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SHOW STOPPER

Deserved Group 1 success for Channon filly Music Show, by exiled-to-India sire Noverre

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Noverre's departure brings glory

ALAN CROWHURST/GETTY IMAGES



Music Show and Richard Hughes streak away from Spacious and Rainfall for an overdue top-level success in the Falmouth Stakes at Newmarket

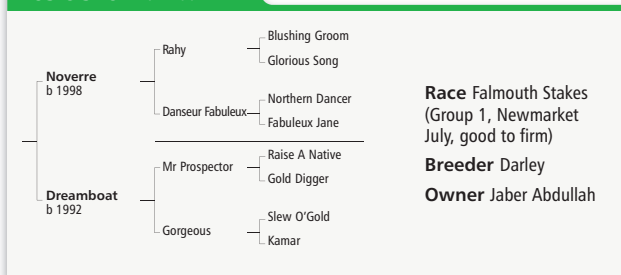
MUSIC SHOW

Race analysis If any horse deserved to bag a Group 1 race this year, it was Music Show. After overcoming a 3lb penalty to win the Nell Gwyn Stakes on her seasonal debut, she led her group on the 'wrong' side at Newmarket when running fifth in a farcical 1,000 Guineas.

Sent to the Curragh to contest the Irish equivalent, the Mick Channon-trained filly stuck on well to finish half-a-length adrift behind Bethrah in third before a low draw scuppered her chance in the Coronation Stakes at Royal Ascot.

Music Show finished just under four lengths behind the winner, Lillie Langtry, that day, and with that filly – as well as dual Guineas heroine Special Duty and the progressive pair Strawberrydaiquiri and Rainfall – in opposition at Newmarket, she was allowed to start at 13-2.

MUSIC SHOW b f 2007



Held up at the rear of the field as Strawberrydaiquiri and Spacious took each other on up front, Music Show – who looked particularly well in the paddock – moved ominously closer under a motionless Richard Hughes two furlongs out. When asked, the response was immediate as she swooped past Spacious to win going away by two lengths.

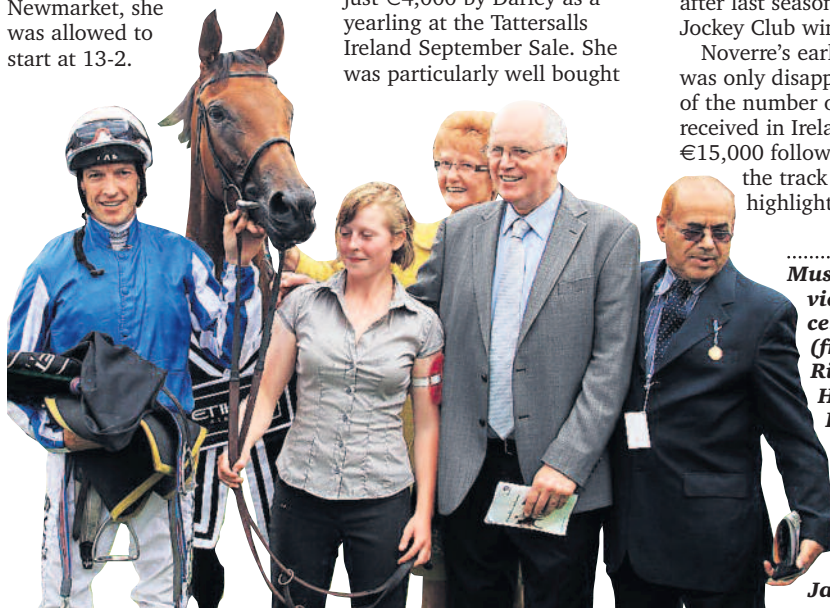
A thoroughly genuine and tough filly, it is hard to believe that Music Show was unsold at just €4,000 by Darley as a yearling at the Tattersalls Ireland September Sale. She was particularly well bought

by Gill Richardson eight months later when selling for €16,000 at the Goresbridge Breeze-Up Sale.

Pedigree Fate dictates that export or death often brings about an improvement in a stallion's record, which is the case where the ex-Darley Noverre is concerned. Noverre's stud record has improved appreciably since he was sold to Sohna Stud Farm in India in 2008; Music Show is his second Group 1 winner after last season's Prix du Jockey Club winner Le Havre.

Noverre's early stud record was only disappointing in light of the number of mares he received in Ireland at a fee of €15,000 following a career on the track that was highlighted by a win in

Music Show's victory is celebrated by (from left) Richard Hughes, groom Louisa Flook, purchaser Gill Richardson, trainer Mick Channon and owner Jaber Abdullah



the Sussex Stakes. While there were several fast two-year-olds within his first two crops, such as Elhamri and Nijoom Dubai, they were two of only seven stakes winners from 200 foals. Although he could have probably filled a void in the lower end of the market with breeders looking to inject speed and substance into their mares, by 2008 his commercial star was in descent, prompting his exile.

Time still tells us that Noverre is no superstar but he has been more successful than his three-parts brother Arazi and the best of a mediocre bunch of sons at stud by Rahy.

One of the more interesting aspects of his stud career is his record with juveniles at Royal Ascot, where Elhamri, Nijoom Dubai and Langs Lash each won within a three-year period. Music Show, however, was not one of them, instead staying true to her female line by progressing as time went on.

Had Music Show had enjoyed better luck in the 1,000 Guineas, it could have been rounded off an embarrassing weekend for the Maktoum family following the victory of Shadwell cast off Makfi in the 2,000 Guineas. Darley not only sold Music

Show as a yearling but also her dam, Dreamboat, for 17,000gns in 2008. On paper, the latter proved a snip when selling to Kern/Lillingston at the Tattersalls July Sale but within a year, she was dead.

From a family originally cultivated by E P Taylor, minor winner Dreamboat is a granddaughter of 1990 Kentucky Broodmare of the Year Kamar. This is an excellent family, featuring Group/Grade 1 winners Gorgeous, Seaside Attraction, Flashing and Rahy's leading runner, Fantastic Light.

