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Entries Due For CTBA's Successful Northern California Yearling Sale

Monday, June 2, is the entry closing date for the 2008 CTBA Sales Northern California Yearling Sale to be held at the Sonoma County Fairgrounds in Santa Rosa on Tuesday, Aug. 26. It has also been announced that the host hotel for this year's event is the Flamingo Conference Resort and Spa (800-848-8300, 707-545-853 or reservations@flamingoresort.com), while other Santa Rosa and Rohnert Park accommodations include Extended Stay (707-546-4808), Doubletree Hotel Sonoma Wine Country (800-222-8733 or 707-584-5466) and Motel 6 (707-585-8888).

Heading into its fifth renewal, a host of the auction's graduates have provided buyers with an excellent return on their investments, especially this year's California-bred graded stakes-winning duo of Sierra Sunset and Autism Awareness.

Sierra Sunset won the \$300,000 Rebel Stakes (grade II) at Oaklawn Park on March 15, after winning both the California Cup Juvenile Stakes and Bay Meadows Juvenile Stakes last year. Bred by Martin and Pam Wygod and by their River Edge Farm stallion Bertrando, out of the dual stakes-placed Pirate's Bounty mare Toot Sweet, Sierra Sunset's owners Phil Lebherz, Al Mariani, George Schmitt and Carol Wirth have now banked \$428,696 from four wins, three seconds and one third in 11 starts by their charge, for whom they signed a \$40,000 ticket during the sale's 2006 edition.

Also proving to be a bargain buy at the venue's original Pleasanton location two years ago, is Autism Awareness, a \$1,000 purchase by Johnny Taboada who has now earned \$151,967 from a 14-2-3-1 record, including the \$150,000 El Camino Real Derby at Bay Meadows Racecourse on March 8. Bred by Jim Eaton, Paul Arndt, Dave Marabela and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Smith, the three-year-old colt is a son of the Woodbridge

Farm stallion Tannersmyman out of the winning Sharp Victor mare, Lady Essex.

Another prominent graduate of the 2006 auction is Run Brother Ron, who parlayed his \$40,000 sales slip into stakes victories in both last year's \$64,675 Beau Brummel Stakes at Fairplex Park and \$53,160 Everett Nevin Alameda County Futurity at Pleasanton. By the Old English Rancho stallion Perfect Mandate out of Aloha Mangos, a multiple stakes-placed daughter of Bold Badgett, Run Brother Ron was bred by Larry and Sheila Ullmann's SLU Inc. and boasts a record of 7-3-1-0 and \$102,307 for his owners Phil Lebherz and George and Mary Clare Schmitt.

The \$50,000 sale-topper at this venue three years ago was Leesider, a Wygod-bred son of Bertrando, out of the Storm Cat mare Sweet Paradise, who has since earned \$219,201 from two wins in 12 starts for Patrick Sheehy's Super Horse Inc., including the \$250,000 Cal National Snow Chief Stakes at Hollywood Park on April 29, 2007. Other notable graduates of the 2005 edition are the juvenile stakes winners Super Image and Sharoana who sold for \$35,000 and \$25,000, respectively. The former won the Cavonnier Juvenile Stakes at Santa Rosa and has earned \$136,534, while the later captured the Everett Nevin Alameda County Futurity and has earnings of \$98,648.

Also proving to be shrewd purchases are Bai and Bai and More Angels, both of whom sold at the inaugural auction. Bai and Bai, a daughter of Falstaff bred by Bill and Lillian Nichols' Mares' Nest, is now a grade I-placed multiple stakes winner whose \$631,868 earnings dwarf her \$3,200 purchase price, while Slew of Angels' 2007 stakes winner More Angels, who was knocked down for \$10,000, was bred by Vessels Stallion Farm LLC (Scoop and Bonnie Vessels) and has since earned \$370,478.

