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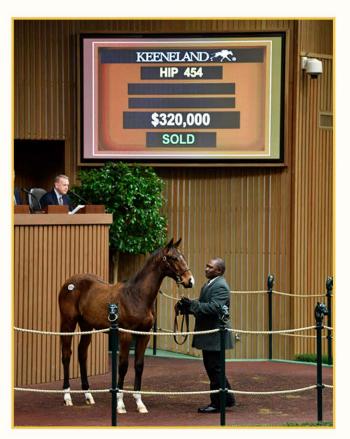
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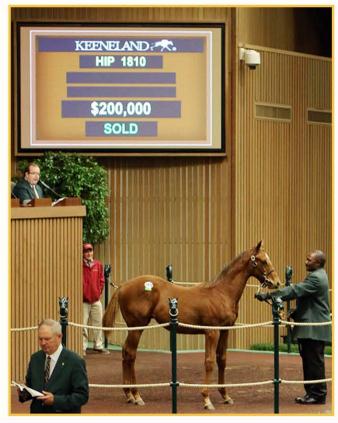
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### NEW OWNER GREEN HOPES TO HIT JACKPOT WITH ZING ZANG

By Keith McCalmont

He's been aces in the casino business, rolled the dice and won in the cutting horse game, and now Terry Green is looking to hit the jackpot in Thoroughbred racing starting Feb. 19 at Oaklawn Park, when he sends out Zing Zang in the Southwest Stakes (G3).

Green co-owns Island View Casino in Mississippi and is also the proprietor of Jackpot Ranch, a 200-acre training operation for cutting horses located in Weatherford, Texas.

Introduced to Thoroughbred racing by his friend Mike Rutherford, Green enjoyed initial success as an owner with the graded stakes-winning mare Mississippi Delta, a seven-time winner from 21 starts who took the Intercontinental Stakes (G3T) at Belmont Park last season for trainer Mark Casse.

Now, with a handful of his own horses split between Casse and Steve Asmussen, Green hopes the late-running Zing Zang will become the new stable star.

"I've started buying a few horses and I'm in the process of building a barn in Lexington for my Thoroughbreds. My cutting horse ranch is called Jackpot Ranch, but we're going with Jackpot Farms in Kentucky," Green said. "I want to have a few broodmares, but I'm more interested in racing and the studs. That's the direction we're going in, and the colts—they run for bigger money—and if you get one that's good, it's just a big payday. I've purchased a few mares, but my dream is to get a grade 1-winning stud."

Green knows a thing or two about starting a successful business. The 65-year-old native of Gulfport, Miss., was part of the historical legalization of gambling in Mississippi in 1990, along with his partner Rick Carter.

"We started out with a cruise ship to sail in and out of Mississippi and we couldn't make hardly any money," Green said. "So we hired lobbyists and convinced the state legislature to pass a law where we could do dockside gaming, and that was the first dockside gaming law that was

ever passed. Me and my partner were very involved in that and one of the first casinos in the state of Mississippi."

A passionate horseman, Green branched into the cutting horse business about 15 years ago. He's a hands-on owner with a great deal of experience on horseback.

"I've shown in the non-pro (ranks) and I've had in-house trainers that have shown in the open. I started getting up a little bit in age and a friend introduced me to the Thoroughbred horses," Green said.

With a second casino in the works, Green hopes to use that money to finance yet another successful line of business in the equine world.

"It takes another income from somewhere else to keep the habit going. I'll probably stay at about 17 horses," he said. "I don't want to get real big. I do it for the love of the horses. It is a business to us,

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Ryne Poncik and Terry Green (left) with Zing Zang at the 2016 Keeneland September yearling sale

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but we love being around horses and my family loves the races. That's why I'm leaning more toward studs, to stay more around the track."

Casse plans to help Green build on the initial success he enjoyed with Mississippi Delta.

"We've only trained for him for a couple years, but he's been lucky. I met him through Mike Rutherford and I have a couple useful horses for Terry right now," Casse said.

Steel Shot, a stakes-placed son of Trappe Shot under Casse's tutelage, graduated in November at Fair Grounds Race Course & Slots. The Canadian Hall of Fame trainer also conditions Green's 4-yearold Hollow Point, an allowance-level sprinter by Into Mischief currently in training at Fair Grounds.

"The horses I've had for him are nice horses," Casse said. "And he's got a pretty nice horse right now with Steve Asmussen that runs in the Southwest on Monday.

"He's a good guy. He's a great winner and he understands it. I'm sure he's going to do big things in the future."

It seems like Green's major outlay, the \$300,000 purchase of Zing Zang from Gainesway's consignment to the 2016 Keeneland September yearling sale, could be the stable's first big score.

Green, along with his business partner and sonin-law Ryne Poncik, was very much involved in the purchase of Zing Zang, a Tapit colt bred by Gainesway out of the Mr. Greeley mare Jet Away. The duo was keen to land a son of North America's record-setting, leading sire, and had the advantage of Hall of Fame trainer Asmussen in their corner.

"Steve had never trained a horse for me, but I'd met him through some other people," Green recalled. "So I asked Steve if he saw any Tapits that he really liked and he said, 'You need to go look at this horse up at Gainesway.""

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The grey is the first Jet Away foal to make it to the races, but comes from the same family as grade 2 winner Sightseeing. He was expected to bring a price.

"Steve told us that this is the way you want a Tapit to look. We ended up going to the sale and had him vetted. We really thought he was going to go for a lot more money than he did," Green said. "We paid \$300,000 for him and all the other ones were going for \$500,000 or \$600,000, so we were really happy. We're still not sure what we really have, but he is looking to be a decent horse."

Having purchased his fair share of cutting horses, Green was comfortable to offer his own opinion on the pricey gray.

"You're looking for the same thing with a Thoroughbred. That's what I've learned. You want the front end not to be too wide, and the shorter back with big gaskins," he said. "It's the same thing you're looking for in a cutting horse. It's funny how that works."

With four starts under his belt, including a maiden win at Fair Grounds, there's a little bit of buzz surrounding Zing Zang, who closed from 12th to finish fourth in the Jan.13 Lecomte Stakes (G3) at the New Orleans oval.

Some even believe Zing Zang could be cut from the same cloth as another classic-winning son of Tapit trained by Asmussen.

"They keep comparing him to Creator," said Green, referring to the distance-appreciating gray who won the 2016 Arkansas Derby (G1) ahead of a classic triumph in the Belmont Stakes Presented by NYRA Bets (G1). "Zing Zang comes from out of it. He can run a long way and these prep races—they're so short. He doesn't really get going until about a mile, and then he starts to run."

Should Zing Zang come close to the success of Creator, who banked \$1.6 million and now stands

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at stud in Japan, it would be an ideal foundation for Green to build a stable. The veteran horseman remains cautiously optimistic, while admitting to a little Derby dreaming ahead of Monday's 1 1/16-mile test. Even just to make it to the first Saturday in May with a Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (G1) contender would be a remarkable achievement for the new Thoroughbred owner.

"(A Kentucky Derby win) would be a dream come true, but I don't want to get my hopes up too high. You know how horses are," he laughed. "Churchill Downs is my favorite track. ... The tradition, the Kentucky Derby—there's something about it. It's a place you

hear about your whole life, and then when you start participating, it's like another world."

And he'll let two of the game's top trainers—both with grade 1 credentials—call the shots, while all three search for that first Derby win.

"I've always been a firm believer that you stay out of everybody's way. You get your trainer and you trust them. I'm the type of owner that likes to go with the flow. If they tell me we're going to New Orleans, we go. If they say Arkansas, I go to Arkansas," he said.

So Monday Green will follow his Derby dream to Arkansas, where jockey Corey Lanerie won't have to worry about any backseat driving.

"I've never been on the back of a Thoroughbred," Green laughed. "I'm more cowboy style, not English style." BH

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### WINTER MIXED SALES AND **EFFECTS OF POLARIZATION**

By Bill Oppenheim



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nolarization: it's a word used constantly for the last six months to describe the North American and European auction marketplace. Here is what it looks like.

Fueled by the \$1.6 million, grade 2-winning filly Mrs McDougal and a \$1 million American Pharoah short yearling and half brother to top sprinter Caravaggio during the Keeneland January horses of all ages sale, and the 1.9 million guineas (\$2,845,070) for the promising 3-year-old colt Willie John (by Dansili) at Tattersalls, plus others from the Markus Jooste dispersal, the five major January and February mixed sales in Kentucky and Europe registered gains of nearly \$10 million (19%) over last year's corresponding sales.

But the high prices distort the stark realities at the lower levels of the North American and European commercial auction marketplace. Of the 1,004 foals of 2017 (short yearlings in 2018) that sold in all 2018 mixed sales, more than 500 of them sold below the 2018 mixed sale median for 2017 foals, calculated by *BloodHorse* as \$9,138 (converting the European sales to U.S. dollars). The big seven-figure sales make headlines, but more than half of the 2017 foals sold did not even bring \$10,000. Nobody's making money on those.

In the context of the calendar year, the five major January and February mixed sales (Keeneland January and Fasig-Tipton February in North America; Tattersalls, Goffs, and Arqana February sales in Europe) constitute less than 5% of the annual gross in the North American and European auction marketplace.

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But really these five sales are a continuation of what my team classifies as "second-half calendar year mixed sales" from 2017—the same five sales companies' November and December sales, plus smaller regional mixed sales.

Both sets of sales include foals of 2017 and mares in foal to 2017 coverings. My team calculates last

year's North American and European mixed sales (October-December) grossed \$506 million. The five January-February mixed sales grossed \$62 million, or 11% of the combined total for the mixed sales we've counted (our \$62 million total does not include Barretts and Ocala Breeders' Sales mixed sales in 2018). So, in the context of foals produced in 2017, and mares covered in 2017 and sold by one of the five major auction houses between October and February, these five winter mixed sales should be a continuation of the trends we saw in the fourth quarter of 2017,

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Mrs McDougal brings \$1.6 million during the Keeneland January horses of all ages sale

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as well as being a bridge to the North American/ European 2-year-old sales.

Let's begin with the European sales this month: Tattersalls in Newmarket Feb. 1-2, Goffs in Kildare Feb. 6-8, and Arqana in Deauville Feb. 13-14.

The dispersal of horses owned in partnership by Markus Jooste dominated the Tattersalls and Arqana sales. Seven fillies or mares at Tattersalls brought more than 200,000 guineas, of which five were from the Jooste dispersal. The other two were Thetis (550,000 gns, \$819,531), the final filly from the Ballymacoll dispersal, and Longing (220,000 gns, \$327,813), from Juddmonte. The five top Jooste horses brought 3.72 million guineas, and the sale total grossed 8,037,150 gns, up 40% from last year (and almost triple the gross of two years ago, by the way). Just those five Jooste partnership horses, however, did constitute 46% of the sale's gross.

At Arqana three horses brought €200,000 or more, and two of them were Jooste partnership horses. Combined, 912 horses sold in the three sales (converting guineas to euros) grossed €17,053,000 (about \$21 million)—a 21% gain over 2017—and averaged €18,698 (about \$23,000), a rise of 24%. Eleven horses sold for 200,000 (of their respective currency) or more, seven of them Jooste partnership horses, which grossed €4,874,720 (about \$6 million) among them. If those hadn't been in the sales, 905 horses would have grossed €12,178,220 (down 13% from 2017 at about \$15 million) and averaged €13,456 (down 10% at about \$16,500). There's a measurement of the impact seven top sellers can have on a market, in which 912 horses have sold.

The situation in the U.S. is different in one very important respect: America is a bigger and broader marketplace. There were 2,157 horses cataloged between Keeneland January and Fasig-Tipton

February, of which 1,273 sold (59%). At the three European sales, there were 1,431 cataloged and 912 sold (62%)—there were roughly 50% more horses cataloged in Kentucky than in the three European sales combined. Whereas 11 horses brought 200+ (of whichever currency) in Europe, 36 brought \$200,000 or more at the two American sales—more than three times as many, and it would have been nine times as many without the Jooste horses.

But here's what the numbers don't obviously broadcast. *BloodHorse* calculated the median price for all foals of 2017 (short yearlings) at all 2018 sales, which were the five previously mentioned, plus Barretts January and the OBS January mixed sale. A total of 1,430 short yearlings went through the rings at these seven sales.

Of those, 1,004 sold for a total of \$25,439,180 and an average of \$25,337 (including the \$1 million American Pharoah colt). But barely 25% of them sold for more than the \$25,337 average, and the median, for the 1,004 short yearlings sold, was \$9,138. That's 502 yearlings sold for less than \$9,138. Ten times as many short yearlings sold for less than \$9,138, as all horses—yearlings, fillies, and mares—that brought 200,000 (of their respective currency) or more.

Overall the highest median for any of the five sales was Keeneland January at \$12,000. Others were Fasig-Tipton at \$10,500, Tattersalls at 7,000 gns (\$10,633), Goffs at €6,650 (\$8,002), and Arqana at €4,000 (\$5,299). A total of 2,185 horses sold in the five sales. That means at least 1,042 of them sold for \$12,000 or less.

In my opinion the results of the 2018 winter mixed sales makes for pretty uncomfortable reading and shows why, for breeders as well as for racehorse owners, you need to hit home runs to survive.

