 6-7, Hawthorne

Cupid, Tonka Warrior, g, 7, o/o Gottah Penny, by Stravinsky. AOC, 6-7, Canterbury

Curlin, Mission Beach, g, 5, o/o Stoweshoe, by Flatter. AOC, 6-6, Prairie Meadows

Curlin, New York Special, f, 3, o/o Achalaya, by Bellamy Road. MSW, 6-7, Saratoga

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Dialed In, Trouble Calling, c, 3, o/o Into Trouble, by Into Mischief. ALW, 6-7, Churchill Downs

El Deal, El Dinero, g, 5, o/o Money for Makeup, by Forestry. Louisiana Legends Sprint S., 6-6, Evangeline

Free Drop Billy, Kind Soul, g, 3, o/o Sparkle O Mine, by Discreetly Mine. MSW, 6-7, Prairie Meadows

Frosted, Frostelle, h, 5, o/o Lemon Belle, by Lemon Drop Kid. MSW, 6-7, Monmouth

Get Stormy, Itsastormymonday, g, 4, o/o Heir of Light, by **The Factor**. AOC, 6-7, Woodbine

Goldencents, Faye's Gold, f, 3, o/o Anna Pavlova, by Unbridled's Song. ALW, 6-7, Churchill Downs

Good Magic, Tiburon, g, 6, o/o Enoree, by More Than Ready. RHP, 6-7, Lone Star

Gun Runner, Further Ado, c, 3, o/o Sky Dreamer, by Sky Mesa. GIII Matt Winn S., 6-7, Churchill Downs

Gun Runner, Leading Change, c, 3, o/o Starship Warspeed, by Congrats. MSW, 6-7, Churchill Downs

Hit It a Bomb, Zio Cavallo, g, 3, o/o Sparkle Factor (Ire), by Arch. MOC, 6-7, Woodbine

Into Mischief, Slay the Day, f, 3, o/o Mind Out, by **Tapit**. GIII Soaring Softly S., 6-7, Saratoga

Jimmy Creed, Crux, g, 3, o/o A. P. Test, by A.P. Indy. ALW, 6-6, Prairie Meadows

King for a Day, King Farro, g, 3, o/o Twelve Toes, by **Not This Time**. MSW, 6-7, Saratoga

Mark Valeski, Valeska's Promise, f, 3, o/o Tiz Ground Speed, by Tiznow. MSW, 6-7, Lone Star

Marking, Antonios Mark, g, 6, o/o Bekat Bekat, by Lawyer Ron. AOC, 6-7, Albuquerque

McKinzie, Paradise City, f, 4, o/o Washington Bridge, by Yankee Gentleman. AOC, 6-7, Churchill Downs

McKinzie, Scottish Lassie, f, 4, o/o Bodebabe, by Bodemeister. AOC, 6-7, Saratoga

Mendelssohn, All of It, f, 3, o/o Indy's Lady, by **Take Charge Indy**. ALW, 6-7, Saratoga

Mendelssohn, Mid Summer, f, 3, o/o Splashy Kisses, by **Blame**. MSW, 6-7, Laurel

More Than Ready, First Bid, h, 5, o/o Realistic, by **Tapit**. RHP, 6-7, Prairie Meadows

Practical Joke, Javier, g, 3, o/o Allegory, by Unbridled's Song. Western Canada S., 6-6, Century Mile

Practical Joke, Kalil, f, 4, o/o Hatpin, by Smart Strike. Louisiana Legends Turf Distaff S., 6-6, Evangeline

Quality Road, Midnight Passion, f, 3, o/o Midnight Fantasy, by Midnight Lute. Louisiana Legends Soiree S., 6-6, Evangeline

Ransom the Moon, Highwaytothemoon, g, 3, o/o High Society Gal, by Society's Chairman. Queenston S., 6-7, Woodbine

Runhappy, Happy Destination, f, 3, o/o Destination Love, by **Friesan Fire**. MSW, 6-7, Woodbine

Runhappy, Navarre, c, 3, o/o Mesa Mirage, by Sky Mesa. ALW, 6-7, Canterbury

Sea Wizard, City Streaker, c, 2, o/o Upset City, by City Zip. MSW, 6-7, Monmouth

Silver State, Duke Silver, c, 3, o/o Comic, by Distorted Humor. MSW, 6-7, Santa Anita

Society's Chairman, Backroadsbilly, g, 5, o/o Gertie T, by Midnight Lute. AOC, 6-7, Woodbine

Solomini, New York Scrappy, g, 5, o/o Cheyenne Autumn, by Indian Charlie. ALW, 6-7, Saratoga

Souper Speedy, Soupergirl, f, 4, o/o My Pal Ariana, by Aragorn (Ire). ALW, 6-7, Fort Erie

Sporting Chance, Bye Bye Vicki, f, 3, o/o Two Stepper, by Attila's Storm. ALW, 6-7, Albuquerque

Star Guitar, Six String, m, 5, o/o Oh Whata Holiday, by Harlan's Holiday. Louisiana Legends Mademoiselle S., 6-6, Evangeline

Stay Thirsty, Tapatia Mia, f, 3, o/o Sweet Lips Pooh, by Rio Verde. AOC, 6-7, Santa Anita

Straight Fire, Courtside Action, g, 3, o/o Tryst, by **Candy Ride (Arg)**. AOC, 6-7, Santa Anita

Tapit, Sneakily, f, 3, o/o Sneaking Out, by Indian Evening. MSW, 6-7, Churchill Downs

Temple City, Shankapotamus, g, 4, o/o Stellabrini, by Added Edge. ALW, 6-7, Canterbury

Tom's d'Etat, Long Pour, c, 4, o/o Pursuing Justice, by To Honor and Serve. ALW, 6-7, Saratoga

Twirling Candy, Cactus, g, 6, o/o Gypsy Judy, by Kitalpha. ALW, 6-7, Laurel

Uncle Lino, I'm Not Catty, g, 3, o/o Just Catty, by Catienus. ALW, 6-6, Charles Town

Union Rags, Why Not Him, g, 4, o/o Allusion, by Street Cry (Ire). MSW, 6-7, Lone Star

Upstart, Spinelli, f, 3, o/o Town Grad, by Speightstown. AOC, 6-7, Gulfstream

Violence, Penalty Box, g, 4, o/o Lady Alida, by Street Boss. MSW, 6-7, Churchill Downs

Violence, Playful, f, 3, o/o Pleased, by Bernardini. Chariot Chaser S., 6-6, Century Mile

Volatile, Creole Chrome, c, 3, o/o Funny Moon, by Malibu Moon. Louisiana Legends Cheval S., 6-6, Evangeline

Volatile, Dr. Jekyll, c, 3, o/o Blameitonthebadboy, by **Blame**. MSW, 6-7, Gulfstream

Yaupon, Booked, c, 2, o/o Fingerprint, by Competitive Edge. MSW, 6-7, Saratoga

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Royal Ascot contender Seniorita Bonita made a winning debut at Nottingham last week | [Racingphotos.com](https://www.racingphotos.com)

By Adam Houghton

With the Epsom Classics now in the rearview mirror, the countdown to Royal Ascot will soon be uppermost in everybody's thoughts, most definitely if your name is Michael or Anne Gaffney, the breeders of the hugely exciting Seniorita Bonita.

Already the **Starspangledbanner** filly has made headlines once this year when stealing the show at the Tattersalls Craven Breeze-up Sale. Consigned on behalf of the Gaffneys by Mark Flannery of Egmont Stud, she fetched fully 350,000gns more than the next top lot when knocked down to Anthony Stroud for 900,000gns, following what Flannery described as an "exceptional breeze".

