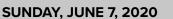
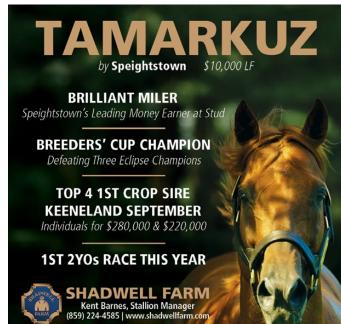
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Hall of Famer Lava Man oversees the post parade for the Hollywood Gold Cup at Santa Anita Park (see <u>page 14</u> for race recap)

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HONOR A. P. CAPTURES SANTA ANITA DERBY

By Bob Ehalt У @BobEhalt

A historian might be needed to find the last time a trainer skipped a Triple Crown race in favor of a prep race for the Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (G1).

Yet here in 2020, with the world facing problems no one could have foreseen from the COVID-19 pandemic, that exact set of circumstances unfolded June 6, and the man who made that decision was delighted at the way it turned out.

"He ran great. It was a super effort," trainer John Shirreffs said after Honor A. P.'s victory in the Runhappy Santa Anita Derby (G1). "I'm just happy for everybody involved."

Once upon a time, the \$401,000 Santa Anita Derby was scheduled for April 4 at Santa Anita Park, with the Kentucky Derby following May 2 and the Belmont Stakes (G1) closing the Triple Crown for 3-yearolds June 6. Then coronavirus ravaged the nation, and the Kentucky Derby was switched to Sept 5, with the Belmont Stakes moving to a June 20 date and the front of the Triple Crown line.

Though he has in Honor A. P. a horse who seems a natural fit for the classics, Shirreffs did not sway from his original plan of staying in California for the Santa Anita Derby, and he was rewarded Saturday when C R K Stable's son of Honor Code turned the tables on Authentic, who entered the



Honor A. P. wins the Santa Anita Derby at Santa Anita Park

race undefeated. The 3-year-old ridgling rolled to a 2 3/4-length victory under jockey Mike Smith that assured him of a spot in the Kentucky Derby, even if he has to wait until September to use that ticket.

"He gives every indication that he can go a mile and a quarter," Smith said about the Kentucky Derby. "Just the way he galloped out today. I mean, I had to pull him up."

The berth in the Kentucky Derby came courtesy of the 100 qualifying points Honor A. P. picked up Saturday in a stakes that also awarded 40-20-10 points to the second through fourth finishers. He has 120 points and is second in the standings behind likely Belmont Stakes favorite Tiz the Law, who has 122 points.

"We were happy with the way Honor A. P. was training for the race," Shirreffs said. "We knew that he has tactical speed, and Mike can put him pretty much where he wants. On the backside, we hoped he would get comfortable to have a nice little kick in the end, and it all worked out well."

Authentic, the 1-2 favorite and trainer Bob Baffert's leading hopeful for a 10th Santa Anita Derby victory, beat Honor A. P. when the two met March 7 in the San Felipe Stakes (G2) at 1 1/16 miles. On that day, Authentic cruised along with a clear lead, and Honor A. P., even with a nice stretch run, had to settle for a runner-up finish, 2 1/4 lengths behind.

In the rematch Saturday, Authentic broke toward the outside at the start from post 7 in the field of seven and then was caught wide on both turns, leading to some fatigue in the stretch when Honor A. P. sailed past him.

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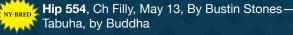


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"I was worried about him having the outside post," Baffert said. "He got parked wide, which you don't want to see, and he got tired at the end after doing some heavy lifting. But you have to give credit to the winner. He ran a good race, and he's a good horse."

Authentic's first loss in four starts added to a rough day on the Triple Crown front for Baffert, Jack Wolf of Starlight Racing, and Sol Kumin of Madaket Stable. Starlight and Madaket own Authentic along with Spendthrift Farm, which acquired racing and breeding rights to the son of Into Mischief this week.

Baffert also trains Charlatan for a group that includes Wolf and Kumin, and shortly before the Santa Anita Derby, it was reported that the undefeated son of Speightstown had suffered an ankle injury that will sideline him for at least 45 days and prevent him from running in the Belmont Stakes and Kentucky Derby.

Saturday's 1-2 punch was a tough one, especially considering that Baffert considered Authentic to be his No. 1 Kentucky Derby hopeful, and Charlatan was 3-for-3 and seemed a top contender for the Belmont Stakes or Woody Stephens Stakes Presented by Claiborne Farm (G1) and the TVG.com Haskell Invitational Stakes (G1) after that. Charlatan is also facing the possibility of being stripped of a victory in the Arkansas Derby (G1) if the split sample from a post-race drug test comes back positive.

"It's a tough game. When you start feeling good, you get knocked down," Kumin said. "It's nothing major with Charlatan, but 45 days doesn't mean they run in 45 days. A lot of things went wrong today."

Such as when the gates opened. When Authentic and jockey Drayden Van Dyke broke slowly and to the outside in the 1 1/8-mile stakes, it allowed Shooters Shoot and Anneau d'Or to grab the lead inside of them. Caught in a three-way battle for the lead through a half-mile in :46.88, Authentic got to the front turning for home but then drifted in as Honor A. P. rushed past with a closing spurt from fifth and filled Shirreffs with gratitude for another major win with Smith. Selected Sales... Superior Results!



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HONOR A. P. CAPTURES SANTA ANITA DERBY

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For those with short memories, Shirreffs and Smith had a pretty good run about 10 years ago with a mare by the name of Zenyatta.

"I can't thank Mike Smith enough for all that he has done. Whenever I need Mike, he's always there for me. I really appreciate that," Shirreffs said.

Sent off as the 2-1 second choice, Honor A. P. paid \$6.40 to win while needing 1:48.97 to cover the distance on a fast track.

"I have owned horses since I was 18 years old, so (it's been) 54 years (in the sport)," owner Lee Searing said. "I've never had a Santa Anita Derby winner. John knew we had the beginnings of a very nice horse. We knew he was special.

"We will cherish each and every day with this special horse."

Shirreffs said he was uncertain of what's next for Honor A. P.

"It's up to him whether we run him again before the big dance. We have to see how the horse comes out and how he feels, but you'd always prefer to run," Shirreffs said. "Running is probably the best option rather than training up to it, but we'll wait and see how it all happens."

Another 1 1/4 lengths behind Authentic, Jim and Donna Daniell's Rushie was third in his stakes debut, 1 3/4 lengths ahead of Peter Redekop BC's Anneau d'Or.

The victory was the second in four starts for Honor A. P., who was purchased for \$850,000 in 2018 from the Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency consignment at The Saratoga Sale, Fasig-Tipton's August sale of select yearlings. Bred in Kentucky by George Krikorian out of the Wild Rush mare Hollywood Story, Honor A. P. is the first graded stakes winner for his dam and has earned \$362,200.

Authentic's 40 points give him 100 and puts Baffert in the position of having at least one Kentucky Derby starter at the moment after he had an embarrassment of riches just a few weeks ago with the unbeaten trio of Nadal, who was injured last week, Charlatan, and Authentic.

"Bob's hand doesn't look the same now," Kumin said.

Even Baffert knows that.

"Authentic better come out of this race good," Baffert said. "I'm running low on horses."

Low is a relative term when applied to Baffert. Even on a tough afternoon, he had the upside of winning the Hollywood Gold Cup Stakes (G1) with Improbable and becoming the third trainer to surpass \$300 million in North American earnings.

He also sent out a rather interesting 3-year-old for his debut. Named Cezanne, the son of Curlin was bought for \$3.65 million as a 2-year-old at The Gulfstream Sale, Fasig-Tipton's Florida select 2-year-olds in training sale, and won his first start by 2 1/4 lengths.

Low?

We'll see about that.

Byron King contributed to this report. BH

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(L-R): Honor A. P. and Mike Smith make their move past Authentic, then return victorious





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CHARLATAN OFF DERBY TRAIL WITH ANKLE ISSUE

By Claire Crosby and Byron King

A rkansas Derby (G1) winner Charlatan, the focus of a potential medication violation, is headed to the sideline and will miss the Sept. 5 Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (G1) because of a minor ankle issue.

Trainer Bob Baffert confirmed the news June 6 and said the undefeated son of Speightstown should get around 45 days off.

"He had a little filling in the front of his ankle; we X-rayed it and really couldn't see a lot," Baffert said. "We did an MRI and then we could see some tiny little (specks). He just agitated it. He's got tiny little specks. We're going to go in there and just flush it out. It's very minor, but it's agitating the front of it. It's the first time he's had heat and a little pressure in the ankle, so we're going to flush it out and give him 45 days off and get him going (again)."

Baffert called the Oct. 3 Preakness Stakes (G1) an outside possibility for the colt but said he should be ready to race again in late fall.

"He won't make the Kentucky Derby," he said. "Preakness (is a) longshot, but he should be ready by Breeders' Cup." Charlatan is owned by SF Racing, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stables, Stonestreet Stables, Fred Hertrich III, John Fielding, and Golconda Stables. He picked up his first stakes score in the May 2 Arkansas Derby at Oaklawn Park off a March 14 allowance optional claiming win at Santa Anita Park, where he broke his maiden Feb. 16 at first asking.

A split sample is being reviewed because the colt did not pass an initial post-race test after the first of two Arkansas Derby divisions. Horsemen have the right to call for split sample testing to see whether it confirms the initial sample test. Stewards and regulators make no decisions before receiving the results of the split sample testing.

A split sample is typically requested when a horse tests positive for a prohibited substance, usually on findings that could result in a disqualification and/ or loss of purse, or cause a suspension or fine for a trainer. The split sample provides the affected party due process and a means to potentially dispute findings if it is inconsistent with the initial lab findings.

Baffert said he has not heard an update on the split sample results. "When I do, you'll hear about it," he said. "I don't know what the timeline is."

Shortly after the Arkansas Derby, Hill 'n' Dale Farms secured the breeding rights to Charlatan. BH



LIMITED OWNER ATTENDANCE BEGINS AT CHURCHILL

By BloodHorse Staff

Participating owners will be allowed to attend races on a limited basis at Churchill Downs beginning June 6, according to information posted on the track's website. As a COVID-19 safety precaution, the Louisville track is running behind closed doors, with attendance largely restricted to trainers, grooms, assistants, and essential track staff.

A post in the horsemen's hospitality section of the Churchill Downs website states that two people per entered horse can attend the races, one of which must be a Kentucky Horse Racing Commission-licensed owner. Masks are required, and social distancing must be maintained. Owners are to check in at will call at the paddock gate ticket office, where a list of "in today" owners will be checked off for verification. In the instance of a syndicate or partnership, the listed program owner may call 502-638-3859 on the morning of the race to designate another partner or syndicate member as the representative for the horse. That person must also have a KHRC license.

All people must adhere to social distancing guidelines while in the paddock area and will be directed to watch the race from the first floor Winner's Circle Suite and Courtyard areas. Upon completion of their race, owners will be asked to leave the property.

There will be one restroom open but no wagering windows or concession options on the property. No backside access is permitted. BH

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SWISS SKYDIVER MAKES SHORT WORK OF SANTA ANITA OAKS

By Claire Crosby

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Peter Callahan's Swiss Skydiver made short work of a short field June 6 in the \$196,000 Santa Anita Oaks (G2), further cementing her status as a leading contender for the Longines Kentucky Oaks (G1).

Toying with three rivals, the 3-year-old Daredevil filly drew off to a four-length win after leading throughout in the 1 1/16-mile test.

Swiss Skydiver was well within herself while posting fractions of :22.92 and :46.55 and galloped along with her ears pricked under Hall of Fame jockey Mike Smith while Merneith tracked along a length back to her outside. She clicked through three-quarters in 1:10.82 as if on cruise control and opened up by three after hitting the head of the lane with plenty left to give.

While 2-1 second choice Speech made a game closing effort through a 1:36.65 mile, she was no match for the winner. The Ken McPeek trainee strode beneath the wire under a hand ride after being kept to the task in the final furlongs with a few taps of the stick.

"When a horse puts their ears forward like that, that means there usually is something left in the tank," said Smith, who was aboard Swiss Skydiver for the first time Saturday in her maiden voyage to the West Coast. "They are kind of taking a breather, looking at things. When I tightened the reins up, she



Swiss Skydiver cruises to the wire in the Santa Anita Oaks

really accelerated. I kept busy until the eighth pole, and, really, she was on cruise control after that.

"She's an extremely talented filly."

The final time was 1:43.20 on a fast track. Sent off as the 3-5 favorite, Swiss Skydiver returned \$3.20 and \$2.10, with no show wagering. Speech was second, and Merneith held for third. Regal Beauty came in fourth after trailing throughout. Smiling Shirlee was scratched. Kentucky Oaks points weren't an issue for Swiss

Skydiver going into the race, but now she has them in spades. The chestnut filly picked up 100 points and sits atop the leaderboard with 310. Her closest competitor, Bonny South, has 100. Swiss Skydiver was a recent \$3,000 late nomination to the Triple Crown series, with McPeek keeping the door open for top races in open company down the road.

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SWISS SKYDIVER MAKES SHORT WORK OF SANTA ANITA OAKS

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A handy winner of the March 28 Gulfstream Park Oaks (G2), the filly came in off a 2 1/2-length score in the May 1 Fantasy Stakes (G3) at Oaklawn Park.

"She's good—just keeps getting better, too," said McPeek, who flew in from his Churchill Downs base Friday. "I was reluctant to bring her. We thought maybe we ought to wait for the Ashland (Stakes, G1, at Keeneland), with a short field and everything. She's easy to be around. She loves to run.

"They asked me to bring her vet records, (and) I said, 'There aren't any!"

Swiss Skydiver earned high praise from Hall of Fame trainer Bob Baffert, who conditions Merneith and Regal Beauty.

"That filly is a super filly," he said. "I was hoping for an easy lead, but we couldn't get the lead. Mike Smith is so good from the 1 hole. He got the jump on us, and that was it."

McPeek bought Swiss Skydiver for \$35,000 from Select Sales' consignment at the 2018 Keeneland September Yearling Sale. She improved her record



Swiss Skydiver cruises to victory

to 4-1-1 from seven starts and her earnings to \$557,980. Bred in Kentucky by WinStar Farm, she is the first graded stakes winner for her dam, the Johannesburg mare Expo Gold, and is the mare's second black-type runner from four starters, all winners. Expo Gold foaled a Daredevil colt in 2018 that sold for \$4,000 to Southern Racing when consigned by Bluewater Sales to the 2019 Keeneland September Yearling Sale, and she produced a Danzing Candy colt in 2019. She was bred back to



Danzing Candy for 2020. BH

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&& When I tightened the reins up, she really accelerated. I kept busy until the eighth pole, and, really, she was on cruise control after that."

-MIKE SMITH

Swiss Skydiver and Mike Smith after the Santa Anita Oaks

IMPROBABLE DEFEATS HIGHER POWER IN HOLLYWOOD GOLD CUP

By Byron King
@BH_Bking

A new year, a new Improbable. Following a 3-year-old campaign that was largely met with disappointment, Improbable shined in the second start of his 4-year-old season June 6 by winning the \$300,500 Hollywood Gold Cup (G1) at Santa Anita Park, his first graded stakes victory since the 2018 Los Alamitos Cash Call Futurity (G1) as a juvenile.

Hustled away from the gate after breaking a step slowly under Drayden Van Dyke, Improbable was well positioned thereafter in the 1 1/4-mile race, rated just off longshot leader Brown Storm. He pressed that one through easy fractions of :23.24, :47.57, and 1:11.84

for the first three-quarters of a mile, surged to the lead with a mile in 1:36.26, and drew away for a comfortable 3 1/4-length victory over Higher Power, the only other grade 1 winner in the field of six.

Tenfold, the winner of the 2018 Jim Dandy Stakes (G2) and 2019 Pimlico Special Stakes (G3), rallied for third. Brown Storm faded to fourth ahead of Midcourt and Parsimony.

A son of City Zip owned by China Horse Club, SF Racing, and WinStar Farm, the Bob Baffert-trained Improbable was timed in 2:01.69 on a fast track. He returned \$4.60 as the favorite.

"I got the consolation prize," quipped Baffert, whose Authentic was upset as the favorite in Saturday's richest race, the Runhappy Santa Anita Derby (G1). "I honestly thought I could win three races today. This horse has been training so well. ... Drayden had him in the perfect spot and he had plenty left for the run home.

"I'm happy for the team. Everyone thought this horse was a turf horse, and I thought he needed the dirt. This horse is only going to get better."

Improbable's victory followed a wide second to Tom's d'Etat in his season debut in the April 11 Oaklawn Mile Stakes, in which he was beaten three-



quarters of a length. That effort was one of his best since his 2-year-old season when he went 3-for-3 and became a leading prospect for the 2019 Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (G1).

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Improbable rolls to victory in the Hollywood Gold Cup at Santa Anita Park

IMPROBABLE DEFEATS HIGHER POWER IN HOLLYWOOD GOLD CUP

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Though he placed in a couple of major stakes last year and won the ungraded Shared Belief Stakes at Del Mar, Improbable faltered on the largest stages, finishing out of the money in the Derby and Preakness Stakes (G1) as the favorite in both races.