To read Bill Oppenheim's columns and see Year-End 2017 APEX sire ratings plus Brianne Stanley's Weekly Sales Ticker, please visit <u>www.billoppenheim.</u> com. BH

### 2017 LEADING SIRES OF NORTH AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN WEANLINGS AND SHORT YEARLINGS

Leading sires of weanlings and short yearlings by average

Sire Farm	Cataloged Offered	Gross	Average	High	Colts Sold	Colts Average	Fillies Sold	Fillies Average	Conception Stud Fee
Stud Fee Dubawi (IRE) Dalham Hall Stud (ENG) £250,000	Sold 1 1 (100%) 1 (100%)	\$1,065,409 €895,001 £787,500	\$1,065,409 €895,001 £787,500	\$1,065,409 €895,001 £787,500	0	\$0 €0 £0	1	\$1,065,409 €895,001 £787,500	£225,000
Galileo (IRE) Coolmore Stud (IRE) private	3 3 (100%) 3 (100%)	\$2,494,325 €2,125,000 £1,884,358	\$831,442 €708,333 £628,119	\$1,291,180 €1,100,000 £975,432	1	\$733,625 €625,000 £554,223	2	\$880,350 €750,000 £665,068	private
Tapit Gainesway (USA) \$300,000	9 5 (56%) 3 (33%)	\$1,850,000 €1,595,292 £1,404,787	\$616,667 €531,764 £468,262	\$775,000 €667,528 £588,414	0	\$0 €0 £0	3	\$616,667 €531,764 £468,262	\$300,000
Frankel (GB) Banstead Manor Stud (ENG) £125,000	2 1 (50%) 1 (50%)	\$532,704 €447,500 £393,750	\$532,704 €447,500 £393,750	\$532,704 €447,500 £393,750	1	\$532,704 €447,500 £393,750	0	\$0 €0 £0	£125,000
American Pharoah Ashford Stud (USA) private	34 18 (53%) 13 (38%)	\$6,075,000 €5,187,031 £4,592,276	\$467,308 €399,002 £353,252	\$1,000,000 €861,326 £764,818	8	\$469,375 €399,303 £353,350	5	\$464,000 €398,522 £353,095	\$200,000
Medaglia d'Oro Darley (USA) \$150,000	7 5 (71%) 4 (57%)	\$1,650,000 €1,422,300 £1,256,488	\$412,500 €355,575 £314,122	\$650,000 €559,862 £497,132	2	\$350,000 €301,763 £265,766	2	\$475,000 €409,387 £362,478	\$150,000
Curlin Hill 'n' Dale Farms (USA) \$150,000	7 6 (86%) 6 (86%)	\$2,170,000 €1,869,174 £1,651,921	\$361,667 €311,529 £275,320	\$1,000,000 €863,036 £759,417	2	\$575,000 €496,196 £436,886	4	\$255,000 €219,196 £194,537	\$100,000
War Front Claiborne Farm (USA) \$250,000	7 6 (86%) 3 (43%)	\$1,065,000 €907,905 £799,995	\$355,000 €302,635 £266,665	\$390,000 €325,869 £287,441	1	\$390,000 €325,869 £287,441	2	\$337,500 €291,018 £256,277	\$200,000
Empire Maker Gainesway (USA) \$85,000	8 3 (38%) 3 (38%)	\$1,030,000 €888,927 £782,199	\$343,333 €296,309 £260,733	\$425,000 €366,790 £322,752	1	\$320,000 €276,172 £243,013	2	\$355,000 €306,378 £269,593	\$100,000
Pioneerof the Nile WinStar Farm (USA) \$110,000	17 12 (71%) 11 (65%)	\$3,245,000 €2,788,979 £2,462,035	\$295,000 €253,544 £223,821	\$550,000 €474,301 £419,303	7	\$344,286 €296,840 £261,884	4	\$208,750 €177,774 £157,211	\$125,000
Speightstown WinStar Farm (USA) \$100,000	10 7 (70%) 5 (50%)	\$1,472,000 €1,267,620 £1,119,675	\$294,400 €253,524 £223,935	\$500,000 €431,518 £379,708	2	\$173,500 €148,886 £131,674	3	\$375,000 €323,282 £285,442	\$100,000
Dansili (GB) Banstead Manor Stud (ENG) £65,000	8 5 (63%) 2 (25%)	\$528,443 €443,920 £390,600	\$264,221 €221,960 £195,300	\$426,164 €358,000 £315,000	1	\$426,164 €358,000 £315,000	1	\$102,279 €85,920 £75,600	£85,000
Muhaarar (GB) Shadwell Estate Company LtdNunnery Stud (ENG) £30,000	17 13 (77%) 12 (71%)	\$3,113,069 €2,626,680 £2,317,464	\$259,422 €218,890 £193,122	\$411,958 €346,067 £304,500	7	\$311,360 €263,199 £232,427	5	\$186,710 €156,857 £138,095	£30,000
Invincible Spirit (IRE) Irish National Stud (IRE) €120,000	13 9 (69%) 8 (62%)	\$2,054,283 €1,731,087 £1,524,673	\$256,785 €216,386 £190,584	\$852,327 €716,001 £630,000	3	\$142,052 €120,218 £105,835	5	\$325,626 €274,087 £241,434	€120,000
Giant's Causeway Ashford Stud (USA) \$75,000	5 2 (40%) 2 (40%)	\$510,000 €439,276 £387,214	\$255,000 €219,638 £193,607	\$300,000 €258,398 £227,773	2	\$255,000 €219,638 £193,607	0	\$0 €0 £0	\$85,000
Oasis Dream (GB) Banstead Manor Stud (ENG) £50,000	9 7 (78%) 5 (56%)	\$1,257,182 €1,056,101 £929,250	\$251,436 €211,220 £185,850	\$390,650 €328,167 £288,750	2	\$124,298 €104,417 £91,875	3	\$336,196 €282,422 £248,500	£75,000

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Stud Fee	Sold				Solu	Average	Solu	Average	Swa ree
Dark Angel (IRE) Yeomanstown Stud (IRE) €65,000	14 10 (71%) 10 (71%)	\$2,508,858 €2,110,008 £1,861,569	\$250,886 €211,001 £186,157	\$852,327 €716,001 £630,000	5	\$271,674 €228,400 £201,815	5	\$230,098 €193,601 £170,499	€60,000
Golden Horn (GB) Dalham Hall Stud (ENG) £60,000	18 13 (72%) 9 (50%)	\$2,222,540 €1,872,868 £1,650,778	\$246,949 €208,096 £183,420	\$461,677 €387,834 £341,250	7	\$259,654 €218,267 £192,121	2	\$202,480 €172,500 £152,966	-
Bernardini Darley (USA) \$100,000	8 7 (88%) 6 (75%)	\$1,365,000 €1,176,788 £1,039,067	\$227,500 €196,131 £173,178	\$340,000 €292,851 £260,038	3	\$230,000 €198,384 £174,654	3	\$225,000 €193,878 £171,701	\$100,000
More Than Ready WinStar Farm (USA) \$60,000	15 15 (100%) 11 (73%)	\$2,304,974 €1,970,244 £1,741,447	\$209,543 €179,113 £158,313	\$360,000 €310,693 £273,390	4	\$195,000 €167,829 £148,515	7	\$217,853 €185,561 £163,912	\$50,000
Honor Code Lane's End (USA) \$40,000	28 19 (68%) 10 (36%)	\$1,985,000 €1,702,658 £1,505,263	\$198,500 €170,266 £150,526	\$370,000 €319,323 £280,984	6	\$215,833 €184,713 £163,101	4	\$172,500 €148,595 £131,665	\$40,000
Into Mischief Spendthrift Farm (USA) \$75,000	36 25 (69%) 20 (56%)	\$3,785,000 €3,235,777 £2,860,174	\$189,250 €161,789 £143,009	\$320,000 €275,624 £242,958	12	\$201,250 €171,806 £151,791	8	\$171,250 €146,763 £129,835	\$45,000
Street Sense Darley (USA) \$45,000	12 10 (83%) 10 (83%)	\$1,805,000 €1,545,983 £1,370,045	\$180,500 €154,598 £137,004	\$1,000,000 €861,326 £764,818	7	\$96,429 €81,889 £72,360	3	\$376,667 €324,254 £287,841	\$45,000
Ghostzapper Adena Springs Kentucky (USA) \$75,000	12 8 (67%) 6 (50%)	\$1,027,000 €881,477 £778,470	\$171,167 €146,913 £129,745	\$335,000 €289,117 £254,405	3	\$151,667 €129,314 £114,517	3	\$190,667 €164,512 £144,973	\$60,000
Quality Road Lane's End (USA) \$35,000	16 10 (63%) 10 (63%)	\$1,665,000 €1,422,243 £1,256,621	\$166,500 €142,224 £125,662	\$330,000 €284,581 £251,582	7	\$187,143 €160,303 £141,687	3	\$118,333 €100,041 £88,271	\$35,000
Malibu Moon Spendthrift Farm (USA) \$75,000	12 7 (58%) 7 (58%)	\$1,120,000 €939,375 £830,546	\$160,000 €134,196 £118,649	\$225,000 €194,032 £171,533	5	\$162,000 €137,105 £121,456	2	\$155,000 €126,924 £111,634	\$95,000
Uncle Mo Ashford Stud (USA) \$150,000	25 17 (68%) 12 (48%)	\$1,850,000 €1,575,694 £1,391,705	\$154,167 €131,308 £115,975	\$275,000 €236,865 £208,792	8	\$162,500 €138,063 £121,967	4	\$137,500 €117,798 £103,993	\$75,000
Sea The Stars (IRE) Gilltown Stud (IRE) €125,000	34 29 (85%) 24 (71%)	\$3,687,349 €3,122,917 £2,760,918	\$153,640 €130,122 £115,038	\$539,948 €460,000 £407,908	11	\$183,665 €155,612 £137,721	13	\$128,234 €108,552 £95,845	€125,000
Exceed And Excel (AUS) Kildangan Stud (IRE) €50,000	14 13 (93%) 13 (93%)	\$1,814,571 €1,531,559 £1,351,010	\$139,582 €117,812 £103,924	\$298,314 €250,600 £220,500	7	\$168,384 €141,883 £125,100	6	\$105,980 €89,730 £79,219	€40,000
Gleneagles (IRE) Coolmore Stud (IRE) €40,000	26 21 (81%) 16 (62%)	\$2,133,935 €1,803,541 £1,592,484	\$133,371 €112,721 £99,530	\$340,931 €286,400 £252,000	11	\$125,360 €105,968 £93,633	5	\$150,995 €127,580 £112,503	€60,000
Liam's Map Lane's End (USA) \$25,000	34 22 (65%) 16 (47%)	\$2,100,500 €1,790,732 £1,582,847	\$131,281 €111,921 £98,928	\$310,000 €266,277 £235,993	7	\$165,500 €142,279 £125,887	9	\$104,667 €88,309 £77,960	\$25,000
Shamardal Kildangan Stud (IRE) private	1 1 (100%) 1 (100%)	\$127,849 €107,400 £94,500	\$127,849 €107,400 £94,500	\$127,849 €107,400 £94,500	1	\$127,849 €107,400 £94,500	0	\$0 €0 £0	private

# 2017 LEADING SIRES OF NORTH AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN WEANLINGS AND SHORT YEARLINGS

Leading sires of weanlings and short yearlings by average

Sire Farm Stud Fee	Cataloged Offered Sold	Gross	Average	High	Colts Sold	Colts Average	Fillies Sold	Fillies Average	Conception Stud Fee
Candy Ride (ARG) Lane's End (USA) \$60,000	13 8 (62%) 7 (54%)	\$887,000 €753,355 £666,019	\$126,714 €107,622 £95,146	\$220,000 €182,846 £162,134	4	\$153,750 €130,506 £115,382	3	\$90,667 €77,110 £68,164	\$60,000
Distorted Humor WinStar Farm (USA) \$80,000	8 8 (100%) 6 (75%)	\$735,000 €626,827 £552,816	\$122,500 €104,471 £92,136	\$235,000 €202,412 £178,422	3	\$161,667 €139,385 £122,783	3	\$83,333 €69,558 £61,489	\$100,000
Siyouni (FR) Haras de Bonneval (FR) €45,000	19 15 (79%) 14 (74%)	\$1,653,996 €1,395,224 £1,230,019	\$118,143 €99,659 £87,859	\$355,136 €298,334 £262,500	8	\$83,962 €70,992 £62,726	6	\$163,716 €137,881 £121,369	€30,000
Australia (GB) Coolmore Stud (IRE) €35,000	32 26 (81%) 21 (66%)	\$2,450,235 €2,073,286 £1,833,381	\$116,678 €98,728 £87,304	\$305,058 €260,000 £230,528	11	\$138,422 €117,172 £103,689	10	\$92,760 €78,440 £69,280	€50,000
Kingman (GB) Banstead Manor Stud (ENG) £55,000	10 4 (40%) 3 (30%)	\$347,605 €292,071 £257,250	\$115,868 €97,357 £85,750	\$191,774 €161,100 £141,750	2	\$152,494 €128,135 £112,875	1	\$42,616 €35,800 £31,500	£55,000
Lope de Vega (IRE) Ballylinch Stud (IRE) €50,000	28 22 (79%) 16 (57%)	\$1,847,980 €1,559,900 £1,377,177	\$115,499 €97,494 £86,074	\$426,164 €358,000 £315,000	9	\$106,116 €89,792 £79,438	7	\$127,562 €107,396 £94,605	€45,000
Farhh (GB) Dalham Hall Stud (ENG) £8,000	3 3 (100%) 3 (100%)	\$332,736 €280,775 £248,850	\$110,912 €93,592 £82,950	\$224,095 €189,238 £168,000	3	\$110,912 €93,592 £82,950	0	\$0 €0 £0	£8,000
Carpe Diem WinStar Farm (USA) \$25,000	45 26 (58%) 20 (44%)	\$2,209,500 €1,893,163 £1,674,125	\$110,475 €94,658 £83,706	\$320,000 €275,957 £243,958	11	\$132,227 €113,123 £100,066	9	\$83,889 €72,090 £63,711	\$25,000
Violence Hill 'n' Dale Farms (USA) \$15,000	41 31 (76%) 26 (63%)	\$2,857,000 €2,410,827 £2,131,112	\$109,885 €92,724 £81,966	\$235,000 €202,412 £179,732	14	\$109,786 €93,186 £82,473	12	\$110,000 €92,185 £81,374	\$15,000
Union Rags Lane's End (USA) \$50,000	31 20 (65%) 17 (55%)	\$1,819,000 €1,542,608 £1,363,035	\$107,000 €90,742 £80,179	\$230,000 €198,498 £174,666	12	\$117,000 €98,884 £87,353	5	\$83,000 €71,199 £62,960	\$35,000
Acclamation (GB) Rathbarry Stud (IRE) €30,000	25 21 (84%) 18 (72%)	\$1,905,265 €1,615,270 £1,429,003	\$105,848 €89,737 £79,389	\$281,610 €237,646 £210,000	11	\$122,852 €104,214 £92,185	7	\$79,128 €66,988 £59,281	€30,000
Tiznow WinStar Farm (USA) \$60,000	21 16 (76%) 15 (71%)	\$1,583,000 €1,344,548 £1,191,296	\$105,533 €89,637 £79,420	\$260,000 €210,220 £186,327	6	\$120,500 €101,419 £89,680	9	\$95,556 €81,781 £72,580	\$60,000
Kodiac (GB) Tally-Ho Stud (IRE) €50,000	60 54 (90%) 52 (87%)	\$5,313,408 €4,490,390 £3,971,713	\$102,181 €86,354 £76,379	\$312,520 €262,534 £231,000	28	\$115,391 €97,724 £86,395	24	\$86,769 €73,089 £64,694	€45,000
Al Kazeem (GB)  Oakgrove Stud (ENG) £12,000	4 3 (75%) 1 (25%)	\$94,192 €80,000 £70,377	\$94,192 €80,000 £70,377	\$94,192 €80,000 £70,377	0	\$0 €0 £0	1	\$94,192 €80,000 £70,377	£12,000
Showcasing (GB) Whitsbury Manor Stud (ENG) £35,000	33 28 (85%) 25 (76%)	\$2,322,370 €1,955,650 £1,726,407	\$92,895 €78,226 £69,056	\$312,520 €262,534 £231,000	12	\$88,320 €74,534 £65,859	13	\$97,118 €81,634 £72,008	£25,000
Hard Spun Darley (USA) \$45,000	12 8 (67%) 4 (33%)	\$365,000 €313,928 £277,677	\$91,250 €78,482 £69,419	\$110,000 €94,485 £83,739	2	\$105,000 €90,395 £79,841	2	\$77,500 €66,569 £58,998	\$45,000
Bayern Hill 'n' Dale Farms (USA) \$15,000	30 22 (73%) 17 (57%)	\$1,525,000 €1,298,885 £1,149,513	\$89,706 €76,405 £67,618	\$220,000 €188,971 £167,479	8	\$124,750 €106,593 £94,351	9	\$58,556 €49,572 £43,856	\$15,000
Lea Claiborne Farm (USA) \$12,500	24 21 (88%) 17 (71%)	\$1,501,000 €1,277,920 £1,132,720	\$88,294 €75,172 £66,631	\$230,000 €197,171 £174,361	6	\$85,667 €73,080 £64,754	11	\$89,727 €76,313 £67,654	\$12,500