Of course, that alone is not sufficient to book a two-year-old their place at Royal Ascot. It's in a race that the truly exceptional must prove themselves, which is why, Michael Gaffney admits, relief was the overriding emotion when Seniorita Bonita carried the Victorious Forever silks to a last-gasp debut victory at Nottingham last Wednesday.

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NIGHTTIME SETS SIGHTS ON PRIX JEAN PRAT AFTER PRIX PAUL DE MOUSSAC TRIUMPH

By Sean Cronin

Christopher Head trainee and G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere runner-up **Nighttime** (Wootton Bassett) may have hit a bump in the road when sixth in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains, but he remains firmly on course for next month's G1 Prix Jean Prat after overcoming eight foes in Sunday's G2 Prix Paul de Moussac at ParisLongchamp.

"I am so happy because I love to see sons of Wootton Bassett win Group races at Longchamp," the winning trainer reflected after following up last year's success of Maranoa Charlie, who is also a son of the ill-fated Coolmore sire. "He's really a very nice horse, he's been incredible as a two-year-old and he's becoming more incredible at three. I can't wait to see him in his next race, which will be the [July 12 G1] Prix Jean Prat [at Deauville]. That's what we're concentrating on for now." [Cont. p5](#)

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The legendary Yutaka Take became Japan's oldest Group 1-winning jockey when the 57-year-old partnered Sixpence to victory in Sunday's Yasuda Kinen at Tokyo. See p14 for details. | Horsephotos

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7 | NITOI HANGS TOUGH IN THE LA COUPE

*The Wertheimers' Nitoi (**Siyouni**) produced a career best when making all to win Sunday's G3 KRA La Coupe at ParisLongchamp in game fashion.*



Senorita Bonita and Oisin Murphy | [Racingfotos.com](https://www.racingfotos.com)

Michael Gaffney cont. from p1

"It was really brilliant," Gaffney says of Senorita Bonita's debut effort. "Oisin [Murphy] gave her a fantastic ride. He let her find her feet, tried to educate her, and then produced her with a sparkling winning run. It was just a huge relief to see her run so well, considering the reputation that she was carrying--and the hopes.

"From very, very early on, Mark and his wife, Jess, were adamant that she had an unbelievable turn of foot. Everything came effortlessly to her is what they would have said. Obviously, she has shown that now."

Show it she certainly did, to the extent that Senorita Bonita now finds herself locked together with the wildly impressive Carlisle winner Wild Blossom (Mehmas)--herself a 300,000gns purchase at the Craven Breeze-up Sale--at the head of the ante-post betting for the G2 Queen Mary Stakes.

"It is the pinnacle of what any breeder would wish to do," Gaffney says of producing a bona fide Royal Ascot contender and the scale of the achievement. It's not a first for his family's Churchtown House Stud, either, with the operation having previously bred the G1 Coronation Stakes heroine Alcohol Free (**No Nay Never**).

Gaffney adds, "To breed an animal that is able to go to Royal Ascot is amazing. We certainly hope that we can be there on the day to see her. However nervous we were watching her run at Nottingham, I think the nerves in Royal Ascot will be 10 times higher!"

The breeder might be anticipating some anxious times on the horizon, but he reveals that Senorita Bonita never caused any headaches during her time in County Cork. [Cont. p4](#)

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Michael Gaffney cont.

"An absolute beauty," Gaffney says he immediately labelled the first foal out of the unraced Ruler Of The World mare Belicious, who has since produced a yearling filly by Modern Games and a filly foal by **Sioux Nation**. More recently, she featured in the first book of mares covered by Coolmore's **Camille Pissarro**.

Gaffney continues, "We were over the moon when she [Senorita Bonita] arrived on the farm. From day one, she has been one of those animals that never gave trouble, was always just easy to work with and had a fantastic temperament--very much like others from the family that we've had.

"We bred the dam, Belicious. She's the last foal out of Amazing Krisken, who was acquired by my brother, Tom. We put a good bit of thought into breeding Belicious. She has two three-parts sisters, [G3 Prix de Royaumont scorer] Sub Rose and [Listed winner] Astonishing, by Galileo, so we wanted to use a son of Galileo to hopefully produce a filly, which obviously worked out.

"Ruler Of The World and Duke Of Marmalade are half-brothers, and Duke Of Marmalade has been a fantastic broodmare sire for us. We also have a Duke Of Marmalade mare on the farm called Wannabe Better, who has produced several black-type horses."

He adds, "We put a lot of thought into it and, thankfully, it has worked out that we got a filly that was always going to be kept as a broodmare to continue the line. For all of this to come together is just brilliant, absolutely brilliant."

Whilst a lot of thought might have gone into the breeding of Belicious, Gaffney concedes that there was only ever one candidate when it came to choosing a stallion for her maiden cover.

"**Starspangledbanner** is our go-to sire," he explains. "He's been a fantastic sire for us over the years and given us loads of black-type horses, including Castle Star, Unexpected Issues, Midnight Strike, King Of Stars and Two Stars."

Certainly, **Starspangledbanner**'s stock has never been higher than it is right now thanks to the exploits of last month's Irish Classic winners, Gstaad and Precise, among others.

For Gaffney, however, the stallion's soaring popularity didn't immediately pay dividends in the case of Senorita Bonita, who failed to find a buyer when offered first at the Tattersalls December Foal Sale and then at Book 2 of the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale. On both occasions the bidding ground to a halt at 75,000gns, just a fraction of what she went on to command at the Craven Breeze-up Sale.

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DUBAWI'S SENSATIONAL SIRE SON

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Senorita Bonita, pictured going through the ring at the Craven Breeze-up Sale | *Tattersalls*

Michael Gaffney cont.

"I was sort of amazed that other people didn't see the potential that I thought was in there. That's why we kept her," says Gaffney.

"If you know Starspangledbanners, they are exceptionally good racehorses, but they're not exactly sales horses in that they don't have a great, athletic walk. Unfortunately, Senorita Bonita didn't have that massive walk that catches people's eye, but we felt that she had an awful lot of natural ability, just watching her in the field as a foal and as a yearling. She was just gliding around and we kind of said, 'Wow, there's definitely something there to go to racing with.'

"Therefore, we didn't have an issue holding tough and breezing her when she didn't sell as a yearling. We weren't going to give her away."

That decision to hold tough ultimately brought with it a lucrative windfall that still has Gaffney pinching himself, the better part of eight weeks on from that fateful evening at Park Paddocks.

"It hasn't fully sunk in yet," he confesses. "The magnitude of it is unbelievable. It was an unbelievable result for us, and for the Flannerys, to top the Craven Breeze-up Sale.

"Mark took three horses to the sale and he also had a **Sea The Stars** filly [Sea Venture] that won first-time-out for Highclere Thoroughbreds. She's also going to Royal Ascot so, for two out of his three horses to be going to Royal Ascot, it's a great vote of confidence in their ability to see it when they have very good horses.

"Mark has broken an unmerciful number of horses for us. When Mark says you have something good, then he is generally bang on the money. With Senorita Bonita, very quickly he said, 'There's only one place for her; she has to go to the Craven because I think she's special.'"

With her special qualities having been confirmed at Nottingham, once again there is only one place for Senorita Bonita. To Royal Ascot, the countdown begins.