Pleased by how he had trained in recent weeks, Baffert was excited to run him in the Hollywood Gold Cup, despite the fact the colt had not won beyond 1 1/16 miles.

Improbable gave Baffert his seventh win in the 81st Hollywood Gold Cup, which was run as the Gold Cup at Santa Anita from 2014-19 after the closure of Hollywood Park.

Over the past two years, the winner has gone on to capture the Longines Breeders' Cup Classic (G1)—Vino Rosso in 2019 and Accelerate in 2018.

It was the first Hollywood Gold Cup victory for Van Dyke, who has been up for all of Improbable's wins.

"It's awesome. Walking back, it's just kind of getting it into my head, I just won the Hollywood Gold Cup. There's so much history in that race," the young rider said. "To be a part of it, I'm blessed.

"It was how he has been working in the mornings. I worked him several times going seven furlongs, and these gallop outs that he would give me, it was just unbelievable. ... He was sitting on a big one, and he ran a big one."

Higher Power, three wide around both turns while stalking the pace, rebounded from a last-place finish in the Jan. 25 Pegasus World Cup Invitational Stakes Presented by Runhappy (G1) at Gulfstream Park to be well clear of all but the winner.

The John Sadler trainee won the \$1 Million TVG Pacific Classic Stakes (G1) last summer at Del Mar and was third in the Awesome Again Stakes (G1) and Breeders' Cup Classic at Santa Anita.

Improbable has won five of 12 starts and \$1,129,520. He is the lone winner from two foals to race out of the A.P. Indy mare Rare Event, and was bred in Kentucky by St. George Farm and G. Watts Humphrey Jr. He was a \$200,000 purchase by WinStar's Maverick Racing and China Horse Club from Taylor Made Sales Agency's consignment to the 2017 Keeneland September Yearling Sale. BH

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VEKOMA NOTCHES FIRST GRADE 1 VICTORY IN CARTER HANDICAP

By Byron King

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Vekoma, a high-class runner at 2 at 3, is now a grade 1 winner as a 4-year-old.

The son of Candy Ride who won the Nashua Stakes (G3) as a juvenile and the Toyota Blue Grass Stakes (G2) as a sophomore picked up the first grade 1 of his career June 6 with an easy score in the \$250,000 Runhappy Carter Handicap (G1) at Belmont Park, the first grade 1 sprint of 2020 in North America.

Breaking alertly under Hall of Fame jockey Javier Castellano, favored Vekoma settled just off the early pace of American Anthem, who set fractions of :22.38 and :45.02 in the slop. Given his cue on the turn, Vekoma took charge entering the lane and left his foes behind in the stretch, winning the seven-furlong race by 7 1/4 lengths over Network Effect.

"The way he handled the track today was amazing," Castellano said. "I didn't have any concern before the race because I rode him in the slop in the Kentucky Derby (G1) and he loved it—a mile and a quarter was just too far. He cut back in distance, and we got what we were looking for today."

Vekoma was 12th in the 2019 Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve at Churchill Downs, his final start at 3 before he returned this year with a victory in the Sir Shackleton Stakes at Gulfstream Park.

The 1-2 finish from Vekoma and Network Effect replicated the colts' first meeting as juveniles in the Nashua at Aqueduct Racetrack in November 2018. In that race, Vekoma defeated Network Effect by 1 3/4 lengths.

American Anthem settled for the show, 1 1/4 lengths behind the runner-up but well clear of fourth-place Firenze Fire.

Majestic Dunhill, Midnightcharly, and Performer were scratched.

Dual grade 1 winner Mind Control disappointed with a sixth. The winner of the Hopeful Stakes (G1) and H. Allen Jerkens Stakes (G1) at Saratoga Race Course, he was unplaced for the second time in as many starts at Belmont. He was eighth in the Woody Stephens Stakes (G1) last year after stumbling at the start and running into stretch traffic.

He carried high weight of 124 pounds, spotting his foes between two and eight pounds.

Vekoma, owned by R. A. Hill Stable and Gatsas Stables and trained by George Weaver, finished in 1:21.02, capped by a final eighth of a mile in :12.19. He did so under confident handling from Castellano, who largely hand-rode him while occasionally flashing his whip at his mount down the stretch. He paid \$5.30 for a \$2 win bet.

As a Breeders' Cup Challenge "Win and You're In" contest, the Carter victory gives Vekoma a paid automatic berth into the Nov. 7 Breeders' Cup Sprint (G1) at Keeneland.

A more immediate prize could be the \$500,000 Runhappy Metropolitan Mile (G1) at Belmont July 4, provided the horse does well over the next four weeks.

"I've never had a horse with this much talent and determination. He just knows what he is," Weaver said.

Bred in Kentucky by Alpha Delta Stables, Vekoma was purchased by R. A. Hill Stable for \$135,000 at the 2017 Keeneland September Yearling Sale, where he was consigned by Lane's End, agent. He is out of Humana Distaff Stakes (G1) winner Mona de Momma, a Speightstown mare whose other foal to race, Bloody Point (by War Front), won three of six races and \$112,980.

Vekoma has now won five of seven starts and \$970,525. BH

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Vekoma wins the Carter at Belmont Park

CODE OF HONOR RETURNS VICTORIOUS IN WESTCHESTER

By Bob Ehalt У @BobEhalt

What was already taking shape as a blockbuster year for older dirt males turned even spicier June 6 with a highly professional 4-year-old debut by Will Farish's Code of Honor.

Running for the first time since he finished a dull seventh in the Longines Breeders' Cup Classic (G1) over a track he disliked, the homebred son of Noble Mission handled a rain-soaked muddy track at Belmont Park with aplomb as he collared a game Endorsed in the final strides to take the \$100,000 Westchester Stakes (G3) by a half-length.

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"I'm very satisfied," trainer Shug McGaughey said. "I thought he ran very well. I don't think (jockey John Velazquez) rode him that hard and he beat a good horse in Endorsed. Plus they were way in front of the rest of the field. Hopefully this will move us along to where we want to go."

That next spot for the 2019 Runhappy Travers Stakes (G1) winner will be either the July 4 Runhappy Metropolitan Handicap (G1) at Belmont Park or the Whitney Stakes (G1) at Saratoga Race Course a month later. Yet regardless of which race McGaughey and Farish choose, Saturday's sharp comeback victory only underscores the considerable respect Code of Honor will get wherever he turns up.

"Shug looks like he's got to be the horse to beat in all the major races," said Bill Mott, who trains Endorsed.

Don't expect an argument on that from the other Hall of Fame trainer in the Westchester exacta.

"I wouldn't back away from anyone," McGaughey said. "He carried 124 pounds, won off a seven-month layoff on an off track without a lot of pushing, and chased down a nice horse who got an easy lead and didn't come back to him."

Code of Honor's last appearance on a wet track came in last year's Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (G1) when he made a bold move along the rail turning for home but had to settle



Code of Honor wins the Westchester Stakes at Belmont Park

for being elevated to second after the controversial disqualification of Maximum Security. That effort led to three straight wins as he captured the Dwyer Stakes (G3) and Travers and was declared the winner of the Jockey Club Gold Cup (G1) via disqualification. The loss in the Classic opened the door for Maximum Security to be named the champion 3-year-old colt, but Code of Honor surely seems to have put that loss behind him.

"I felt we put a good bottom in him at Payson Park (in Florida) and then we just sharpened him up when he got up here," McGaughey said. "I thought his work on Monday was good as any he's put in."

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CODE OF HONOR RETURNS VICTORIOUS IN WESTCHESTER

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Code of Honor turns back Endorsed en route to victory

The win was the sixth in 11 starts for Code of Honor (\$4.50), a son of the Dixie Union mare Reunited who increased his bankroll to \$2,413,320 while covering 1 1/16 miles in 1:42.39 on a muddy track as the 6-5 favorite. Reunited, who has had seven winners from seven starters, including the grade 2-placed Speightstown gelding Big League, produced a Karakontie colt in 2018 and an Honor Code colt in 2019, and aborted her 2020 foal.

The Westchester was the second start Godolphin's Endorsed made for the Mott barn, following a May 2 allowance optional claiming score at Oaklawn Park. Previously trained by Kiaran McLaughlin, who retired to become the agent for jockey Luis Saez, Endorsed scooted to the lead along the rail late on the turn when the pace-setting Prendimi and Joevia faltered and held on with determination when challenged from the outside by Code of Honor.

It was six lengths back to 59-1 shot Forewarned, a son of Flat Out owned and trained by Uriah St. Lewis.

"He ran good and had a good trip," Mott said about the son of Medaglia d'Oro who was fourth behind Code of Honor in the Travers. "We were lucky enough to get first run on the winner, but when we went into this race we knew he was a good horse. That horse beat us fair and square. I'm not sure what's next. Two of the races I would have considered, the Met Mile and (June 27) Stephen Foster (G2), are coming back a bit quick." BH



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INSTILLED REGARD GETS JOB DONE IN FORT MARCY

By Christine Oser

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XO Equine's Instilled Regard notched his third graded stakes win June 6 at Belmont Park, taking over down the lane of the inner turf course to win the \$150,000 Fort Marcy Stakes (G2T).

Instilled Regard, one of four Chad Brown trainees entered in the 1 1/8-mile race, headed the field of nine as the 2-1 favorite under Irad Ortiz Jr. The 5-year-old son of Arch was two wide in sixth through the first quartermile and gradually moved up as Somelikeithotbrown set fractions of :22.89, :46.96, and 1:11.30.

The French-bred Tribhuvan, another Brown trainee making his second North American start, bobbled at the start from the outside post and the rein snapped soon after the start. Jockey Jose Ortiz was able to steer Tribhuvan wide and away from the rest of the field to avoid trouble. The Toronado colt remained far out down the backstretch and through the far turn.

With three-eighths to go, Instilled Regard advanced up to third with only a length separating him and Somelikeithotbrown. Despite darting between the two and four paths in response to the whip, Instilled Regard took over down the stretch and was able to hold off Devamani, his late-running stablemate, by a neck.

The final time on good turf was 1:47.07.

"I broke well and was in a good position from the beginning," Ortiz Jr. said. "I was in a perfect spot on the backside just waiting, and then I saw a horse on the outside move. I moved a little early, but I had no choice right now. He comes back to me whenever I need him, and when I ask him, he's there for me."

The Fort Marcy was the third start of the year for Instilled Regard, who finished third in the Jan. 25 Pegasus World Cup Turf Invitational Stakes Presented by Runhappy (G1T) at Gulfstream Park and sixth in the March 21 Muniz Memorial Classic (G2T) at Fair Grounds Race Course & Slots.

"He got a beautiful trip. Irad rode him with a lot of confidence," Brown said. "He had been training well. We drew a line through that last start at the Fair Grounds. He didn't seem to handle the ground well.

"I was a little concerned today. He likes the ground firm, and there was a lot of moisture. I'm very proud of this horse that he actually handled some moisture in the ground on the Belmont course. It was a relief to see that. I know he's better on firm turf, but he showed a lot of guts today. The turf is not that soft, but there definitely is some give in it."

Somelikeithotbrown held for third. Synchrony, Flop Shot, Social Paranoia, and Temple completed the order of finish. Ortiz was able to guide Tribhuvan over to the rail in the homestretch, and the colt was apprehended by an outrider inside the sixteenth pole. The colt walked off the course. Gucci Factor raced in close proximity with Instilled Regard through the first halfmile but was through early. He wandered four wide into the stretch and was allowed to fade away protected by jockey Junior Alvarado before being vanned off.

Instilled Regard was bred in Kentucky by KatieRich Farms out of the Forestry mare Enhancing. He was a \$110,000 RNA at the 2016 Keeneland September Yearling Sale but sold to Larry Best's OXO Equine

because I didn't want to be behind horses. So I moved him out and he just took off and started moving really good. When I asked him turning for home, he responded really well.

"He's a nice horse. I've been riding him four times now, and since the first day, we connected great. He has a huge stride. He's the kind of horse that needs the mile and an eighth. He's doing so well



Instilled Regard wins the Fort Marcy Stakes at Belmont Park

for \$1.05 million when consigned by Tom McCrocklin at the 2017 Ocala Breeders' Sales March 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale.

The dark bay or brown runner improved his record to 4-3-4 from 17 starts, including victories in the 2019 Ft. Lauderdale Stakes (G2T) and 2018 Lecomte Stakes (G3). He has earned \$763,240. BH

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NEWSPAPEROFRECORD SHARP OFF LAYOFF IN INTERCONTINENTAL

By Christine Oser

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Klaravich Stables' Newspaperofrecord shrugged off an 11-month layoff June 6 and returned to the winner's circle at Belmont Park with a four-length victory in the \$100,000 Intercontinental Stakes (G3T).

The 4-year-old daughter of Lope de Vega topped a superfecta for Chad Brown, who also trains the fillies and mares who were second, third, and fourth in the 10-horse field.

"She is back. She ran brilliantly. I wanted to see her back in the winner's circle off a brilliant effort, and she did that," Brown said. "She was up on the pace a little stronger than I had anticipated, but it was a great effort. I hope she comes out of it well."

Newspaperofrecord had been away since a ninthplace finish in the Belmont Oaks Invitational Stakes (G1T) in July, her only finish outside the top two in seven starts. The bay filly returned to the work tab at Palm Meadows Training Center in January and turned in two half-mile breezes on Belmont's main track heading into Saturday's race. Brown is now eyeing a return to top-level company for her in the June 27 Just a Game Stakes (G1T) at Belmont.



Newspaperofrecord wins the Intercontinental Stakes at Belmont Park

The seven-furlong Intercontinental was her shortest race. Her shortest distance had been one mile, at which she won the 2018 Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf (G1T) at Churchill Downs.

Off as the 6-5 favorite under Irad Ortiz Jr., Newspaperofrecord showed speed early and ran past Jakarta for the lead. She set fractions of :22.39 and :45.38 through a half-mile on the Widener turf course, which had softened to yielding from rain showers moving through the area, and opened by 2 1/2 lengths.

"I wasn't looking to really let her rip off fractions like that, knowing I have to get her out to a mile next time and on short rest in the Just a Game," Brown said. "I have a little something to work with there, but she's a top-class horse and we'll let her tell us if she's ready to run back in that time frame. If so, it would be terrific. If she needs more time, we're always going to do right by her."

Brown-trained Regal Glory stalked the pace and was second chasing home Newspaperofrecord. She narrowed the pacesetter's lead to two lengths, but Newspaperofrecord opened back up.

The leader was four lengths clear with a final time of 1:22.71.

"She broke so sharp and was nice and quiet. She went fast, but she kept going," Ortiz said. "She liked it soft, too. She's 3-for-3 on the soft turf now, so I think she appreciates it.

> "She was a little more relaxed than last year. Hopefully, she will keep improving."

Regal Glory was second, 2 1/4 lengths ahead of stablemate Significant Form, who was another 2 3/4 lengths in front of Brown trainee Viadera in fourth.

Newspaperofrecord was bred in Ireland by Times of Wigan. She is out of the group 3-winning Holy Roman Emperor mare Sunday Times, making her a half sister to English stakes winner Classical Times and Daily Times, a winning juvenile last year for trainer John Gosden.

Seth Klarman's Klaravich Stables purchased Newspaperofrecord for \$278,019 from Goldford Stud's consignment to Book 1 of the 2017 Tattersalls October Yearling Sale. From a 4-2-0 record in seven starts, the filly has earned \$850,750. BH

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VOLATILE JUST MISSES TRACK RECORD IN ARISTIDES ROMP

By BloodHorse Staff

Volatile stamped himself as one of America's top sprinters while clocking six furlongs in 1:07.57—just.02 off the 13-year-old track record—with an eight-length score over Honest Mischief in the \$100,000 Aristides Stakes Presented by Woodford Reserve at Churchill Downs June 6.

Ridden by Ricardo Santana Jr., Volatile tracked early pacesetter Bobby's Wicked One from third on the outside in the compact field of six older horses. After a quarter-mile in :21.48, Seven Nation Army grabbed a short-lived lead around the turn while clocking the half-mile in :44.36, but Volatile loomed not far behind.

Down the lane it was all Volatile. He took off with an explosive turn of foot and drew away under a hand ride, swapping his leads down the stretch.

The 4-year-old son of Violence eclipsed Kelly's Landing's 2005 stakes record of 1:07.59 and just missed Indian Chant's track record of 1:07.55 set July 8, 2007.

"This horse has incredible talent," Santana said. "To go that fast as he did today shows he is extremely talented. He did that so easily."

The victory put Hall of Fame trainer Steve Asmussen one win back of Dale Romans, 737 wins to 736, for the all-time win milestone by a trainer at Churchill Downs. It was Asmussen's record fourth Aristides win after previously landing victories with Mountain General (2003), Riley Tucker (2010), and Rothko (2012).