Nancy Sexton

Yankee Gentleman

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Martin Pedroza drives E Z's Gentleman to the line to win the Triple Bend Handicap at Hollywood Park

E Z'S GENTLEMAN

Race analysis Pre-race focus revolved around Godolphin's Grade 1-winning sprinter Gayego, who was making his US seasonal debut. However, the party was spoiled by E Z's Gentleman as the five-year-old rig stretched clear in the straight to win by three-and-a-quarter lengths over Sangaree and thereby provide trainer Bob Baffert a one-two in this prestigious 7f contest. It was also a second consecutive Triple Bend win for Baffert following Zensational's victory last year.

Gayego plugged on to be third ahead of this season's Grade 1 Malibu Stakes winner M One Rifle.

Not only was it the first Grade 1 victory of E Z's



Memory (nearside, No3) cuts down her rivals with a devastating burst to win the Cherry Hinton Stakes at Newmarket

Filly inbred to Sharpen Up looks a cut above

MEMORY

Race analysis Having got up to land the Group 3 Albany Stakes at Royal Ascot under a strong drive from Richard Hughes, Memory started as favourite for this Group 2 contest, although she drifted slightly from odds-on to odds-against before the off.

She was very slow coming out of the stalls at Ascot – slowest of all the 22 runners – and although she was significantly sharper away this time, she popped out in mid-division among this seven-runner field and as she did so veered slightly right, impeding Tanfeer and, in turn, Soraaya.

In this small field the pace was not too frantic early on, and Memory took a bit of settling, although the pacesetters, Serena's Pride and Tanfeer, eventually dropped away to fill the last two places.

Approaching the dip, Memory was in last place of the quite tightly grouped bunch having lost her position and seemingly in trouble when either unbalanced, green, temperamental, or a combination of the three.

As the runners hit the rising ground, Richard Hughes switched his mount wide having quickly resumed travelling strongly, asked for a turn of foot, and she gave just that in blistering style. The manner in which she came from last to first in about half a furlong to cut down the opposition left the impression of a very classy filly.

Pedigree Danehill Dancer achieved champion sire status for the first time last year when his prize-money haul was bolstered hugely by Lillie Langtry's Tattersalls Timeform Fillies' 800 win, where she collected a shade over £430,000. Another key contributor was Mastercraftsman, the tough and consistent 1m to 1m2f performer, who showed

himself good enough to get Sea The Stars off the bit in their duel for York's International Stakes.

Danehill Dancer was at his best as a juvenile, scoring on his debut in a maiden at the July meeting, becoming a Group 1 winner on his second start in the Phoenix Stakes and adding another, the National Stakes, on his third outing, before finding only the excellent juvenile Alhaarth too good in the Dewhurst. After carving out a reputation with juveniles in his early stud career, Danehill Dancer has progressed through the ranks to Classic horses, with both Irish Guineas falling to his progeny Mastercraftsman and Again last season. As a producer of fast types, Choisir, Monsieur Bond and Indesatchel to name a few, Danehill Dancer is a speedy offshoot of his versatile sire Danehill.

Memory is inbred 3x3 to Sharpen Up, who features as damsire of Danehill Dancer and paternal grandsire of her dam, Nausicaa. A daughter of Diesis and out of the Listed-winning Blushing Groom mare Blushingallover, Nausicaa fell slightly short of Listed class in France, where she won twice, before continuing her career in the US where she picked up a third win and was Grade 3-placed. From four previous runners Nausicaa has foaled three winners, all effective around the 1m mark (and up to 2f either side of a mile), and in the good handicapper category with official ratings in the region of 80. One of these, and probably the best of the trio, was Kafuu, Memory's brother, whose wins came over 6f at two and over an extra furlong as a four-year-old. While Kafuu appeared more effective over 7f than a mile, Memory's looks to be worth training with a 1,000 Guineas as a long-term target.

George Kimberley

on mark in the top grade

Gentleman's career but also his first Graded stakes victory. He has done nothing but progress for Baffert this season and the Triple Bend marked his third win of his past five starts, his only defeats during that time coming when second in the Grade 3 Los Angeles Handicap over 6f and third in the Grade 2 Potrero Grand Handicap over 6.5f.

M One Rifle was intent on making the running on Saturday but he wasn't allowed any easy ride by E Z's Gentleman, who was able to use his inside post to maintain a prominent rail position and save ground. Urged into the lead by jockey Martin Pedroza off the turn, E Z's Gentleman finally repelled M One Rifle and the late closers to win going away.

Pedigree E Z's Gentleman is the first top-level winner by the young Storm Cat stallion Yankee Gentleman. After a relatively successful racing career, in which he won four of seven starts including a minor sprint stakes, Yankee Gentleman was afforded a stud berth at Airdrie Stud in Kentucky, where breeders were quick to take advantage of his

commercial pedigree – he is out of Grade 1 winner Key Phrase – and good looks.

Given that he started out at \$10,000, it was going to be hard for Yankee Gentleman to make an impact big enough for him to remain in the Kentucky market. But he made an encouraging start by siring the ex British-trained California Derby winner Yankee Bravo

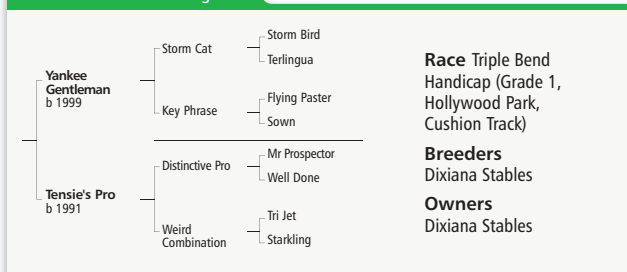
and Oklahoma Derby winner Golden Yank in his first crop.

E Z's Gentleman is also a member of that 69-strong crop and his win will be greeted warmly by Louisiana-based breeders after the stallion's transfer to La Mesa Stallions there last year. He stood the past season for \$5,000.