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Prix Paul de Moussac cont. from p1

Last term's G3 Prix La Rochette winner and 11-5 favourite was swiftly into stride and stalked **Imperior** (**Siyouni**) in second from flagfall. Looming large going well with three furlongs remaining, he inched ahead passing the quarter-mile marker and refused to yield under final-furlong rousting, hitting the line with a 3/4-of-a-length buffer back to Listed Criterium du Languedoc victor **Go Man** (Goken).

The Francis Graffard-trained Listed Prix du Pont Neuf winner **Synarana** (Mehmas) was hampered on the turn for home and fairly flew home down the outside to be an unlucky-in-running close-up third.

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NEW STAKES WINNER

Frankel

SIRE OF **DISPATCHES**

WON Prix Melisande L., 10f, ParisLongchamp

OWNER Juddmonte Farms Inc

BREEDER Juddmonte Farms Ltd

TRAINER A Fabre



JUDDMONTE

Pedigree Notes

Nighttime, one of his sire's 60 pattern-race winners, is the third of five foals and the leading performer produced by a full-sister to Listed Height Of Fashion Stakes winner and G2 Ribblesdale Stakes runner-up Mori (**Frankel**).

His dam Daytime (**Frankel**) is also kin to G3 Sandown Classic Trial and G3 N E Manion Cup victor Midterm (Galileo), stakes-winning G3 Musidora Stakes second Noon Star (Galileo) and the dual stakes-placed Indelible (Shamardal).

Nighttime, whose second dam is multiple Group 1-winning distaffer Middy (Oasis Dream), is a half-brother to G3 Prix Cleopatre victrix Halfday (Lope De Vega). He is also kin to the hitherto unraced two-year-old colt Araki (**Zarak**), a yearling colt by **Zarak** and weanling filly by **Kingman**.

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Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France

PRIX PAUL DE MOUSSAC-G2, €119,000, ParisLongchamp, 6-7, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:18.86, g/s.

1--**NIGHTTIME (FR)**, 126, c, 3, by Wootton Bassett (GB)

1st Dam: Daytime (GB), by **Frankel (GB)**

2nd Dam: Middy (GB), by Oasis Dream (GB)

3rd Dam: Midsummer (GB), by Kingmambo

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Christopher Head; J-Maxime Guyon. €67,830. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Fr, 8-4-3-0, €260,660. *1/2 to Halfday (Fr) (Lope De Vega {Ire}), GSW-Fr.

Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#), or the [free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

2--**Go Man (Fr)**, 126, c, 3, Goken (Fr)--Lady Lilnoi (GB), by Night Of Thunder (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. (€15,000 Ylg '24 ARQAug; €210,000 RNA 2yo '25 ARQARC). O-Christian Faure, Jean-Michel Lefebvre, Richard Chotard, Osman Nuri Calik, Serge Tardy & Serge Mayan; B-Louis Baudron & Guy Pariente Holding; T-Richard Chotard. €26,180.

3--**Synaran (Ire)**, 126, g, 3, Mehmas (Ire)--Syrdarya (Fr), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. O/B-Aga Khan Studs; T-Francis-Henri Graffard. €12,495.

Margins: 3/4, HF, 3/4. Odds: 2.20, 17.00, 2.80.

Also Ran: Afandy (Fr), Imperior (Fr), Canalejas (Fr), Cielo Di Roma (Fr), Pitch Perfect (Fr), Good Bye Manu (Ire).

NATHANIEL'S ALLENO PREVAILS IN BADEN-BADEN THRILLER *By Sean Cronin*



Alleno | Scoop Dyga

Gestut Ittlingen's homebred five-year-old **Alleno** (Nathaniel) is making a habit of farming Group 2 contests and returned off a successful defence of last month's rescheduled G2 Gerling-Preis to add to his growing collection in a thrilling edition of Sunday's G2 Grosser Preis von Tattersalls at Baden-Baden.

"I'm so happy to have a horse like this, one that improves year after year, and he is amazing," Mulheim trainer Marcel Weiss told *GaloppOnline*. "The gap opened up 300 metres from the finish and, if it hadn't, we might have been unlucky."

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NEW STAKES WINNER

Frankel

SIRE OF **TENABILITY**

WON Tapster Stakes L., 12f, Goodwood

OWNER Miss Yvonne Jacques

BREEDER Carisbrooke Stud

TRAINER William Haggas

JUDDMONTE

Grosser Preis von Tattersalls cont.

In-form rider Sibylle Vogt, who is challenging for the German jockeys' championship, added, "I knew that if the gap opened up, he would break through."

The 17-10 favourite split the field with three in front and three behind passing the judge first time around, but slipped one spot turning onto the back straight.

Locked up on the rail and full of run at the top of the straight, he found the necessary splits to become one of six line abreast entering the final furlong and found plenty once eyeballing last term's G1 Deutsches Derby hero **Hochkonig** (Polish Vulcano) in the latter stages to prevail by a gutsy 3/4-of-a-length. Last year's second **Wilko** (Mastercraftsman) hit the board once again and finished 1 1/4 lengths adrift in third.

Pedigree Notes

Alleno, one of his sire's 22 pattern-race winners, is one of two black-type scorers out of a winning half-sister to G1 Prix du Cadran hero Altano (Galileo), dual stakes-winning G1 Preis von Europa and G1 Metropolitan Handicap placegetter Araldo (High Chaparral) and Listed Queensland Cup victor Aldo (Medicean).

He is a half-brother to the G2 Oleander-Rennen and G3 Land Trophy winner Alessio (Teofilo).

Alleno's third dam, Group 3-winning G2 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) runner-up Arastou (Surumu), produced G2 Prix de Pomone and G3 Deutscher Herold-Preis victrix Abitara (Rainbow Quest).

Abitara is the dam of four stakes performers, headed by G3 Mehl Mulhens Trophy third Ability (Mastercraftsman), while Arastou's descendants also include Group 3-winning G1 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) third Adoya (Doyen).

Sunday, Baden-Baden, Germany

GROSSER PREIS VON TATTERSALLS-G2, €70,000, Baden-Baden, 6-7, 4yo/up, 11fT, 2:21.23, gd.

1--**ALLENO (IRE)**, 128, h, 5, by **Nathaniel (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Alandia (Ire)**, by **Adlerflug (Ger)**

2nd Dam: **Alanda (Ger)**, by **Lando (Ger)**

3rd Dam: **Arastou (Ger)**, by **Surumu (Ger)**

O-Gestut Ittlingen; B-Gestut Hof Ittlingen; T-Marcel Weiss; J-Sibylle Vogt. €40,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ity, 13-4-3-1, €270,966. *1/2 to Alessio (Ger) (Teofilo {Ire}), MGSW-Ger, MGSP-Fr & GSP-Ity. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus***.

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2--**Hochkonig (Ger)**, 130, c, 4, Polish Vulcano (Ger)--Halinara (Ger), by Kallisto (Ger). O-Stall Cloverleaf; B-Stall MarcRuehl.com; T-Yasmin Almenrader. €15,500.

3--**Wilko (Ire)**, 126, h, 5, Mastercraftsman (Ire)--Whispering Angel (Ger), by Soldier Hollow (GB). (€75,000 Ylg '22 BBAGS). O-Stall Helena; B-Gestut Park Wiedingen; T-Peter Schiergen. €8,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.70, 3.80, 2.40.

Also Ran: Delgardo (Ger), Ami De Vega (Ire), Atoso (Ger), Lifetimes (Ire). Scratched: Lordano (Ger), Wintertraum (Ger).