# 2017 LEADING NORTH AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN COVERING SIRES

Leading covering sires by average

Sire	Cataloged	Cwass	A	Himb	Conception
Farm Stud Fee	Offered Sold	Gross	Average	High	Stud Fee
War Front	8	\$6,500,000	\$1,300,000	\$2,000,000	
Claiborne Farm (USA)	7 (88%)	€5,599,733	€1,119,947	€1,722,653	\$250,000
\$250,000	5 (63%)	£4,958,610	£991,722	£1,529,637	\$230,000
Surlin	20		\$1,241,667		
		\$18,625,000		\$8,000,000	¢150,000
Hill 'n' Dale Farms (USA)	19 (95%)	€16,049,008	€1,069,934	€6,890,612	\$150,000
\$150,000	15 (75%)	£14,204,761	£946,984	£6,118,547	
Galileo (IRE)	5	\$6,144,790	\$1,228,958	\$2,246,560	
Coolmore Stud (IRE)	5 (100%)	€5,192,743	€1,038,549	€1,900,000	private
private	5 (100%)	£4,599,685	£919,937	£1,686,100	
Dubawi (IRE)	2	\$1,061,392	\$1,061,392	\$1,061,392	
Dalham Hall Stud (ENG)	2 (100%)	€894,558	€894,558	€894,558	£250,000
2250,000	1 (50%)	£787,500	£787,500	£787,500	
Tapit	7	\$2,685,000	\$895,000	\$1,900,000	
Gainesway (USA)	5 (71%)	€2,314,004	€771,335	€1,636,520	\$300,000
\$300,000	3 (43%)	£2,038,705	£679,568	£1,442,563	
Medaglia d'Oro	16	\$9,785,000	\$889,545	\$1,500,000	
Darley (USA)	13 (81%)	€8,423,034	€765,730	€1,291,990	\$150,000
S150,000	11 (69%)	£7,429,847	£675,441	£1,147,228	Ψ100,000
nvincible Spirit (IRE)	11 (0970)	\$849,114	\$849,114	\$849,114	
rish National Stud (IRE)	1 (100%)	€715,646	€715,646	€715,646	£120.000
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£120,000	1 (100%)	£630,000	£630,000	£630,000	
Pioneerof the Nile	15	\$5,720,000	\$817,143	\$2,300,000	****
VinStar Farm (USA)	9 (60%)	€4,927,762	€703,966	€1,981,051	\$110,00
\$110,000	7 (47%)	£4,342,973	£620,425	£1,746,261	
rankel (GB)	13	\$5,427,254	\$678,407	\$1,309,051	
Banstead Manor Stud (ENG)	11 (85%)	€4,572,150	€571,519	€1,103,288	£125,00
£125,000	8 (62%)	£4,026,750	£503,344	£971,250	
Speightstown	10	\$2,285,000	\$571,250	\$825,000	
WinStar Farm (USA)	8 (80%)	€1,971,847	€492,962	€712,005	\$100,000
\$100,000 ` ´ ´	4 (40%)	£1,736,109	£434,027	£626,519	
Uncle Mo	21	\$4,825,000	\$438,636	\$1,250,000	
Ashford Stud (USA)	16 (76%)	€4,161,770	€378,343	€1,078,795	\$150,00
\$150,000	11 (52%)	£3,664,882	£333,171	£949,271	Ψ100,00
Lope de Vega (IRE)	10	\$3,010,691	\$430,099	\$1,556,709	
Ballylinch Stud (IRE)	8 (80%)			€1,312,018	€50,00
* * *		€2,508,118	€358,303		€30,000
£50,000	7 (70%)	£2,206,042	£315,149	£1,155,000	
American Pharoah	24	\$5,337,254	\$381,232	\$1,250,000	
Ashford Stud (USA)	20 (83%)	€4,579,238	€327,088	€1,076,658	privat
orivate	14 (58%)	£4,042,768	£288,769	£949,055	
Bernardini	16	\$4,344,000	\$362,000	\$2,100,000	
Darley (USA)	12 (75%)	€3,740,518	€311,710	€1,812,376	\$100,00
\$100,000	12 (75%)	£3,297,104	£274,759	£1,594,775	
Kingman (GB)	14	\$3,331,341	\$333,134	\$990,633	
Banstead Manor Stud (ENG)	12 (86%)	€2,805,778	€280,578	€834,920	£55,00
£55,000	10 (71%)	£2,470,715	£247,072	£735,000	•
Oark Angel (IRE)	17	\$3,201,033	\$320,103	\$601,456	
/eomanstown Stud (IRE)	14 (82%)	€2,698,037	€269,804	€506,916	€65,00
£65,000	10 (59%)	£2,378,891	£237,889	£446,250	000,00
Siyouni (FR)	15				
Haras de Bonneval (FR)		\$3,812,621	\$317,718	\$778,354	£4E 00
	13 (87%)	€3,219,498	€268,292	€656,009	€45,00
45,000	12 (80%)	£2,837,684	£236,474	£577,500	
More Than Ready	22	\$4,085,000	\$314,231	\$2,000,000	
NinStar Farm (USA)	18 (82%)	€3,517,596	€270,584	€1,726,072	\$60,00
\$60,000	13 (59%)	£3,102,922	£238,686	£1,518,834	
Malibu Moon	13	\$2,035,000	\$290,714	\$800,000	
Spendthrift Farm (USA)	9 (69%)	€1,753,002	€250,429	€689,893	\$75,00
\$75,000	7 (54%)	£1,551,638	£221,663	£609,896	•

# 2017 LEADING NORTH AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN COVERING SIRES

*Leading covering sires by average* 

Sire	Cataloged	0	A	III ada	Conception
Farm Stud Fee	Offered Sold	Gross	Average	High	Stud Fee
	22	\$4,319,000	\$287,933	\$650,000	
Candy Ride (ARG) Lane's End (USA)	18 (82%)	\$4,319,000 €3,716,303	\$267,933 €247,754	\$650,000 €560,974	\$60,000
\$60,000	15 (68%)	£3,278,191	£218,546	£493.621	φου,υυυ
Nyquist	19	\$2,860,000	\$286,000	\$1,300,000	
Darley (USA)	15 (79%)	€2,457,675	€245,767	€1,119,724	\$40,000
\$40,000	10 (53%)	£2,178,331	£217,833	£994,264	ψ+0,000
Union Rags	20	\$4,647,000	\$273,353	\$1,500,000	
Lane's End (USA)	19 (95%)	€3,982,567	€234,269	€1,294,554	\$50,000
\$50,000	17 (85%)	£3,518,663	£206,980	£1,139,125	φου,σσσ
Muhaarar (GB)	` ,				
Shadwell Estate Company	6	\$819,674	\$273,225	\$636,836	000 000
LtdNunnery Stud (ENG)	5 (83%)	€691,458	€230,486	€536,735	£30,000
£30,000	3 (50%)	£608,771	£202,924	£472,500	
Kodiac (GB)	11	\$2,157,830	\$269,729	\$884,494	
Tally-Ho Stud (IRE)	10 (91%)	€1,821,410	€227,676	€745,465	€50,000
€50,000	8 (73%)	£1,604,191	£200,524	£656,250	
Empire Maker	10	\$1,815,000	\$259,286	\$575,000	
Gainesway (USA)	9 (90%)	€1,557,886	€222,555	€495,263	\$85,000
\$85,000	7 (70%)	£1,376,418	£196,631	£436,565	
Golden Horn (GB)	8	\$1,246,267	\$249,253	\$706,440	
Dalham Hall Stud (ENG)	5 (63%)	€1,055,409	€211,082	€600,000	£60,000
£60,000	5 (63%)	£929,318	£185,864	£527,824	
Frosted	19	\$3,055,000	\$235,000	\$425,000	
Darley (USA)	17 (90%)	€2,631,039	€202,388	€366,064	\$50,000
\$50,000	13 (68%)	£2,325,102	£178,854	£322,679	
Le Havre (IRE)	15	\$2,549,376	\$212,448	\$706,440	
Haras de Montfort & Preaux	13 (87%)	€2,152,000	€179,333	€600,000	€60,000
(FR)	12 (80%)	£1,895,683	£157,974	£527,824	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
€60,000				· ·	
Zoffany (IRE)	28	\$3,654,017	\$192,317	\$566,076	COE 000
Coolmore Stud (IRE) €35,000	25 (89%) 19 (68%)	€3,084,573	€162,346 £143,135	€477,097 £420,000	€35,000
Into Mischief	19 (00%)	£2,719,570 \$2,848,000	\$189,867	\$425,000	
Spendthrift Farm (USA)	20 (87%)	€2,433,677	€162,245	€366,064	\$75,000
\$75,000	15 (65%)	£2,453,077 £2,154,411	£143,627	£325,048	\$73,000
Quality Road	22	\$2,345,000	\$180,385	\$725,000	
Lane's End (USA)	16 (73%)	€2,017,765	€155,213	€624,462	\$35,000
\$35,000	13 (59%)	£1,782,435	£137,110	£550,452	400,000
Fastnet Rock (AUS)	11	\$1,153,566	\$164,795	\$283,038	
Coolmore Stud (IRE)	8 (73%)	€972,060	€138,866	€237,927	private
private	7 (64%)	£857,189	£122,456	£210,000	•
Exceed And Excel (AUS)	11	\$1,776,569	\$161,506	\$566,076	
Kildangan Stud (IRE)	11 (100%)	€1,497,089	€136,099	€477,097	€50,000
€50,000	11 (100%)	£1,320,287	£120,026	£420,000	
Gleneagles (IRE)	13	\$1,553,672	\$155,367	\$367,949	
Coolmore Stud (IRE)	12 (92%)	€1,313,709	€131,371	€309,305	€40,000
€40,000	10 (77%)	£1,157,900	£115,790	£273,000	
Ghostzapper	11	\$775,000	\$155,000	\$250,000	
Adena Springs Kentucky (USA)	9 (82%)	€667,622	€133,524	€215,592	\$75,000
\$75,000	5 (46%)	£590,754	£118,151	£191,205	
Runhappy	25	\$2,550,000	\$150,000	\$425,000	
Claiborne Farm (USA)	23 (92%)	€2,188,443	€128,732	€365,058	\$25,000
\$25,000	17 (68%)	£1,936,903	£113,935	£323,538	