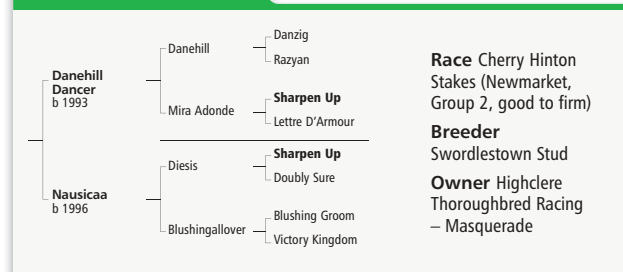
A \$240,000 Barretts two-year-old purchase by owner Arnold Zetcher, E Z's Gentleman is the best of four winners out of dual Listed-winning sprinter Tensie's Pro. The daughter of Distinctive Pro – himself a Grade 3-winning son of Mr Prospector – is a sister to the stakes-placed Toledo Toni and from the further family of Coronation Stakes heroine Magic Of Life.

Nancy Sexton

E Z'S GENTLEMAN b rig 2005



MEMORY b f 2008



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RACING NOTEBOOK

Hurricane Run off the mark with Cochabamba

►►Monday, July 5

A son of 1996 Oaks winner Lady Carla, by Mr Greeley and called **High Ruler**, wins a Roscommon maiden on his second start. Owned by Michael Tabor and trained by Aidan O'Brien, the juvenile colt is the eighth foal of his dam and holds an entry in the National Stakes.

The juvenile maiden over the same trip of 7f is won by **Belleau**, a daughter of Big Bad Bob. Bred by Windflower Overseas Holdings, who own Big Bad Bob, Belleau is inbred 2x3 to the mare Gay Fantasy, who is the maternal granddam to both Belleau and her sire.

►►Tuesday, July 6

At Pontefract, Olden Times achieves a first black-type winner when **Off Chance** takes the Listed Weatherbys Bank Pipalong Stakes over a mile. Her year-younger sister Offspring has placed twice over 6f to 7f from four starts.

►►Wednesday, July 7

Memory, the daughter of Danehill Dancer who won the Albany Stakes at Royal Ascot, extends her unbeaten record to three in the Cherry Hinton Stakes. The filly cost 72,000gns at Tattersalls October Book 1, and was bought by John Warren for

Highclere Thoroughbreds. Her brother, Kafuu, was a decent handicapper, winning over 6f and 7f at two and four.

Music Show becomes the first Group 1 winner to be sold at Goresbridge when landing the Falmouth Stakes at Newmarket. The Noverre filly is a second Group 1 winner for her sire, and was bought by Gill Richardson for €16,000 at their breeze-up sale.

On Lingfield Park's Polytrack, Hurricane Run's first winner materialises in the shape of **Cochabamba**. The filly was making her debut in the 6f event, and was bought back for 8,000gns at Tattersalls December as a yearling. Cochabamba is out of an unraced half-sister to Listed winners Binary and Bal Harbour.

►►Thursday, July 8

Librango takes the Group 2 TNT July Stakes, becoming a first black-type winner for first-season sire Librettist. The Richard Hannon-trained colt was bought back by his breeder Oliver McDowell at Tattersalls October sale for 26,000gns, and is the first foal of the Singspiel mare Annabelle Ja.

Sans Frontieres, a 450,000gns yearling and son of Galileo, achieves his first



Holy Roman Emperor's daughter **Inca Princess**, with Seamus Heffernan on board, wins a maiden at Fairyhouse

black-type win in the Group 2 Princess of Wales's Stakes. The half-brother to triple Listed-winner Kootenay placed in both the Craven and Dante Stakes last season.

►►Friday, July 9

Australian import **Starspangledbanner** adds to last month's Golden Jubilee Stakes victory by taking the Group 1 July Cup as 2-1 favourite. The best son of Choisir outdoes his sire, who finished second to Oasis Dream in this race having won the Golden Jubilee.

Oratorio sires the winner of the Group 2 Superlative Stakes at

Oratorio's son King Torus land the Group 2 Superlative Stakes at Newmarket



Newmarket, when **King Torus** lands the spoils.

The only produce of George Washington, the filly **Date With Destiny**, makes a very pleasing debut. Owned by Julie Wood and sold for €280,000 at Goffs as a foal and again for 320,000gns as a yearling at Tattersalls, she is a half-sister to the French 1m2f Group 3 winner Ombre Legere.

Rose Blossom is a first Group winner for Pastoral Pursuits, taking the 6f Summer Stakes. The three-year-old is out of the dual 5f winner Lamarita, by Emarati, and sold for £21,000 at the DBS breeze-up, having cost just 2,000gns as a foal.

Footstepsinthesand has a maiden winner

at Deauville, when the juvenile colt **Key Foot** takes a 6½f contest. He is the first foal of his dam, UAE-bred Key Circle by Jade Robbery, who won in France over 1m1f and 1m2f.

►►Saturday, July 10

Holy Roman Emperor sires the winner of a 6f maiden at Fairyhouse, a daughter of Ribblesdale Stakes winner Miletarian. The filly, named **Inca Princess**, is trained by Aidan O'Brien and cost €140,000 as a yearling at the Goffs Orby sale.

►►Sunday, July 11

Miss Starlight, who cost just 1,500gns as a yearling at Tattersalls October Book 3, becomes the first black-type winner for her sire Trade Fair. The three-year-old takes a 1m3f Group 3 at Hamburg and had twice previously placed in Listed company at Newmarket. **George Kimberley**

INTERNATIONAL ROUND-UP

Son of Neo Universe hits the stratosphere at foal sale

►►Japan

The traditional sales popularity of foals instead of yearlings came to the fore at the Japan Racing Horse Association select sale, which saw two foals sell for more than ¥100 million – a son of Neo Universe, who made ¥112m (£829,348/€995,267) and a son of Zenno Rob Roy who cost ¥105m (£777,602/€933,320).