NITOI HANGS TOUGH IN THE LA COUPE



Nitoi | Scoop Dyga

By Tom Frary

Not quite Group-class as a three-year-old, the Wertheimers' **Nitoi (Siyouni)** showed on Sunday that he has made the necessary progression when making all in game fashion in ParisLongchamp's G3 KRA La Coupe.

Unable to build on his defeat of the subsequent Grand Prix de Paris hero Leffard (Le Havre) in Chantilly's Prix de Suresnes last May, the half-brother to the Hong Kong Vase and Grosser Preis von Bayern hero Junko (Intello) came here on the back of a fourth behind the subsequent Diomed winner Seagulls Eleven over an inadequate mile in this track's Prix de Montretout last May.

There to be shot at in the home straight, the 5-1 shot kept finding against the rail for Stephane Pasquier to hold stablemate **Casapueblo** (Le Havre) by a short neck, with just a length covering the first five home.

Pedigree Notes

Nitoi is the second Group winner produced by the dual Graded Stakes-placed dam Lady Zuzu (Dynaformer), alongside the aforementioned Junko, who also captured the Grand Prix de Chantilly and was third in two editions of the Grand Prix de Saint Cloud. **Cont. p8**

La Coupe cont.

Lady Zuzu is a half-sister to another multiple Grade III winner Optimizer (English Channel), who was also runner-up in the Turf Classic and Manhattan Handicap and whose full-sister Cello is in turn the dam of the Kentucky Cup Classic winner Cellist (Big Blue Kitten).

The Grade I-winning third dam Fantastic Find (Mr. Prospector) counts among her descendants the magnificent **Flightline** (**Tapit**). Lady Zuzu also has the unraced three-year-old colt Zutzut (Uncle Mo) and a yearling colt by **Justify** named Avocat.

Sunday, ParisLongchamp, France

KRA LA COUPE-G3, €73,200, ParisLongchamp, 6-7, 4yo/up, 10fT, 2:01.99, g/s.

1--**NITOI**, 126, c, 4, by **Siyouni** (Fr)

1st Dam: Lady Zuzu (MGSP-US), by Dynaformer

2nd Dam: Indy Pick, by A.P. Indy

3rd Dam: Fantastic Find, by Mr. Prospector

1ST GROUP WIN. O/B-Wertheimer et Frere; T-Andre Fabre; J-Stephane Pasquier. €36,600. Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-0, €139,235. *1/2 to Junko (Intello), G1SW-HK & Ger, MGSW & MG1SP-Fr. **Werk Nick Rating: C. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

2--**Casapueblo** (Ire), 126, g, 5, Le Havre (Ire)--Uruguay (Ire), by Authorized (Ire). **TDN Rising Star.** (€130,000 Ylg '22 ARQOCT). O-Godolphin; B-Eric Puerari & Ecurie Ades Hazan; T-Andre Fabre. €14,640.

3--**Familly** (Fr), 122, f, 4, Goken (Fr)--Freauville (Fr), by Le Havre (Ire). **1ST GROUP BLACK-TYPE.** O-Gerard Augustin-Normand; B-Franklin Finance SA; T-Christopher Head. €10,980. Margins: SNK, HF, NO. Odds: 5.30, 2.90, 4.80. Also Ran: Sinileo (Ire), Tajlina (GB), Snow Player (Fr). Also Ran (DNF): Trust On (Fr).

FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Monday, June 8, 2026:

UNITED KINGDOM

Bayside Boy (Ire) (New Bay {GB}), Ballylinch Stud

85 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners

19:00-PONTEFRAC, 6f, **Bayside Way** (Ire)

€16,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2025; £18,000 Goffs UK 2yo Breeze Up Sale 2026



Bayside Boy | Emma Berry

Caturra (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}), Overbury Stud

68 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners

19:00-PONTEFRAC, 6f, **Khazamh** (Ire)

€19,000 RNA Goffs November Foal Sale 2024; €20,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2025; £21,000 Tattersalls Guineas Breeze Up & HIT Sale 2026

Minzaal (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}), Derrinstown Stud

115 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners

19:00-PONTEFRAC, 6f, **Bladey Lady** (Ire)

6,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2024; £20,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2025

Perfect Power (Ire) (Ardad {Ire}), Dalham Hall Stud

57 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners

17:39-WINDSOR, 6f, **Perfect Hope** (GB)

Space Traveller (GB) (**Bated Breath** {GB}), Starfield Stud

121 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners

19:00-PONTEFRAC, 6f, **Shaqra Diamond** (Ire)

20,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2025

Wells Farhh Go (Ire) (Farhh {GB}), Norton Grove Stud

14 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners

14:00-LEICESTER, 7f, **Farndale** (GB)

14:00-LEICESTER, 7f, **Wells Fargos Envoy** (GB)

14:30-LEICESTER, 7f, **Mottaret** (GB)

FRANCE

Dicaprio (Ger) (Adlerflug {Ger}), Haras du Taillis

7 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners

1-TOULOUSE, 1400m, **Dicanto** (Fr)

Ebro River (Ire) (Galileo Gold {GB}), Haras de la Haie Neuve
29 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
1-TOULOUSE, 1400m, **Margarita (Fr)**

OBSERVATIONS

on the European racing scene

WATHNAN'S ARQANA MAY BREEZE-UP GRADUATE LIGHT OF DAWN DEBUTS AT CARLISLE

2.45 Carlisle, Novice, 2yo, 5f 182yT

LIGHT OF DAWN (GB) (Showcasing {GB}) is a hot prospect for Wathnan Racing and the Karl Burke stable with Royal Ascot looming, being the operation's €625,000 purchase at the recent Arqana May Breeze-Up Sale. Out of Jim Bolger's Listed-winning An Ghalanta (**Holy Roman Emperor**), she is a half-sister to three stakes performers, headed by Bletchley (Makfi), who was runner-up in the Albany at Royal Ascot and Woodbine's Nassau.

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BRITAIN

Sunday's Results:

WEATHERBYS/BRITISH EBF AGNES KEYSER FILLIES' STAKES-
Listed, £70,000, Goodwood, 6-7, 3yo, f, 9f 197yT, 2:14.27, sf.

1--**VENETIA (GB)**, 128, f, 3, by Lope De Vega (Ire)

1st Dam: Vivid Diamond (Ire) (SW & MGSP-Eng),
by Cape Cross (Ire)

2nd Dam: Pretty Diamond (Ire), by Hurricane Run (Ire)

3rd Dam: Cheal Rose (Ire), by Dr Devious (Ire)

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O/B-Cayton Park Stud Limited; T-Ralph Beckett; J-Hector Crouch. £39,697. Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$96,586.

2--**Lady Dora Mae (Ire)**, 128, f, 3, Space Blues (Ire)--Moll Davis (Ire), by **Kingman (GB)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (68,000gns Ylg '24 TATOCT; 15,000gns 2yo '25 TATMA). O-J R Boughey & Partner; B-Airlie Stud & Mrs S M Rogers; T-George Boughey. £15,050.

3--**Della Pace (GB)**, 128, f, 3, **Camelot (GB)**--Wild Abandon (GB), by **Kingman (GB)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (50,000gns Ylg '24 TATOCT). O-Mrs R G Hillen; B-Car Colston Hall Stud; T-George Boughey. £7,532.

Margins: SHD, NK, NO. Odds: 9.00, 14.00, 9.00.

Also Ran: Sacred Ground (GB), Plaid (GB), Rose Ghaiyyath (Ire), Light Of Paris (Ger), Ourbren (Ire). Scratched: Botagoz (Ire), Capichera (Ire).