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QUICK ACTION

Leading Sires In California: January 1 Through May 26, 2008

Leading Sires by Money Won

Rank Sire	Runners	Starts	Races	
			Won	Earnings
1. Unusual Heat84	323	62	\$2,457,172	
2. Deputy Commander130	462	69	1,520,493	
3. Benchmark110	332	36	1,453,108	
4. Bertrando100	299	50	1,360,194	
5. In Excess (Ire)98	353	50	1,273,821	
6. Sea of Secrets121	430	57	1,240,341	
7. Salt Lake100	353	63	1,237,781	
8. Swiss Yodeler129	466	66	1,086,044	
9. Cee's Tizzy70	212	30	996,507	
10. Formal Gold73	288	41	907,019	
11. Lord Carson*107	364	47	851,796	
12. Tribal Rule41	132	25	820,134	
13. Thunderello#50	197	27	793,663	
14. High Brite79	300	46	768,161	
15. Roar69	286	44	716,193	
16. Lit de Justice73	260	22	673,742	
17. Game Plan58	186	27	661,626	
18. Old Topper85	287	36	653,206	
19. Valid Wager*108	380	50	631,497	
20. Storm Creek88	309	39	599,383	
21. Skimming54	177	30	548,769	
22. Beau Genius81	308	36	544,718	
23. Souvenir Copy*62	220	34	519,886	
24. Comic Strip55	194	29	490,845	
25. Memo (Chi)48	133	28	466,310	
26. Monashee Mountain#70	219	30	430,903	
27. Decarchy24	71	15	425,103	
28. Western Fame50	172	28	390,327	
29. Bartok (Ire)43	159	23	377,487	
30. General Meeting*39	167	18	370,468	
31. Stormy Jack14	47	5	367,990	
32. Hold for Gold22	65	11	343,260	
33. Helmsman•58	217	25	341,314	
34. Muqtarib35	120	30	286,799	
35. Smokester*43	152	19	268,984	

Leading Sires by Turf Earnings

(Minimum 50 Starts Lifetime)

Rank Sire	Runners	Starts	Winners	Races	
				Won	Earnings
1. Unusual Heat58	133	18	27	\$1,142,174	
2. Cee's Tizzy18	31	5	6	365,810	
3. In Excess (Ire)28	55	9	10	311,968	
4. Bertrando34	57	7	8	310,512	
5. Monashee Mountain# 47	107	13	18	307,793	
6. Storm Creek20	45	8	13	220,408	
7. Deputy Commander .32	62	9	11	208,136	
8. Comic Strip14	31	3	4	191,174	
9. Benchmark26	44	3	3	186,446	
10. Swiss Yodeler20	31	3	4	170,990	
11. Last Lion†1	3	1	2	156,420	
12. High Brite16	22	4	4	153,884	

Leading Sires Of Two-Year-Olds by Money Won

Sire	Runners	Starts	Races	
			Won	Earnings
1. Swiss Yodeler15	27	5	\$225,100	
2. Nineeven5	14	3	111,145	
3. Rio Verde8	17	2	91,044	
4. Bring the Heat•7	11	3	83,653	
5. Cat Dreams6	12	2	53,919	
6. Lord Carson*7	10	1	47,796	
7. Momentum4	5	2	39,680	
8. In Excess (Ire)2	3	2	38,760	
9. Comic Strip1	1	1	28,800	
10. Muqtarib3	4	1	23,160	
11. Valid Wager*2	3	1	22,400	
12. Expressionist1	2	1	21,600	

The statistics contained in these rankings are compiled by The Jockey Club Information Systems Inc. While every effort is made to prevent errors and omissions, *California Thoroughbred* cannot guarantee their complete and total accuracy. A dagger (†) indicates a stallion has been retired, an asterisk (*) that he has died, a dot (•) that he is now standing elsewhere, a number sign (#) that he did not stand in California in 2007 but stood in the state in 2008, a double dagger (‡) that he did not stand in California in 2008 but will stand in the state in 2009 and in **bold** that he is a freshman sire. In all cases, the sire will remain in the rankings until the year after his last California foals are two-year-olds. Statistics cover racing in North America (U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico), England, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy and the United Arab Emirates only.

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SEPTEMBER 30th—Barretts/CTBA California Fall Selected Yearling Sale; OCTOBER 26th—Barretts Classic I;
OCTOBER 27th & 28th—Barretts Mixed Sale

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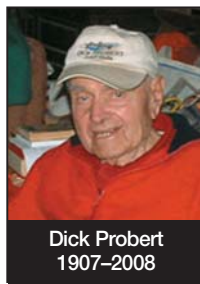
A new heading called “After Racing” has been added to the navigation bar of the www.CTBA.com website.

The “After Racing” heading has a “Good Homes” link, which provides further links to retirement homes for horses, as well as stories from breeders and owners about how they are using their retired runners and breeding stock.

Longtime Breeder Probert Passes

At the time of going to press, the sad news was received that California breeder Dick Probert had passed away at the age of 101 on May 16. CTBA members for more than 45 years, Dick and his wife Nancy enjoyed much success from their Rancho de los Aviadores base in Annapolis as the breeders of both a host of stakes winners across the state and a number of sale-toppers, primarily at the local Northern California auctions.

A complete tribute to Dick Probert will be featured in the July 2008 issue of the *California Thoroughbred* magazine.