"He is a tremendous talent," Asmussen said of Volatile. "His family means a lot to me with his second dam Lady Tak, who we trained and won the Test (G1). We're hoping this horse shows the same kind of affinity toward races like that as she did. It wasn't a graded stakes but it was still a stakes win."

Volatile earned \$61,380 for his owners Phoenix Thoroughbreds III and Three Chimneys Farm. He improved his record to four wins in five starts with earnings of \$203,540 and paid \$3 to win as the favorite. His previous victory was a 7 1/2-length



Volatile rolls in the Aristides Stakes at Churchill Downs

romp in a six-furlong allowance affair at Oaklawn Park April 24.

Manny Wah ran third, three-quarters of a length behind runner-up Honest Mischief. Seven Nation Army, Heartwood, and Bobby's Wicked One completed the order of finish.

Bred in Kentucky by Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings and Stretch Run Ventures, Volatile is out of the 10-year-old stakes-winning Unbridled's Song mare Melody Lady and is his dam's second stakes winner. Her first, Buy Sell Hold, a full sister to Volatile, won the Kentucky Juvenile Stakes at Churchill Downs for Asmussen in May 2017.

Volatile was an \$850,000 purchase by Kerri Radcliffe Bloodstock and Three Chimneys Farm from the Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency consignment at the 2017 Keeneland September Yearling Sale.

Four Graces Makes the Grade

Whitham Thoroughbreds' 3-year-old homebred filly Four Graces, a half sister to multiple graded stakes winner McCraken, led every step of the way and turned back a challenge from Edgeway in the stretch to win Saturday's 45th running of the \$100,000 Dogwood Stakes Presented by Woodford Reserve (G3) by 2 1/2 lengths.

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Ridden by Julien Leparoux and trained by Ian Wilkes, Four Graces ran seven furlongs over a fast track in 1:22.28, the second-fastest Dogwood in history, only behind eventual Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Sprint (G1) winner Covfefe's 1:20.51 last September.

"She's a very classy filly and takes after all of her siblings," Leparoux said.

Four Graces, who made her stakes debut, banked \$60,140 and 20 points on the Road to the Kentucky Oaks.

"This entire family is extremely talented so it was very rewarding to get her a stakes win today," Wilkes said.

Wilkes may opt to keep Four Graces, by Majesticperfection and out of the productive Seeking the Gold mare Ivory Empress, around one turn and target a race like the July 10 Beaumont Stakes Presented by Keeneland Select (G3) over seven furlongs at Keeneland, which offers points on a scale of 10-4-2-1 to its top four finishes toward the Sept. 4 Longines Kentucky Oaks (G1).

Breaking from post 2 in the field of eight 3-year-old fillies, Four Graces set a contested pace from the inside through fractions of :22.27 and :44.84. Early on, four others—Ain't No Elmers, Magic Dance, Lady Glamour, and Edgeway—pressed her down the backstretch. Off the turn, Four Graces widened her lead and repelled a challenge from 8-5 favorite Edgeway.

"I thought she was going to have to go faster to get the lead but it ended up working out for us with the early pace scenario," Wilkes said. "We had no other choice but to show speed because of her post on the inside. I felt really confident when she came off the turn and Julien started asking her to run and she put away (Edgeway) on her outside. There were some very nice fillies in this race that she beat."

Four Graces improved her record to three wins in four starts with total earnings of \$134,450.

Sent off as the 2-1 second choice, Four Graces paid \$6.60 to win.

Bayerness, Lady Glamour, Ain't No Elmers, Clivetty, Magic Dance, and Naughty Thoughts completed the order of finish.

Earlier Saturday at Churchill Downs, four-time stakes winner Gentle Ruler was a determined winner of an \$85,126 open allowance race on turf for Wilkes, defeating Romantic Pursuit by a head under Chris Landeros. The long-distance grass specialist raced 1 3/8 miles on firm turf in 2:20.38, paying \$3.60 as the heavy favorite.

The 5-year-old daughter of Colonel John races for Morsches Stable. Last year at 4 she won two graded stakes, the Robert G. Dick Memorial Stakes (G3T) and the Rood and Riddle Dowager Stakes (G3T). She was second in her season debut to Mean Mary in the Orchid

> Stakes Presented by Rood and Riddle (G3T) at Gulfstream Park March 28. BH







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Four Graces wins the Dogwood Stakes

BEAUTY QUEEN BECOMES FIRST WINNER FOR AIR FORCE BLUE

By BloodHorse Staff



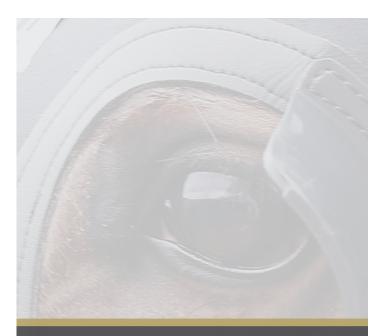
Beauty Queen breaks her maiden at Gulfstream Park

B eauty Queen closed through the Gulfstream Park stretch June 6 to score a 1 3/4-length debut victory, becoming the first winner for multiple group 1 winner Air Force Blue.

Also the first foal to race for the Ashford Stud sire, Palm Beach Racing's Beauty Queen defeated six 2-yearold fillies in a \$44,000 maiden claiming race, where she was entered for a \$50,000 tag but was not claimed. The Carlos David-trained filly retained her focus after encountering traffic on the backstretch in fifth and closed quickly to take command down the stretch under Cristian Torres. The final time for 4 1/2 furlongs was :52.86 on a fast track.

Air Force Blue, a son of War Front bred by Stone Farm out of the stakes-placed Maria's Mon daughter Chatham, was trained by Aidan O'Brien for Coolmore partners. He captured the Dubai Dewhurst Stakes (G1) at Newmarket and the Goffs Vincent O'Brien National Stakes (G1) and Keeneland Phoenix Stakes (G1) at the Curragh during his 2-year-old championship campaign in 2015. He stood the 2020 season for a \$15,000 fee.

Beauty Queen, who was bred in Florida by Hallmarc Stallions out of the Medaglia d'Oro mare Beautiful One, was a \$14,000 RNA at the 2019 Ocala Breeders' Sales October Yearling Sale. Her dam has produced four winners from five to race and hails from the family of UAE Two Thousand Guineas Sponsored By Masdar (G3) winner Fore Left and grade 2 winner Synchrony. BH



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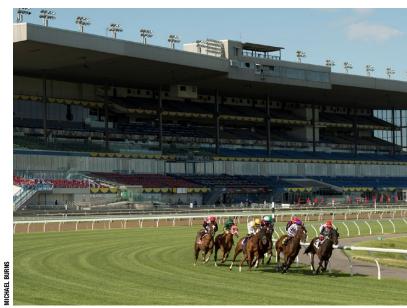
Thoroughbred racing returned to Woodbine June 6 as the reduced 109-day meet, originally scheduled to begin April 18, got underway spectator-free with strict protocols in place due to COVID-19.

Prior to the card, Woodbine jockeys came together to take a knee in solidarity with the Black Lives Matter movement.

Veteran British jockey Darryll Holland guided Alpine Stable's Majestic Fever to a rallying 14-1 upset for trainer Vito Armata in the opener, a five-furlong claiming race on the main track.

Majestic Fever, a 7-year-old Majestic Warrior gelding who is just a three-time winner in 30 starts, returned \$30.80 for a \$2 win ticket.

"This means a lot to me because it's my first win in Canada," said 47-year-old Holland, a newcomer to the Toronto oval's jockey colony who has ridden multiple group 1 winners. "I've only had a hat full of rides here for the International race meeting several years ago, so it was nice to win on my first run. I've been well received



Horses race over the turf course June 6 at Woodbine

by all the trainers. They've been very kind to me and helped me. I've been galloping all week because I was in self-isolation for 14 days before that, so it's not been easy. I've had to get fit very quickly and take off a bit of weight, but I'm sure there's better to come from me."

Opening weekend at Woodbine continues Sunday at 1 p.m. ET. BH

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CEZANNE WINS ON DEBUT AT SANTA ANITA PARK

By Meredith Daugherty У @BH_MDaugherty

S usan Magnier, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith, and St. Elias Stable's Cezanne made his debut a winning one June 6 when he took a 6 1/2-furlong, \$51,000 maiden special weight by 2 1/4 lengths at Santa Anita Park.

Trained by Bob Baffert and ridden by Flavien Prat, Cezanne broke just a touch slow from his spot on the rail and quickly settled in midfield behind Rayray and jockey Abel Cedillo. Stalking the pace along the backstretch, the colt gained ground quickly through the opening quarter-mile. He cut between rivals Brazen and Mystery Man to get up for second as the half-mile went in :44.73, slid past Rayray on the outside, and was in front by a 1 1/2 lengths at the top of the stretch. From there, it was easy for Cezanne, who pulled away under mild urging from Prat. The pair crossed the wire clear of their competition in a final time of 1:16.13.

A son of two-time Horse of the Year Curlin, Cezanne first turned heads at 2 when he was consigned by Crupi's New Castle Farm to The Gulfstream Sale, Fasig-Tipton's select sale of 2-year-olds in training. His entrance into the auction ring led to a bidding frenzy, which was won by bloodstock agents Donato Lanni and Jamie McCalmont acting on behalf of M.V. Magnier. The final bid for Cezanne was \$3.65 million, a price that helped seal a record-setting session for the South Florida auction.

Bred in Kentucky by Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings and Vinnie Viola's St. Elias Stables, Cezanne is out of the winning Bernardini daughter Achieving, who has a yearling filly by Curlin. Cezanne is a half brother to group 1-placed Arabian Hope and stakes winner Counterforce. BH

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Cezanne breaks his maiden on debut at Santa Anita Park

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EMOTIONAL OISIN MURPHY CAPTURES FIRST CLASSIC ON KAMEKO

By James Thomas and Lee Mottershead/Racing Post

O isin Murphy became a British classic winner for the first time June 6 as Kameko lifted the QIPCO Two Thousand Guineas (G1) for Sheikh Fahad Al Thani's Qatar Racing.

In front of almost completely empty grandstands due to COVID-19 restrictions at Newmarket, the Andrew Balding-trained 10-1 winner of last season's Vertem Futurity Trophy (G1) overhauled the Frankie Dettori-ridden Coolmore colt Wichita in the closing strides to win by a neck.

Hot favorite Pinatubo, last season's champion juvenile, had every chance to justify 5-6 favoritism but suffered his first defeat in third.

Murphy piloted the late group 1 winner Roaring Lion to victory for Sheikh Fahad in 2017-18 and



Oisin Murphy returns aboard Kameko after winning the Two Thousand Guineas at Newmarket



Kameko wins the Two Thousand Guineas at Newmarket

found himself overcome with emotion upon his return to the winner's circle aboard Kameko, another son of Kitten's Joy.

"I don't want to cry," Murphy said. "My boss, Sheikh Fahad, is at home in Newmarket, and obviously with the current pandemic, he couldn't be here.

"I started my career with Andrew Balding as trainer. To ride a classic winner, my first one, in these colors this horse's father is Kitten's Joy, the same as Roaring Lion—is incredible. It's the stuff of dreams.

"It was a gutsy performance. He hardly blew a candle out afterwards. He must have a tremendous amount of ability."

Balding has been in stunning form since British racing resumed from its coronavirus shutdown and now has a serious chance of tasting Investec Derby (G1) glory for the first time.

Kameko is a 3-1 favorite from 9-1 with Betfair for the Epsom classic, and Murphy added: "Before the race, we always viewed him as a 10-furlong horse, and it will be up to Andrew, Sheikh Fahad, and David Redvers. Everyone will think about it.

"This guy has the mental attitude, and I think going there would be absolutely fine. But 12 furlongs is another half a mile further than the classic he just won today."

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EMOTIONAL OISIN MURPHY CAPTURES FIRST CLASSIC ON KAMEKO

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O'Brien Had Hand in Rising Star's Pedigree

Kameko, one of 14 top-level performers by U.S. turf sire extraordinaire Kitten's Joy, was a bargain purchase by Redvers at \$90,000 from Paramount Sales' consignment to the 2018 Keeneland September Yearling Sale.

Bred by Calumet Farm, Kameko is the fifth foal out of Sweeter Still, a daughter of Rock of Gibraltar formerly trained at Ballydoyle and bred by Aidan O'Brien's wife, Annemarie. Sweeter Still finished fourth in the Flame of Tara Stakes at 2 but enjoyed greater success after switching to the U.S., most notably when winning the Senorita Stakes (G3T) for Jeff Mullins. Despite her evident talent as a broodmare, Sweeter Still, a half sister to Racing Post Trophy (G1) scorer Kingsbarns and the Derrinstown Stud One Thousand Guineas Trial (G3) winner Belle Artiste, boasts a wildly varied sales history.

In 2014, she was bought by Royal Oak Farm for \$750,000 at the Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale but transferred to the ownership of Calumet Farm for a mere \$35,000 at the 2016 Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale.

Even more remarkably, she was then sold to T. Lesley Thompson for only \$1,500 in November 2018 when carrying to Optimizer, just two months after Redvers purchased Kameko.

Her 2019 yearling—a daughter of Big Blue Kitten and therefore a close relation to Kameko—was bought by Atlantic Bloodstock for just \$5,000 in September.

Kameko's victory also provided Rock of Gibraltar with his first classic success as a broodmare sire. Fittingly, he achieved that feat in a race he himself won in 2002 when beating Hawk Wing. The son of Danehill is the damsire of five group/grade 1 winners, with Kameko joined by Belvoir Bay, Line of Duty, Mikki Isle, and Photo Call.

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Kameko wins the Two Thousand Guineas at Newmarket



CHARLTON LIKES QUADRILATERAL'S GUINEAS CHANCES

By Scott Burton/Racing Post

There were already murmurs about a big future for Quadrilateral after her snug debut win at Newbury, but she has been the favorite for the June 7 QIPCO One Thousand Guineas (G1) ever since she roared to a ninelength success back over the same course and seven-furlong distance nine months ago.

To step up from that September conditions event to the Bet365 Fillies' Mile (G1) showed the magnitude of her second effort and the esteem with which she was held at Beckhampton.

All went far from according to plan at Newmarket, with the race unfolding in front of Jason Watson and Quadrilateral looking for racing room.

In the end, they stuck to the far rail, and though the imposing daughter of Frankel only mastered Powerful Breeze close to home, the racing experience gained may have been worth its weight in gold.

Trainer Roger Charlton admitted to having felt his filly was beaten passing the bushes, but the way she took off in the latter stages was enough to confirm her as the market leader over what would prove to be flat racing's longest winter.

Charlton is one of the sport's most patient practitioners, and both in waiting for the calendar to settle and waiting for Quadrilateral to bloom—the trainer admitted to easing off briefly while she was in season—her backers can be assured that the favorite will have been prepared to the minute.

Charlton said: "We're looking forward to it. She looks magnificent. She's a big, strong filly and these are exciting times. I hope she can run as well as she did the last time she went to Newmarket."

Quadrilateral will wear a tongue-tie for the first time Sunday and bids to become the first British classic winner to wear any form of headgear since Virginia Waters scored in this race 15 years ago, also with the aid of a tie.



Quadrilateral wins the Fillies' Mile at Newmarket

Love is in the Air for O'Brien

The disruption caused by COVID-19 and the fact that the resulting collapsed calendar means the Newmarket and Curragh versions of the One Thousand Guineas arrive on top of one another mean that Aidan O'Brien fields a single candidate in Love in his quest for a sixth win in the race.

Love took three goes at winning a maiden last summer, but just 14 days after shedding that tag, she was back in the same Leopardstown winner's enclosure after a decisive success in the Silver Flash Stakes (G3).

Her finest hour came in the Moyglare Stud Stakes (G1) on Irish Champions Weekend, and on that occasion and when chasing home Quadrilateral at Newmarket, she shaped as if a mile would be her minimum requirement at 3.

"She's a lovely moving filly, so the good ground at Newmarket will help her," O'Brien said. "We're very happy with her. We've always thought she'll stay further, too, so she could end up in the Oaks (G1) later in the season."



CHARLTON LIKES QUADRILATERAL'S GUINEAS CHANCES

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Harrington 'Very Happy' With Millisle

A British classic winner might be one of the few missing pieces on Jessica Harrington's résumé, a fact which is more a reflection on the small number of runners she has saddled.

Millisle bids to rectify that omission and boasts the highest handicap mark among the three group 1 winners in the field.

Her top Racing Post Rating of 116 puts her one pound ahead of Quadrilateral and five pounds clear of Love and was achieved in explosive fashion when running down Raffle Prize in the Cheveley Park Stakes (G1).

Her suitability for a mile has to be taken on trust, with Harrington having kept her to six furlongs last

year as she permed a number of exciting juvenile fillies, including Albigna and Alpine Star.

With all-important experience of the Rowley Mile gained and already plenty of travel under her belt, the daughter of Starspangledbanner looks primed for a big run.

Harrington said: "I'm very happy with her preparation. She seems to be in good form, and the great thing about her is she's been to England twice already and she more or less took it in her stride each time she went over.

"She's a very good traveler, and the only time she got a bit upset was at Salisbury when they took blood off her just before the race. But even allowing for that, she still ran a good race there.