Second to Cheveley Park's year-old Orionis in a handicap over two furlongs further here last time, Venetia, who had previously captured a competitive one at Ascot, was back at her optimum trip and back putting it up to her peers from the front to get the desired result. Coming from the far rail to the stands in the straight, the game homebred battled tenaciously to the line to prevail in a blanket finish, with a neck separating the first four home.

The Listed-winning dam, who was also placed in the Park Hill and Cumberland Lodge, hails from the family of Danehill's National Stakes runner-up Golden Arrow and War Chant's Secretariat Stakes-placed sire Chattahoochee War. Her 2024 and 2025 fillies are by Night Of Thunder.

TAPSTER STAKES-Listed, £70,000, Goodwood, 6-7, 4yo/up, 11f 218yT, 2:44.53, sf.

1--**TENABILITY (GB)**, 129, g, 4, **Frankel (GB)**--**Tirania (GB)**, by **Pivotal (GB)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** (125,000gns RNA Ylg '23 TADEY). O-Miss Yvonne Jacques; B-Carisbrooke Stud; T-William Haggas; J-Cieren Fallon. £39,697. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Eng, 9-5-1-1, \$240,371.

2--**Hamish (GB)**, 134, g, 10, Motivator (GB)--Tweed (GB), by Sakhee. O-The Hamish Partnership; B-J B Haggas T-William Haggas. £15,050.

3--**Glen Buck (Ire)**, 129, g, 7, Lope De Vega (Ire)--Pecking Order (Ire), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (180,000gns RNA Ylg '20 TATOCT). O/B-Merry Fox Stud Limited; T-Roger Varian. £7,532.

Margins: NK, 2, 3/4. Odds: 1.10, 2.00, 33.00.

Also Ran: Midak (Fr), Arabian Crown (Fr), Involvement (GB).

A classic Haggas improver, Tenability went from four wins on the bounce to run second in the Cumberland Lodge at Ascot and had returned in the same manner to finish third in Newbury's John Porter in April. Always comfortable drafting behind the stable's much-loved Hamish, he was able to overhaul that veteran inside the final furlong and readily contain his customary rally.

The dam, whose yearling filly is by **Sioux Nation**, is a full-sister to the Fred Darling winner and Irish 1,000 Guineas runner-up Penkenna Princess who, in turn, produced three Japanese stakes performers and is the second dam of the Blue Diamond hero Tagaloa (Lord Kanaloa). Connected to another Fred Darling scorer in Dan's Dream (Cityscape) and her Oaks-placed full-sister Caernarfon, Tirania's yearling filly is by **Sioux Nation**.

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2nd-Goodwood, £20,000, Nov, 6-7, 2yo, 6fT, 1:14.87, sf.

THE HARV (IRE) (c, 2, Ten Sovereigns {Ire}--Chitra {GB}, by Sea The Moon {Ger}) edged right coming out of the stalls and raced three lengths off the pace in fifth through the early fractions of this debut. Freewheeling into contention from halfway, the 5-6 favourite was struck by a rival's whip with 150 yards remaining and found extra in the dying embers to nail Oakford (Dark Angel) by a nose in a bobbing finish.

The Harv is the second foal and scorer for seven-time winner Chitra (Sea The Moon), the first being last year's Listed Ripon Champion Two Years Old Trophy runner-up Awraad (Awtaad), and he is also kin to a yearling filly by Calyx.

Descendants of his dual stakes-placed third dam Penny Cross (Efisio) include G3 Sandown Sprint victor and G1 Flying Five third Equality (Equiano). Sales history: €65,000 Ylg '25 TATIRY; £260,000 2yo '26 GOUKB. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,965. O-Ms Eleanora Kennedy; B-Dr Magid Abdelhalim; T-Michael O'Callaghan.

IRELAND

Sunday's Results:

IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF HILL OF TARA STAKES-Listed, €50,000, Navan, 6-7, 3yo/up, 9fT, 1:53.81, gd.

1--ISAAC NEWTON (IRE), 124, c, 3, Camelot (GB)--Etive (SW-Ger, MSP-Fr), by Elusive Quality. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. (€380,000 Ylg '24 ARAUG). O-D Smith, Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor, Westerberg; B-Camas Park, Lynch Bages & Summerhill; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Ryan Moore. €30,000. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-0, \$125,683.

***2--Geryon (Ire), 124, c, 3, Lope De Vega (Ire)--Oboe, by Mizzen Mast.** O/B-Newtown Anner Stud Farm Ltd; T-Ger Lyons. €5,000.

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3--Hotazhell (GB), 135, c, 4, Too Darn Hot (GB)--Azenzar (GB), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). (70,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT; 200,000gns 2yo '24 TATBRE). O-Silverton Hill Partnership; B-Blue Diamond Stud Farm (UK) Ltd; T-Jessica Harrington. €10,000.

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Margins: NO, NK, 2. Odds: 5.00, 1.25, 5.00.

Also Ran: Wemightakedlongway (Ire), Flushing Meadows, Bubble Gum (Fr), Hazdann (Ire), Subsonic (Ire), Summer Is Tomorrow (Ire), Norwalk Havoc (GB).

**Geryon finished third, but was promoted to second above Hotazhell.*

Epsom's Derby Festival didn't go to plan for Ryan Moore but, after a rare blank, he was back in the winner's spot here with the mercurial Isaac Newton. Probably stretched too far last time when unable to land a blow in the Lingfield Derby Trial, last year's Criterium de Saint-Cloud fourth had to pass every rival heading to two out but surged wide to collar the 2024 Futurity Trophy hero Hotazhell in the shade of the post. The runner-up was later placed behind Geryon after the stewards judged the interference caused to the third in the closing stages was sufficient to affect the outcome.

Ballydoyle representative Chris Armstrong said, "In fairness, Ryan gave him a helluva ride--he felt from riding him on his last run in Lingfield that we needed to bring him back in trip and ride him that way. He appreciated the mile-and-one here and he didn't mind the ease in the ground at all, so I'd say we'll try to keep him to nine furlongs and maybe go to Leopardstown for the [Group 3] Meld Stakes in the middle of July."

Isaac Newton is currently the last known foal out of the Listed winner Etive, who is also the second dam of the recent First Flier Stakes winner Velozee (Sioux Nation). [Cont. p11](#)



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Hill Of Tara Stakes cont.

The second dam is the Poule d'Essai des Poulisches runner-up Firth Of Lorne (Danehill), whose other three stakes winners include the triple Group 1-winning Breeders' Cup Mile hero Master Of The Seas (Dubawi) and the UAE Oaks winner Falls Of Lora (Street Cry). Falls Of Lora, in turn, is responsible for the four-time Group 1 winner Cascadian (New Approach), the Summer Stakes winner Albahr (Dubawi) and the Hardwicke winner Isle Of Jura (New Approach).

DARLEY IRISH EBF KOOYONGA STAKES-Listed, €55,000, Navan, 6-7, 3yo/up, f/m, 8f 30yT, 1:42.80, gd.

1--**DUCKADILLY (IRE)**, 135, m, 5, **Churchill (Ire)**--**Alutiq (Ire)**, by **Kodiak (GB)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** (€12,000 2yo '23 GOFHIT; 150,000gns RNA HRA '25 TATMA). O-Duckadilly Partnership; B-Murcot Investments; T-Daniel McLoughlin; J-Ben Coen. €33,000. Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-0, \$73,377.