McCann's Mojave Captures Berkeley

Millionaire McCann's Mojave climbed to 18th on the all-time California-bred earnings list by winning the \$150,000 Berkeley Handicap (grade III) at Golden Gate Fields on May 26.

McCann's Mojave is by Memo (Chi) out of the graded stakes-placed, dual stakes winner Joni U. Bar, was bred by Alix Nikki Hunt and Mike Willman, is owned by Willman and trained by Steve Specht.

He has 12 wins in 34 starts and earnings of \$1,468,565, moving past Moscow Burning and Men's Exclusive on the Cal-bred earnings list. He was eighth in this race last year.



Equine Equity Act Becomes Law

Members of the U.S. Senate and the U.S. House of Representatives voted May 22, to override a Presidential veto of the 2007 Farm Bill exercised by George W. Bush the day before. As a result, the 2007 Farm Bill is now law and it includes the Equine Equity Act, a provision that amends the depreciation schedule for racehorses to a uniform three years.

Under previous tax law, racehorses were depreciated over either three or seven years, depending on their age when "placed in service." A horse is generally deemed to be placed in service when it begins training. Racehorses over the age of 24 months (from date of foaling) when placed into service are depreciated over three years; otherwise, they are depreciated over seven years. In a given crop of horses that make it to the track, about half will start as two-year-olds and the rest will start as three-year-olds. Most racehorses (except geldings) are off the track by age five, making a seven-year depreciation schedule anachronistic. Legislation contained in the 2007 Farm Bill allows an owner to recover his/her costs over the period of time that the horse is likely to race.

“This crucial piece of legislation finally provides fair and equitable tax treatment to the Thoroughbred industry,” said Alex Waldrop, President and CEO of the National Thoroughbred Racing Association (NTRA). “This day is the culmination of many years of effort on Capitol Hill by the NTRA legislative team, and we thank Sen. Mitch McConnell, who secured inclusion of the racehorse depreciation measure in the Farm Bill, for his strong support of Kentucky’s signature industry.”

The 2007 Farm Bill also contains two other provisions, promoted by the NTRA, to aid horse owners. These provisions would make horse breeders eligible for the first time for emergency federal loans following a disaster. Further, the bill includes a new permanent disaster assistance program that will provide relief funds to farmers and ranchers who suffer losses in areas that are declared disaster areas by USDA (United States Department of Agriculture). This additional disaster program will be available to horse owners.

The NTRA will be holding tax seminars this year around major Thoroughbred sales, explaining the new law as well as legislation changing the terms for the Section 179 expensing allowance and for bonus depreciation that was passed earlier this year as part of President Bush's Economic Stimulus Act.—NTRA

California-Bred Flashback

Channing Way

On May 27, 2001, Channing Way, a dark bay or brown daughter of Smokester, won the \$60,400 Miss California Stakes for California-bred three-year-old fillies at Bay Meadows Racecourse, with Exquisite Woman finishing second and Bafferta finishing third in a field of six. Channing Way was trained by Dan Morgan and ridden by Chance Rollins. She ran the six furlongs on a fast track in 1:09 1/5 and won by a nose at odds of 5-2.

Channing Way is the sixth of eight foals out of the stakes-placed Wig Out mare Only Silk. The Miss California was Channing Way's sixth win in seven starts. She eventually won a total of nine stakes races, including the \$150,000 Melair Stakes in her prior start to the Miss California, and finished her career with 12 wins in 26 starts and earnings of \$403,167. She was bred by her owner, the late Larry Becker, and foaled at Pegasus Ranch. As a broodmare, Channing Way has one foal of racing age.



California-Bred Stakes Winners In California: May 19-26, 2008

McCann's Mojave

BERKELEY STAKES (Gr. III), Golden Gate Fields, May, 26, \$150,000 guaranteed, three-year-olds and up, 1 1/16 miles, 1:43.06, track fast. Track record: 1:42.15. Trainer: Steven Specht. Jockey: Frank Alvarado. Odds: 3-1

MCCANN'S MOJAVE, b. h., 8 (123), 3½
Memo (Chi)—Joni U. Bar, \$90,000
by Nordic Prince

Desert Code, ch. c., 4 (123), ½
E Dubai—Chatta Code, \$30,000
by Lost Code
(Tarabilla Farms Inc.)

Pass the Heat, dk. b. or br. g., 5 (123), 3
Unusual Heat—She's Got Glass, \$18,000
by Pass the Glass
(Joseph P. Morey Jr. Revocable Trust)

Also: Magnum (Arg) (123)—\$9,000, Our Partner (123)—\$3,000, Marsh Side (123).