"We were lucky enough to get Oisin (Murphy). He's never sat on her, but she's very straightforward."

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Millisle wins the Cheveley Park Stakes at Newmarket



ROTHFIRE, TYZONE REPRESENT QUEENSLAND WITH GROUP 1 WINS

By Andrew Hawkins/ANZ Bloodstock News

The Queensland bush has produced some of the finest horses to grace the Australian turf—think Bernborough, Gunsynd, Dalrello, and Lough Neagh among others—and while the two group 1 winners at Eagle Farm June 6 have a long way to go before joining their ranks, Stradbroke day in 2020 will long be remembered as a momentous day as the locals came to the fore.

Trainer Rob Heathcote has won group 1 races all around Australia and on the world stage, but he registered a first group 1 in his home state when Rothfire scored one of the juvenile wins of the season in the XXXX Dry J.J. Atkins (G1).

Just over half an hour later, former Tolga galloper Tyzone took out Queensland's flagship race, the TAB Stradbroke Handicap (G1), giving father-son training partnership Toby and Trent Edmonds their maiden group 1 success. Queensland-trained horses have not completed the J.J. Atkins-Stradbroke Handicap double since 1984, when Prince Frolic and Daybreak Lover won each race respectively—and on different days of the long weekend, too.

Riches Galore Await Rothfire After Atkins

Auction house reject Rothfire, already one of the rags-to-riches stories of the year after his victory in the J.J. Atkins, may attempt an even greater feat come October after Heathcote revealed that the world's richest turf race, The Everest at Randwick, may be on the gelding's radar.

"It's a really good story. We're very pleased for the Heathcote stable," Rothfire's co-breeder Jacob Gleeson, representing his family's operation Gleeson Thoroughbreds, told ANZ Bloodstock News. "There are a great group of owners in this horse, and I just hope he takes them a long way. I hope that he's the sort of horse that is around for many seasons, competing in the top races."

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Rothfire wins the J.J. Atkins Stakes at Eagle Farm



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A number of Everest slot-holders have expressed interest in Rothfire in an attempt to emulate last year's winner, 3-year-old Yes Yes Yes. Newcomers to the race MiRunners, with its broad ownership base, appear a logical fit for the race, with Heathcote admitting that its four-person panel had already interviewed him about a potential deal.

"He climbed his Everest today, and note that I did use the word 'Everest," Heathcote told Sky Thoroughbred Central. "He will spell now, I'll take him to the paddock on Monday myself, and we haven't put anything in concrete as there are a stack of races for him—a race like the Coolmore (G1) at Flemington could be perfect. But I have had some talks about The Everest, and I am not talking out of turn. I did an interview with MiRunners. We know that they have bought a slot, and they told me the other day that he's certainly in the running for their spot.

"He needed to do that today against a good, strong field of 2-year-olds, and I will be eagerly waiting to see where (form analyst) Daniel O'Sullivan rates him."

Any Everest deal may have taken a step forward after Rothfire's victory. Sent off as the favorite, rider Jim Byrne was happy to sit handy behind leaders Wisdom Of Water and Isotope from gate 13. Notably, though, the gelding appeared relaxed and unfazed, despite the fact he had established a profile as a strong pacesetter.

From the apex of the bend to the Eagle Farm winning post, though, it was a one-act affair with very little doubt over its conclusion. Rothfire hit the line 3 1/4 lengths ahead of the Steve O'Dea-trained Gotta Kiss; The Drinks Cart flashed home into third for Toby and Trent Edmonds, cementing the 2020 J.J. Atkins as a race for the underdogs with Queensland horses filling the trifecta.

"Wow. He is some horse, hey? I am lost for words, and that is not normally me," Heathcote, choking back tears, said. "I have been saying for months he is doing things even my multiple group 1 winner Buffering couldn't at the same stage. I have been a nervous wreck all week, but when you have a jockey like Jim Byrne, you have a big start.

"He is so experienced and calm. He didn't panic when he couldn't lead and ended up getting the run of the race. He is bombproof."

Heathcote, who won the Al Quoz Sprint Sponsored by Meydan Hotels and Hospitality (G1) in Dubai with Buffering, believes that Rothfire can follow in his footsteps. "This bloke can take me around the world," he said.

But while the world may beckon, Rothfire's background is far more humble. In fact, it's almost difficult to believe that, a little more than 12 months ago, few wanted anything to do with the then "unremarkable" bay or brown yearling.

Unwanted and unfashionable as a yearling and rejected from even the most minor yearling sales, Rothfire was reared on the Chinchilla property of Wally Gleeson, his wife Jill and their sons Jacob, Simon and Tom—hence his nickname, the "Thrilla from Chinchilla."

Born in September 2017, the Rothesay colt was the last of six foals produced by the Hussonet mare Huss On Fire. Even to his breeders, though, he hardly set the world on fire.

"It's funny, he was one of those horses that didn't stand out at all," Gleeson said. "He was just a very plain horse, but there was nothing wrong with him. You'll often pick a foal and can see a fault with it, or you'll pick a foal and say, this is a standout. But he was the sort of the horse that flew under the radar, he didn't raise any eyebrows."

Inspected by sales representatives and bloodstock agents, Rothfire was overlooked as a yearling prospect. Heathcote snapped him up for AU\$10,000, although he famously had to pay the bill twice after falling victim to a phishing scam.

Rothfire has now earned AU\$708,400, having won six of his seven starts.

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ROTHFIRE, TYZONE REPRESENT QUEENSLAND WITH GROUP 1 WINS

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From Tolga to Top-Flight Triumph for Tyzone

The town of Tolga—population 2,718 at the last census—is known for its peanuts and very little else.

As a nursery for top-class Thoroughbreds, it may not be the Simpson Desert, but it's not far from the bottom.

Take Tyzone who, on Doomben 10,000 day in 2017, couldn't have been much further away from the group 1 action in Brisbane. Instead, he was winning an open handicap at a picnic meeting at Gordonvale, south of Cairns.

However, the deeds of Tyzone—nicknamed the "Tolga Tornado"—in winning the Stradbroke may throw more of a light on the north Queensland racing circuit given what he has achieved since transferring to Toby Edmonds and his son Trent in early 2018.

On Saturday, Tyzone became the talk of Tolga when he took out Queensland's most famous race, a year after finishing second. Ridden by Robbie Fradd, he came with a late flourish to deny game mare Madam Rouge by a head with another head back to Niccanova in third.

"I never expected him to do what he has done," Trent Edmonds told ANZ Bloodstock News. "You get a horse from up there, from the Tablelands, and you think, oh well, he might measure up to Saturday grade or hopefully a little bit better. He's won a group race and now he's won a group 1—it's bloody unreal."

Like Rothfire, Tyzone was also a product of the Darling Downs, having been reared and broken in by Cameron and Kellie Bond from their Kenmore Lodge property in Wyreema, just outside Toowoomba.

Sent through the 2015 Magic Millions Gold Coast 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale, the Written Tycoon colt fetched AU\$60,000 (\$44,172) to the bid of top North Queensland trainer Roy Chillemi on behalf of an ownership group headed by Tom Hedley.

Winning 11 of his first 19 starts, predominantly at Townsville, Tyzone was a consistent open handicap performer. However, with a rating in the mid-80s, options were quickly running out up north and Hedley decided to send the chestnut down south.

Working his way through the grades, he scored a first stakes win in the Goldmarket Handicap in March last year, adding the BRC Sprint (G3) in May before he finished second to Trekking in last year's Stradbroke.

Tyzone is the ninth group 1 winner for Written Tycoon, who will stand for AU\$77,000 this season having relocated to Arrowfield Stud.

It was a big day for the late Hussonet, too, as he was the damsire of both group 1 winners.

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INTO MISCHIEF, MALIBU MOON FILLIES FASTEST AT OBS

By Ron Mitchell

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ed by Into Mischief and Malibu Moon fillies that breezed a quarter-mile in :20 3/5, the under tack show for the Ocala Breeders' Sales Spring Sale of 2-Year-Olds in Training concluded June 6 after seven days of workouts in which horses cataloged for the auction displayed their athleticism.

The sale, postponed from its original April 21-24 dates because of the COVID-19 pandemic, will now take place June 9-12 in Ocala, Fla., with sessions beginning at 10 a.m. ET daily. Of the 1,311 horses cataloged, 387 had been withdrawn through June 5.

OBS president Tom Ventura said the sale prospects were able to prep for buyers, agents, and trainers on a Safetrack artificial surface that was fair and consistent despite at least one day in which the track was inundated with more than an inch of rain the night before and rain during Saturday's finale.

"I'm very happy we made it through the first part of the sale, and now we have to sell them in a couple of days," Ventura said. "That racetrack can certainly handle rain, and it got tested in the last few days but was very fair up until the end."

Ventura said that considering the June weather in north central Florida, OBS added one more day to the under tack show than would normally be allotted for the number cataloged, and it seemed to have a positive effect on the breeze show.

"At this time of this year you get afternoon storms, so a lot of that came into play with the decision to have each day's show end around 1 p.m. and gave us a little more flexibility in case we had to delay it," he explained.

"They did a tremendous job with that racetrack," said consignor Raul Reyes, of King's Equine. "There were no catastrophes. They really gave us a fair chance for the horses to show themselves."



The Into Mischief filly consigned as Hip 1308 works at the OBS Spring Sale

The Into Mischief filly (Hip 1308), consigned by Ciaran Dunne's Wavertree Stables, was produced from the Colonel John mare Humor Me Colonel, a half sister to the multiple grade 1-winning Into Mischief colt Practical Joke. Bred in Kentucky by Springhouse Farm and Crosshaven Bloodstock, the filly was bought back for \$335,000 at The Saratoga Sale, Fasig-Tipton's selected yearling sale in Saratoga Springs, N.Y.

The Malibu Moon filly (Hip 1310), consigned by Eddie Woods, agent, is out of the stakes-placed Indian Charlie mare Iroquois Girl, a half sister to multiple grade 3 winner Salty Strike and stakes winner Salty Response.

Bred in Florida by Westbury Stables, the filly was bought by Quarter Pole Enterprises for \$260,000 from Four Star Sales, agent, at The July Sale, Fasig-Tipton's selected yearling sale in Lexington.

Four youngsters worked an eighth-mile in :09 4/5 Saturday. They were:

• Hip 1103 (Off the Hook, agent), a bay filly by Uncle Mo out of the El Prado mare Great Attraction, a daughter of champion Golden Attraction and half sister to two stakes winners. Bred in Kentucky by Grousemont Farm, the filly was bought back on a final bid of \$17,000 at last year's Keeneland September Yearling Sale.

INTO MISCHIEF, MALIBU MOON FILLIES FASTEST AT OBS

OBS SPRING

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• Hip 1179, a dark bay or brown colt by Honor Code out of stakes-placed Indian Rush, by Indian Charlie, consigned by King's Equine, agent. Bred in New York

by Pine Ridge Stables, the colt is a half brother to stakes winners March X Press and Harlan's Honor.

• Hip 1306, a gray or roan colt by Speightster consigned by Randy Bradshaw, agent, out of stakesplaced Holy Dazzle, by Holy Bull, a daughter of stakes winner Stormy Temper. The colt from the first crop of the WinStar Farm stallion was bred in Kentucky by Hunter Valley Farm and purchased by Bradshaw from Lane's End at The July Sale.

The colt had been bought by Rick Grimes for \$105,000 from the Hunter Valley offerings at the 2018 Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale.

• Hip No. 1311, a bay colt from the first crop of California Chrome , who now stands in Japan. The colt is out of stakes winner Just Got In, by Songandaprayer. Also consigned by King's Equine, the colt is from the family of graded stakes winner I Rejoice and was bred in Kentucky by BlackRidge Stables.

The fastest time for an eighth-mile for the entire under tack show was the :09 3/5 for an Into Mischief filly consigned by Bradshaw as Hip 429. The bay was produced from Shanon Nicole, a multiple stakeswinning daughter of Majestic Warrior. Shanon Nicole,

> who earned \$452,965, was purchased by Ed Hudon as a racing/broodmare prospect for \$220,000 from Paramount Sales at the 2015 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Winter Mixed Sale.

> Hip 1254, a precocious filly from the first crop of Taylor Made Stallions' Not This Time, breezed the under tack show's fastest quarter-mile in :20 1/5. Consigned by Top Line Sales, the filly was bred in Kentucky by International Equities Holding and is out of the grade 3-winning Wilko

mare Sheza Smoke Show. The breeder purchased Sheza Smoke Show for \$185,000 while carrying the Not This Time filly in utero when she was offered by Taylor Made Sales Agency at the 2017 Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale. BH

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Sun rises over the OBS Sales grandstand

Land and real estate in Central Kentucky remain in demand

COMMERCE DURING COVID-19



Central Kentucky real estate marketplace strong during pandemic

BY EVAN HAMMONDS

MANY BUSINESSES HAVE BEEN AFFECTED by the COVID-19 crisis over the past few months, but the beat goes on in the Thoroughbred industry. The breeding season, in full swing as other areas of commerce were shut down in mid-March, trudged on. Racing in pockets of the country continued, and so, too, did activity in the real estate market, especially in Central Kentucky.

After all, farms and farming are considered "essential businesses" in the Bluegrass State, and with relatively low numbers regarding confirmed COVID-19 cases—compared with some other states—Kentucky has been viewed as a safe haven. And it's not just land that has been moving: New construction and renovation work have remained robust so far in 2020. "The first part of the year—January, February, and the first part of March it was really active. The economy was good, but obviously when the stay-athome orders and travel orders were put in place, it slowed down," said Bill Justice of Justice Real Estate. "The surprising thing is that the smaller farm, let's say \$500,000-\$1,500,000 with a home in the country, those have been shown right through March, April, and May. It's very surprising.

"Last weekend we had buyers in here from Texas, Michigan, and California, and the California person ended up buying a place I had just listed. I've waited until the restrictions were released as far as travel goes before I put some of these smaller places on the market. We sold a 77-acre horse farm that we had listed for \$1.15 million in a week."

Zach Davis of Kirkpatrick & Co. confirmed that his business has picked up with requests from outside the Bluegrass.

"The world has changed more in the last 90 days than anyone could have imagined. Thankfully, Kentucky seems to be proving a safe haven from some of the more tumultuous areas where people live," he said. "Of the transactions we have closed since March, every single buyer has been from out of state—every single one.

"For example, I sold a farm on Russell Cave Road; it was one of the last remaining 'family' farms that hadn't been hyperdeveloped into a Thoroughbred farm. I sold it to an entertainment lawyer from Beverly Hills, Calif. He called me last year and said, 'Zach, I have to get out of Southern California and Kentucky seems to be an appealing place ... what do you have?' I thought this farm was what he wanted. We wrote that offer in August with a delayed closing to give the sellers time to vacate. He came into town in the middle of March-we were going to close at the end of March-and on March 16 he and I were on the farm and I looked at my phone and saw that the world was melting down and told him he should consider closing soon.

He looked at his phone and he said, 'That's probably a good idea.' We closed at 10:30 the next morning. The county clerk's office had closed the day before so the attorney had to figure out how to record the deed. It was a learning curve that none of us could have anticipated.

"A week or two later he called me and said, 'I can't wait to build my house on the back of that farm and run away to Kentucky where I feel perfectly safe."

If anything is affecting the market in Central Kentucky, it's product.

"It's been a factor; I'd say we're running at two-thirds speed because as a residential and rural residential market, we have very low inventory," said Tom Biederman of Biederman Real Estate & Auctioneers. "When something comes on the market, you better jump on it because there are people out there...there are a lot of buyers out there. It's definitely a seller's market." Biederman also said the larger operations traditionally don't trade hands that often this time of year.

"It's spring, so there's not a lot of farm activity due to breeding and foaling season. Also, I think there is a lack of quality farms for sale. For the most part several have been on the market for a long time. We had a great year last year, but as far as big farms selling...it's been a little slow. From my point of view, it means the people believe the horse business is strong and nobody is in trouble."

COVERED UP

The way property is shown and presented has changed dramatically over the last few months. A broker's website and digital strategy are paramount amid the pandemic. Also, a broker's strength, the dynamics of the one-on-one conversations while touring the Bluegrass or walking the

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Activity has been brisk from buyers outside Central Kentucky who are interested in purchasing the 'smaller farms'

fence rows, has taken a turn.

"As far as online goes, whenever we list a farm, we have it professionally photographed and videoed," Davis said. "In addition, we have any residences photographed in such a way that we can present a 3-D model online. I can email 3-D walkthroughs in addition to videos that I can take with my phone."

As far as onsite visits, all brokers, and buyers, seem to be taking the pandemic in stride.

"We are wearing booties and gloves and masks and supplying those as needed. Most people are applying common sense, and I haven't had any seller or buyer become upset over the protocols we've put in place," Biederman said. "It's easy to do because the whole country is doing it. It's not an unusual thing to put on some gloves and a mask."

Justice concurs.