From 208 foals offered 141 were reported sold, a clearance rate of 68 per cent, compared to 65 per cent in 2009, when there were two foal sessions rather than the one this year.

The aggregate for Tuesday's foal session reached ¥3.339bn (£24,478,335/€29,210,719) com-

pared to ¥4,913,200,000 in 2009. The average price of ¥23,680,000 (£173,625/€207,133) was down by less than one per cent on last year's average.

The yearling and foal sessions combined saw 314 horses sold from 422 offered, for a total of ¥6,496,100,000 (£47,621,265/€56,820,452). The average for all horses sold fell 11 per cent to ¥20,690,000 (£154,442/€184,249). ►►LAST month's Grade 1 Stephen Foster Handicap runner-up Battle Plan has been sold as a stallion prospect by his owner-breeders Overbrook Farm to a group of Japanese breeders.

The son of Empire Maker was retired after the Stephen Foster with

an injury to his right fore and will take up stud duties at the Arrow Farm on Hokkaido next year.

The Overbrook Farm advisor Ric Waldman told Thoroughbred Daily News: "As much as we wanted him to be sold to interests in Kentucky, Japanese breeders were willing to pay quite a bit more than American stud farms."

Battle Plan, a Grade 2 winner over 1m1f in March, is out of Overbrook Farm's multiple Grade 1 winner Flanders, whose earlier progeny includes another multiple Grade 1 winner in Surfside.

►►Australia

NOTABLE sire Zeditave was euthanised last week after showing signs of colic at the age of

25. He was the last stallion to stand at Newhaven Park Stud.

"I think it's fair to say Zeditave's death is the end of an era for us," Newhaven Park's Richard Kelly said. "We decided some time ago not to stand stallions anymore because it has become quite expensive. It costs A\$10m to A\$20m now to secure a top stallion. If Newhaven Park was located in the Hunter Valley we would have stayed in stallions but now we are happy to breed from our own boutique band of mares."

Located near Booroowa in south-west New South Wales, Newhaven Park was a sheep and cattle property before it was turned into a thoroughbred farm

which became synonymous with Australian racing.

Zeditave was bred and raced by Sydney bookmaker Colin Tidy and his wife Helen and was trained by Angus Armanasco. His one defeat in ten starts as a juvenile was in the 1988 Golden Slipper when he finished unplaced.

In 21 seasons at stud, Zeditave sired seven Group 1 winners including the top-class miler Typhoon Zed and also became a sire of sires with sons Strategic and Magic Albert doing well at stud.

►►USA

Fasig-Tipton's opening day of its Kentucky July Select Yearling Sale recorded both an increased average and median on last year.

This year 170 lots were offered, and 107 sold, for an aggregate of \$8,155,500 (£5,350,492/€6,418,283), average of \$76,220 (£50,012/€59,993) and median of \$50,000 (£32,808/€39,355). The opening day in 2009 saw 217 lots offered, 136 sold for a total of \$9,238,500, an average of \$68,592, and median \$45,000.

Having spent \$1.55m last year, Sheikh Mohammed's Darley operation bought three opening day lots including the \$450,000 session topper, a son of the team's US-based sire Medaglia D'Oro. They also bought sons of another Darley sire Hard Spun, whose first crop are yearlings, for \$190,000 and \$180,000.

HOME PAGE

Music Show delight for Horse Park Stud

By Cathal Beale

MUSIC SHOW finally broke her Group 1 duck for trainer Mick Channon in the Falmouth Stakes at Newmarket last Wednesday, having been unlucky in her three previous attempts at the highest level. The three-year-old ran out a two-length winner from a very strong field which included dual 1,000 Guineas winner Special Duty and the Coronation Stakes heroine Lillie Langtry.

The Noverre filly was bred by Darley in Ireland and sold as a yearling at the Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale to Horse Park Stud. "I can't really take any credit for selecting Music Show as she was recommended to me by Darley", said the Horse Park owner John Cullinan.

"We took her home and she was backward and immature. She was tricky to break and was then turned out with the rest of the fillies until January. We decided to take our time with her and wait for a later sale so we decided on Goresbridge. It was not until around March when we were cracking on with her that she really began showing us that she was very nice."

The two-year-old Noverre filly out of the Mr Prospector mare Dreamboat was bought for €16,000 at Goresbridge by Gill Richardson. "She was still very green but showed she had lots of ability so we recommended her to a number of people including Gill," Cullinan said. "We were disappointed at the time to let her go for that amount of money but we are delighted for Gill and the filly's owner, Jaber Abdullah."

Music Show was part of a breeze-up consignment that num-



Gill Richardson: bought Music Show at Goresbridge from Horse Park Stud for the bargain price of €16,000

bers ten to 15 horses each year. "We usually buy a few yearlings to sell as two-year-olds and then keep a few yearlings of our own as well. Last year as well as Music Show we sold London Chinatown to Hong Kong and he went on to be one of the leading juveniles there," said Cullinan.

Originally from Dublin, Cullinan moved to Ashford, County Wicklow, in the mid 1970s to set up Horse Park Farm. "We started doing basic breeding and rearing but have expanded over the years. We are now involved in breaking, pre-training and breezing and have an all-weather gallop and spa on

the farm. We also take in racehorses to have a spell for remedial work."

For the remainder of the year, the focus is now on preparing yearlings for Europe's premier sales. "We have around 20 yearlings each year and we keep a few to breeze," Cullinan said. "We have a very nice Dansili filly out of a half-sister to Mon-sun travelling to the Arqana Sale. She is a nice type with a very good walk and a lovely middle-distance pedigree. We are also looking forward to a Desert Style full-brother to Souter's Sister who was placed in the Rockfel Stakes," said Cullinan.

Memory boost for Swordlestown

RICHARD HANNON continued his fantastic season by landing all three of the Group races confined to two-year-olds at Newmarket's July festival. They included Irish-breds Memory, who scored in the Cherry Hinton Stakes on Wednesday, and King Torus, winner of the Superlative Stakes on Friday.