# 2017 LEADING NORTH AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN COVERING SIRES

Leading covering sires by average

Sire	Cataloged				Conception
Farm	Offered	Gross	Average	High	Stud Fee
Stud Fee	Sold				Jua : 00
Giant's Causeway	2	\$295,000	\$147,500	\$225,000	
Ashford Stud (USA)	2 (100%)	€254,164	€127,082	€193,798	\$75,000
\$75,000	2 (100%)	£225,450	£112,725	£172,084	
California Chrome	13	\$872,000	\$145,333	\$250,000	
Taylor Made Stallions (USA)	10 (77%)	€743,894	€123,982	€215,759	\$40,000
\$40,000	6 (46%)	£656,986	£109,498	£189,854	
Honor Code	15	\$1,415,000	\$141,500	\$450,000	
Lane's End (USA)	14 (93%)	€1,215,264	€121,526	€387,597	\$40,000
\$40,000	10 (67%)	£1,073,914	£107,391	£341,660	
Showcasing (GB)	14	\$1,826,455	\$130,461	\$235,480	
Whitsbury Manor Stud (ENG)	14 (100%)	€1,534,755	€109,625	€200,000	£35,000
£35,000	14 (100%)	£1,350,891	£96,492	£175,941	
Flatter	11	\$778,000	\$129,667	\$290,000	
Claiborne Farm (USA)	9 (82%)	€666,212	€111,035	€250,086	\$35,000
\$35,000	6 (55%)	£589,286	£98,214	£221,087	
Ito (GER)	<b>`</b> 5	\$594,018	\$118,804	\$537,772	
Gestut Ammerland (GER)	5 (100%)	€499,561	€99,912	€452,061	€5,000
€5,000	5 (100%)	£440,838	£88,168	£399,000	,
The Gurkha (IRE)	11	\$1,130,017	\$113,002	\$353,798	
Coolmore Stud (IRE)	10 (91%)	€952,769	€95,277	€298,186	€25,000
€25,000	10 (91%)	£840.342	£84.034	£262,500	,
Sea The Moon (GER)	7	\$418,814	\$104,704	\$254,734	
Lanwades Stud (ENG)	5 (71%)	€353,487	€88,372	€214,694	£15,000
£15,000	4 (57%)	£311,745	£77,936	£189,000	,
Orb	26	\$1,525,000	\$101,667	\$300,000	
Claiborne Farm (USA)	26 (100%)	€1,306,807	€87,120	€258,398	\$25,000
\$25,000	15 (58%)	£1,156,421	£77,095	£229,446	, ,,,,,,,
Saint des Saints (FR)	2	\$200,107	\$100,054	\$164,794	
Haras d'Etreham (FR)	2 (100%)	€170,000	€85,000	€140,000	_
-	2 (100%)	£150,016	£75,008	£123,543	
Distorted Humor	17	\$1,500,000	\$100,000	\$270,000	
WinStar Farm (USA)	17 (100%)	€1,286,339	€85,756	€231,919	\$80,000
\$80,000	15 (88%)	£1,138,256	£75,884	£205,542	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Shalaa (IRE)	` ′			,	
Haras de Bouquetot (Al	17	\$1,381,263	\$98,662	\$188,384	
Shaqab Racing) (FR)	15 (88%)	€1,167,802	€83,414	€160,000	€27,500
€27.500	14 (82%)	£1,028,256	£73,447	£140,753	
Charm Spirit (IRE)	14	\$780,855	\$97,607	\$268,886	
Haras de Bonneval (FR)	12 (86%)	€659,944	€82,493	€226,621	£20,000
£20,000	8 (57%)	£580,928	£72,616	£199,500	220,000
Teofilo (IRE)	6	\$388,988	\$97,247	\$183,975	
Kildangan Stud (IRE)	4 (67%)	€327,548	€81,887	€154,653	€40,000
€40,000	4 (67%)	£289,543	£72,386	£136,500	C-10,000
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### TOTAL US AND EUROPEAN 1ST HALF MIXED SALES

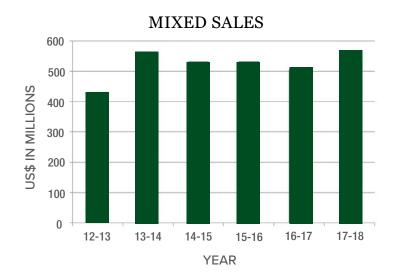
YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	% W/D	% S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2018	3,588	2,855	2,185	20.4%	76.5%	60.9%	\$ 62,159,726	\$ 28,448
2017	4,077	3,131	2,248	23.2%	71.8%	55.1%	\$ 52,288,343	\$ 23,260
2016	3,586	2,863	2,160	20.2%	75.4%	60.2%	\$ 53,488,123	\$ 24,763
2015	3,407	2,755	2,152	19.1%	78.1%	63.2%	\$ 56,913,572	\$ 26,447
2014	3,252	2,644	2,101	18.7%	79.5%	64.6%	\$ 64,301,406	\$ 30,605
2013	3,367	2,694	2,023	20.0%	75.1%	60.1%	\$ 65,467,770	\$ 32,362





### TOTAL US AND EUROPEAN MIXED SALES (SAME COVERING SEASON)

YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	% W/D	% S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2017-18	13,113	10,587	8,128	19.3%	76.8%	62.0%	\$ 568,324,430	\$ 69,922
2016-17	13,917	11,069	8,132	20.5%	73.5%	58.4%	\$ 507,355,423	\$ 62,390
2015-16	13,780	11,180	8,384	18.9%	75.0%	60.8%	\$ 532,239,927	\$ 63,483
2014-15	13,107	10,784	8,311	17.7%	77.1%	63.4%	\$ 531,974,678	\$ 64,009
2013-14	12,177	10,090	8,269	17.1%	82.0%	67.9%	\$ 560,840,902	\$ 67,825
2012-13	12,513	10,195	7,781	18.5%	76.3%	62.2%	\$ 430,360,886	\$ 55,309



### SUMAHAMA EARNS JAPAN'S SPOT IN THE KY DERBY

By Bob Kieckhefer

Sumahama scored his third straight win in the Hyacinth Stakes Feb. 18 at Tokyo Racecourse and earned first dibs on Japan's spot in the May 5 Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (G1).

The Hyacinth was the third and last leg of the Japan Road to the Derby, which was established by Churchill Downs to encourage foreign competition in the Run for the Roses. Sumahama earned 30 points, topping this year's points total.

He is not nominated to the U.S. Triple Crown, however. Should his connections decline the Derby invitation, the spot would be offered to Ruggero, a Triple Crown nominee who won the second leg of the series, the Cattleya Sho, and finished third in the Hyacinth for a total of 16 points.

Sumahama, the favorite in the Hyacinth, stalked the pace through the early stages of the 1,600-meter (about one mile) test. When jockey Yusuke Fujioka asked him to run, he was rewarded with a burst of speed that surprised even the rider, and he raced on to win by 2 1/2 lengths over Taiki Ferveur. Ruggero was 1 1/2 lengths back in third. The final time was 1:38.50.

"Until his previous start, he had a habit of weaving during the race, but today he ran smoothly, and that was more than I expected," Fujioka said. "About the race distance for him, there was no problem running in (a) mile race. I think that he would have no problem running in 1,800 meters and upward races."

Trainer Ryo Takahashi added, "In his last two races, he led the races, but today he kept in the second position during the race and he could manage the race well."

Takahashi was circumspect about any plans for international travel for the chestnut colt.

"We will check his condition and decide his next race," the trainer said. "But until now he could perform the tasks step by step, so we hope he will go on to bigger and better things."

Sumahama is by Neo Universe, a son of Sunday Silence. He is out of the Afleet mare Sound the Beach. He finished fourth in his initial start at Kyoto Nov. 11, then easily won his next two outings. All three were on dirt.

Several of the runners in the Hyacinth, including Ruggero, are nominated to the UAE Derby (G2) at Meydan March 31. That race offers the winner 100 points in the main Road to the Kentucky Derby series.

Last year Epicharis won the Japanese series, then finished second to Thunder Snow in the UAE Derby. Epicharis did not contest the Kentucky Derby, but entered the Belmont Stakes (G1) and was a vet scratch on the day of the race. BH



Sumahama wins the Hyacinth Stakes at Tokyo Racecourse, earning 30 points on the Japan Road to the Kentucky Derby

# SELCOURT DIGS IN TO WIN LAS FLORES

By Jeremy Balan

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ne of Southern California's top female sprinters loomed at the quarter pole in the \$100,000 Las Flores Stakes (G3) and the result looked to be a foregone conclusion at Santa Anita Park.

Two-time graded winner Skye Diamonds appeared to be rolling, and had gotten the hot pace setup she needed to close for victory.

But a new face on the sprinting scene—Medallion Racing, Keith Abrahams, and Saundra Lazaruk's 4-year-old Selcourt—had plenty left in the tank.

After a three-way joust for the early lead with Princess Karen and Coniah, Selcourt fended off all challengers in the stretch and held on to win by three-quarters of a length. After Princess Karen packed it in before the turn in the six-furlong test, Coniah held firm on the rail and also battled on in the stretch to finish second, but could not hold off Selcourt.

Skye Diamonds never got to the top gear she showed in her Great Lady M. (G2) and Rancho Bernardo (G3) victories last season, and came in third, a head back.

"She might have gotten a little tired at the end ... but it's a good start (to the season)," said Skye Diamonds' trainer, Bill Spawr.

A Tiz Wonderful filly trained by John Sadler, Selcourt was a head behind Coniah through the first quarter-mile that went in :21.54, put a head in front through a half-mile in :44.52, and hit the wire under



Selcourt holds on to win by three-quarters of a length in the Las Flores Stakes at Santa Anita

Tyler Baze in 1:09.65 to score at odds of 6-5.

"She was in with really good horses and their strategy seemed to be to take it to her," Sadler said. "She took the pressure and just kept going."

The chestnut has shown off her speed since her debut in February of 2017, when she routed a maiden special weight field by 9 1/4 lengths. She then placed in two stakes—the Santa Paula in April and Angels Flight in May at Santa Anita—but she never raced again in 2017. Back to racing and fresh in the Jan. 14 Kalookan Queen Stakes, she once again impressed with a 7 1/2-length victory.

"She's a nice filly, but she had to work for it today," Baze said. "I was very confident in her. She ran a huge race last time and (Sadler) said she's doing better than she was before that race, so that means she was going to run at least as well as she did in her last, and I thought that was good enough to win today.

"Skye Diamonds is a tough mare and so is Coniah. ... Those were tough horses she beat today, so we'll see where it goes from here."

Bred in Kentucky by Abrahams, out of the Open Forum mare Azure Spring, Selcourt now has \$163,920 in earnings from five starts.

Earlier in the card Holly and David Wilson's Pubilius Syrus won his second straight stakes on the Santa Anita grass, with a stalk-and-pounce victory in the \$75,000 Baffle Stakes.

With an ideal off-the-pace trip behind dueling leaders Afleet Ascent and Psycho Dar in the about 6 1/2-furlong sprint down the Santa Anita hillside turf course, the 3-year-old Candy Ride colt made his move three wide in the stretch under jockey Kent Desormeaux and hit the wire a length in front. Afleet Ascent held gamely to finish second.

Pubilius Syrus had found all of his success around two turns until the Baffle. He broke his maiden going a mile at Santa Anita in September, then placed in the Cecil B. DeMille Stakes (G<sub>3</sub>T) before his first stakes score in the one-mile Eddie Logan Dec. 29.

"There wasn't a mile race for him for another three weeks, and he was tearing down his stall, so he needed something to do," said winning jockey Kent Desormeaux. BH

### **FAVERSHAM TRIES STAKES** COMPANY IN CALIFORNIA CUP DERBY

By Jeremy Balan

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fter an encouraging first start sprinting Jan. 15, Perry and Denise Martin's Faversham, the last full sibling to two-time Horse of the Year California Chrome, will stretch out and step up into stakes company in the \$200,000 California Cup Derby Feb. 19 at Santa Anita Park.

Although Alan Sherman, assistant trainer to his father Art Sherman, acknowledges it will be a tough task for the Lucky Pulpit ridgling—who closed from last in his six-furlong debut to finish second behind fellow Cal Cup Derby entrant Violent Ridge—he expects Faversham to give a good account of himself.

"I expect him to run good," Alan Sherman said. "I know he'll try. He's got a lot of try in him, that horse, and he always has. He definitely wants to go around two turns, so that should help him. Running off a maiden sprint into a stakes going a mile and a sixteenth isn't easy, so he doesn't have to win. I just want a good effort out of him, which I think he'll give me."

After his debut at Santa Anita, the Shermans decided to keep Faversham at Santa Anita to train up to the Cal Cup Derby, rather than ship back to their

Los Alamitos Race Course base, because they felt the deeper surface of the Santa Anita main track would get the 3-year-old chestnut in better shape.

"It's hard to win on this track if you're not training on it and working on it," Alan Sherman said. "Before the (renovated) Los Al (in early February), it was just hard, because Los Al was so fast and this track was a little deeper.

"He came out of the race really well and is a lot more aggressive. It turned the light bulb on, and he worked phenomenal the other day. He looked really good and I was really happy with it."

While Faversham may have the most famous family member in the 12-horse Cal Cup Derby field, Robert Baedeker, Michael Pageler, and Michael Sigband's Heck Yeah is one of the most accomplished entrants on the racetrack, and he's shown versatility in his young

The Bob Baffert-trained Acclamation colt won his debut in December at Los Alamitos by 5 1/4 lengths sprinting 5 1/2 furlongs, then came back to win the California Cup Turf Sprint Stakes over the Santa Anita hillside turf course by 2 1/2 lengths Jan. 27. The Cal Cup Derby will be his first start around two turns.

Two other Cal-bred stakes winners are in the field— Intimidate and Continental Divide—but Intimidate's stakes win came in the two-turn King Glorious Stakes at Los Alamitos Dec. 16, while Continental Divide scored sprinting in the Aug. 6 Graduation Stakes at Del Mar.

Intimidate, who is trained at Golden Gate Fields by Bob Hess, finished third in the California Derby there last time out Jan. 20 against open company. Hess' son, trainer Bob Hess Jr., also has an entrant in the Cal Cup Derby with Kaleidoscope Kid.

Also on the second "Cal Cup Day" of the Santa Anita meet is the \$200,000 California Cup Oaks at a mile on

the grass.