"You are doing a lot of things digitally like sending brochures, showing aerial maps, soil maps. Buyers are looking at those things online first," he said. "Let's say John Doe wants to look at a farm. We will meet them—not put them in our car—but talk to them on a phone. If they go into a barn, they have to wear gloves and a mask, depending on the farm. If they go into a residence, we have lights on, doors open, closet doors open...it is wiped down Of the transactions we have closed since March, every single buyer has been from out of state—every single one."

- ZACH DAVIS

before and after, and we have them wearing masks and gloves and booties and ask them to touch as little as possible. We are practicing social distancing. I'll stop in my car and stay 10 feet away while pointing out boundary lines."

"It's tough because social distancing goes against my nature," Davis said. "I do my best work when I have a client in my car and we spend a few days together looking at properties. It helps me understand what the client wants even if he or she doesn't realize it yet. When we show properties now, we are in separate cars. I'm losing that personal connection time. The great thing when you are looking at Kentucky farms, for the most part you are outside, so you don't run the danger of being too close to one another and we've done OK with that."

ADDING ON

In addition to the land remaining a solid commodity in 2020 in Central Kentucky, the building business has remained steady for those adding new homes to existing acreage.

"We had a great backlog going into the COVID-19 crisis, and several of those projects were horse farms and those continued to progress nicely as we were considered an 'essential service,' " said Greg Padgett of Padgett Construction. "There was a period where leads dried up right after the COVID-19 crisis came about, but people seem to be coming back around the last month. Things are doing really well, and we have several equine projects.

"The biggest problem we've had with those projects is that both are PDR (purchase of development rights) farms and the rural land management board has been unable to meet. There are several issues that need to be reviewed and improved before we can move forward.

"What's interesting is that the people who are reaching out to us now are very serious about moving forward. We often deal with a lot of people who are 'thinking about it.' Those people aren't calling due to this crisis. Everyone who calls now is really serious about moving forward."

Padgett said about 50% of the company's business is equine related. Most new construction takes place on properties that are 20 acres and up, with farm sizes in the 90-200-acre plots as their usual layout.

"Depending on the status of their plans, whether they have plans or need to get them drawn, there is a four-week to five-month planning process. After that, a lot of it depends on the scale of the project; in general terms, it is a 12-month build-out. More substantial projects can take up to 1½ years; smaller ones can take a lot less.

"We do do some renovations to structures. We did have two projects that were renovations to existing structures that the owner was occupying. One was an elderly client who elected to put the project on hold until all of this is resolved, and the other wanted to hold it temporarily but is

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MOVING FORWARD

The COVID-19 situation has most other businesses changing gears and retooling. The horse business is no different. More real estate activity takes place in the summer and fall, and in Central Kentucky, the second half of the year figures to be a flurry of activity. In addition to Fasig-Tipton's traditional July select yearling sale being moved to September (along with the company's Saratoga auctions being moved to Lexington), there is Keeneland's deep September yearling sale that will come after a rescheduled Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (G1). And, hopefully, Keeneland's fall race meeting will be followed by the Breeders' Cup World Championships. Those activities figure to bring a lot of people to the Bluegrass.

"I expect the fall and winter will be very, very active and very good for farm real es-



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tate," Justice said. "We're actually holding off on a couple of new listings until we get a sense when those people will come in; and not knowing when." Biederman said: "The second six months of the year will be very busy for a lot of people; they are going to pack a year's worth of activity into six months or less.



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There are a few farms out there on the horizon that I think will be offered in the next six to 12 months. Those farms will get a lot of attention.

"The horse business is going to remain strong. The appetite for quality racehorses is very high, and I think that will spill over into the real estate market. Quality horses and quality real estate will remain a great commodity.

"Interest rates are so low, all over the country, for farms, residential, rural residential...everything. I don't think there is going to be a lot of pressure on farm owners or landowners to make a change."

While all brokers asked here said the market is strong, it, of course, hasn't lifted all boats, and overall the national economy is tumultuous.

"The other conversation I've had with sellers is: If I couldn't sell your property in 2019 at a certain price, there is no way it is

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Padgett Construction Inc. • 1501 Nicholasville Rd. • Lexington, Kentucky 40503 859.276.1200 office • 859.276.0132 fax • greg@padgettconst.com www.padgettconstruction.com going to sell at that same price in 2020," Davis said. "That sounds like common sense, but to some individuals, they don't see, yet, the changes that have occurred in our world. It will sell if the presentation is there and the price is appropriate, but buyers today are savvier than they have ever been before.

"We've had a few cash offers come in over the last 60 days, and I've leaned heavily on my sellers to strongly consider them...more so than I would have last year. The numbers may not be what we want them to be, but I think a dollar in today's market is worth more than a dollar in 2019 when somebody was putting cash on the table.

"Real estate appraisers look back—they look at what things sold for; it's my job as a farm broker to try and look around the corner. I'm not always right, but I have to do my best. Look at how the world has



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changed over the last 90 days. We were here in the crash during the 1980s, and, of course, we were here for the crash of 2008. We've done this before, and our clients, thankfully most of them, take our counsel for what it is worth."

Regardless of worth, acreage in Fayette County and surrounding counties is regarded as the world's finest land for raising horses. All of our agents agree:

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"Land is always a good investment," Justice said. "Central Kentucky is the horse capital of the world. People still want to be here."

"The people that own real estate in Central Kentucky are serious about it," Biederman echoed. "They bought it for a reason; it has a purpose, and that purpose hasn't changed."

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GRADED STAKES

RUNHAPPY Santa Anita Derby (G1)

Santa Anita Park, 6/6, \$400,000, 3yo, 9f (dirt), 1:48.97, track fast.

1-Honor A. P., 124, dk b/br r, 3...\$240,000 Honor Code-Hollywood Story, by Wild Rush

O–C R K Stable LLC, B–George Krikorian (KY), T–John A. Shirreffs, J–Mike E. Smith

Sale History: 2018 FTSAUG, \$850,000.

- 3–Rushie, 124, gr/ro c, 3......\$48,000 Liam's Map–Conquest Angel, by Colonel John

O–Daniell, Jim and Daniell, Donna, B– Ocala Stud (FL), T–Michael W. McCarthy, J–Flavien Prat

Sale History: 2019 OBSMAR, \$70,000.

Margins: 2¾, 1¼, 1¾. **Others:** Anneau d'Or (\$24,000), Shooters Shoot (\$8,000), Friar's Road (\$500), Azul Coast (\$500). **View Equibase Chart**

Hollywood Gold Cup S. (G1)

Santa Anita Park, 6/6, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 10f (dirt), 2:01.69, track fast.

1–Improbable, 122, ch c, 4.......\$180,000 City Zip–Rare Event, by A.P. Indy O–WinStar Farm LLC, China Horse Club International Ltd. and SF Racing LLC, B–St. George Farm LLC & G. Watts Humphrey Jr. (KY), T–Bob Baffert, J–Drayden Van Dyke

Sale History: 2017 KEESEP, \$200,000, 2016 KEENOV, \$110,000.

2-Higher Power, 124, b h, 5\$60,000 Medaglia d'Oro-Alternate, by Seattle Slew

O–Hronis Racing LLC, B–Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY), T–John W. Sadler, J–Flavien Prat

Sale History: 2019 KEEAPR, \$250,000.

3–Tenfold, 122, dk b/br h, 5\$36,000 Curlin–Temptress, by Tapit O–Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC, B– Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC (KY), T–Steven M. Asmussen, J–Mike E. Smith

Margins: 31/4, 41/2, 21/2. Others: Brown Storm (CHI)

(\$18,000), Midcourt (\$6,000), Parsimony (\$500). View Equibase Chart

Runhappy Carter H. (G1)

Belmont Park, 6/6, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 7f (dirt), 1:21.02, track sloppy.

1–Vekoma, 120, ch c, 4.....\$137,500 Candy Ride (ARG)–Mona de Momma, by Speightstown

O–R. A. Hill Stable and Gatsas Stables, B–Alpha Delta Stables, LLC (KY), T– George Weaver, J–Javier Castellano Sale History: 2017 KEESEP, \$135,000.

2-Network Effect, 118, ch c, 4\$50,000 Mark Valeski-Sandy Key Gal, by Put It Back

0–Klaravich Stables, Inc., B–Louis Jolin (FL), T–Chad C. Brown, J–Irad Ortiz, Jr. **Sale History:** 2018 OBSAPR, \$95,000.

3-American Anthem, 120, b h, 6...\$30,000 Bodemeister-Indy's Windy, by A.P. Indy O-Don Tiger, B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY), T-Danny Gargan, J-Kendrick Carmouche Sale History: 2019 KEENOV, \$145,000, 2016 OBSMAR, \$435,000, 2015 KEESEP, \$180,000.

Margins: 7¼, 1¼, 3¾. Others: Firenze Fire (\$15,000), Nitrous (\$10,000), Mind Control (\$2,500), Bon Raison (\$2,500), Still Having Fun (\$2,500). Scratched: Midnightcharly, Majestic Dunhill, Performer. View Equibase Chart

Santa Anita Oaks (G2)

Santa Anita Park, 6/6, \$200,000, 3yo, f, 8.5f (dirt), 1:43.20, track fast.

1–Swiss Skydiver, 124, ch f, 3....\$120,000 Daredevil–Expo Gold, by Johannesburg O–Peter J. Callahan, B–WinStar Farm, LLC (KY), T–Kenneth G. McPeek, J–Mike E. Smith

Sale History: 2018 KEESEP, \$35,000.

- 2–Speech, 124, b f, 3......\$40,000 Mr Speaker–Scribbling Sarah, by Freud O–Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners and Madaket Stables LLC, B–Gail Rice (FL), T–Michael W. McCarthy, J–Flavien Prat Sale History: 2019 OBSMAR, \$190,000, 2018 FTKJUL, (\$95,000 RNA), 2018 OBSJAN, \$65,000.
- 3–Merneith, 124, b f, 3......\$24,000 American Pharoah–Flattermewithroses, by Flatter

O–HRH Prince Sultan Bin Mishal Al Saud, B–China Horse Club (KY), T–Bob Baffert, J–Drayden Van Dyke

Sale History: 2019 OBSMAR, \$600,000,

2017 FTKNOV, \$350,000.

Margins: 4, 7¼, 4½. Others: Regal Beauty (\$12,000). Scratched: Smiling Shirlee. View Equibase Chart

Fort Marcy S. (G2T)

Belmont Park, 6/6, \$150,000, 4yo/up, 9f (turf), 1:47.07, course good.

1-Instilled Regard, 120, dk b/br h, 5...... \$82,500

Arch–Enhancing, by Forestry O–OXO Equine LLC, B–Katierich Farms (KY), T–Chad C. Brown, J–Irad Ortiz, Jr. **Sale History:** 2017 OBSMAR, \$1,050,000, 2016 KEESEP, (\$110,000 RNA).

- 2–Devamani (FR), 120, ch g, 6\$30,000 Dubawi (IRE)–Daryakana (FR), by Selkirk O–Goldfarb, Sanford J. and Abraham, Samuel, B–H. H. The Aga Khan Studs SC (FR), T–Chad C. Brown, J–Joel Rosario Sale History: 2017 ARQARC, \$73,838.
- 3–Somelikeithotbrown, 120, b c, 4\$18,000 Big Brown–Marilyn Monroan, by Tapit O–Skychai Racing LLC and Koenig, David, B–Hot Pink Stables & Sand Dollar Stables (NY), T–Michael J. Maker, J–Eric Cancel

Margins: neck, 1, head. Others: Synchrony (\$9,000), Flop Shot (IRE) (\$6,000), Social Paranoia (\$2,250), Temple (\$2,250), Tribhuvan (FR), Gucci Factor. View Equibase Chart

Dogwood S. (G3)

Churchill Downs, 6/6, \$100,000, 3yo, f, 7f (dirt), 1:22.28, track fast.

1–Four Graces, 119, dk b/br f, 3...\$60,140 Majesticperfection–Ivory Empress, by Seeking the Gold O–Whitham Thoroughbreds LLC, B–

Whitham Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY), T–lan R. Wilkes, J–Julien R. Leparoux

2–Edgeway, 119, dk b/br f, 3......\$19,400 Competitive Edge–Magical Solution, by Stormin Fever

O-Hronis Racing LLC, B-Pope McLean, Valerie Blethen & David Blethen (KY), T-John W. Sadler, J-Tyler Baze

Sale History: 2019 OBSAPR, \$275,000, 2017 KEENOV, \$35,000.

3–Bayerness, 119, ch f, 3......\$9,700 Bayern–Weight No More, by Pure Prize O–Belladonna Racing, LLC, B–Machmer Hall (KY), T–Cherie DeVaux, J–Florent Geroux

Sale History: 2019 FTMMAY, \$350,000, 2018 KEESEP, \$170,000.



Margins: 2½, 5¾, 5¾. **Others:** Lady Glamour (\$4,850), Ain't No Elmers (\$2,910), Clivetty (\$1,000), Magic Dance (\$1,000), Naughty Thoughts (\$1,000). **View Equibase Chart**

Intercontinental S. (G3T)

Belmont Park, 6/6, \$100,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f (turf), 1:22.71, course yielding.

1-Newspaperofrecord (IRE), 120, b f, 4 \$55,000

Lope de Vega (IRE)–Sunday Times (GB), by Holy Roman Emperor (IRE)

O-Klaravich Stables, Inc., B-Times of Wigan Ltd (IRE), T-Chad C. Brown, J-Irad Ortiz, Jr.

Sale History: 2017 TATOC1, \$278,019.

2–Regal Glory, 124, ch f, 4\$20,000 Animal Kingdom–Mary's Follies, by More Than Ready

O–Paul P. Pompa, Jr., B–Paul P Pompa (KY), T–Chad C. Brown, J–Jose L. Ortiz

3-Significant Form, 124, gr/ro m, 5...... \$12,000

Creative Cause–Church by the Sea, by Harlan's Holiday

O-Stephanie Seymour Brant, B-Brereton C. Jones (KY), T-Chad C. Brown, J-John R. Velazguez

Sale History: 2017 OBSAPR, \$575,000, 2016 FTKJUL, \$75,000.

Margins: 4, 2¼, 2¾. Others: Viadera (GB) (\$6,000), Saratoga Treasure (\$4,000), Rose Flower (GER) (\$600), Jakarta (\$600), Eyeinthesky (\$600), Getmotherarose (\$600), Jc's Shooting Star (\$600). Scratched: Slimey, Victim of Love. View Equibase Chart

Westchester S. (G3)

Belmont Park, 6/6, \$100,000, 4yo/up, 8.5f (dirt), 1:42.39, track muddy.

1–Code of Honor, 124, ch c, 4\$55,000 Noble Mission (GB)–Reunited, by Dixie

Union

0-W.S. Farish, B-W. S. Farish (KY),

T–Claude R. McGaughey III, J–John R. Velazquez

Sale History: 2017 KEESEP, (\$70,000 RNA).

- 2–Endorsed, 120, b c, 4\$20,000 Medaglia d'Oro–Dance Card, by Tapit O–Godolphin, LLC, B–Godolphin (KY), T– William I. Mott, J–Joel Rosario
- 3–Forewarned, 120, b h, 5\$12,000 Flat Out–Fortune Play, by Five Star Day O–Uriah St. Lewis, B–Preston Stables

LLC (OH), T–Uriah St. Lewis, J–Manuel Franco

Sale History: 2018 FTMDEC, \$40,000, 2017 KEENOV, (\$65,000 RNA).

Margins: ½, 6, 5¼. Others: Joevia (\$6,000), Payne (\$4,000), Mihos (\$750), Monongahela (\$750), Senior Investment (\$750), Prendimi (\$750). Scratched: Wait for It, Backsideofthemoon. View Equibase Chart

QIPCO 2000 GUINEAS STAKES (G1)

Newmarket, 6/6, £245,925, 3yo, c/f, 8f, 1:34.72, gd-f.

1–Kameko, 126, dk b/br c, 3.....£141,775 Kitten's Joy–Sweeter Still (IRE), by Rock of Gibraltar (IRE)

O–QATAR RÁCING LIMITED, B–Calumet Farm (KY), T–BALDING ANDREW, J–MUR-PHY OISIN

Sale History: 2018 KEESEP, \$90,000.

2–Wichita (IRE), 126, b c, 3£53,750 No Nay Never–Lumiere Noire (FR), by Dashing Blade (GB) O–DERRICK SMITH & MRS JOHN MAG-NIER & MICHAEL TABOR, B–W MAXWELL ERVINE (IRE), T–O'BRIEN AIDAN, J–DET-TORI FRANKIE

Sale History: 2018 TATOC2, \$193,820. 3–Pinatubo (IRE), 126, b c, 3£26,900 Shamardal–Lava Flow (IRE), by Dalakhani (IRE)

O-Godolphín, B-Godolphin (IRE), T-AP-PLEBY CHARLIE, J-BUICK WILLIAM

Margins: neck, 1, 2½. Others: MILITARY MARCH, JUAN ELCANO, KINROSS, STARCAT, NEW WORLD TAPESTRY (USA), KENZAI WARRIOR (USA), ROYAL DORNOCH (IRE), ARIZONA (IRE), CEPHEUS, PER-SUASION (IRE), AL SUHAIL, MUMS TIPPLE (IRE).