Memory was quoted at prices ranging between 5-1 and 10-1 for next year's 1,000 Guineas

after following up her Albany Stakes win at Royal Ascot in the Irish Thoroughbred Marketing-sponsored Group 2 Cherry Hinton Stakes. The Danehill Dancer filly was bred in Kildare at Swordlestown Stud just outside Naas.

King Torus was bred by Whispeview Trading Ltd. The son of Oratorio was sold as a yearling at the Goffs Orby Sale last year by Aidan and Anne-Marie O'Brien's Cariganog Stud. Agent Peter Doyle

paid €30,000 for the colt who has now earned almost £50,000 in prize-money and a £10,000 Racing Post Yearling Bonus.

Another Irish-bred winner at Newmarket last week was the Mark Johnston-trained Corsica in the Bahrain Trophy. The three-year-old colt was bred by Epona Bloodstock and sold as a yearling by Denis Brosnan's Croom House Stud and as a two-year-old by Knockgraffon Stables.

ITBA evenings take breeders racing

THE Irish Thoroughbred Breeders' Association will host a series of evenings throughout the country this summer to encourage breeders to go racing. The initiative will consist of three racing evenings and will be sponsored by Gain Horse Feeds.

The first meeting is at Naas racecourse next Wednesday and all registered breeders in the Kildare/Dublin region, along with a

guest, have been invited to attend the evening meeting, which also features a barbecue and live music. Breeders will help judge the best turned out horses and co-present the winning trophies on the night for races co-sponsored by the ITBA and Gain Horse Feeds.

A raffle will offer prizes such as a weekend for two at the ITBA annual awards gala evening. A best-dressed competition offers a

weekend for two at the Carton House Hotel, Maynooth.

"The ITBA are building on the very successful evening which took place at Tipperary on May 20," said the ITBA manager Shane O'Dwyer. "That exceeded all expectations with almost 1,000 breeders attending. Bellewstown and Wexford have been chosen for the remaining evenings, details of which will soon be made available."

QUICK QUESTIONS

Martin Donohoe of Goresbridge Sales

The company is best known as an auctioneer of sport horses - what made you enter the thoroughbred market?

We felt there was an opening for a more regular sale of mixed thoroughbreds so we began by putting on four or five sales a year. As far as breeze-up sales go, this type of auction wasn't catered for in Ireland until we began it about five years ago and it has really taken off here since then.

What was your reaction when Music Show landed her first Group 1 in the Falmouth Stakes at Newmarket last week?

It was fairytale stuff for me to think that we could sell a Group 1 winner at Goresbridge. It shows that you can buy a top-class horse for little money and that there is value to be had.

'It was a fairytale to think we could sell a Group 1 winner'

What potential stars do you think might emerge from this year's sale?

It is hard to say yet but plenty of nice horses have gone to top trainers such as Dermot Weld, Richard Fahey, Jessica

Harrington and Howard Johnson, to name a few. With that in mind we are hopeful that another top-class one will come down the line.

What is next in the pipeline?

Our aim from the start was to keep improving the quality at the breeze-up sale, in particular. The records are speaking for themselves and on the back of the success of this year's sale I think we have found our niche in the market. We intend to work hard at it again and certainly Music Show has put us on a completely different level in people's minds.





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4.00 Franz-Gunther Von Gaertner-Gedachtnisrennen (Hamburger Meile) (Group 3) (3yo+) (Turf) 1m
[OFF 4.17]

For: 3-y-o and up 1st £28,318.58 2nd £9,734.51 3rd £4,867.26 4th £2,654.87 5th £1,769.91 6th £1,327.43

- 1 **EARL OF FIRE** 5 9-2 Dominique Boeuf
ch g by Areion-Evry (Torgos) (GB)
(W Baltromei) went straight to lead, made all, ran on well in straight, saw off all challenges in final furlong **87/10**
- 2 1/2 **SEHREZAD** (IRE) 5 9-6 Jiri Palik
b h by Titus Livius (FR)-Trebles (IRE) (Kenmare) (FR)
(Andreas Lowe) hampered by riderless horse, gradually manoeuvred through field, switched to wide outside in straight, ran on strongly, flew home in final furlong, unlucky **84/10**
- 3 **WIN FOR SURE** 5 9-6 E Pedroza
b g by Stravinsky (USA)-Win For Us (Surumu)
(A Wohler) raced in midfield, hampered by riderless horse, made good move in straight, ran on well, no threat to first two **6/5F**

Also: 4^{1/2} **ABBASHIVA** 5^{nk} **NOBLE ALPHA** (IRE) 6² 1/2 **SANJII DANON** 7^{1/2} **TERTULLUS** (FR) 8^{nm} **QUILBOQUET** (BRZ) 9^a **ALIANTHUS** 10^{2b} **LE BIG U KITE HUNTER** (IRE)
11 ran **TIME** 1m 35.60s

OWNER:Frau M Haller; BRED:Frau M Haller
TRAINER:W Baltromei in Germany
TOTE WIN (incl. 10 euro stake): 97. **PLACES:** 20, 18, 11. **SF:** 500.