Ruis Racing's One Fast Broad, a versatile Decarchy filly who has won two Cal-bred stakes on dirt and placed in two open-company stakes on grassincluding a halflength second last time out in the Blue Norther Dec. 31heads the eight-filly field. BH



Faversham takes second place in his Jan. 15 debut at Santa Anita Park

### NONKONO YUME UPSETS GOLD DREAM IN FEBRUARY STAKES

By Bob Kieckhefer

Nonkono Yume and Gold Dream both missed the break in the February Stakes (G1) Feb. 18 at Tokyo Racecourse but, after a furious stretch run, it was Nonkono Yume a neck in front of the favored Gold Dream at the finish.

Incantation was only a neck farther back in third in the first grade 1 race of the calendar year in Japan and one of the country's two major fixtures over dirt.

The victory carried an automatic entry, plus prepaid fees and a travel allowance, for the Breeders' Cup Classic (G1) Nov. 3 at Churchill Downs through the international Breeders' Cup Challenge.

Gold Dream won both the Feburary Stakes and the Champions Cup (G1) last season and was named Japan's top dirt horse. But he had not raced since the second of those victories, the Champions Cup at Chukyo Racecourse Dec. 3. Trainer Osamu Hirata said before the race he was happy with Gold Dream's conditioning.

"If he doesn't miss the break too badly, I think he has a chance this year, too," the conditioner said.

Despite the best efforts of visiting jockey Ryan Moore, Gold Dream did miss the break in the 1.600-meter (about one mile) event. But so, too, did Nonkono Yume, a 6-year-old Twining gelding who finished second in the Champions Cup in 2015 and the 2016 February Stakes, but hadn't run back to those

efforts in recent races. Nonkono Yume was away last in the field of 16, with Gold Dream only two runners in front of him.

They raced that way until the turn, when Moore started Gold Dream on a bold move that found him circling the field to take the lead some 200 meters out. But, even farther outside, Hiroyuke Uchida had Nonkono Yume in full stride. He drew alongside Gold Dream nearing the wire and the two ran together for a few strides before Nonkono Yume put a neck in front and finished off the distance in 1:36 flat.

"The staff tuned him up beautifully and he was in very good form," Uchida said. "I kept him wide and in good striking position so that he could unleash his good late charge at any point, which is probably the reason why we were able to win today."

Nonkono Yume hinted at a reversal of form in his 2018 debut, as he won the Negishi Stakes (G<sub>3</sub>) at Tokyo—his first win in 26 months. Nonetheless he was only fourth betting choice in the February, witnessed by a crowd of 50,194. BH



Nonkono Yume (outside) wins the February Stakes over Gold Dream and Incantation

### CURLIN'S APPROVAL BACK IN INTRIGUING ROYAL DELTA

By Frank Angst

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There will be no shortage of accomplished rivals awaiting Curlin's Approval when she tries to defend her 2017 victory in a revamped Royal Delta Stakes (G3) Feb. 19 at Gulfstream Park.

Last year Curlin's Approval drew off to a six-length victory in the Royal Delta, which was contested at 1 1/16 miles and carried grade 2 status. This year the race, which has attracted eight fillies and mares, has been shortened to a one-turn mile.

Curlin's Approval certainly is capable at one turn, having won the seven-furlong Added Elegance Stakes in 2016 at Gulfstream and last year's seven-furlong Hurricane Bertie Stakes (G3) there. The daughter of Curlin also raced well at the one-turn mile, although she's settled for second in her two most recent races at that distance, the past two editions of the Rampart Stakes (G3) at Gulfstream.

Curlin's Approval, who has finished first or second in 10 of her 16 starts (seven wins), enters off a pair of runner-up finishes in the 2017 Rampart—won by Royal Delta entry Lewis Bay—and this year's Hurricane Bertie. Breeder-owner-trainer Happy Alter believes Curlin's Approval was not quite her best in those two tests.

"There's more to her than in that last race, but we'll have to wait and see," said Alter, whose multiple graded stakes winner breezed five-furlongs in :35.91 Feb. 15. "I'm optimistic about her chances."

Alpha Delta Stables homebred Lewis Bay will make her 5-year-old season debut in the Royal Delta, which will mark her first start since the Dec. 16 Rampart. The daughter of Bernardini will try for a graded stakes win for a fourth consecutive season. Trained by Chad Brown, Lewis Bay certainly could improve on her Rampart effort, which was her only



Curlin's Approval wins the 2017 Royal Delta at Gulfstream Park

race of 2017, ending a nearly 13-month layoff.

Unbridled Mo will make her 5-year-old debut after she won both her 2017 starts—the Houston Ladies Classic Stakes (G3) at Sam Houston Race Park and the Hilliard Lyons Doubledogdare Stakes (G3) at Keeneland. Campaigned by John Brunetti's Red Oak Stable, trainer Todd Pletcher said the daughter of Uncle Mo needed some rest after the Doubledogdare.

"After she made a couple of road trips, she came back and seemed tired. She lost some weight," Pletcher said. "After talking to the Brunettis, they wanted to keep her in training this year, so we gave her some time and hopefully we'll have a good year with her."

Another accomplished mare entered Monday is Giulia, a Kentucky-bred who will make her United States debut after three stakes wins in Uruguay, including the 2016 Gran Premio Ciudad de Montevideo (G1). She earned champion older mare honors there in 2015. Michael Matz picks up the training duties for the 6-year-old daughter of Sky Mesa. BH

### COLLECTIVE AUCTION VALUE OF STAKES WINNERS IS RISING

By Eric Mitchell

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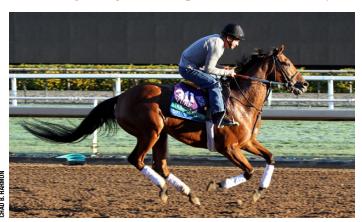
Pinding value at 2-year-olds in training and yearling auctions in 2018 will be increasingly more challenging, as judged by the average price of sale horses who went on to excel in black-type stakes.

Research compiled by *BloodHorse MarketWatch* shows the average yearling sale price of stakes winners from 2015-17 is 10% higher than the yearling price of stakes winners during the 2014-16 racing seasons. The 2015-17 black-type winners averaged \$121,619 as yearlings, compared with \$110,741 for the 2014-16 stakes winners. For horses sold as 2-year-olds, the 2015-17 stakes winners averaged \$170,569, up 11% from an average of \$153,517 for 2014-16 winners.

Overall the market is an effective judge of quality.

The average yearling price of horses who became grade 1 winners during the 2015-17 seasons was \$281,414, which was significantly higher than the yearling average of eventual grade 2 winners (\$131,778), eventual grade 3 winners (\$153,219), and the winners of non-graded black-type races (\$89,485). The disparity in 2-year-old averages was less significant among the different classes of graded stakes winners, with grade 1 winners averaging \$295,090, grade 2 averaging \$234,812, and grade 3 winners averaging \$218,093.

Growing strength at the top of the market is clearly



Twilight Eclipse, at Santa Anita Park in 2016, is the poster boy for auction value among grade 1 winners

# What Black-type Winners from 2015-17 Cost at Auction

Percentage change is from the auction results from 2014-16 stakes winners

Stakes Class	No. Yrlgs Sold	Avg. Yrlg Price	Med. Yrlg Price	% Chg Avg.	No. 2YOs Sold	Avg. 2Y0 Price	Med. 2Y0 Price	% Chg Avg.
G1	118	\$281,414	\$160,000	40%	31	\$295,090	\$210,000	1%
G2	118	\$131,778	\$77,000	-27%	50	\$234,812	\$150,000	17%
G3	171	\$153,219	\$82,056	12%	65	\$218,093	\$175,000	2%
All GSWnrs	404	\$184,139	\$100,000	9%	144	\$242,114	\$180,000	5%
Non-Graded SWnrs	723	\$89,485	\$40,000	14%	311	\$137,159	\$80,000	17%
All SWnrs	1,118	\$121,619	\$55,000	10%	451	\$170,569	\$100,000	11%

indicated by a 40% increase in median yearling price to \$160,000 among 2015-17 racehorses of grade 1 quality. The median yearling price of horses at this level during 2014-16 was \$112,500.

The only anomaly in the overall trends is with the yearling average and medians for 2015-17 grade 2 winners. While the grade 2 winners cost more overall than grade 3 winners when sold as 2-year-olds, they were less expensive collectively as yearlings. Only one horse among those whose best win was at the grade 2 level sold for more than \$500,000. That horse was Mohaymen, who brought \$2.2 million. Among the grade 3 winners, however, 11 sold for \$500,000 or more as yearlings and the grade 1 winners included 18 that sold in this price range.

In the 2-year-old market, grade 2 horses commanded a substantially higher price. The winners of 2015-17 averaged \$234,812, up 17% from the \$200,434 average generated by winners during 2014-16.

Value may seem hard to find In the throes of an auction, but note that the median among the grade 1 winners is \$160,000. Half the North American grade 1 winners sold as yearlings brought a price at or below \$160,000 when the median earnings from those grade 1 races in 2015-17 was \$300,000.

The least expensive grade 1 winner in the group is West Point Thoroughbreds' Twilight Eclipse, who Select Sales sold for \$1,000 to John Langemeier at the 2010 Keeneland January mixed sale. Langemeier and Dr. Clara Fenger raced him twice and earned more than \$41,000 with him before he wound up in the hands of West Point Thoroughbreds. The gelding by the late Purim was retired last year to pursue a second career in eventing. He earned more than \$2.1 million at the track. BH

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### STAKES RESULTS

### Las Flores S. (G3)

Santa Anita Park, 2/18, \$100,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f (dirt), 1:09.65, track fast.

- 2-Coniah, 124, dk b/br m, 5 .................\$20,000 Harlington-Pretti Woman, by Lord At War (ARG)
  - O-McKenney, James W. and Tammy M., B-James W. McKenney & Tammy McKenney (CA), T-William E. Morey, J-Kent J. Desormeaux
- 3-Skye Diamonds, 122, ch m, 5........ \$12,000 First Dude-Exonerated, by Johannesburg O-Allen Racing LLC, Bloom Racing Stables, LLC, Acker, Tom and Lindo, Jon, B-Dizney Double Diamond LLC (CA), T-William Spawr, J-Tiago Josue Pereira

Margins: 34, head, 6. Others: Just a Little Hope (\$6,000), Citizen Kitty (\$2,000), Princess Karen (\$345). View Equibase Chart

### Broadway S.

Aqueduct, 2/18, \$100,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f (dirt), 1:11.44, track sloppy.

- 1-Startwithsilver, 117, gr/ro m, 5....... \$60,000 Jump Start-Office Miss, by Silver Ghost O-Iris Smith Stable, Lady Sheila Stable, and Rice, Linda, B-Burning Sands Stable, LLC (NY), T-Linda Rice, J-Junior Alvarado Sale History: 2015 OBSAPR, \$180,000, 2014 FTKOCT, \$32,000.
- 2-Bee Noteworthy, 121, b m, 6 ............. \$20,000 Read the Footnotes-Beesanees, by Anees O-Check Mark Stables LLC, B-Sequel Stallions New York, LLC & Willard C Freeman (NY), T-H. James Bond, J-Dylan Davis
- 3-Picco Uno, 121, gr/ro m, 5 ...... \$10,000 Macho Uno-Piccola Isola, by Western Expression
- O-Kennesaw Mountain Racing, LLC, B-Topsmeade, LLC & Adena Springs Farm (NY), T-Jason Servis, J-Manuel Franco **Sale History:** 2015 FTMMAY, (\$34,000 RNA), 2014 KEESEP, \$27,000, 2014 KEEJAN,

Margins: 6, 2, 31/4. Others: Sandy Belle (\$5,000), Frosty Margarita (\$3,000), Shimmering Moon (\$2,000). Scratched: Bree's Got Heart. View Equibase Chart

\$35,000.

### Gander S.

Aqueduct, 2/18, \$100,000, 3yo, 8f (dirt), 1:41.25, track sloppy.

- 1-Nine Route, 118, b c, 3 ...... \$60,000 The Factor-Flash Act, by Sky Mesa
- O-August Dawn Farm, B-McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, LLC (NY), T-Jeremiah C. Englehart, J-Dylan Davis
- **Sale History:** 2016 FTNAUG, \$290,000, 2015 FTKNOV, \$190,000.
- 3–Empire Line, 122, dk b/br c, 3....... \$10,000

  Morning Line–Homecoming Dance, by Vindication
- O-West Point Thoroughbreds and RAP Racing, B-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (NY), T-George Weaver, J-Manuel Franco Sale History: 2017 FTMMAY, \$180,000, 2016

FTNAUG, \$50,000.

Margins: 3, ½, 3¼. Others: Engineers Report (\$5,000).

### Peppers Pride H.

Scratched: Evaluator. View Equibase Chart

Sunland Park, 2/18, \$85,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 8f (dirt), 1:40.99, track slow.

- 1-Sippin, 120, ch f, 4......\$51,000 Swissle Stick-Samba Queen, by Giant's Causeway
- O-R. D. Hubbard, B-R. D. R D Hubbard (NM), T-Todd W. Fincher, J-Roimes Chirinos
- 2–Sunday Rose, 120, dk b/br m, 5 ...... \$17,000 Fusaichi Zenon (JPN)–Best Note Yet, by Your Eminence
  - O-Michael G. Weatherly, B-Michael Weatherly (NM), T-Simon J. Buechler, J-Casey R. Chavez
- 3-Pink Cadillac, 117, dk b/br f, 4 ........... \$8,500 Diabolical-Full Moon Tonight, by Storm Cat O-Robison, J. Kirk and Judy, B-J. Kirk Robison & Judy Robison (NM), T-Joel H. Marr, J-Ken S. Tohill

Margins: 3, 2¼, 3. Others: Ivy Gimlet (\$4,250), Contradiction (\$2,550), My Bikini Fell Off (\$1,700), One Foxy Babe, Indian Tiva, Ballinouttacontrol. View Equibase Chart

### Baffle S.

Santa Anita Park, 2/18, \$75,000, 3yo, a6.5f (turf), 1:13.04, course firm.