PRIX CORRIDA (G2)

Lyon-parilly, 6/6, €90,000, 4yo/up, f, 11f, 2:26.72, sft.

1–Ambition (GB), 126, ch f, 4......€51,300 Dubawi (IRE)–Talent (GB), by New Approach (IRE)

0-J ROWSELL & S ASHLEY, B-ASHBRIT-TLE STUD & M H DIXON (GB), T-THOM-AS-DEMEAULTE XAVIER, J-BARZALONA MICKAEL

Sale History: 2018 TATDEC, \$100,194.

2–Grand Glory (GB), 126, b f, 4.....€19,800 Olympic Glory (IRE)–Madonna Lily (IRE), by Daylami (IRE)

O–A FRASSÈTTÓ & J D'AMATO, B–Sarl Elevage du Haras de Bourgeauville (GB), T–BIETOLINI GIANLUCA, J–BOUDOT PIERRE-CHARLES

Sale History: 2017 ARQOCT, \$21,179.

3–Spirit of Nelson (IRE), 126, b m, 5€9,450 Mount Nelson (GB)–Spirit of Pearl (IRE), by Invincible Spirit (IRE) O–JEAN-CLAUDE SEROUL, B–JEAN-CLAUDE SEROUL (IRE), T–REYNIER JE-ROME, J–DEMURO CRISTIAN

Margins: neck, 1, neck. Others: AMARENA, MU-TAMAKINA (GB).

PRIX GREFFULHE (G2)

Lyon-parilly, 6/6, €90,000, 3yo, 11f, 2:22.09, sft.

1–Gold Trip (FR), 128, b c, 3€51,300 Outstrip (GB)–Sarvana (FR), by Dubai Destination O–ECURIE JEAN-LOUIS BOUCHARD, B–M MONFORT (FR), T–CHAPPET FABRICE, J– PASQUIER STEPHANE

Sale History: 2018 ARQAUG, \$68,628.

2–Influx (IRE), 128, b c, 3€19,800 Golden Horn (GB)–Steel Princess (IRE), by Danehill

O–PRIME EQUESTRIAN S.A.R.L., B– Grangecon Stud (IRE), T–FERLAND CHRISTOPHE, J–AUGE JULIEN Sale History: 2018 TATOC1, \$137,477.

3–In Swoop (IRE), 128, b c, 3€9,450 Adlerflug (GER)–lota (GER), by Tiger Hill (IRE)

Ò-MME CORINNA BARONIN VON ULL-MANN, B-STALL ULLMANN (IRE), T-GRAFFARD FRANCIS-HENRI, J-BOUDOT PIERRE-CHARLES

Margins: 1, head, ½. Others: LOQUITO (GB), MAKI MAKI, CLEOD'OR, LAOCOON, MKFANCY.

BETFAIR DAHLIA FILLIES' STAKES (G2)

Newmarket, 6/6, £51,152, 4yo/up, f, 10f, 2:03.28, gd-f.

1–Terebellum (IRE), 126, br f, 4£29,489 Sea The Stars (IRE)–Marvada (IRE), by Elusive City

O-Godolphin, B-ALAN O'FLYNN (IRE), T-GOSDEN JOHN, J-DETTORI FRANKIE Sale History: 2017 ARQAUG, \$470,480.

2–Queen Power (IRE), 126, ch f, 4 £11,180 Shamardal–Princess Serena, by Unbri-



dled's Song

O-KING POWER RACING CO LTD, B-Roundhill Stud (IRE), T-STOUTE SIR MI-CHAEL, J-DE SOUSA SILVESTRE Sale History: 2017 TATOC1, \$697,043.

- 3-Magic Lily (GB), 129, ch m, 5.....£5,595 New Approach (IRE)-Dancing Rain (IRE), by Danehill Dancer (IRE) O–Godolphin, B–Godolphin (GB), T–AP-PLEBY CHARLIE, J–BUICK WILLIAM

Margins: 11/4, 11/2, 6. Others: EVA MARIA, BUBBLE AND SQUEAK, SWEET PROMISE, ARDIENTE.

PRIX CLEOPATRE (G3)

Lyon-parilly, 6/6, €308,000, 3yo, f, 11f, 2:22.48, sft. 1-NEIGE BLANCE, 123, f, 3......€280,000 ANODIN (IRE)-BIANCA NEVE, by MUHTA-THIR

0-M DELAUNAY & ECURIE DU SUD, B-ECURIE DU SUD (), T-ROSSI CEDRIĆ, J-BLONDEL FRANCK

2-Flighty Lady (IRE), 123, b f, 3....€11,200 Sir Percy (GB)–Airfield (GB), by Dansili (GB)

O–White Birch Farm, B–Tally-Ho Stud (IRE), T-ROUGET JEAN-CLAUDE, J-DE-**MURO CRISTIAN**

- Sale History: 2018 TATOC2, \$28,998.
- 3-World Peace (GER), 123, b f, 3....€8,400 Camelot (GB)–Wolkenburg (GER), by Big Shuffle

O-ECURIE D'AUTHUIT. B-Gestut Ebbesloh (GER), T-GRAFFARD FRANCIS-HENRI, J-**BOUDOT PIERRE-CHARLES**

Sale History: 2018 BBGAUG, \$105,030. Margins: 11/4, 3/4, 11/4. Others: CAMOGIE (IRE), SCRIPTURALE.

BETFAIR SUPPORTS RACING WELFARE PALACE HOUSE STAKES (G3)

Newmarket, 6/6, £36,397, 3yo/up, 5f, :58.07, gd-f.

- 1-Far Above (IRE), 132, b c, 4......£20,983 Farhh (GB)–Dorraar (IRE), by Shamardal 0-SHÈIKH RASHID DALMOÓK AL MAK-TOUM, B-MOHAMED ABDUL MALIK (IRE), T-TATE JAMES, J-MCDONALD PATRICK JOSEPH
- Sale History: 2018 TATMAY, \$149,642, 2017 TATOC3, \$25,109.
- 2-Judicial (IRE), 132, b g, 8.....£7,955 Iffraaj (GB)–Marlinka (GB), by Marju (IRE)

0-Elite Racing Club, B-Elite Racing Club (IRE), T-CAMĂCHO JULIE, J-RODRĬGUEZ CALLUM

3-Major Jumbo (GB), 132, gr g, 6...£3,981 Zebedee (GB)-Gone Sailing (GB), by Mizzen Mast

O-T A RAHMAN, B-D R BOTTERILL (GB). T-RYAN KEVIN, J-STOTT KEVIN

Sale History: 2015 DONSEP, \$57,217, 2014 TATFOA. \$27.933.

Margins: 34, 34, head. Others: WELL DONE FOX, QUEENS GIFT (IRE), MOSS GILL (IRE), SHADES OF BLUE (IRE), ARECIBO (FR), HAREEM QUEEN (IRE), ORNATE, THE CRUISING LORD, DARK SHOT.

BETWAY SAGARO STAKES (G3)

Newcastle, 6/6, £36,397, 4yo/up, 16.25f, 3:34.63, stn.

1-Navef Road (IRE), 126, ch c, 4 .. £20,983 Galileo (IRE)-Rose Bonheur (GB), by Danehill Dancer (IRE) 0-MOHAMED OBAIDA, B-B V Sangster (IRE), T-JOHNSTON MARK, J-CURTIS BEN

Sale History: 2017 TATOC1, \$139,010. 2-Mildenberger (GB), 126, b h, 5....£7,955 Teofilo (IRE)-Belle Josephine (GB), by

- Dubawi (IRE) 0-Sheikh Hamdan Bin Mohammed al Maktoum, B-Godolphin (GB), T-JOHN-STON MARK, J-NORTON FRANNY
- 3-Prince of Arran (GB), 129, b g, 7 .£3,981 Shirocco (GER)-Storming Sioux (GB), by Storming Home (GB) O-SAEED BEL OBAIDA, B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (GB), T-FELLOWES CHAR-LIE, J-DONOHOE STEVIE

Margins: 34, 11/2, 23/4. Others: RAINBOW DREAM-ER, ÄLRIGHT SÜNSHINE (IRE), KING'S ADVICE, WITHHOLD, JEREMIAH, ROYAL LINE, ISPOLINI, SIR CHAUVELIN.

BLACK TYPE STAKES

Cinema S.

Santa Anita Park, 6/6, \$150,000, 3yo, 9f (turf), 1:50.29, course firm.

1-Hariboux (GB), 124, b g, 3......\$90,000 Havana Gold (IRE)-Royal Warranty (GB), by Sir Percy (GB)

O-Red Baron's Barn LLC and Rancho Te-

mescal LLC, B-Lady Gillian Brunton (GB), T-Jeff Mullins, J-UMBERTO RISPOLI Sale History: 2018 TATOC3, \$15,147, 2018 TATFEB, \$23,841.

2-K P All Systems Go, 122, dk b/br c, 3.... \$30,000

More Than Ready-Salonsun (GER), by Monsun (GER)

O-Karl Pergola, B-Vivien G. Malloy (NY), T-Jeff Mullins, J-Abel Cedillo Sale History: 2018 FTKOCT, \$52,000.

3-Heywoods Beach, 120, dk b/br c, 3 \$18,000

Speightstown-Unfold the Rose, by Catienus

O-Hronis Racing LLC, B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY), T-John W. Sadler, J-Flavien Prat

Sale History: 2019 OBSJUN. \$180.000. 2019 FTFMAR, (\$190,000 RNA), 2018 KEESEP, \$150.000.

Margins: neck, 1, 1¼. Others: Dominant Soul (\$9.000), Liar Liar (IRE) (\$3.000), Scratched: Club Aspen, Constitutionaffair. View Equibase Chart

Aristides S.

Churchill Downs, 6/6, \$100,000, 4yo/up, 6f (dirt), 1:07.57, track fast.

1-Volatile, 120, gr/ro c, 4\$61,380 Violence-Melody Lady, by Unbridled's Sona

0-Phoenix Thoroughbred III, Ltd and Three Chimneys Farm, LLC, B-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc & Stretch Run Ventures, LLC (KY), T-Steven M. Asmussen, J-Ricardo Santana, Jr.

Sale History: 2017 KEESEP, \$850,000.

2-Honest Mischief, 120, b c, 4\$19,800 Into Mischief-Honest Lady, by Seattle Slew

O-Juddmonte Farms, Inc., B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY), T–Chad C. Brown, J–Tyler Gaffalione

3-Manny Wah, 120, ch c, 4.....\$9,900 Will Take Charge-Battlefield Angel, by Proud Citizen

O-Susan Moulton, B-Martha Jane Mulholland & Modo Tesio Equine, LLC (KY), T–Wayne M. Catalano, J–Corey J. Lanerie

Sale History: 2017 FTKJUL, \$175,000.

Margins: 8. ¾, neck, Others: Seven Nation Army (\$4,950), Heartwood (\$2,970), Bobby's Wicked One (\$1,000). View Equibase Chart



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Crystal Water S.

Santa Anita Park, 6/6, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 8f (turf), 1:35.75, course firm.

1–Grinning Tiger, 122, ch g, 5......\$60,000 Smiling Tiger–Karlee's Kitten, by Pioneering

O–Tyree J. Wolesensky, B–Patrick Cosgrove (OR), T–Anthony K. Saavedra, J– Heriberto Figueroa

- 2–Lieutenant Dan, 122, b g, 4\$20,000 Grazen–Excusabull, by Indian Charlie O–Nicholas B. Alexander, B–Nick Alexander (CA), T–Steven Miyadi, J–Drayden Van Dyke
- 3–Brandothebartender, 124, b g, 7\$12,000 Tribal Rule–Frysland, by Stravinsky O–Flawless Racing, Flanagan, Brian and Jarvis, Michael, B–John R. Haagsma & Wesley Ward (CA), T–Craig Dollase, J– Victor Espinoza

Margins: 1³/₄, ¹/₂, 1³/₄. **Others:** King Abner (\$6,000), Ward 'n Jerry (\$2,000), Cono (\$500), Prince Earl (\$500), Oliver (\$500). **View Equibase Chart**

Fran's Valentine S.

Santa Anita Park, 6/6, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 8f (turf), 1:35.66, course firm.

- 1-Super Patriot, 124, ch m, 5......\$60,000 Unusual Heat-Patriot C H, by Redattore (BRZ)
- O–Little Red Feather Racing, Baltas, Richard, Peskoff, Jeremy, Ramos, Jose Cruz and Salvatore, Raymond L., B–Harris Farms (CA), T–Richard Baltas, J–Fla-

vien Prat Sale History: 2017 BARMAY, \$195,000.

- 2–Sedamar, 124, b f, 4......\$20,000 Richard's Kid–Win Allison Win, by Stormy Atlantic
- O-Ruis Racing LLC, B-Mick Ruis (CA), T-Shelbe Ruis, J-Brice Blanc
- 3-Warren's Showtime, 120, ch f, 3..... \$12,000

Clubhouse Ride–Warren's Veneda, by Affirmative

O–Warren, Benjamin C. and Sally, B– Benjamin C. Warren (CA), T–Craig Anthony Lewis, J–Jorge I. Velez

Margins: 1³/₄, ¹/₂, 1¹/₄. **Others:** Pulpit Rider (\$6,000), Cordiality (\$2,000), Hollywood Hills (\$500). **View Equibase Chart**

Ginger Punch S.

Gulfstream Park, 6/6, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5f (turf), 1:42.94, course good.

- 1–Kelsey's Cross, 122, b f, 4.......\$58,280 Anthony's Cross–Amy's Allie, by Trippi O–Bacon, Sanford and Patrick L. Biancone Racing, LLC, B–T. Wynn Jolley & Mary Jolley (FL), T–Patrick L. Biancone, J–Luca Panici
- 2–Crown and Sugar, 124, ch m, 5 \$18,800 Crown of Thorns–Sugarlick, by Congrats O–Reitman Stables LLC, B–Woodford Thoroughbreds, LLC (FL), T–Darien Rodriguez, J–Victor Lebron

Sale History: 2016 OBSAUG, \$1,500.

3–Picara, 124, b m, 5......\$9,400 Turbo Compressor–La Catira Jatar, by Best of the Bests (IRE) O–P and G Stable, B–P & G Stables LLC (FL), T–Jorge Delgado, J–Rajiv Maragh

Margins: 2½, ¾, ½. **Others:** Midnight Soiree (\$4,700), Onyx (\$2,820), Bienville Street (\$1,000), Bellera (\$1,000), Raki (\$1,000), Starship Bonita (\$1,000), Lady Panda (\$1,000), Hotty Toddy (\$1,000). **Scratched:** Crumb Bun, Liza Star, Red Curls, Una Luna. **View Equibase Chart**

Soldier's Dancer S.

Gulfstream Park, 6/6, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 8.5f (turf), 1:41.63, course good.

- 1–Muggsamatic, 124, b g, 6.......\$61,380 Any Given Saturday–Brown Eyed Woman, by De Niro
- O–Dubb, Michael and Bethlehem Stables LLC, B–Gilbert G. Campbell (FL), T–Michael J. Maker, J–Edgard J. Zayas
- 2–Galleon Mast, 124, gr/ro g, 7\$19,800 Mizzen Mast–P. J.'s Eskimo, by Eskimo O–Anne D. Scott, B–H & A Stables LLC (FL), T–David Fawkes, J–Paco Lopez

Sale History: 2015 OBSAPR, (\$19,000 RNA). 3–Wild Medagliad'oro, 122, gr/ro c, 4...... \$9,900

Medaglia d'Oro–Unbridled Humor, by Distorted Humor

O-Live Oak Plantation, B-Live Oak Stud (FL), T-Mark E. Casse, J-Miguel Angel Vasquez

Margins: 1, 1, 3/4. Others: Kroy (\$4,950), Class and Cash (\$2,970), Last Judgment (\$1,000). Scratched: With Verve, Garter and Tie, Noble Drama, Sublime Appeal. View Equibase Chart

Desert Code S.

Santa Anita Park, 6/6, \$75,000, 3yo, 5.5f (turf), 1:01.52, course firm.

1–She's So Special, 118, b f, 3.....\$47,880 Hard Spun–Born Special, by Pulpit O–Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners, B– Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY), T– Peter Miller, J–Flavien Prat

Sale History: 2019 OBSMAR, \$60,000, 2018 KEESEP, (\$12,000 RNA).

2–El Tigre Terrible, 124, b g, 3.....\$20,460 Smiling Tiger–King City Kitty, by Gotham City

O–Slam Dunk Racing and Nentwig, Michael, B–Martin Bach (CA), T–Peter Miller, J–Ruben Fuentes

Sale History: 2018 BAROCT, \$18,000.

3-Thanks Mr. Eidson, 120, dk b/br c, 3..... \$9,576

More Than Ready–Nest Egg, by Eskendereya

O-Del Secco DCS Racing, B-Dell Ridge Farm, LLC (KY), T-Jeff Bonde, J-Mike E. Smith

Sale History: 2018 KEESEP, \$210,000.