2--**Szygy (GB)**, 135, f, 4, Cable Bay (Ire)--Solfilia (GB), by Teofilo (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Andrew Davis; T-Daniel McLoughlin. €11,000.

3--**Sindria (Ire)**, 138, f, 4, Kodiak (GB)--Miss Liguria (GB), by Galileo (Ire). (37,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT; 75,000gns RNA 2yo '24 TATOCT; 65,000gns HRA '25 TATJUL). O-Sights On Gold Three Partnership; B-Ringfort Stud Ltd; T-Joseph O'Brien. €5,500.

Margins: HF, HF, 3/4. Odds: 7.00, 50.00, 4.50.

Also Ran: La Fogata (Ire), Drop Dead Gorgeous (Ire), Yellowstone Lake (Fr), Fingerpaint (GB), White Sand Beach, Fast Tara (Ire).

1st-Navan, €22,000, Mdn, 6-7, 2yo, 5fT, 1:01.17, gd.

CLEODOLINDA (IRE) (f, 2, Ten Sovereigns {Ire})--Eria {Ire}, by Zoffany {Ire}), a May 16 debut runner-up over this course and distance last time, broke swiftly from the stands' side stall and raced in the leading wave of five. Powering up inside the two pole, the 11-8 favourite hit the front with 100 yards remaining and was driven out to deny Queenofthewild (Bungle Inthejungle) by a length.

"She was plenty green on debut, she came forward a lot from her first run and it was pretty straightforward today," said rider Gavin Ryan. "She's a filly with plenty of speed and she has a very good pedigree. Two of her sisters that were with Donnacha [O'Brien], Usdi Atohi and Asean, were both stakes performers over five and six furlongs. Five or six shouldn't be any trouble, but that will be up to Donnacha."

Cleodolinda is the latest of three Ten Sovereigns foals, all winners, out of a full-sister to G3 Gallinule Stakes third Sherpa (Zoffany) and Listed Knockaire Stakes runner-up Emporio (Zoffany).

She is a full-sister to Listed Tipperary Stakes victrix and G3 Round Tower runner-up Usdi Atohi and Listed Curragh Stakes victrix Asean and hails from the family of Group 3-winning G1 Irish Oaks runner-up Wemightakelongway (Australia). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$20,324.

O-Mrs A M O'Brien; B-Whisperview Trading Ltd; T-Donnacha O'Brien.

FRANCE**Sunday's Results:**

PRIX RIDGWAY-Listed, €50,300, ParisLongchamp, 6-7, 3yo, c/g, 10fT, 2:02.46, g/s.

1--**OVERNIGHT (FR)**, 123, c, 3, by **Night Of Thunder (Ire)**

1st Dam: Baahama (Ire) (SW & GSP-Fr), by Anabaa

2nd Dam: Silver Rain (Fr), by Rainbow Quest

3rd Dam: Riviere D'Argent, by Nijinsky II

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Andre Fabre; J-Maxime Guyon. €25,150. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, €42,194. *1/2 to Akihiro (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), GSW-Fr; Bartaba (Fr) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), GSW-Fr; Hamavi (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), MSW-Fr.

2--**Focus (Ire)**, 123, c, 3, **Siyouni (Fr)**--Hidaka (Fr), by Deep Impact (Jpn). O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Andre Fabre. €10,060.

3--**Tonnant (Fr)**, 123, c, 3, Romanised (Ire)--Etonnez Moi (Ire), by High Chaparral (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Finn Blichfeldt; B-AB Ascot; T-Pia & Joakim Brandt. €7,545.

Margins: 3, 3/4, 2HF. Odds: 0.70, 6.30, 4.30.

Also Ran: Nicomede (Fr), The Odyssey (Fr).



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Prix Ridgway cont.

Second on debut at Saint-Cloud in March, Andre Fabre trainee Overnight shed maiden status back at that venue last month and justified odds-on favouritism to continue his ascent in this black-type bow.

"He improved a lot after his first race and he did things easily when he won his maiden at Saint-Cloud," said Maxime Guyon. "The pace was faster than last time, but today was the first time he really had a race and he quickened really well at the finish. He might go for the [G2 Prix] Eugene Adam, but he will be a nice horse for next year."

The 7-10 pick broke well and stalked the pace in second after the initial strides. Quickening smartly to tackle long-time leader Focus at the quarter-mile marker, he soon held sway and kept on powerfully in the closing stages to defeat that running-on stablemate in style.

Overnight, who becomes the 86th winner for his sire, is the 10th of one dozen foals produced by the stakes-winning G3 Prix d'Aumale second Baahama (Anabaa), herself a half-sister to G1 Bayerisches Zuchtrennen runner-up Opposite (Dansili) out of Listed Prix Joubert winner Silver Rain (Rainbow Quest).

The G2 Prix Eugene Adam, G1 Grand Prix de Paris and G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe entry is kin to G3 Prix des Chenes winner Akihiro (Deep Impact), G3 Prix Belle de Nuit victrix Bartaba (Deep Impact) and the dual stakes-winning Hamavi (Dubawi), with the latter also snagging this contest.

Bartaba, in turn, is the dam of the Grade III-placed Miwa (Siyouni) and the dual stakes-placed Zingaro (Kingman).

Overnight is also half to the two-year-old filly Editrice (Intello), a yearling filly by Study Of Man and to the dam of dual Group-winning G1 Prix de l'Opera third Lumiere Rock (Saxon Warrior).

PRIX MELISANDE-Listed, €50,300, ParisLongchamp, 6-7, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:03.25, g/s.

1--**DISPATCHES (GB)**, 123, f, 3, by **Frankel (GB)**

1st Dam: **Depeche (GB)**, by **Dansili (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Binche**, by **Woodman**

3rd Dam: **Binary (GB)**, by **Rainbow Quest**

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. O-Juddmonte Farms Inc; B-Juddmonte Farms Ireland Ltd; T-Andre Fabre; J-Maxime Guyon. €25,150. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, €53,478.

2--**Maintain (GB)**, 123, f, 3, **Kingman (GB)**--Gaining (GB), by American Post (GB). O/B-Juddmonte; T-Henri-Francois Devin. €10,060.

3--**Ecija (GB)**, 123, f, 3, Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Castellar (Fr), by American Post (GB). O/B-SARL Darpat France; T-Nicolas Clement & Flo Hermans. €7,545.

Margins: 1HF, 2HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.80, 3.60, 7.70.

Also Ran: Proxima Du Centaur (GB), Azamita (Ire), Chill Y Flama (GB), Almaris (Fr), Mapaquita (Fr).



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Dispatches, who holds entries for the G1 Prix de Diane and G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, bagged wins over a mile at Saint-Cloud in September and when upped to 12 furlongs at Compiègne last month, and stepped forward again to secure a career high in this black-type debut.

"We had a good trip behind the leader and she did it very easily in the end," said Maxime Guyon. "Last time was over 2,400 metres, and today was over 2,000 metres, and the change in distance was not a problem for her. She's very easy to ride and she's a very good filly."

Shuffled back to occupy a slot in fourth after breaking to the fore, the 4-5 favourite emerged from cover to lock horns with fellow Juddmonte nominee Maintain passing the quarter-mile pole and stayed on strongly under forceful urging to defeat that rival in game fashion.

Dispatches is the second of four foals and lone scorer out of an unraced full-sister to multiple Grade I-winning distaffer Proviso (Dansili), whose descendants include four-time Group 3 winner Recommendation (Shalaa) and the dual stakes-winning G2 Royal Lodge runner-up Al Musmak (Night Of Thunder).