- 1-Pubilius Syrus, 124, b c, 3.............\$46,800 Candy Ride (ARG)-Ruthenia, by Pulpit O-Wilson, Holly and David, B-Payson Stud Inc (KY), T-Vladimir Cerin, J-Kent J. Desormeaux Sale History: 2016 KEESEP, \$140,000.
- 2-Afleet Ascent, 122, b c, 3 ...... \$15,600

Northern Afleet–Skip Queen, by Skip Away 0–Orr, Ed and Orr, Susie, B–Jason Hall (LA), T–Jerry Hollendorfer, J–Rafael Bejarano **Sale History:** 2017 OBSAPR, \$300,000, 2016 OBSAUG, \$32,000.

Sale History: 2016 KEESEP, \$125,000.

Margins: 1, 1¼, 1¼. Others: Hemp Hemp Hurray (\$4,680), Madarnas (\$1,560), Psycho Dar (\$345). View Equibase Chart

### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS**

### Aqueduct, Race 2, AOC

2/18, \$69,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 8f (dirt), 1:40.92, track sloppy.

1—Crimson Frost, 121, b f, 4, Stormy Atlantic—Rock Jasmine, by Horse Chestnut (SAF), \$41,400, 0—Aron S. Yagoda, B—Joe Mulholland Jr., John Mulholland & Keith Desormeaux (KY), T—Linda Rice, J—Dylan Davis

Sale History: 2015 KEESEP, \$10,000.

Margin: 1, 4 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Fair Grounds, Race 2, AOC

2/18, \$40,000, 3yo, a5.5f (turf), 1:03.90, course firm. 1-Drena's Star, 119, ch c, 3, First Samurai-Starlite Starbrite, by Mutakddim, \$24,000, O-Paul Van Doren, B-Paul Van Doren (KY), T-Thomas M. Amoss, J-Mitchell Murrill



Margin: 41/4, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Fair Grounds, Race 4, AOC

2/18, \$40,000, 4yo/up, f/m, a8f (turf), 1:39.08, course firm

1–Cajun English, 119, b m, 6, English Channel–Vitamin Bag, by Bag, \$24,000, 0–Hooties Racing LLC, B–Frank C. Serio & James M. Serio (LA), T–Dwight J. Viator, J–Jack Gilligan



Margin: 21/2, 11 starters. View Equibase Chart

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### Fair Grounds, Race 7, AOC

2/18, \$43,000, 3yo, f, 8.32f (dirt), 1:42.92, track fast. 1—Chocolate Martini, 119, b f, 3, Broken Vow—Nicksappealinglady, by Successful Appeal, \$25,800, 0—Double Doors Racing, LLC, B—Savino A. Capilupi (KY), T—Thomas M. Amoss, J—Mitchell Murrill

Sale History: 2016 KEESEP, \$65,000.

Margin: neck, 6 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Fair Grounds, Race 8, ALW

2/18, \$40,000, 4yo/up, a8f (turf), 1:37.76, course firm. 1–Dontblamerocket, 119, b g, 4, Blame—Theme Song, by Dixieland Band, \$24,000, O—Frank Fletcher Racing Operations, Inc., B—Whitham Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY), T—Albert M. Stall, Jr., J—Miguel Mena

**Sale History:** 2015 FTKOCT, \$75,000.



Margin: 11/4, 11 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Golden Gate Fields, Race 8, ALW

2/18, \$27,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 8f (all-weather), 1:39.50, track fast.

1–Bella Luma, 122, ch f, 4, Ministers Wild Cat–Bold Roberta, by Bold Badgett, \$21,060, O–Bachman, Thomas W. and Brown, Linda J., B–Thomas W Bachman (CA), T–Ed Moger, Jr., J–Catalino Martinez

Margin: neck, 9 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Gulfstream Park, Race 1, AOC

2/18, \$51,000, 4yo/up, 9f (turf), 1:51.17, course firm. 1–Global Entry, 121, dk b/br h, 5, Flower Alley—Pacific Sky, by Stormy Atlantic, \$26,400, O—Robert Murray, B—Sanford R. Robertson (KY), T—Bobby S. Dibona, J—Javier Castellano **Sale History:** 2014 KEESEP, \$75,000.

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### Gulfstream Park, Race 4, AOC

2/18, \$51,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 8f (turf), 1:35.64, course firm. 1–Magical Sky, 121, dk b/br f, 4, Sky Mesa–Athena's Gift, by Fusaichi Pegasus, \$26,400, 0–John C. Oxley, B–Hubert Vester (KY), T–Mark E. Casse, J–Julien R. Leparoux **Sale History:** 2015 KEESEP, \$150,000.

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### Gulfstream Park, Race 11, AOC

2/18, \$52,000, 4yo/up, 8f (turf), 1:35.46, course firm.

1-Nileator, 121, dk b/br h, 6, Pioneerof the Nile-Souma, by Mr. Greeley, \$27,000, O-Zayat Stables, LLC, B-Zayat Stables, LLC (KY), T-Dale L. Romans, J-Luis Saez

Marqin: 1½, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Laurel Park, Race 7, AOC

2/18, \$42,000, 3yo, f, 6f (dirt), 1:12.09, track sloppy.

1–Frechette, 118, ch f, 3, El Padrino–Amie's Legend, by Not For Love, \$31,122, 0–Two Legends Farm and Golden, Richard, B–Two Legends Farm & Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC (MD), T–H. Graham Motion, J–Feargal Lynch

Sale History: 2016 FTMSEP, (\$24,000 RNA). Margin: 3. 6 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Laurel Park, Race 8, ALW

2/18, \$35,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f (dirt), 1:24.12, track muddv.

1–Conjecture, 122, b f, 4, Great Notion–Emerald Song, by Eurosilver, \$19,950, O–Harbortown Stable, B–Mike Dalton LLC (MD), T–Noah Abramson, J–Gilberto Ramos Delgado Margin: head, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Oaklawn Park, Race 6, ALW

2/18, \$79,000, 3yo/up, 6f (dirt), 1:11.66, track muddy. 1–Sword Fighter, 121, dk b/br g, 4, Wildcat Heir–Archeress, by Archers Bay, \$47,400, 0–Altamira Racing Stable, B–Brent Fernung & Crystal Fernung (NY), T–Peter Miller, J– Channing Hill

Sale History: 2016 OBSAPR, \$75,000. Margin: 1½, 8 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Oaklawn Park, Race 8, AOC

2/18, \$81,000, 4yo/up, 6f (dirt), 1:11.71, track muddy. 1—Petrov, 117, gr/ro c, 4, Flatter—Saracina, by Bertrando, \$48,600, 0—Rialto Racing Stables, LLC, Southern Springs Stables, Head of Plains Partners, B—Sun Valley Farm (KY), T—Ron Moquett, J—Richard E. Eramia

**Sale History:** 2016 OBSJUN, \$55,000, 2015 KEESEP, \$55,000, 2014 KEENOV, \$25,000.



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### Sam Houston Race Park, Race 5, ALW

2/17, \$20,500, 4yo/up, f/m, 5f (turf), 1:00.19, course firm.

1–Kupuri, 120, b f, 4, Tale of the Cat–Dyani, by Dynaformer, \$12,120, 0–William A. Reed, B–Dr. William Reed (KY), T–Paul M. Pearson, J–Jason R. Eads

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### Santa Anita Park, Race 6, AOC

2/18, \$56,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 8f (turf), 1:35.79, course firm. 1—The Tulip (IRE), 122, dk b/br m, 5, Lawman (FR)—Lady Slippers (IRE), by Royal Academy, \$33,600, 0—Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners, B—Airlie Stud (IRE), T—Patrick Gallagher, J—Drayden Van Dyke

**Sale History:** 2014 GOFORB, \$157,900. **Margin:** 1, 9 starters. **View Equibase Chart** 

### Sunland Park, Race 8, ALW

2/18, \$32,100, 3yo/up, f/m, 8f (dirt), 1:41.92, track slow.

1–To Satisfy You, 124, b f, 4, Nacimiento–Crafty Finale, by Crafty C. T., \$19,260, O–Denton Crozier, B–Denton Crozier (NM), T–Hermenegildo G. Aldavaz, J–Enrique Portillo Gomez

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### Tampa Bay Downs, Race 2, AOC

2/18, \$27,500, 3yo, 7f (dirt), 1:22.77, track fast.

1–Justaholic, 120, dk b/br c, 3, Justin Phillip–Luxaholic, by Macho Uno, \$12,000, 0–Lucky Man Racing LLC, B–Gabriel Duignan, Patrick Costello, Ben McElroy & John Wade (KY), T–Keith Nations, J–Jose C. Ferrer

**Sale History:** 2017 OBSAPR, \$40,000, 2016 KEESEP, \$33,000.

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### Tampa Bay Downs, Race 3, AOC

2/18, \$23,500, 4yo/up, f/m, 8.5f (turf), 1:41.63, course firm

1-Judy's Chance, 118, ch m, 5, First Dude-Realgoodlookin, by Unbridled's Song, \$12,600, O-Judy C. Sessa, B-Judy Sessa (NJ), T-Derek S. Ryan, J-Jose C. Ferrer **Margin:** 1,7 starters. **View Equibase Chart** 

### **MAIDEN RESULTS**

### Aqueduct, Race 1, MSW

2/18, \$60,000, 3yo, f, 8f (dirt), 1:42.23, track sloppy.

1–Mo Flash, 120, b f, 3, Uncle Mo–Super Flash, by Afleet
Alex, \$36,000, 0–Tina Casse, B–Susan Chu (KY), T–Mark E.
Casse, J–Dylan Davis

**Sale History:** 2016 KEESEP, \$45,000. **Margin:** neck, 4 starters. **View Equibase Chart** 

### Delta Downs, Race 7, MSW

2/17, \$39,000, 3yo, f, 8f (dirt), 1:41.64, track fast.

1–Bold Rey, 120, b f, 3, Bold Warrior—De Mystique, by
Dehere, \$23,400, 0—William T. Reed, B—Hidden Point Farm
Inc. (KY), T—W. Bret Calhoun, J—Roberto Morales

Margin: 5. 10 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Fair Grounds, Race 6, MSW

2/18, \$38,000, 3yo, a5.5f (turf), 1:04.52, course firm. 1—Chaos Theory, 120, ch c, 3, Curlin—Chaotic Cat, by Tale of the Cat, \$22,800, 0—Stonestreet Stables LLC, B—Bluewater Sales & Mike Carpenter (KY), T—Mark E. Casse, J— Brian Joseph Hernandez, Jr.

Sale History: 2015 KEENOV, \$260,000. Margin: 1¼, 12 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Golden Gate Fields, Race 6, MSW

2/18, \$26,000, 3yo, 8f (all-weather), 1:38.31, track fast.
1–Tortosa, 120, ch c, 3, Cape Blanco (IRE)—Dalian, by
Lemon Drop Kid, \$15,600, O—DeNike, Theresa and Edward, B—Edward Denike & Theresa Denike (KY), T—Jose
Bautista. J—Catalino Martinez

Margin: 13/4, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

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### Gulfstream Park, Race 5, MSW

2/18, \$50,000, 3yo, 5.5f (dirt), 1:04.05, track fast.

1—Belle Tapisserie, 120, b c, 3, Tapizar—Se Bella, by Forestry, \$25,800, O—Thoroughbred Champions Training Center LLC, B—Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (KY), T—Jaime Mejia, J—Jorge M. Perez

**Sale History:** 2016 KEEJAN, \$47,000. **Margin:** 21/4, 7 starters. **View Equibase Chart** 

### Gulfstream Park, Race 9, MSW

2/18, \$50,000, 3yo, 9f (turf), 1:49.57, course firm.

1-Blockade, 120, gr/ro c, 3, War Front-Hit It Rich, by
Smart Strike, \$25,800, 0-Stuart S. Janney, III, B-Stuart S.
Janney, III LLC (KY), T-Claude R. McGaughey III, J-Jose L.
Ortiz



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### Laurel Park, Race 6, MSW

2/18, \$40,000, 3yo, f, 8f (dirt), 1:41.14, track sloppy. 1–Awesome Mary, 122, dk b/br f, 3, Awesome Again– Truly Marie, by Hard Spun, \$22,800, O—Stronach Stables, B—Adena Springs (KY), T—Jose Corrales, J—Elvis Trujillo



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### Sam Houston Race Park, Race 7, MSW

2/17, \$20,000, 3yo, 6f (dirt), 1:12.54, track fast.

1–Fearless Alex, 122, ch g, 3, Fearless Eagle–Miss Dynaflo, by Cien Fuegos, \$11,820, 0–Domingo Chacaltana, B–Jaime Castellanos (TX), T–Domingo Chacaltana, J–Domingo Chacaltana

Margin: 21/2, 8 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Santa Anita Park, Race 1, MSW

2/18, \$54,000, 4yo/up, f/m, a6.5f (turf), 1:13.90, course firm.

1–Glorious Hour, 122, dk b/br f, 4, Bodemeister–Renda, by Medaglia d'Oro, \$32,400, O–Bonne Chance Farm, LLC, B–SF Racing (KY), T–Paulo H. Lobo, J–Tyler Baze **Sale History:** 2015 KEESEP, \$300,000.

 $\textbf{Margin:}\ 21\!\!/_2, 8\ starters.\ \textbf{View}\ \textbf{Equibase}\ \textbf{Chart}$ 

### Santa Anita Park, Race 2, MSW

2/18, \$54,000, 3yo, 7f (dirt), 1:21.86, track fast.