Margins: ½, head, ½. **Others:** Phantom Boss (\$6,138), Rookie Mistake (\$1,023), Party Town (\$798). **View Equibase Chart**

Game Face S.

Gulfstream Park, 6/6, \$75,000, 3yo, f, 6.5f (dirt), 1:16.22, track fast.

1–Up in Smoke, 122, gr/ro f, 3\$45,105 The Big Beast–Therese, by Exchange Rate

O–Black Type Thoroughbreds and R. A. Hill Stable, B–John D Rio & Carole A Rio (FL), T–George Weaver, J–Emisael Jaramillo

Sale History: 2019 FTMMAY, \$230,000, 2018 OBSOCT, \$45,000.

2-Boerne, 122, dk b/br f, 3\$14,550 Fed Biz-Seeking the Jewel, by Seeking the Gold

O–De Luca and Sons Stable, B–Randi Moreau-Sipiere & Eric Moreau-Sipiere (TX), T–Juan Carlos Avila, J–Edgard J. Zayas

Sale History: 2018 FTK0CT, \$10,000.

3–Addilyn, 118, ch f, 3\$7,275 Palace Malice–Moon Philly, by Malibu Moon

O–Briannjenn Racing LLC, B–Dixiana Farms LLC (KY), T–Antonio Sano, J–Joseph Trejos

Sale History: 2019 OBSMAR, \$20,000, 2018 KEESEP, (\$37,000 RNA).

Margins: 2, 1¼, 2½. Others: Malibeauty (\$3,638), We Miss Susie (\$2,182), Compensate (\$750), Vast (\$750), Dream Marie (\$750). View Equibase Chart



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Albany S.

Golden Gate Fields, 6/6, \$50,000, 3yo/up, 5f (turf), :56.26, course firm.

- 1-Mikes Tiznow, 125, gr/ro g, 5 ...\$39,450 Slew's Tiznow-Babes Bridge It, by Maria's Mon
- 0–Mike Schott, B–Eagle Ridge Racing LLC (CA), T–Andy Mathis, J–Ricardo Gonzalez
- Sale History: 2016 BAROCT, \$34,000.
- 2–Baja Sur, 125, b g, 4......\$10,000 Smiling Tiger–Premo Copy, by Supremo O–Maryanski, John and Janene and Schneider, Gerald, B–John Roche (WA), T–Blaine D. Wright, J–Catalino Martinez Sale History: 2017 WASSEP, \$67,000.
- 3-Anyportinastorm, 125, dk b/br h, 6 \$6,000
- City Zip–La Defense, by Wild Again O–Peter Redekop B. C., Ltd., B–Sally J. Andersen (FL), T–Blaine D. Wright, J– Juan J. Hernandez

Sale History: 2016 OBSAPR, \$320,000, 2015 KEESEP, (\$70,000 RNA).

Margins: ¾, 1¼, neck. Others: Passionate Reward (\$3,000), Bear Chum (AUS) (\$1,000), Sparticle (\$450), What'sontheagenda (\$450), Sunset Dragunn (\$450), Daddysprize (\$450). View Equibase Chart

BETFAIR EXCHANGE NEWMARKET STAKES

- Newmarket, 6/6, £25,085, 3yo, 10f, 2:00.85, gd-f.
 - 1-Mishriff (IRE), 126, b c, 3......£14,461 Make Believe (GB)-Contradict (GB), by Raven's Pass O-PRINCE A A FAISAL, B-NAWARA STUD LIMITED (IRE), T-GOSDEN JOHN, J-EGAN DAVID
 - 2–Volkan Star (IRE), 126, b g, 3......£5,483 Sea The Stars (IRE)–Chicago Dancer (IRE), by Azamour (IRE) O–Godolphin, B–FORENAGHTS STUD & S MENCOFF (IRE), T–APPLEBY CHARLIE,
 - J-BUICK WILLIAM

Sale History: 2018 TATOC1, \$1,379,910, 2017 GOFNOF, \$387,354.

3–Waldkonig (GB), 126, b c, 3£2,744 Kingman (GB)–Waldlerche (GB), by Monsun (GER)

O-GESTUT AMMERLAND & NEWSELLS PARK STUD, B-NEWSELLS PARK & AM-MERLAND GMBH & CO KG (GB), T-GOS-DEN JOHN, J-DETTORI FRANKIE Sale History: 2018 TATOC1, \$827,946.

Margins: 4, neck, 4¹/₄. Others: CHEROKEE TRAIL

(USA), AL AASY (IRE), PUNCTUATION, LUNCIES, FORMALITY, THE FIRST KING (IRE).

RACEBETS.DE DERBY-TRIAL

Dusseldorf, 6/6, €12,500, 3yo, 11f, 2:19.15, good. 1–Adrian (GER), 128, gr/ro c, 3......€7,000 Reliable Man (GB)–Anna Desta (GER), by

- Desert Style (IRE) O–Gestut Auenquelle, B–Gestut Rottgen (GER), T–GREWE HENK, J–STARKE AN-DRASCH
- Sale History: 2018 BBGAUG, \$60,684.
- 2–Deia (GER), 125, b f, 3€3,250 Soldier Hollow (GB)–Divya (GER), by Platini (GER)

O-Gestut Park Wiedingen, B-Gestut Park Wiedingen (GER), T-KLUG MARKUS, J-SEIDL MARTIN

3–Minotauros (FR), 128, b c, 3€1,500 Tiberius Caesar (FR)–Mary Martins (IRE), by Orpen

O-GESTUT BURG EBERSTEIN, B-H VOLZ (FR), T-SCHIERGEN PETER, J-DELOZIER LUKAS

Margins: 1¼, 3, 1¾. **Others:** BADEN ROCKS (FR), SHOOTING (IRE).

NON-BLACK TYPE STAKES

Fancy Buckles S.

Charles Town, 6/5, \$50,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 4.5f (dirt), :52.83, track sloppy.

1–Twirling Owen, 118, b f, 3.......\$30,540 Twirling Candy–Daylight's Coming, by Stormy Atlantic

O–James F. Miller, B–James Franklin Miller (WV), T–Anthony Farrior, J–J. D. Acosta

- 2–Remy's Rocket, 123, b m, 6.....\$10,180 Fiber Sonde–Remy Doodles, by Grand Slam
- 0-Grams Racing Stable LLC, B-Timothy

C. Grams & Judith A. Grams (WV), T–Timothy C. Grams, J–Christian Hiraldo

3-Manarola, 116, dk b/br f, 3.......\$5,599 Flat Out-French Sadie, by Successful Appeal

O–Javier Contreras, B–Schiano Racing Inc. (WV), T–Javier Contreras, J–Carlos J. Delgado

Margins: 2½, ½, neck. Others: Nellysford (\$3,054), Unaquoi (\$1,527), C R Case's Legacy, Summer Frock, Lil Linder. View Equibase Chart

It's Only Money S.

Charles Town, 6/6, \$50,000, 3yo/up, 4.5f (dirt), :52.05, track fast.

1–Dr. Feelgood, 123, gr/ro g, 5\$30,510 Fiber Sonde–Happy Numbers, by Polish Numbers

O–Jill Daniel, B–Francis W. Daniel III (WV), T–Crystal G. Pickett, J–Darius Thorpe

2–Freedom Is Ringing, 123, gr/ro g, 5...... \$10,170

Fiber Sonde–Longwalk Freedom, by Johannesburg

- O–Jeannie Pantazes, B–Cynthia Elizabeth OBannon (WV), T–Rhea M. Pennella, J– Luis A. Batista
- 3–Hypothesis, 118, b g, 3......\$5,594 Algorithms–Ideal Thoughts, by Not For Love

O–Jill Daniel, B–Francis W. Daniel III (WV), T–Crystal G. Pickett, J–Gerald Almodovar

Margins: 2¼, ¾, ½. Others: Aaron's Tap (\$3,051), Last Print (\$1,525). Scratched: Indian Sound, Fibertown. View Equibase Chart

ALLOWANCE RESULTS

Belmont Park, Race 5, ALW

6/6, \$66,000, 3yo/up, 6f (dirt), 1:10.21, track good. 1–Dark Money, 125, b g, 4, Central Banker–Candelabra, by Purge, \$36,300, 0–Dubb, Michael, Bethlehem Stables LLC, Zinman, Joseph M. and Zinman, Michael A., B–Cedar Meadow, Inc. (NY), T–Rudy R. Rodriguez, J–Manuel Franco



Margin: 3, 12 starters. View Equibase Chart

Belmont Park, Race 10, ALW

6/6, \$56,000, 3yo/up, 6.5f (dirt), 1:16.96, track sloppy.

1–Thorny Tale, 125, ch g, 4, Forty Tales–Spirit of Rose, by City Zip, \$30,800, O–Commonwealth Stable and Bradshaw, Randy, B–McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, LLC & Spruce Lane Farm (NY), T– George Weaver, J–Javier Castellano

Sale History: 2017 OBSOCT, \$21,000, 2016 FTNOCT, \$10.000.

Margin: 5¾, 12 starters. View Equibase Chart



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Charles Town, Race 3, ALW

6/5, \$28,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f (dirt), 1:28.42, track sloppy.

1-It'smyintension, 118, ch f, 3, Americain-Seetsang, by Fusaichi Pegasus, \$16,725, O-Roger B. Sterling, B–John D. McKee (WV), T–Jody L Caison, J-Reshawn Latchman

Margin: 1, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

Charles Town, Race 4, ALW

6/6, \$29,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f (dirt), 1:27.05, track fast.

1-Amelia Bedelia, 124, dk b/br f, 4, Fed Biz-French Sadie, by Successful Appeal, \$17,325, O-David M. Raim, B-Schiano Racing Inc. (WV), T-Jeff C. Runco, J-Arnaldo Bocachica

Margin: 4, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

Charles Town, Race 5, ALW

6/5, \$28,000, 3yo/up, 4.5f (dirt), :52.96, track sloppy.

1-Windsors for It, 120, dk b/br g, 4, Windsor Castle-Forint, by Touch Gold, \$16,725, O-Taylor Mountain Farm LLC. B-Taylor Mountain Farm (WV). T-James W. Casev, J-Gerald Almodovar

Margin: 11/4. 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

Churchill Downs, Race 3, ALW

6/6,\$88,000,3yo/up,f/m,11f(turf),2:20.38,course firm.

1-Gentle Ruler, 122, dk b/br m, 5, Colonel John-Winikins, by Cozzene, \$50,216, 0-Morsches Stable, B-Builder's Mart, Inc. (KY), T-Ian R. Wilkes, J-Chris Landeros

Sale History: 2016 KEESEP, (\$18,000 RNA). Margin: head, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

Churchill Downs, Race 9, ALW

6/6, \$81,000, 3yo/up, 5.5f (turf), 1:04.70, course firm.

1–High Crime, 123, dk b/br c, 4, Violence–Done in Love, by Smart Strike, \$46,212, O-Silverton Hill LLC, B-Silverton Hill, LLC (KY), T-Darrin Miller, J-Florent Geroux

Margin: 61/2, 10 starters. View Equibase Chart

Evangeline Downs, Race 8, ALW

6/5, \$26,000, 3yo/up, 6f (dirt), 1:11.13, track fast. 1-Half Again, 118, gr/ro g, 3, Half Ours-Brown Eyed Baby, by Mineshaft, \$15,600, O-Ng, Ming Yan, Cassedy, Allen and Faucheux, Ron, B-Paul Pruett & Simon Winston (LA), T-Ron Faucheux, J-E. M. Murray

Sale History: 2018 ESLSEP, (\$10,000 RNA).



Margin: 73/4, 11 starters. View Equibase Chart

Gulfstream Park, Race 7, AOC

6/6, \$47,000, 3yo/up, 6.5f (dirt), 1:15.89, track fast. 1-Life in Shambles, 123, gr/ro g, 9, Broken Vow-Life (FR), by Anabaa, \$24,000, 0-Winning Move Stable, B–C. Clement & Don M. Robinson (KY), T–Peter R. Walder, J-Miguel Angel Vasquez

Sale History: 2012 KEESEP, (\$47,000 RNA). Margin: 2¹/₂, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

Laurel Park, Race 6, ALW

6/6, \$52,332, 3yo/up, 5.5f (dirt), 1:03.99, track fast. 1-Wondrwherecraigis, 117, dk b/br g, 3, Munnings-Social Assassin, by Giant's Causeway, \$23,940, 0–Dubb, Michael, The Elkstone Group, LLC (Stuart Grant), Madaket Stables LLC and Bethlehem Stables LLC, B–Fleur de Lis Stables (KY), T–Brittany Russell, J-Sheldon Russell

Sale History: 2018 KEESEP, \$67,000. Margin: 1/2, 9 starters. View Equibase Chart

Laurel Park, Race 7, AOC

6/6, \$56, 118, 3vo/up, 8f (dirt), 1:36.57, track fast. 1-Harpers First Ride, 123, dk b/br g, 4, Paynter-Polyester, by Tiz Wonderful, \$34,827, 0-MCA Racing Stable LLC, B-Sagamore Farm (MD), T-Claudio A. Gonzalez, J-Victor R. Carrasco

Margin: 4, 5 starters. View Equibase Chart

Laurel Park, Race 9, ALW

6/6, \$56,448, 3yo/up, 5.5f (dirt), 1:04.43, track fast. 1-Matta, 123, dk b/br g, 4, Take Charge Indy-Pissarro, by Empire Maker, \$31,122, 0-Johnson, R. Larry and R. D. M. Racing Stable, B-Fitzhugh, LLC (MD), T-Michael J. Trombetta, J-Julian Pimentel Margin: 34, 8 starters. View Equibase Chart

Louisiana Downs, Race 3, ALW

6/6, \$22,000, 3yo/up, 6f (dirt), 1:11.83, track fast. 1-Rose's Galaxy, 122, b g, 4, Greeley's Galaxy-Proud Rose, by Honour and Glory, \$13,200, 0-John S. Turner, Jr., B-Moon Lake Equine Center LLC (LA), T-Joe O. Duhon, J-Carlos Lozada Sale History: 2017 ESLSEP, (\$30,000 RNA). Margin: 6³/₄, 6 starters. View Equibase Chart

Santa Anita Park, Race 3, AOC

6/6, \$51,000, 3yo/up, 6.5f (dirt), 1:14.57, track fast. 1-Kneedeepinsnow, 126, ch c, 4, Flat Out-Michelleinhearts, by Lion Heart, \$30,600, O-Ruis Racing LLC, B-BWB Bloodstock, LLC & WDS Bloodstock (KY), T-Shelbe Ruis, J-Abel Cedillo Sale History: 2017 KEESEP, \$130,000, 2016 KEENOV, \$42.000.

Margin: 21/2, 5 starters, View Equibase Chart

Santa Anita Park, Race 11, AOC

6/6, \$51,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6.5f (dirt), 1:18.96, track fast.

1-Silk From Heaven, 126, b f, 4, Richard's Kid-Elegant in Silk, by Hard Spun, \$30,600, 0-Palma, Hector 0. and Riggio, Dolores, B-DP Racing, LLC (CA), T-

Hector O. Palma, J–Eswan Flores Sale History: 2017 BAROCT, \$32,000.

Margin: head, 9 starters. View Equibase Chart

Woodbine, Race 6, AOC

6/6. \$80.985. 3vo/up. 5f (all-weather). :57.48. track fast.

1-Not So Quiet, 121, dk b/br g, 5, Silent Name (JPN)-Mona Moon, by Perigee Moon, \$48,591, 0-Heste Sport, Inc., B-Heste Sport Inc. - TB Racing Division (ON). T-Mark E. Casse, J-Rafael Manuel Hernandez



Margin: 1/2, 8 starters. View Equibase Chart

Woodbine, Race 9, ALW

6/6, \$83,816, 3yo/up, f/m, 7.5f (turf), 1:28.11, course firm.

1-Another Time, 119, dk b/br f, 4, Munnings-Idoitmyway, by Unbridled's Song, \$33,526, O-Hoolie Racing Stable, LLC, B-Machmer Hall (KY), T-Barbara

J. Minshall, J–Jerome Lermyte

Sale History: 2017 KEESEP. \$110.000. Margin: 1, 10 starters. View Equibase Chart

Woodbine, Race 10, ALW

6/6, \$75,397, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f (all-weather), :57.20, track fast.

1-Artie's Princess, 117, bf, 3, We Miss Artie-Stormkeeper, by Stormy Atlantic, \$45,238, O-Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K., B–Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey (ON), T-Wesley A. Ward, J-Jerome Lermvte

Margin: 4, 10 starters. View Equibase Chart



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MAIDEN RESULTS

Belmont Park, Race 3, MSW

6/6, \$64,000, 3yo/up, 6f (dirt), 1:10.59, track good. 1-Life Changer, 120, b c, 3, Oxbow-Wicked Angel, by Distinctive Pro, \$35,200, O-Gatsas Stables, B-Robert Clements (KY), T–John P. Terranova II, J–Joel Rosario

Sale History: 2018 KEESEP, \$180,000, 2017 FTKNOV, \$75,000.