Her dam Depeche (Dansili) is also a half-sister to G1 Prince of Wales's Stakes-winning sire Byword (Peintre Celebre), multiple Group-winning dual G1 Turnbull Stakes placegetter Finche (Frankel) and the stakes-winning G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud runner-up Baratti (Frankel). The winner, who becomes the 182nd black-type scorer for her sire, is full to a yearling colt and half to a two-year-old filly by New Bay.

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PRIX VOLTERRA-Listed, €50,300, ParisLongchamp, 6-7, 3yo, 8ft, 1:37.73, g/s.

1--**FORTUNA DIAMOND (GB)**, 123, f, 3, by **Night Of Thunder (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Pure Diamond (GB) (SW-UAE)**,
by **Street Cry (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **White Rose (Ger)**, by **Platini (Ger)**

3rd Dam: **Wild Romance (Ger)**, by **Alkalde (Ger)**

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Godolphin SNC; B-Godolphin; T-Henri Pantall; J-Tony Piccone. €25,150. *1/2 to **Sapphire Seas (GB) (Frankel {GB})**, SW-Eng & GSP-UAE; & to **Arabian Light (GB) (Kingman {GB})**, GSP-UAE. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, €43,000.

2--**Cap Santa Lucia (Fr)**, 123, f, 3, **Persian King (Ire)**--**Cap Verite (Ire)**, by **Cape Cross (Ire)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (€20,000 Ylg '24 ARQOCT). O-Sam Sangster And Partner; B-Sam Sangster; T-Brian Meehan. €10,060.

3--**Radiant (Fr)**, 123, f, 3, **City Light (Fr)**--**Robanne (GB)**, by **Paco Boy (Ire)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** (€55,000 Ylg '24 ARQOCT). O-Eric Harivel & Alain Klodawski; B-Haras d'Etreham & Riviera Equine SARL; T-Sandrine Gavilan. €7,545.

Margins: 1, 2, NK. Odds: 1.90, 2.90, 9.00.

Also Ran: **Moonlabel (Fr)**, **Houville (Fr)** **Hello Avenue (Fr)**, **Coco Soleil (Fr)**, **Alarming (GB)**, **Land Of Liberty (Fr)**, **Alma Mater (Fr)**. Scratched: **La Carriere (Ire)**.

Coming to Paris off wins at Senonnes-Pouance and Dieppe, Fortuna Diamond extended her unbeaten record with the promise of more to come. Stalking the leaders throughout the early stages, the homebred rounded off her performance with a 32.71 three-furlong sectional to overhaul Cap Santa Lucia and break her black-type duck.

The winner is a half-sister to the useful **Sapphire Seas**, who took the John Musker and was second in the Balanchine at Meydan, and to **Arabian Light**, who was also runner-up in Dubai in the Dubai Millennium. The dam, another desert stakes placegetter, is a daughter of the Prix Miesque winner and Preis

der Diana runner-up **White Rose (Platini)**, who produced four black-type performers in total. From the family of several smart German runners and the Park Hill scorer and Prix Vermeille runner-up **Wild Coco (Shirocco)**, Pure Diamond's two-year-old filly is by **Night Of Thunder's** sire **Dubawi** while her yearling is a full-sister to **Sapphire Seas**.

GERMANY

Sunday's Results:

CASINO BADEN-BADEN SILBERNE PEITSCHKE-Listed, €30,000, Baden-Baden, 6-7, 3yo/up, 6ft, 1:09.41, gd.

1--**WIKINGER (IRE)**, 126, h, 5, **Ten Sovereigns (Ire)**--**Westfalica (Ger) (MSP-Ger)**, by **Areion (Ger)**. **1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** (€30,000 Ylg '22 BBAGS). O-Cometica AG; B-Gestut Hony-Hof; T-Henk Grewe; J-Thore Hammer-Hansen. €18,000. Lifetime Record: 19-5-2-4, €183,575.

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2--**War Bride (Ire)**, 125, m, 5, **Soldier's Call (GB)**--**Moonlight Bay (GB)**, by **Pivotal (GB)**. (£42,000 Ylg '22 GOFUK; 70,000gns 3yo '24 TATAUT). O-Stall Mandarin; B-Ballyhane; T-Yasmin Almenrader. €6,000.

3--**Bacarda (Ger)**, 122, f, 4, **Areion (Ger)**--**Brit Wit (GB)**, by **High Chaparral (Ire)**. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Stall Garden Lounge; B-Gunther Schmidt; T-Andreas Wohler. €3,750.

Margins: HF, 3/4, NK Odds: 5.60, 2.80, 7.40.

Also Ran: **Victory Call (Fr)**, **Lanzelot Gold (Fr)**, **Mister Sketch (GB)**, **Zerostress (Ger)**. DNF: **Schutzenzauber (Ger)**.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Abacus (Ire), c, 3, **Teofilo (Ire)**--**Asoof (GB) (GSP-UAE)**, by **Dubawi (Ire)**. Baden-Baden, 6-7, 12ft, 2:39.53. B-South House Stud. *€18,000 Wlg '23 GOFNOF; €140,000 Ylg '24 BBAGS.

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ADDITIONAL STAKES RESULTS:

Bella Sinfonia (Ger), f, 4, **Night Of Thunder (Ire)**--**Bella Sonata (SAf) (GSW & MG1SP-SAf)**, by **Silvano (Ger)**. Milan, 6-7, G3 Premio Del Giubileo, 2000mT, 2:01.20, sf. B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof (Ger). ***1ST GROUP WIN.** **SW & GSP-Ger. **VIDEO.**

Maurizio Acquaviva (Ire), c, 2, **Arizona (Ire)**--**Certe Notti (Ire)**, by **Kingman (GB)**. Milan, 6-7, Listed Premio Bimbi, 1200mT, 1:09.60, sf. B-Deer Forest Stud (Ire). ***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.**

Charm Bear (Ire), f, 2, **Kodi Bear (Ire)**--Beguiling Charm (Ire), by Charm Spirit (Ire). Milan, 6-7, Listed Premio Mario E Vittorio Crespi Morbio, 1200mT, 1:09.20, sf. B-Mebajeona Stud Farm (Ire). ***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** **€4,000 Wlg '24 GOFNOV; €12,000 Ylg '25 GOFNOV.

Moonhall Church (Ire), f, 4, **Churchill (Ire)**--Little Kodi (Ire), by Kodiak (GB). Milan, 6-7, Listed Premio XCVII Royal Mares, 1600mT, 1:39.00, sf. B-Petrus Breeding Investments (Ire). ***1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** **€10,000 Ylg '23 GOFNOV; €34,000 RNA 2yo '24 TATMAY.