1–Justify, 122, ch c, 3, Scat Daddy–Stage Magic, by Ghostzapper, \$32,400, 0–WinStar Farm LLC, China Horse Club and SF Racing LLC, B–John D. Gunther (KY), T–Bob Baffert, J–Drayden Van Dyke

**Sale History:** 2016 KEESEP, \$500,000. **Margin:** 9½, 5 starters. **View Equibase Chart** 

### Sunland Park, Race 3, MSW

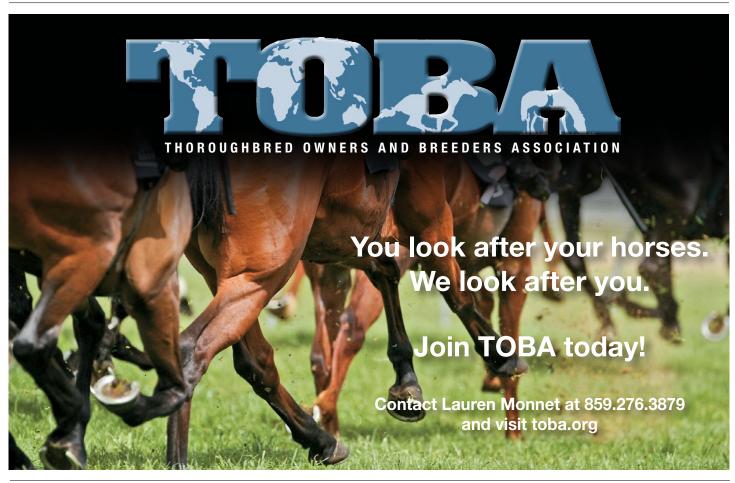
2/18, \$23,400, 3yo, f, 6f (dirt), 1:16.28, track good. 1–Scarlet Streak, 120, dk b/br f, 3, Roman Emperor– Where's Scarlet, by In Excess (IRE), \$14,040, O–Gallegos Del Norte Racing, B–Gallegos Del Norte Racing (NM), T– Jose R. Gonzalez, Jr., J–Tracy J. Hebert

Margin: 1, 11 starters. View Equibase Chart

### Tampa Bay Downs, Race 7, MSW

2/18, \$22,500, 3yo, f, 8f (turf), 1:37.24, course firm.
1-Tocame Linda, 122, b f, 3, Speightstown-Touching
Beauty, by Tapit, \$11,600, O-Don Alberto Corp, B-Don Alberto Corporation (KY), T-Thomas Albertrani, J-Jesus
Lopez Castanon

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### **RAZORBACK H. (G3)**

Oaklawn Park, Monday, February 19, Race 8 8.5f (dirt), \$500,000, 4yo/up, 4:35 PM (local)

Р#	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Untrapped	Trappe Shot	4/c	Ricardo Santana, Jr.	117	9/2	Michael Langford
2	2	Far Right	Notional	6/r	Gary L. Stevens	114	12/1	Harry T. Rosenblum & Robert V. LaPenta
3	3	Hawaakom	Jazil	8/g	Corey J. Lanerie	114	10/1	Stephan H Smoot & Wesley E Hawley
4	4	J Boys Echo	Mineshaft	4/c	Robby Albarado	114	5/1	Albaugh Family Stables LLC (Dennis Albaugh & Jason Loutsch) & Bobby Flay
5	5	Leofric	Candy Ride (ARG)	5/h	Luis Saez	113	9/2	Steve Landers Racing LLC (Steve Landers)
6	6	Sonneteer	Midnight Lute	4/c	Kent J. Desormeaux	116	4/1	Calumet Farm (Brad Kelley)
7	7	Shotgun Kowboy	Kodiak Kowboy	6/g	Luis S. Quinonez	115	12/1	C. R. Trout
8	8	Rated R Superstar	Kodiak Kowboy	5/g	Channing Hill	114	12/1	Radar Racing LLC (Paul Parker, Jeff Hanna & Mark Edwards)
9	9	Rocking the Boat	Arch	4/c	Fernando De La Cruz	112	20/1	Team Valor LLC (Barry Irwin) et al
10	10	Futile	Broken Vow	5/g	Luis Contreras	115	6/1	Jackie Rojas & Chris Wilkins
11	11	The Lieutenant	Street Sense	5/h	Drayden Van Dyke	112	15/1	William K. Warren, Jr. & Suzanne Warren

**Breeders:** 1-Indian Creek & Jonathan Sheppard; 2-Nossab LLC & Patrick J Crowley; 3-Shadwell Farm, LLC; 4-Betz/Blackburn/J. Betz/Ramsby/CNHHNK; 5-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC; 6-Calumet Farm; 7-C. R. Trout; 8-ThornDale Stable LLC; 9-Team Valor LLC & Highfield Stock Farm LTD.; 10-Mr. & Mrs. M. Roy Jackson; 11-John D. Gunther.

Trainers: 1-Steven M. Asmussen; 2-Wayne M. Catalano; 3-Wesley E. Hawley; 4-Dale L. Romans; 5-Brad H. Cox; 6-J. Keith Desormeaux; 7-C. R. Trout; 8-Kenneth G. McPeek; 9-Kellyn Gorder; 10-Chris A. Hartman; 11-Michael W. McCarthy.

### **SOUTHWEST S. (G3)**

Oaklawn Park, Monday, February 19, Race 9 8.5f (dirt), \$500,000, 3yo, 5:10 PM (local)

Р#	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	My Boy Jack	Creative Cause	3/c	Kent J. Desormeaux	119	12/1	Don't Tell My Wife Stables and Monomoy Stables, LLC
2	2	Sporting Chance	Tiznow	3/c	Luis Saez	117	9/2	Robert C. Baker & William L. Mack
3	3	Principe Guilherme	Tapit	3/c	Florent Geroux	115	4/1	Three Chimneys Farm (Zuleika Torrealba)
4	4	Mourinho	Super Saver	3/c	Drayden Van Dyke	122	2/1	Phoenix Thoroughbred III (Kerri Radcliffe)
5	5	Road to Damascus	Pioneerof the Nile	3/c	John R. Velazquez	115	15/1	WinStar Farm LLC, China Horse Club International Ltd. and SF Racing LLC
6	6	Seven Trumpets	Morning Line	3/c	Robby Albarado	117	10/1	West Point Thoroughbreds Inc. (Terrance Finley)
7	7	Retirement Fund	Eskendereya	3/c	Shaun Bridgmohan	115	15/1	L & N Racing LLC (Lee Levinson et al)
8	8	Zing Zang	Tapit	3/c	Corey J. Lanerie	115	15/1	Jackpot Ranch (Terry Green)
9	9	Kentucky Club	Oxbow	3/c	Ramon A. Vazquez	115	30/1	Calumet Farm (Brad Kelley)
10	10	Combatant	Scat Daddy	3/c	Ricardo Santana, Jr.	115	6/1	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC and Willis Horton Racing LLC
11	11	Ezmosh	Tizway	3/c	Gary L. Stevens	115	12/1	Zayat Stables, LLC (Ahmed Zayat)

**Breeders:** 1—Brereton C. Jones; 2—Hunter Valley Farm; 3—Three Chimneys Farm; 4—WinStar Farm, LLC; 5—Robert Tillyer & Dr. Chet Blackey; 6—St. George Farm, LLC; 7—Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, LLC; 8—Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd.; 9—Calumet Farm; 10—Paget Bloodstock; 11—Scott Pierce & Lanae Pierce.

Trainers: 1–J. Keith Desormeaux; 2–D. Wayne Lukas; 3–Steven M. Asmussen; 4–Bob Baffert; 5–Todd A. Pletcher; 6–Dale L. Romans; 7–Steven M. Asmussen; 8–Steven M. Asmussen; 9–D. Wayne Lukas; 10–Steven M. Asmussen; 11–Brad H. Cox.

### **ROYAL DELTA S. (G3)**

Gulfstream Park, Monday, February 19, Race 11 8f (dirt), \$200,000, 4yo/up f/m, 5:16 PM (local)

Р#	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Verve's Tale	Tale of Ekati	5/m	Jose L. Ortiz	121	6/1	Charles E. Fipke
2	2	Lewis Bay	Bernardini	5/m	Irad Ortiz, Jr.	123	5/2	Alpha Delta Stable LLC
3	3	Giulia	Sky Mesa	6/m	Julien R. Leparoux	119	20/1	Stud Colorado
4	4	Martini Glass	Kitalpha	5/m	Paco Lopez	121	6/1	Vince Campanella and Nation's Racing Stable LLC
5	5	Тара Тара Тара	Tapit	4/f	Pablo Morales	119	8/1	Beau Ravine LLC
6	6	Surprise Wedding	High Cotton	4/f	Tyler Gaffalione	121	15/1	William A. T. Rainbow
7	7	Unbridled Mo	Uncle Mo	5/m	Javier Castellano	119	4/1	Red Oak Stable
8	8	Curlin's Approval	Curlin	5/m	Edgard J. Zayas	121	3/1	Alter's Racing Stable Inc. and Bridlewood Farm

**Breeders:** 1—Charles Fipke; 2—Alpha Delta Stables, LLC; 3—Haymarket Farm LLC; 4—Aschinger Bloodstock, LLC; 5—Patricia Pavlish; 6—Mr. & Mrs. William A.T. Rainbow; 7—Red Oak Stable; 8—Happy Alter.

Trainers: 1-Barclay Tagg; 2-Chad C. Brown; 3-Michael R. Matz; 4-Keith Nations; 5-Timothy E. Hamm; 6-David Fawkes; 7-Todd A. Pletcher; 8-Happy Alter.

### **CALIFORNIA CUP OAKS**

Santa Anita Park, Monday, February 19, Race 7 8f (turf), \$200,000, 3yo f, 3:46 PM (local)

Р#	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Pulpit Rider	Lucky Pulpit	3/f	Corey S. Nakatani	120	4/1	Mr. & Mrs. Larry D. Williams
2	2	Nice Ice	Northern Afleet	3/f	Rajiv Maragh	120	30/1	Koriner & Lyons
3	3	Mo See Cal	Uncle Mo	3/f	Mario Gutierrez	120	10/1	Reddam Racing, LLC
4	4	Carpathia	Exchange Rate	3/f	Santiago Gonzalez	120	12/1	Nick Alexander
5	5	One Fast Broad	Decarchy	3/f	Flavien Prat	124	3/5	Ruis Racing LLC
6	6	Felony One	Lucky Pulpit	3/f	Tyler Conner	120	30/1	Joseph Brook
7	7	X S Gold	Golden Balls (IRE)	3/f	Rafael Bejarano	120	4/1	Cassidy or DP Racing
8	8	Ismelucky	Lucky Pulpit	3/f	Ruben Fuentes	124	20/1	Bonde or Russell

**Breeders:** 1–Mr. & Mrs. Larry D. Williams; 2–Dr. & Mrs. William T. Gray; 3–Rozamund Barclay; 4–Nick Alexander; 5–Richard Allen Kritzski, AGR Racing; 6–Joseph Brook; 7–DP Racing, LLC & James Cassidy; 8–Stephen Ferraro.

Trainers: 1-Mike Puype; 2-Brian J. Koriner; 3-Doug F. O'Neill; 4-Philip D'Amato; 5-Mick Ruis; 6-Joseph Brook; 7-James M. Cassidy; 8-Jeff Bonde.

### **CALIFORNIA CUP DERBY**

Santa Anita Park, Monday, February 19, Race 8 8.5f (dirt), \$200,000, 3yo, 4:18 PM (local)

Р#	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Violent Ridge	Violence	3/g	Geovanni Franco	120	6/1	B G Stables
2	2	Hardboot	Lucky Pulpit	3/c	Tyler Baze	120	20/1	Silver Creek Stables
3	3	Lucky Romano	Lucky Pulpit	3/g	Rafael Bejarano	120	12/1	Michael Moran
4	4	Heck Yeah	Acclamation	3/c	Mike E. Smith	124	9/5	Pageler, Dr. Sigband or Baedeker
5	5	Faversham	Lucky Pulpit	3/r	Stewart Elliott	120	5/1	Martin or Martin
6	6	Intimidate	Vronsky	3/c	Corey S. Nakatani	124	6/1	Eaton, Hess or Muldoon
7	7	Continental Divide	Animal Kingdom	3/c	Victor Espinoza	124	12/1	DP Racing
8	8	Fire When Ready	Empire Way	3/g	Rajiv Maragh	120	20/1	Loooch Racing Stable
9	9	Black Site	Black Seventeen	3/g	Evin A. Roman	120	15/1	Cybertec International Inc, Nentwig and Pagano
10	10	Campaigner	Ministers Wild Cat	3/g	Tiago Josue Pereira	120	10/1	Larry I. Stein
11	11	George From Tahoe	Sierra Sunset	3/c	Ruben Fuentes	120	10/1	Jeff Bonde
12	12	Kaleidoscope Kid	Papa Clem	3/g	Santiago Gonzalez	120	30/1	Brown, Lambert, Newman, et al

Breeders: 1-BG Stables; 2-James Mann; 3-Double J H Stable, Inc.; 4-Michael Pageler; 5-Perry Martin & Steve Coburn; 6-Donald Muldoon; 7-PT Syndicate #1, LLC; 8-Dr. Mikel C. Harrington & Patricia O. Harrington; 9-Richard Barton Enterprises; 10-Larry Stein; 11-George Schmitt & Mary Clare Schmitt; 12-Legacy Ranch, Inc..

**Trainers:** 1—Hector O. Palma; 2—Michele Dollase; 3—Mark Glatt; 4—Bob Baffert; 5—Art Sherman; 6—Robert B. Hess, Sr.; 7—James M. Cassidy; 8—Robert B. Hess, Jr.; 9—William E. Morey; 10—Steven Miyadi; 11—Jeff Bonde; 12—Robert B. Hess, Jr.