Belmont Park

10 Jul 2010

10.17 Man O'War Stakes (Grade 1) (3yo+) (Turf) 1m3f
[OFF 10.17]

For: 3-y-o and up 1st £185,185.19 2nd £61,728.40 3rd £30,864.20 4th £15,432.10 5th £9,259.26 6th £2,058.02 7th £2,057.41 8th £2,057.41

- 1 **GIO PONTI** 5 8-8 R A Dominguez
b h by Tale Of The Cat-Chipeta Springs (Alydar)
(Christophe Clement) settled in last, smooth headway 2f out, 3rd straight but short of room, pulled wide approaching final furlong and ran on well to lead close home **2/5F**



Gio Ponti and Ramon Dominguez on their way to winning the Man O'War Stakes at Belmont

- 2 **MISSION APPROVED** 6 8-4 J L Espinoza
b h by With Approval (CAN)-Fortunate Find (Fortunate Prospect)
(Naipaul Chatterpaul) soon led and allowed to dictate steady pace, quickened final bend and ran on well straight, caught close home **54/1**

- 3 1/2 **EXPANSION** 5 8-6 J J Castellano
b h by Maria's Mon-La Sylphide (SWI) (Barathea) (IRE)
(Chad C Brown) disputed 3rd, 2nd straight, stayed on well under pressure final 300yds **6/1**

Also: 4¹ **BEARPATH** 5^{3/4} **MIDNITE SILVER** 6^{1/2} **INTERPATATION** 7¹ **GRAND COUTURIER** (GB) 8^{1/2} **STRIKE A DEAL**
8 ran **TIME** 2m 16.20s

OWNER:Castleton Lyons Farm; BRED:Kilbov Estate Inc
TRAINER:Christophe Clement in USA
TOTE PARI-MUTUEL (all including \$2 stake): WIN 2.80; PLACE (1-2) 2.30, 17.80; SHOW (1-2-3) 2.10, 7.40, 2.80; SF 66.50

Calder

10 Jul 2010

10.41 Princess Rooney Handicap (Grade 1) (3yo+ Fillies & Mares) (Dirt) 6f
[OFF 10.51]

For: 3-y-o and up 1st £125,913.58 2nd £40,617.28 3rd £20,308.64 4th £10,154.32 5th £6,092.59 6th £2,160.49 7th £2,160.49 8th £2,160.49 9th £2,160.49 10th £2,160.49

- 1 **JESSICA IS BACK** 6 8-4 Elvis Trujillo
ch m by Put It Back-Jessica's Halo (Jolie's Halo)
(Martin D Wolfson) soon chasing leaders, 4th 2f out, pulled wide straight, ran on strongly to lead final 100yds, won going away **17/2**