Margin: neck, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

Belmont Park, Race 11, MSW

6/6, \$64,000, 3yo/up, 8f (turf), 1:38.77, course yielding.

1-Lonesome Fugitive (IRE), 120, b c, 3, Zoffany (IRE)-Take the Ribbon, by Chester House, \$35,200, O-John D. Gunther, B-Eurowest B/Stock & J. D. Gunther (IRE), T-Chad C. Brown, J-Jose L. Ortiz Margin: neck, 12 starters. View Equibase Chart

Charles Town, Race 1, MSW

6/6, \$27,000, 3/4/5/6yo, 4.5f (dirt), :53.44, track fast.

1-A Is for Artist, 116, ch c, 3, Alpha-Sketch Book, by Stormy Atlantic, \$15,975, 0–Daybreak Stables, Inc., B-Daybreak Stables, Inc. (VA), T-Patricia R. Anderson, J-Luis A. Batista

Sale History: 2019 FTMMAY, (\$45,000 RNA). Margin: 4.9 starters. View Equibase Chart

Charles Town, Race 4, MSW

6/5, \$27,000, 3/4/5/6yo, f/m, 4.5f (dirt), :53.42, track sloppy.

1-Three Bops, 118, dk b/br f, 3, Three Chopt Road-Favorite Princess, by Bop, \$16,050, 0-Bybee Road Farm, B-Bybee Road Farm (WV), T-Lewis E. Craig, Jr., J–Wesley Ho

Margin: 1½, 8 starters. View Equibase Chart

Charles Town, Race 9, MSW

6/5, \$27,000, 3yo, 4.5f (dirt), :53.30, track sloppy. 1-Lufty's Kisses, 120, dk b/br g, 3, Luftikus-Lemon Drop Chick, by Lemon Drop Kid, \$16,050, 0-Taylor Mountain Farm LLC, B-Taylor Mountain Farm (WV), T-James W. Casey, J-Gerald Almodovar Margin: 1¼, 8 starters. View Equibase Chart

Churchill Downs, Race 2, MCL

6/6, \$40,000, 2yo, f, 5f (dirt), 1:00.17, track fast. 1-Sunny Isle Beach, 120, b f, 2, Jimmy Creed-Kathern's Kitten, by Kitten's Joy, \$22,400, 0-Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K., B-Dixiana Farms, LLC & Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey (KY), T–Wesley A. Ward, J-Gerardo Corrales

Sale History: 2019 KEESEP, \$15,000.

Margin: head, 10 starters. View Equibase Chart

Churchill Downs, Race 7, MSW

6/6, \$79,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f (dirt), 1:23.27, track fast.

1–Tipsy Gal, 118, b f, 3, Majesticperfection–Tipsy At Midnight, by Midnight Lute, \$45,064, O–Rock Ridge Racing LLC, B-Rock Ridge Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY). T-Dallas Stewart, J-Brian Joseph Hernandez, Jr. Margin: 41/4, 9 starters. View Equibase Chart

Churchill Downs, Race 11, MSW

6/6, \$79,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 9f (turf), 1:51.28, course firm.

1-Queen Medb (IRE), 125, dk b/br f, 4, Kodiac (GB)-Alizaya (IRE), by Highest Honor (FR). \$31.136. 0-Madaket Stables LLC, Cambron, Tim, Cambron, Anna and Bradley Thoroughbreds, B-Denis McDonnell (IRE), T-Brendan P. Walsh, J-Tyler Gaffalione Sale History: 2017 GUKPRE, \$46,508.

Margin: neck. 9 starters. View Equibase Chart

Golden Gate Fields, Race 10, MSW

6/6, \$30,000, 3yo, f, 6f (all-weather), 1:10.55, track fast.

1-Wheal Grace, 120, dk b/br f, 3, Point of Entry-Kaili, by Grand Slam, \$18,000, 0–DeNike, Edward A. and DeNike, Theresa, B-Edward Denike & Theresa Denike (KY), T–Jose Bautista, J–Juan J. Hernandez



Margin: 11/2, 9 starters. View Equibase Chart

Gulfstream Park, Race 2, MCL

6/6, \$44,000, 2yo, f, 4.5f (dirt), :52.86, track fast. 1-Beauty Queen, 115, ch f, 2, Air Force Blue-Beautiful One, by Medaglia d'Oro, \$27,900, O-Palm Beach Racing, B-Hallmarc Stallions LLC (FL), T-Carlos A. David, J-Cristian A. Torres Sale History: 2019 OBSOCT. (\$14.000 RNA).

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

Santa Anita Park, Race 2, MSW

6/6, \$50,000, 2yo, 5f (dirt), :59.49, track fast. 1-Herd Immunity, 122, ch c, 2, Union Rags-Enhanced, by Malibu Moon, \$30,000, O-Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners, B-Mike G. Rutherford (KY), T-Peter Miller, J–Flavien Prat

Sale History: 2020 OBSMAR, \$25,000, 2019 KEESEP, \$12,000

Margin: 1¾, 6 starters. View Equibase Chart



Tipsy Gal rallied to break her maiden by 4 1/4 lengths at Churchill Downs

Santa Anita Park, Race 6, MSW

6/6, \$50,000, 3yo/up, 6.5f (dirt), 1:16.13, track fast. 1-Cezanne, 120, b c, 3, Curlin-Achieving, by Bernardini, \$30,000, O-Magnier, Mrs. John, Tabor, Michael B., Smith, Derrick and St. Elias Stable, B-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc. & St. Elias Stables, LLC (KY), T-Bob Baffert, J-Flavien Prat

Sale History: 2019 FTFMAR. \$3.650.000. Margin: 21/4, 7 starters. View Equibase Chart

Woodbine, Race 4, MSW

6/6, \$91,788, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (turf), 1:08.22, course firm.

1–Fairywren, 123, bf, 4, Goldencents–Marianka, by Ascot Knight, \$31,291, O-Nicholas M. Lotz, B-Nicholas M. Lotz (KY), T-Josie Carroll, J-Luis Contreras Margin: 3/4, 14 starters. View Equibase Chart



TODAY'S ENTRIES

TRIPLE BEND S. (G2)

Santa Anita Park, Sunday, June 7, Race 8 7f (dirt), \$200.000, 3vo/up, 4:18 PM (local)

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P #	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Flagstaff	Speightstown	6/g	Victor Espinoza	126	5/2	Lane's End Racing or Hronis Racing LLC
2	2	Ax Man	Misremembered	5/g	Abel Cedillo	122	8/1	Patti & Hal Earnhardt III
3	3	Dark Vader	Tale of Ekati	5/h	Flavien Prat	122	8/1	S. Alesia, Burns Racing LLC or Ciaglia Racing LLC, Et Al
4	4	Fashionably Fast	Lucky Pulpit	5/g	Tiago Josue Pereira	122	6/1	Harris Farms, Inc., Antonsen or Nicoletti
5	5	McKinzie	Street Sense	5/h	Mike E. Smith	124	3/5	Pegram, Watson or Weitman

Breeders: 1–Summer Wind Farm; 2–Hal J Earnhardt; 3–Schleprock Racing LLC; 4–Harris Farms; 5–Summer Wind Farm.

Trainers: 1–John W. Sadler; 2–Bob Baffert; 3–Peter Eurton; 4–Dean Pederson; 5–Bob Baffert.

GOLDEN POPPY S.

Golden Gate Fields, Sunday, June 7, Race 7 8.5f (turf), \$75,000, 3yo/up f/m, 4:03 PM (local)

P #	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Meal Ticket	Malibu Moon	6/m	Kent J. Desormeaux	125	4/1	Peter Jeong or Keith F. Johnston
2	2	Morning Cynn	Paynter	4/f	David Charles Lopez	125	9/2	C T R Stables, LLC or Dorene S. Calvert
3	3	Desert Oasis (GB)	Medaglia d'Oro	5/m	Ricardo Gonzalez	125	6/1	al shira'aa farms
4	4	Ziarah (IRE)	lffraaj (GB)	5/m	Frank T. Alvarado	125	3/1	Ronald L. Charles or Samuel Gordon
5	5	Wicked Old Fashion	Colonel John	6/m	Catalino Martinez	125	8/1	Frank Aufdermaur or Wayne Swisher
6	6	Blue Diva	Bluegrass Cat	4/f	Juan J. Hernandez	125	7/2	Frankly Speaking, LLC
7	7	Boundforjamaica	Drosselmeyer	4/f	William Antongeorgi III	125	20/1	Madera Thoroughbreds Racing LLC
8	8	Sloane Garden (GB)	lffraaj (GB)	4/f	Kyle Frey	125	8/1	Ronald L. Charles or Samuel Gordon

Breeders: 1–Glen Hill Farm; 2–VinMar Farm LLC; 3–AISLABIE BLOODSTOCK LTD; 4–BARRY NOONAN; 5–Venneri Racing Inc.; 6–BKB Stables LLC; 7–Peter Hills; 8–Jupiter Bloodstock Ltd.

Trainers: 1–Matthew Chew; 2–Manuel Badilla; 3–Neil D. Drysdale; 4–Manuel Badilla; 5–Victor M. Trujillo; 6–Isidro Tamayo; 7–Victor M. Trujillo; 8–Manuel Badilla.

TREASURE COAST S.

Gulfstream Park, Sunday, June 7, Race 9 9f (turf), \$60,000, 3yo/up f/m, 4:18 PM (local)

Р#	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	La Australiana	Australia (GB)	4/f	Leonel Reyes	122	20/1	Victoria's Ranch
2	2	Zarina	Temple City	4/f	Paco Lopez	122	8/1	Robert C. Roffey Jr.
3	3	Olympic Games (FR)	Olympic Glory (IRE) 4/f	Emisael Jaramillo	122	5/2	Martin S. Schwartz
4	4	Goodbye Brockley	Cosmonaut	5/m	Fanny Olsson	124	30/1	Hilly Fields Stable
5	5	Great Sister Diane	Will Take Charge	4/f	Miguel Angel Vasquez	122	6/1	Robert Slack
6	6	Always Shopping	Awesome Again	4/f	Edgard J. Zayas	122	2/1	Repole Stable
7	7	Remarkable Soul	Medaglia d'Oro	4/f	Edgard J. Zayas	122	5/1	Irving M. Cowan
8	8	Bienville Street	Street Boss	5/m	Edgar S. Prado	122	20/1	CJ Thoroughbreds LLC
9	9	Helping Lisa D	Flat Out	5/m	Victor Lebron	122	12/1	Steven Dwoskin
10	10	Letruska	Super Saver	4/f	Emisael Jaramillo	126	5/2	St. George Stable, LLC
11	11	Bella Ciao	Flatter	4/f	Miguel Angel Vasquez	122	4/1	Magic Stables LLC and Cairoli Racing Stable
12	12	Traipsing	Stroll	4/f	Samy Camacho	122	4/1	Stone Farm

Breeders: 1–Capital Bloodstock; 2–Robert C. Roffey Jr.; 3–Dream With Me Stable Inc; 4–Hilly Fields Stable; 5–Siena Farms LLC; 6–Repole Stable Inc; 7– Irving Cowan; 8–Double W Thoroughbred Racing Inc; 9–Hargus Sexton, Sandra Sexton & Silver Fern Farm, LLC; 10–St. George Stables LLC; 11–Dr. & Mrs. Walter Zent; 12–Stone Farm.

Trainers: 1–Juan Carlos Avila; 2–Chad J. Stewart; 3–Christophe Clement; 4–Philip M. Serpe; 5–Rohan Crichton; 6–Todd A. Pletcher; 7–Ralph E. Nicks; 8– Cam M. Gambolati; 9–Steven Dwoskin; 10–Fausto Gutierrez; 11–Antonio Sano; 12–Christophe Clement.



TODAY'S ENTRIES

FIRST DEFENCE S.

Belmont Park, Sunday, June 7, Race 9 7f (turf), \$80,000, 4yo/up, 5:36 PM (local)

P #	PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	1	Flavius	War Front	5/h	Jose L. Ortiz	118	7/2	Juddmonte Farms, Inc.
2	2	Sombeyay	Into Mischief	4/c	Javier Castellano	124	4/1	Starlight Racing
3	3	Jakarta	Bustin Stones	5/m	Junior Alvarado	119	50/1	Three Diamonds Farm
4	4	Delaware (GB)	Frankel (GB)	4/c	Joel Rosario	124	8/1	Juddmonte Farms, Inc.
5	5	Win Win Win	Hat Trick (JPN)	4/c	John R. Velazquez	124	8/1	Live Oak Plantation
6	6	Nicodemus	Candy Ride (ARG)	5/h	Jose Lezcano	124	10/1	Everything's Cricket Racing and Goichman, Lawrence
7	7	Seismic Wave	Tapit	4/c	Eric Cancel	124	10/1	Juddmonte Farms, Inc.
8	8	Skyler's Scramjet	Creative Cause	6/g	Benjamin Hernandez	118	30/1	SJB Stable and Micozzi, Marcello
9	9	Hawkish	Artie Schiller	5/g	Kendrick Carmouche	124	15/1	LaPenta, Robert V., AJ Suited Racing Stable, LLC and Madaket Stables LLC
10	10	Vici	War Front	8/g	Dylan Davis	118	20/1	Big Hands Stables, LLC
11	11	Honor Up	To Honor and Serve	e 5/h	Manuel Franco	124	20/1	Saratoga Seven Racing Partners, LLC
12	12	Majestic Dunhill	Majesticperfection	5/g	Reylu Gutierrez	118	15/1	R. A. Hill Stable
13	13	Lonhtwist	Lonhro (AUS)	5/h	Pablo Fragoso	118	30/1	Corrib Racing LLC
14	14	Therapist	Freud	5/g	Irad Ortiz, Jr.	124	5/1	Oak Bluff Stables
15	15	Complexity	Maclean's Music	4/c	Jose L. Ortiz	118	5/2	Klaravich Stables, Inc.
16	16	Stan the Man	Broken Vow	6/g	Rider TBA	124	8/1	Long Lake Stable LLC

Breeders: 1–Juddmonte Farms Inc; 2–J D Stuart & Mueller Farms, Inc.; 3–Arrowwood Farm; 4–Juddmonte Farms Ltd.; 5–Live Oak Stud; 6–WinStar Farm, LLC; 7–Juddmonte Farms Inc; 8–Tommy G Ligon; 9–AJ Suited, LLC; 10–Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider; 11–Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd.; 12–Hargus Sexton, Sandra Sexton & Silver Fern Farm, LLC; 13–Alfred H. Nuckols, Jr, Leigh H. Nuckols, & Alfred H. Nuckols, III; 14–Oak Bluff Stable, LLC & C. Clement; 15–Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC; 16–Emma Quinn, Dermot Quinn, Scott Pierce & Debbie Pierce.

Trainers: 1–Chad C. Brown; 2–Todd A. Pletcher; 3–Michael J. Maker; 4–Chad C. Brown; 5–Michael J. Trombetta; 6–Linda Rice; 7–William I. Mott; 8– Michelle Nevin; 9–James J. Toner; 10–David G. Donk; 11–Michelle Nevin; 12–George Weaver; 13–Keith O'Brien; 14–Christophe Clement; 15–Chad C. Brown; 16–John P. Terranova II.





UPCOMING ENTRIES

FLAT OUT S.

Belmont Park, Thursday, June 11, Race 9 11f (dirt). \$80.000. 4vo/up. 5:36 PM (local)

P#PP	Horse	Sire	Age/Sex	Jockey	Weight	M/L	Owner
1	Prompt	Blame	5/h	Junior Alvarado	118	-	Karp, James, S.
2	Rocketry	Hard Spun	6/h	Jose L. Ortiz	118	-	Centennial Farms
3	Moretti	Medaglia d'Oro	4/c	Javier Castellano	120	-	Repole Stable and Eclipse Thoroughbred Part- ners
4	Sir Winston	Awesome Again	4/c	Joel Rosario	124	-	Farmer, Tracy
5	Legit	Curlin	5/h	Irad Ortiz, Jr.	118	-	Repole Stable
6	Expert	Point Given	5/h	Jose Lezcano	118	-	All In The Family Racing
7	Blugrascat's Smile	Bluegrass Cat	7/g	Eric Cancel	118	-	Yellow Moon Stable
8	You're to Blame	Distorted Humor	6/h	John R. Velazquez	118	-	Bortolazzo Stable LLC
9	Adventist	Any Given Saturda	y 7/g	Manuel Franco	124	-	Hutnyk, Barbara

Breeders: 1–James S. Karp; 2–Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd.; 3–Thor-Bred Stables, LLC; 4–Tracy Farmer; 5–David Greathouse II; 6–Stone Farm; 7– Francis Paolangeli; 8–Bryant H. Prentice III; 9–Monticule.

Trainers: 1–William I. Mott; 2–James A. Jerkens; 3–Todd A. Pletcher; 4–Mark E. Casse; 5–Todd A. Pletcher; 6–Domenick L. Schettino; 7–Gary Sciacca; 8–Todd A. Pletcher; 9–Uriah St. Lewis.

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