### **HOLLIE HUGHES S.**

Aqueduct, Monday, February 19, Race 8 6f (dirt), \$100,000, 4yo/up, 4:29 PM (local)

Р#	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Foreset	Forestry	5/g	Luis R. Reyes	115	15/1	Scuderi, Vincent, S.
2	2	Saratoga Giro	Girolamo	5/h	Jeremy Rose	117	20/1	Steadman, Henry and Barrow, Paul
3	3	Gypsum Johnny	City Zip	6/h	Junior Alvarado	117	9/2	The Estate of Anthony Miuccio
4	4	Candid Desire	Yes It's True	6/g	Angel S. Arroyo	115	15/1	Laderer, Amanda and Downey, Gary
5	5	Bass River Road	Noonmark	7/g	Joseph Rocco, Jr.	115	6/1	Imperio, Michael and Nassau CC Stables
6	6	Eye Luv Lulu	Pollard's Vision	7/g	Manuel Franco	115	12/1	Dubb, Michael
7	7	Celtic Chaos	Dublin	5/h	Trevor McCarthy	121	7/2	Zilla Racing Stables
8	8	My Boy Tate	Boys At Tosconova	4/g	Dylan Davis	121	6/5	Little Red Feather Racing and Nevin, Michelle
9	9	Tribecca	Bustin Stones	4/c	Kendrick Carmouche	115	30/1	Henning, Dan and Henning, Michael A.

**Breeders:** 1–Margaret C. Schwartz & George L. Schwartz; 2–Mendean Jonath Inc.; 3–Barry R. Ostrager; 4–Dr. John M McDermott & Laura G McDermott; 5–Patricia Generazio; 6–Donald Newman; 7–Spendthrift Farm LLC; 8–Michelle Nevin; 9–Laurel Least & Joseph Lech.

Trainers: 1-Rudy R. Rodriguez; 2-Paul W. Barrow; 3-Linda Rice; 4-Gary Sciacca; 5-Rudy R. Rodriguez; 6-Jason Servis; 7-Kiaran P. McLaughlin; 8-Michelle Nevin; 9-Gary Sciacca.

### LOST IN THE FOG S.

Golden Gate Fields, Monday, February 19, Race 7 6f (all-weather), \$50,000, 4yo/up, 4:03 PM (local)

Р#	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Tribal Storm	Papa Clem	4/r	Irving Orozco	122	20/1	Curt & Lila Lanning, LLC
2	2	Sunset Dragunn	Bold Chieftain	4/g	Pedro M. Terrero	122	8/1	Gomez, Gonzalez or Gonzalez
3	3	Mongolian Saturday	Any Given Saturday	8/g	Rocco Bowen	123	7/2	Mongolian Stable
4	4	Pure Comedy	Pure Prize	5/g	Ricardo Gonzalez	123	15/1	Auyeung, Carpenter, Desimone, Kelly, MacLennan or Peters
5	5	Wellabled	Shackleford	4/c	Jose Valdivia, Jr.	122	7/5	Carolyn Wilson
6	6	Anyportinastorm	City Zip	4/c	Juan J. Hernandez	122	20/1	Peter Redekop B. C., Ltd.
7	7	Percy's Bluff	Raise the Bluff	6/g	Frank T. Alvarado	123	8/1	Hollendorfer, LLC
8	8	Quick and Silver	Dunkirk	7/g	Silvio Ruiz Amador	123	3/1	Delia, Pagano, Wall, Sr. or Wall

**Breeders:** 1—Curtis C. & Lila L. Lanning LLC; 2—Lorrie Anthony-Wanger & Oliver W. Wanger; 3—Normandy Farm; 4—H & E Ranch; 5—PTS Ranch, LLC; 6—Sally J. Andersen; 7—Nina Hagen & Ron Hagen; 8—Elizabeth P. Whelan, David J Whelan, Teresa Murphy & Steve Murphy.

Trainers: 1-Ed Moger, Jr.; 2-Tirso Rivera; 3-Enebish Ganbat; 4-Bill McLean; 5-Larry Rivelli; 6-Blaine D. Wright; 7-Jerry Hollendorfer; 8-William Delia.



### MINE THAT BIRD DERBY

Sunland Park, Sunday, February 25, Race 9 8.5f (dirt), \$100,000, 3yo, 3:55 PM (local)

P#PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	Reride	Candy Ride (ARG)	3/c	Alfredo J. Juarez, Jr.	121	-	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC
2	Beautiful Game	Even the Score	3/c	Enrique Portillo Gomez	121	-	Millennium Farms
3	Sphene	Bodemeister	3/c	Roimes Chirinos	121	-	Judge Lanier Racing (Tom McKenna et. al.)
4	Runaway Ghost	Ghostzapper	3/c	Tracy J. Hebert	121	-	Joe Peacock
5	Ministersdontparty	Ministers Wild Cat	3/g	Eduardo E. Perez	121	-	Tommy Town Thoroughbred LLC. (Tommy Stull et al)
6	Pinpoint	Dialed In	3/g	Duane Lee Sterling	121	-	Teed Off Stable, LLC. (John W. Wilkins, Jr. et al)
7	Trigger Warning	Candy Ride (ARG)	3/c	Francisco Amparan	121	-	Brinley Enterprises, LLC. (James L. Thompson et al)
8	Trooper	Gemologist	3/c	Ken S. Tohill	121	-	Judge Lanier Racing (Tom McKenna et. al.)
9	Modern Man	Gio Ponti	3/c	Ry Eikleberry	121	-	J. Kirk and Judy Robison

**Breeders:** 1-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; 2-Millennium Farms; 3-WinStar Farm, LLC; 4-Joe R Peacock; 5-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, LLC; 6-Nicholas M Lotz; 7-WinStar Farm, LLC; 8-John O'Meara & WinStar Farm, LLC; 9-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate.

Trainers: 1—Steven M. Asmussen; 2—Steven M. Asmussen; 3—Miguel L. Hernandez; 4—Todd W. Fincher; 5—Henry Dominguez; 6—Nancy Summers; 7—Alberto Amparan; 8—Miguel L. Hernandez; 9—Henry Dominguez.

### **ISLAND FASHION S.**

Sunland Park, Sunday, February 25, Race 7 8f (dirt), \$75,000, 3yo f, 3:03 PM (local)

P#P	P	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
	1	Laudation	Congrats	3/f	Alfredo J. Juarez, Jr.	121	-	Jerry Durant
	2	Exotic Beauty	Super Saver	3/f	Eduardo E. Perez	121	-	Masino Racing Stable (Joe Masino et al)
	3	Woman At the Well	Old Fashioned	3/f	Frank Reyes	121	-	Karl G. Pergola
	4	Blamed	Blame	3/f	Ken S. Tohill	121	-	Cleber J. Massey
	5	R T Alamo	Girolamo	3/f	Enrique Portillo Gomez	121	-	Judge Lanier Racing (Tom McKenna et. al.)
	6	Kram	Colonel John	3/f	Roimes Chirinos	121	-	Chris G. Coleman and Brad King

**Breeders:** 1–Woodford Thoroughbreds, LLC.; 2–Sergio De Sousa & Ed Few; 3–Gail Rice; 4–Sagamore Farm; 5–Erv Woolsey & Ralph Kinder; 6–Lane Thoroughbreds LLC. **Trainers:** 1–Steven M. Asmussen: 2–Bart G. Hone: 3–Weston Martin: 4–Joel H. Marr: 5–Miguel L. Hernandez: 6–Todd W. Fincher.

### **CURRIBOT H.**

Sunland Park, Sunday, February 25, Race 8 8.5f (dirt), \$75,000, 3yo/up, 3:29 PM (local)

P#PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	Oh So Regal	Sidney's Candy	4/c	Roimes Chirinos	114	-	Judge Lanier Racing (Tom McKenna et. al.)
2	Pain and Misery	Bob and John	6/g	Alfredo J. Juarez, Jr.	115	-	Pat Aguilar, Steve Wilson and Henry Dominguez
3	Dubdubwatson	Kipling	5/g	Ruby Gonzalez	116	-	Vanessa Evans
4	Blue Azul	Tizway	4/g	Frank Reyes	122	-	Paul B. Miller
5	Deputy's Echo	Badge of Silver	5/g	Duane Lee Sterling	117	-	Margaret V. Bloss
6	L. A. Tower	Hard Spun	4/g	Ry Eikleberry	116	-	Jaime H. Gomez
7	Looks to Spare	Pollard's Vision	8/g	Eduardo E. Perez	115	-	A and A Equine, Inc.(J R Evans et al) and Roberto Marquez
8	Sky Defence	First Defence	5/g	Ken S. Tohill	119	-	Richard W. Lueck
9	Forest Mouse	Teton Forest	10/h	Enrique Portillo Gomez	121	-	Corey Johnson

Breeders: 1—WinStar Farm, LLC; 2—Castlepark Farm, LLC; 3—Patrick Durbin, James M. Lynch & Center Hills Farm LLC; 4—P & G Stables LLC; 5—Andreas Bezzola; 6—Green Lantern Stables, LLC; 7—Mr. & Mrs. Harvey L. Vanier & B. Culver; 8—Richard Wayne Lueck; 9—E. H. Beau Lane III.

Trainers: 1—Miguel L. Hernandez; 2—Henry Dominguez; 3—Justin R. Evans; 4—Justin R. Evans; 5—Nancy Summers; 6—Henry Dominguez; 7—Justin R. Evans; 8—Susan F. Arnett; 9—Henry Dominguez.

### **2018 LEADING SIRES**

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Rank	Stallion	Sire, YOB	'18 Stud Fee	Farm	<b>Chief Earner (Earnings)</b>	'18 Earnings
1	Candy Ride (ARG)	Ride the Rails, '99	\$80,000	Lane's End, KY	Gun Runner (\$7,000,000)	\$7,932,090
2	Flatter	A.P. Indy, '99	\$40,000	Claiborne Farm, KY	West Coast (\$1,600,000)	\$2,082,842
3	Dialed In	Mineshaft, '08	\$25,000	Darby Dan Farm, KY	Gunnevera (\$1,300,000)	\$1,816,891
4	Hard Spun	Danzig, '04	\$40,000	Darley, KY	Singing Bullet (\$650,000)	\$1,756,460
5	Into Mischief	Harlan's Holiday, '05	\$100,000	Spendthrift Farm, KY	Audible (\$208,320)	\$1,473,758
6	City Zip	Carson City, '98	Died	N/A	Collected (\$650,000)	\$1,341,261
7	Tapit	Pulpit, '01	\$300,000	Gainesway, KY	Unique Bella (\$120,000)	\$1,338,013
8	Curlin	Smart Strike, '04	\$150,000	Hill 'n' Dale Farms, KY	Stellar Wind (\$650,000)	\$1,272,149
9	Cowboy Cal	Giant's Causeway, '05	N/A	N/A	Fear the Cowboy (\$1,000,000)	\$1,224,208
10	Empire Maker	Unbridled, '00	\$85,000	Gainesway, KY	Eterna Minoru (\$156,593)	\$1,059,143

### 2018 SECOND-CROP SIRES

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Rank	Stallion	Sire, YOB	'18 Stud Fee	Farm	Chief Earner (Earnings)	'18 Earnings
1	Take Charge Indy	A.P. Indy, '09	N/A	N/A	Take Charge Paula (\$120,280)	\$655,577
2	Graydar	Unbridled's Song, '09	\$7,500	Taylor Made Stallions, Inc., KY	Lombo (\$128,880)	\$361,715
3	Violence	Medaglia d'Oro, '10	\$25,000	Hill 'n' Dale Farms, KY	Cicatrix (\$44,640)	\$339,439
4	Alternation	Distorted Humor, '08	\$6,000	Pin Oak Stud, KY	First Alternate (\$30,400)	\$296,867
5	Paynter	Awesome Again, '09	\$12,500	WinStar Farm LLC, KY	Vip Nation (\$37,400)	\$270,120
6	Jimmy Creed	Distorted Humor, '09	\$15,000	Spendthrift Farm, KY	Kanthaka (\$120,000)	\$262,211
7	Flat Out	Flatter, '06	\$7,000	Spendthrift Farm, KY	Cheponera (\$45,600)	\$231,244
8	Morning Line	Tiznow, '07	\$7,500	Lane's End, KY	Empire Line (\$60,000)	\$230,586
9	Poseidon's Warrior	Speightstown, '08	\$6,500	Pleasant Acres Stallions, FL	Firenze Fire (\$140,000)	\$217,662
10	Justin Phillip	First Samurai, '08	\$5,000	Castleton Lyons, KY	Ryono Tesoro (\$84,203)	\$212,443

### **2018 THIRD-CROP SIRES**

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Rank	Stallion	Sire, YOB	'18 Stud Fee	Farm	<b>Chief Earner (Earnings)</b>	'18 Earnings
1	Dialed In	Mineshaft, '08	\$25,000	Darby Dan Farm, KY	Gunnevera (\$1,300,000)	\$1,816,891
2	Bodemeister	Empire Maker, '09	\$40,000	WinStar Farm LLC, KY	Christmas Sky (\$44,000)	\$568,914
3	Union Rags	Dixie Union, '09	\$60,000	Lane's End, KY	Free Drop Billy (\$67,200)	\$498,453
4	The Factor	War Front, '08	N/A	JBBA Shizunai Stallion Station, JPN	A Different Style (\$90,000)	\$480,231
5	Tapizar	Tapit, '08	\$12,500	Gainesway, KY	Monomoy Girl (\$120,000)	\$414,863
6	Gemologist	Tiznow, '09	\$15,000	WinStar Farm LLC, KY	Stormologist (\$36,240)	\$373,386
7	Stay Thirsty	Bernardini, '08	\$5,000	Lovacres Ranch, CA	Powerful Ally (\$61,800)	\$366,649
8	To Honor and Serve	Bernardini, '08	\$7,500	Gainesway, KY	Eskimo Kisses (\$60,000)	\$365,973
9	Algorithms	Bernardini, '09	\$7,500	Claiborne Farm, KY	Deep Red (\$51,122)	\$318,823
10	Shackleford	Forestry, '08	\$20,000	Darby Dan Farm, KY	Kiss of Dahpespe (\$53,400)	\$299,148