IRISH-BRED WINNERS OVERSEAS

Breeder	Winner	Sire	Age/Sex	Dam	Country	Date	Course	Distance	Value	Class
Abergwawn Farm	Red Eye Express (IRE)	Giant's Causeway (USA)	5 h	Snowfire (GB)	USA	5.7	Hollywood Park	1m	€20,507	
Allevamento Gialloblu S R L	Luzzano (IRE)	Spinning World (USA)	4 c	Luzzara (IRE)	Italy	6.7	Naples	1m	€4,250	
Azienda Agricola La Morosina	Garnera (IRE)	Key of Luck (USA)	4 f	Golden Honor (IRE)	Italy	7.7	Milan	7f110y	€6,374	
Azienda Agricola Sant Agostino E. Vulci	Coolaire (GB)	One Cool Cat (USA)	2 f	Pont Allaire (IRE)	Italy	10.7	Milan	7f110y	€4,250	
Ballyhane Stud	Sergei (IRE)	Gulch (USA)	2 c	Seasonal Style (IRE)	Spain	8.7	Zarzueta	6f	€5,000	
Begley, M.	Ci Penso Un Po (IRE)	Hawk Wing (USA)	4 f	Colour And Spice (IRE)	Italy	7.7	Milan	1m1f	€4,675	
Berger, G.	Lucky Lucioni (IRE)	Key of Luck (USA)	7 g	Fanny Blankers (IRE)	Norway	1.7	Ovrevoll	1m	€2,658	
Brittas House Stud & Sweetmans Bl	Bravo Winner (IRE)	Rock of Gibraltar (IRE)	5 h	Louve Bleue (USA)	Hong Kong	4.7	Sha Tin	1m1f	€32,026	
Brummerhof, Gestut	Diora (IRE)	Dashing Blade	3 f	Dea (GER)	Germany	11.7	Hamburg	1m	€5,000	
Callanan & J. Norris, G.	Ifra (IRE)	Iffraaj (GB)	2 f	Obsessed (GB)	Russia	4.7	Nalchik	6f	€117	
Calley House Syndicate	Mac Night (IRE)	Night Shift (USA)	10 h	Rosy Lydgate (GB)	Italy	9.7	Varese	7f110y	€2,549	
Camma S A S di Schiavi	Fiore Del Tibet (IRE)	Medecis (GB)	5 m	La Segretaria (IRE)	Italy	6.7	Varese	7f110y	€5,949	
Ervine, W. M.	Pride Celebre (IRE)	Peintre Celebre (USA)	4 f	Only The Lonely (FR)	France	10.7	Le Touquet	1m3f	€5,500	
Giada Smania Lucia	Baci E Abbracci (IRE)	Orpen (USA)	3 c	Smaniosa (IRE)	Italy	9.7	Varese	1m	€5,100	
Hawthorn Villa Stud	Au Pair (IRE)	Domedriver (IRE)	5 m	Noble Dane (IRE)	Sweden	1.7	Taby	5f165y	€2,935	
Headon, P.	Una Vita Difficile (IRE)	Ad Valorem (USA)	2 f	Matadora (IRE)	Italy	7.7	Grosseto	1m	€2,549	
Higgins, Ms M.	My Rye (IRE)	Catcher In The Rye (IRE)	3 c	Tudor Maid (IRE)	Italy	5.7	Corridonia	6f165y	€1,700	
His Highness the Aga Khan's Studs S.C.	Zarkandar (IRE)	Azamour (IRE)	3 c	Zarkasha (IRE)	France	8.7	Clairefontaine	1m4f	€11,000	
Hyde Park Stud	Western Spring (IRE)	Hawkeye (IRE)	4 c	With Care (GB)	Italy	6.7	Varese	1m2f110y	€2,124	
Iona Equine	London China Town (IRE)	War Chant (USA)	3 g	Green Minstrel (FR)	Hong Kong	1.7	Sha Tin	5f	€43,555	
Irish National Stud	Born Slippy (IRE)	Desert Prince (IRE)	7 h	Swan's Loop (GB)	Czech Republic	3.7	Slusovice	1m1f	€569	
Kilfrush Stud	Royal Bench (IRE)	Whipper (USA)	3 c	Hit The Sky (IRE)	France	10.7	Deauville	1m	€27,500 (L)	
Marcello, F.	Canayil (IRE)	One Cool Cat (USA)	3 c	Lost Mark (GB)	Italy	11.7	Naples	7f110y	€4,250	
McCutcheon, Mr P.	Sa Via Longa (IRE)	Antonius Pius (USA)	2 f	Uhud (IRE)	Italy	9.7	Sassari	5f	€1,700	
Mesnil Investments & Deerpark Stud	The Mole Catcher (IRE)	Whipper (USA)	2 c	Degree of Honor (FR)	France	11.7	La Teste De Buch	6f	€7,000	
Minch Bloodstock	Ghostmilk (IRE)	Golan (IRE)	6 m	Thermopylae (GB)	Australia	3.7	Moonee Valley	7f110y	€26,806	
Monymusk Stud Farm	Head Above Clouds (IRE)	Cloudings (IRE)	7 h	Troys Guest (IRE)	Norway	1.7	Ovrevoll	1m6f33y	€3,020	
Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd	Acceptance Speech (IRE)	Daylami (IRE)	5 g	In Anticipation (IRE)	Cyprus	30.6	Nicosia	1m	€2,725	
Nuovi Orizzonti Snc Di Sartori Valerio C	Anthilia (IRE)	Spartacus (IRE)	3 f	Heaven's Door (IRE)	Italy	10.7	Grosseto	1m165y	€3,399	
Nuzum, E.	Moe Green (IRE)	Xaar (GB)	3 c	Scripture (IRE)	Sweden	3.7	Jagersro	1m143y	€24,947	
O'Connor, J.	Remedial (IRE)	Verglas (IRE)	3 f	Remedy (GB)	France	12.7	Chantilly	1m	€10,500	
Paget Bloodstock	Stoa (IRE)	Peintre Celebre (USA)	5 m	Mer Noire (IRE)	France	10.7	Deauville	1m2f	€9,500	
Rathasker Stud	Madame Picasso (IRE)	Clodovil (IRE)	2 f	Titus Wood (IRE)	Italy	6.7	Naples	5f	€7,224	
Razza Del Velino Srl	Charlemagne Wood (IRE)	King Charlemagne (USA)	2 c	Eurirs (FR)	Italy	6.7	Varese	7f110y	€4,250	
Razza Dormello Olgiata	Baldi (IRE)	Kalanisi (IRE)	5 h	Bessie Bennett (IRE)	Italy	6.7	Naples	1m3f55y	€5,100	
Reavey, Mrs R.	General Rio (IRE)	Captain Rio (GB)	4 c	The Woodstock Lady (GB)	South Korea	3.7	Seoul	6f	€9,014	
Rockfield Farm	Didi (IRE)	Sinnard (IRE)	3 f	Irish Style (IRE)	Russia	20.6	Nalchik	1m2f	€117	
Rockfield Farm	Didi (IRE)	Sinnard (IRE)	3 f	Irish Style (IRE)	Russia	4.7	Nalchik	1m4f	€1,168	
Ryan, F.	Fantastico Roberto (IRE)	Refuse To Bend (IRE)	3 c	Fantastic Account (GB)	USA	5.7	Monmouth Park	1m1f	€38,364 (L)	
Scuderia Cesare Turri	Vago (IRE)	Indian Ridge	7 h	Vaghezza (IRE)	Italy	8.7	Livorno	7f110y	€1,700	
Soc. Finanza	Douce Vie (IRE)	Desert Prince (IRE)	4 c	Ellendellendoo (IRE)	Italy	11.7	Livorno	7f110y	€17,000	
Stewart, Kelso	Adios Mi Plata (IRE)	Pyrus (USA)	4 f	Afisiak (GB)	Norway	24.6	Ovrevoll	1m143y	€3,020	
Stivalli, S.	Miss Coccinella (IRE)	Desert Prince (IRE)	4 f	Nawafell (GB)	Italy	10.7	Grosseto	1m165y	€1,700	
Tinnakill Partnership II	Man With A Plan (IRE)	Dr Fong (USA)	6 h	Gently (IRE)	Hong Kong	1.7	Sha Tin	7f	€24,852	
Turri, Miss F.	Biasimo (IRE)	Celtic Swing (GB)	4 c	Bitter Love (ITY)	Italy	7.7	Grosseto	1m4f	€4,250	
Twelve Oaks Stud	Combat Zone (IRE)	Refuse To Bend (IRE)	4 g	Zeiting (IRE)	Germany	11.7	Hamburg	1m	€12,000	
Victor Stud & Brendan Cummins	Van Ruymbeke (IRE)	Indian Ridge	6 g	Badrah (USA)	Sweden	4.7	Jagersro	1m143y	€2,445	
Wertheimer et Frere	Patineur (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	3 c	Danzigaway (USA)	France	12.7	Chantilly	1m	€10,500	
Woodhouse Syndicate	Golden White (IRE)	Mull of Kintyre (USA)	4 f	White Paper (IRE)	Italy	11.7	Naples	1m	€2,549	

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- 2 2 **WARBLING** 4 8-7 J R Leparoux
rg f by Unbridled's Song-Impassion (Shadeed)
(Eddie Kenneally) chased leader, led 2f out, ran on strongly until headed 100yds out, unable to quicken **2/1F**

- 3 1 **DUBAI MAJESTY** 5 8-8 M Mena
bb m by Essence Of Dubai-Great Majesty (Great Above)
(W Bret Calhoun) raced in 5th, stayed on final furlong to take 3rd inside final 100yds **11/2**