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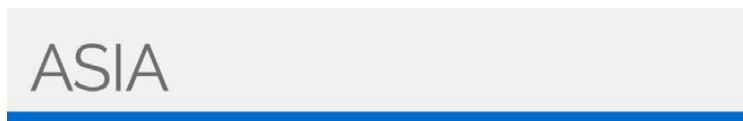
Chill Easy (GB), g, 4, **Night Of Thunder (Ire)**--Timepiece (GB) (G1SW-Eng, MG1SP-Fr, \$570,399), by Zamindar. Sha Tin, 6-7, Hcp., 1400mT, 1:21.17, gd. B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB). *1/2 to Siyola (Ire) (**Siyouni {Fr}**), SP-Eng. **VIDEO.**

Leaping Star (Ire), g, 4, **Starspangledbanner (Aus)**--Margarita (Ire), by Marju (Ire). Sha Tin, 6-7, Hcp., 1800m (AWT), 1:48.47, sl. B-Rbr Bloodstock Ltd (Ire). *43,000gns Ylg '23 TATSEP. **1/2 to Mixology (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}), SW-Itly. **VIDEO.**



IN HONG KONG:

Hot Delight (Aus), g, 3, **Too Darn Hot (GB)**--Love Somebody (Aus), by Fastnet Rock (Aus). Sha Tin, 6-7, Hcp., 1200mT, 1:08.63, gd. B-Inglewood Stud (Aus). *A\$250,000 Ylg '24 MAGJAN. **1/2 to Matchmaker (NZ) (Makfi {GB}), GSW-Aus, SW & GSP-NZ. **VIDEO.**



AGELESS YUTAKA TAKE CLAIMS FOURTH YASUDA KINEN ABOARD SIXPENCE

Making yet more history for the legendary Yutaka Take, **Sixpence** (Kizuna) gained his first success at the top level when coming out on top in a thrilling finish to Sunday's Yasuda Kinen

at Tokyo. The race is a 'Win and You're In' for the GI Breeders' Cup Mile in October.

Trained by Hiroyasu Tanaka, Sixpence was one of three runners in a breakaway group who appeared to have the race between them with 400 metres to run, with long-time leader **World's End** (Lord Kanaloa) to his left and **Seiun Hades** (**Silver State**) to his right. Edging ahead entering the final 50 metres, he ultimately gained the verdict by a neck from World's End and the fast-finishing **Gaia Force** (Kitasan Black), who shared a dead-heat for second. Seiun Hades was just a neck further back in fourth, with it being the same distance again to **Panja Tower** (Tower Of London) in a blanket finish for the first five places.



Sixpence (centre) | Horsephotos

For Take, it was a fourth career victory in the Yasuda Kinen, having previously struck with Oguri Cap (1990), Heart Lake (1995) and Vodka (2009), while this latest win also made him Japan's oldest Group 1-winning jockey at the age of 57.

"I was called up at a short notice to ride the horse for the first time, but I'm relieved to have been able to get my job done," said the winning rider. "I did my homework, contacting his previous riders and, of course, the trainer who told me that he was capable of maintaining good speed to the wire. My plan was to have him up front, even lead if necessary, and although the front runners were pretty tenacious in the final stretch, with horses also coming from behind, Sixpence was very responsive. He has shown his true strength, with a lot to look forward to in his coming races."

Sixpence had not finished better than seventh in five previous starts at the top level, but he was among the leading three-year-olds in Japan in 2024 when he registered Group 2 wins in the Spring Stakes and Mainichi Okan, either side of a ninth-place finish when among the market principals for the G1 Tokyo Yushun (Japanese Derby).

Yasuda Kinen cont.

Winless since gaining a third Group 2 victory in last year's Nakayama Kinen, he had shown signs of a revival when beaten only two lengths into seventh in April's G2 Yomiuri Milers Cup. That was his first start for Tanaka following the retirement of his former trainer, Sakae Kunieda.

Pedigree Notes

Sixpence is one of two winners from as many runners out of the GI Madison Stakes heroine Finley'sluckycharm, who was purchased by Katsumi Yoshida for \$1.5 million at the 2018 Fasig-Tipton November Sale. The daughter of **Twirling Candy** won 11 of her 19 career starts, with her other victories including the GII Thoroughbred Club of America Stakes and GII Honorable Miss Handicap. Finley'sluckycharm, in turn, is out of the stakes performer Day Of Victory (Victory Gallop), while Sixpence's third dam is a half-sister to the multiple top-level winner Pure Clan (Pure Prize) and GII Kentucky Jockey Club Stakes scorer Greater Good (Intidab).

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1--**SIXPENCE (JPN)**, 128, h, 5, by Kizuna (Jpn)

1st Dam: Finley'sluckycharm (GISW-USA, \$928,068), by **Twirling Candy**

2nd Dam: Day of Victory, by Victory Gallop

3rd Dam: Gather the Day, by Dayjur

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm; T-Hiroyasu Tanaka; J-Yutaka Take; ¥183,696,000. Lifetime Record: 13-6-1-0, ¥420,697,000. **Werk Nick Rating: C+.**

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(DH) 2--**World's End (Jpn)**, 128, h, 5, Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)--Lilavati (Jpn), by Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn). **1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.** O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm; ¥59,292,000.

(DH) 2--**Gaia Force (Jpn)**, 128, h, 7, by Kitanasan Black (Jpn)--Natale (Jpn), by Kurofune. (¥30,000,000 Wlg '19 JRHJUL). O-KR Japan; B-Oiwake Farm; ¥59,292,000.

Margins: NK, DH, NK. Odds: 20.60, 14.10, 1.90.

Also Ran: Seiun Hades (Jpn), Panja Tower (Jpn), Off Trail (GB), Lebensstil (Jpn), Dragon Boost (Jpn), Trovatore (Jpn), Stellenbosch (Jpn), Luxor Cafe, Champagne Color (Jpn), Water Licht (Jpn), Sirius Colt (Jpn), Sakura Toujours (Jpn), Long Run (Jpn), Suzu Khalom (Jpn). **Click for the JRA chart & video.**



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NEWGATE AND COOLMORE UNITE AS WODETON HEADS TO NEWGATE FARM IN 2026



Wodeton | The Image Is Everything

By Dane McLeod/TTRAusNZ

The highest-rated juvenile of his generation, G1 Golden Slipper runner-up **Wodeton** will stand at **Newgate** Farm in 2026 at a fee of A\$16,500 inc GST, with Coolmore retaining a stake in a colt whose talent, pedigree and profile mark him as an intriguing new stallion.

A son of the internationally-renowned Wootton Bassett, Wodeton quickly established himself among the most highly-regarded young horses in Australia, competing at Group 1 level during both his two- and three-year-old seasons. He retires to stud with six placings at stakes level, a metropolitan victory and earnings of A\$1,361,275. **Cont. p16**

Wodeton cont.

Newgate managing director Henry Field said Wodeton had long been held in the highest regard.

"Chris Waller was adamant from an early stage that Wodeton was one of the best juveniles he has ever trained," said Field.

"As a two-year-old, the stable made it clear in no uncertain terms that he simply breathed different air. He demolished a quality field on debut and was denied Golden Slipper glory by the narrowest possible margin. He was the highest-rated colt of his generation and came within a nose of Australian racing immortality."

Bred by John Camilleri's Fairway Thoroughbreds, who will remain involved as a co-owner throughout his stud career, Wodeton was a standout from the outset. Even before stepping onto a racetrack, he had captured significant attention, becoming the highest-priced colt from the first Australian crop of champion sire Wootton Bassett when purchased by Tom Magnier for A\$1.6 million from the Segenhoe Stud draft at the 2024 Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale.

Coolmore principal Tom Magnier welcomed the continued association with Wodeton as he transitions to stud duties at

Newgate.

"There is no doubting Wodeton possessed extraordinary natural ability," Magnier said.

"He was one of the most beautiful yearlings you could wish to see and, importantly, he is by Wootton Bassett, a stallion who is very close to our hearts.

"Henry has been encouraging us for some time to work together on Wodeton and, given his belief in the horse, the relationship between our farms and our long-standing friendship, we felt this was the perfect opportunity.

"By combining the strengths of both operations, we believe Wodeton will be afforded every opportunity to fulfil his considerable potential as a stallion."

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