RACING RECORD						
AGE	STS	1st	2nd	3rd	Earnings	
2	1	1	0	0	\$28,800	
3	2	2	0	0	74,880	
4	4	2	1	0	177,140	
5	9	2	1	0	274,560	
6	7	2	0	0	69,575	
7	7	2	1	0	736,600	
8	4	1	1	0	107,010	
Totals	34	12	4	0	\$1,468,565	

Memo (Chi) Ridgeley Farm (805) 688-8979

Mocito Guapo (Arg)	Good Manners	Nashua
	La Chiflada (Arg)	Fun House
		Right of Way (GB)
MEMO (CHI)		La Maleva (Arg)
b. 1987	Chairman Walker	Buckpasser
	Chardona	Swansea
	Ana Frank	Faubourg
		Sayula
	Nearctic	Nearco (Ity)
Nordic Prince	Year Around	Lady Angela
		Hill Prince
JONI U. BAR		Royal Society
dk. b. or br. 1980	Grey Eagle	Heliopolis
	Edes Ilona	Beauty Spot
		Admiral Lea
	Tomato Miss	Tayeh

When Memo (Chi) has been crossed with Nordic Prince mares, it has produced 2 foals of racing age, 2 winners (100%), 1 SW (50%), 1 graded SW (50%), \$754,017 average earnings per runner.

Sire: MEMO (CHI). Raced 3 years, 23 starts, 6 wins. Earned \$692,288 (SPR 98). Sire of 11 crops, 464 foals, 235 runners (51%), 160 winners (34%), 22 SWs (5%), including Grey Memo, Bordonaro, Memorette. Total progeny earnings \$14,436,211, \$61,431 average per starter. Yearling auction record, 1980 to present—87 yearlings sold, 12 crops, \$18,946 average. In 2007, 6 yearlings sold, \$15,417 average.

1st dam: JONI U. BAR. Bred by Frank Cozza (Calif.). Raced 6 years, 37 starts, 16 wins. Earned \$320,050 (SPR 98). At 5, won Charles H. Russel H., At 7, won June Darling S. FFSPR: 67 89 PRINCE MAMOON, g., by Al Mamoon. Raced 2 years, 16 starts, 4 wins. Earned \$15,292 (SPR 74).

\$40,000 yearling 1990 California Thoroughbred Sales Inc.'s Del Mar Yearling Sale, \$29,000 two-year-old 1991 Barretts March Two-Year-Old Sale. 91 BAR PHONE, f., by Phone Trick. Raced 3 years, 10 starts, 2 wins. Earned \$42,220 (SPR 82). 92 c., by Phone Trick. Unraced. 93 COO CAT, f., by Cozzene. Raced 2 years, 8 starts, 2 wins. Earned \$9,375 (SPR 54). 94 **Big Find**, g., by Geiger Counter. Raced 3 years, 11 starts, 2 wins. Earned \$74,450 (SPR 83). At 2, 3rd Berkeley H. 96 DEPUTY DELEGATE, c., by The Prime Minister. Raced 3 years, 25 starts, 2 wins. Earned \$35,895 (SPR 59). 97 CHILE BAR, g., by Memo (Chi). Raced 4 years, 51 starts, 3 wins. Earned \$39,470 (SPR 43). 00 **MCCANN'S MOJAVE**, c., by Memo (Chi). At 4, won Potrero Grande Breeders' Cup H. (Gr. II), Sensational Star H., 2nd Churchill Downs H. (Gr. II), At 5, won Ack Ack H., California Cup Classic H., 2nd Triple Bend Invitational H. (Gr. I), At 6, won Union Square S., At 7, won All American S. (Gr. III), Sunshine Millions Classic S., 2nd Forty Niner S., At 8, WON Berkeley S. (Gr. III), 2nd President's Day Mile S. (SPR 98). **2nd dam: EDES ILONA** (1969). Bred by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cozza (Calif.). Raced 2 years, 3 starts, 1 win. Earned \$2,290 (SPR 89). Produced 7 foals, 2 winners. **Broodmare Sire: NORDIC PRINCE**. Raced 2 years, 17 starts, 4 wins. Earned \$95,000 (SPR 98). Sire of 92 mares which produced 167 foals. 6 mares produced SWs (4%). 113 runners (68%), 74 winners (44%), 6 SWs (4%), including Royaltea Bey, Conplay, Maricarmen. Progeny earnings of \$3,913,414. **Foaled:** Winner's Circle Equine, Hemet, Calif. **Breeders:** Alix Nikki Hunt and Mike Willman. **Owner:** Mike Willman.