Also: 4¹ 3/4 **DON'T TALK TO ME** 5^{nk} **MOTHER RUTH** 6¹ 3/4 **OUR GLASS** 7² 3/4 **FIRST PASSAGE** 8^{nk} **SARATOGA TANGO** 9¹ 1/4 **DR. ZIC** 10^{nk} **GOLDEN MYSTERY** 11¹ **REACHFOR THE CASTLE**
11 ran **TIME** 1m 11.48s

OWNER:Farnsworth Stables Llc; BRED:Larry Perkins
TRAINER:Martin D Wolfson in USA

TOTE PARI-MUTUEL (all including \$2 stake): WIN 19.00; PLACE (1-2) 7.40, 3.80; SHOW (1-2-3) 5.40, 3.00, 4.60; SF 80.00

Hollywood Park

10 Jul 2010

11.41 Triple Bend Handicap (Grade 1) (3yo+) (Cushion Track) 7f
[OFF 11.47]

For: 3-y-o and up 1st £83,333.33 2nd £27,777.78 3rd £16,666.67 4th £8,333.33 5th £2,777.78

- 1 **E Z'S GENTLEMAN** 5 8-4 M Pedroza
b r by Yankee Gentleman-Tensie's Pro (Distinctive Pro)
(Bob Baffert) tracked leader, led 1 1/2f out, ridden clear 39/10

- 2 3/4 **SANGAREE** 5 8-4 M Garcia
ch h by Awesome Again (CAN)-Mari's Sheba (Mari's Book)
(Bob Baffert) held up, headway final bend, 3rd straight, took 2nd inside final furlong, kept on **58/10**

- 3 1 **GAYEGO** 5 8-10 R Bejarano
bb h by Gilded Time-Devils Lake (Lost Code)
(Saeed Bin Suuroo) held up towards rear, headway approaching 2f out, 4th straight, stayed on final 300yds to take 3rd **6/4F**

Also: 4¹ 1/4 **M ONE RIFLE** 5¹ **NEW BAY** 6² 1/4 **FANTASY FREE** 7¹ 3/4 **BEST DRESSED**
7 ran **TIME** 1m 21.11s

OWNER:Arnold Zetcher LLC; BRED:Dixiana Stables Inc
TRAINER:Bob Baffert in USA

TOTE PARI-MUTUEL (all including \$2 stake): WIN 9.80; PLACE (1-2) 4.80, 4.80; SHOW (1-2-3) 3.20, 2.60, 2.40; DF 28.60; SF 45.80

Hollywood Park

11 Jul 2010

12.41 Hollywood Gold Cup Handicap (Grade 1) (3yo+) (Cushion Track) 1m2f
[OFF 12.51]

For: 3-y-o and up 1st £185,185.19 2nd £61,728.40 3rd £37,037.04 4th £18,518.52 5th £6,172.84

- 1 **AWESOME GEM** 7 8-4 D Flores
ch g by Awesome Again (CAN)-Piano (Pentelicus)
(Craig Dollase) raced in last place until went 5th after 3f, headway final bend, 4th straight, ran on under pressure to lead 110yds out, held on well **8/1**

- 2 1/2 **RAIL TRIP** 5 8-11 R Bejarano
b g by Jump Start-Sweet Trip (Carson City)
(Ronald W Ellis) chased leaders, briefly outpaced 2 1/2f out, ran on to lead 1f out, headed final 110yds, kept on **2/5F**

- 3 2 3/4 **RICHARD'S KID** 5 8-9 M Garcia
bb h by Lemon Drop Kid-Tough Broad (Broad Brush)
(Bob Baffert) pulled early and chased leaders, went 2nd 4f out, 3rd straight, kept on at same pace **42/10**

Also: 4¹ 3/4 **TRES BORRACHOS** 5^{nm} **COMPARI** 6¹ 1/2 **CIGAR MAN**
6 ran **TIME** 2m 3.31s

OWNER:West Point Thoroughbreds; BRED:Runnymede Farm Inc, C Clay & P Callahan
TRAINER:Craig Dollase in USA

TOTE PARI-MUTUEL (all including \$2 stake): WIN 18.00; PLACE (1-2) 4.40, 2.20; SHOW (1-2-3) 2.40, 2.10, 2.20; DF 6.80; SF 32.20

Hamburg

11 Jul 2010

4.10 H.H. Sheikh Hamdan Bin Rashid Al Maktoum Trophy (Hamburger Stutenpreis) (Group 3) (3yo Fillies) 1m3f
[OFF 4.15]

For: 3-y-o 1st £28,318.58 2nd £9,734.51 3rd £4,867.26 4th £2,654.87 5th £1,769.91 6th £1,327.43

- 1 **MISS STARLIGHT** (GB) 3 9-2 T Hellier
b f by Trade Fair (GB)-Redeem (IRE) (Doyoun) (GB)
(P J McBride) broke slowly, settled towards rear, made good progress around final turn, switched to outer, quickened well, grabbed lead 150yds out, ran on well **127/10**

- 2 1 **ELLE SHADOW** (IRE) 3 9-2 A Starke
b f by Shamardal (USA)-Elle Danzig (Roi Danzig) (USA)
(P Schiergen) settled midfield, made move on inner entering straight, quickened under pressure, chased winner to line 11/5

- 3 1 **OVAMBO QUEEN** 3 9-2 Henk Grewe
bb f by Kalatos-Oxalaguna (Lagunas) (GB)
(Dr A Bolte) always prominent, racing behind leaders, kept on well for 3rd in straight **49/10**

Also: 4¹ **NIANGA** 5¹ 1/2 **WALDJAGD** (GB) 17/10F 6¹ 1/4 **GLADY ROMANA** 7² **TUIGA** (IRE) 8³ **PRAGELATA** 9³ **KAYA BELLE**
9 ran **TIME** 2m 21.27s

OWNER:Maelor Racing; BRED:T J Cooper
TRAINER:P J McBride at Newmarket, Suffolk

TOTE WIN (incl. 10 euro stake): 137. **PLACES:** 35, 16, 22. **SF:** 589

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