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California-Bred Maiden Winners In North America: May 19-26, 2008

AMNESTY

May 26 (YAV, \$5,800 MCL.)

Backstretch Ginge. Dr. Michael V. O'Brien's b. f., 4, by Amnesty—Ballyslew by Slewp. **Breeder: Burning Creek Ranch.** Trainer: Dick Hall. Jockey: Alberto R. Higuera.

BARTOK (IRE)

May 24 (PIM, \$8,000 MCL.)

Huggy Bear. Andy and Karen Iacenda's b. g., 3, by Bartok (Ire)—No Smoochin by Dynaformer. **Breeders: Andy and Karen Iacenda.** Trainer: Francis P. Campitelli. Jockey: Geovany Garcia.

BERTRANDO

May 26 (GG, \$9,640 MCL.)

Kissed by Class. Dr. and Mrs. William T. Gray's dk. b. f., 4, by Bertrando—Skipping Beats by Lyphard. **Breeders: Dr. and Mrs. William T. Gray D.V.M.** Trainer: Greg C. James. Jockey: William Antongeorgi III.

May 26 (GG, \$39,600 MSW.)

Cascabel Lady. Ike, Karlik, Siegel and Spero's dk. b. f., 3, by Bertrando—Collectors Edition by Seattle Slew. **Breeders: Betty L. and Larry Mabee.** Trainer: Amanda McKaughan. Jockey: Juan Ochoa.

BRING THE HEAT

May 21 (CD, \$41,400 MSW.)

Regardless of outcome. David Almost, Brian O'Laughlin, Sanjesh Sharma and Wesley A. Ward's b. c., 2, by Bring the Heat—Bridget Says by Patton. **Breeder: Wesley A. Ward.** Trainer: Wesley A. Ward. Jockey: Elvis Trujillo.

May 22 (CD, \$11,200 MCL.)

Easy Ashley. Wesley A. Ward's ch. f., 3, by Bring the Heat—Easy Izzie by Fraser River. **Breeder: Wesley A. Ward.** Trainer: Wesley A. Ward. Jockey: Elvis Trujillo.

Cee's Tizzy

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May 25 (AP, \$16,233 MCL.)

In a Tiz. Montesano Racing LLC's gr./ro. f., 3, by Cee's Tizzy—Sugar 'n Oats by Seattle Song. **Breeder: Hertel Farms LLC.** Trainer: Dale Bennett. Jockey: Eduardo E. Perez.

Comet Shine

Victory Rose Thoroughbreds
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May 26 (GG, \$9,040 MCL.)

Louie C. Sandra and Jim J. Evans' dk. b. f., 3, by Comet Shine—Lady Lou by Louisiana Slew. **Breeders: Jim J. and Sandra Evans.** Trainer: Michael Lenzini. Jockey: Kyle Kaenel.

COMIC STRIP

May 22 (LA, \$5,815 MCL.)

Big Hit. Blaine J. Thomas' dk. b. c., 3, by Comic Strip—Spectacular Factor by Spectacular Round. **Breeders: Special T Thoroughbreds and BnD Chase Thoroughbreds.** Trainer: James G. Hanson. Jockey: Gary L. Boag.

DEVON LANE

May 25 (HOL, \$49,600 MSW.)

Small But Mighty. Paula S. Capestro and Allen and Deborah Creel's gr./ro. f., 3, by Devon Lane—Big Noise by In Excess (Ire). **Breeders: Allen and Deborah Creel and Tom Leshor.** Trainer: Paula S. Capestro. Jockey: Alonso Quinonez.

ELEGANT FELLOW

May 24 (ARP, \$6,200 MSW.)

Honey Dare. Tim Gasaway, Jack Rotilo and Angela-Moore Favre's dk. b. f., 4, by Elegant Fellow—Shanie Rae by Shanekite. **Breeders: Mr. and Mrs. L. Judd Morse.** Trainer: Kevin J. Favre. Jockey: Jose J. Barajas.

EPIC HONOR

May 24 (GG, \$9,640 MCL.)

My Call. Greg C. James or Thomas E. and Carol Phillips' dk. b. g., 3, by Epic Honor—Gunnabeallerina by Big Presentation. **Breeders: Dr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Phillips.** Trainer: Greg C. James. Jockey: William Antongeorgi III.

FREESPOOL

May 23 (HOL, \$18,700 MCL.)

Perfect Cast. Janet Hollendorfer and George Todaro's ch. f., 3, by Freespool—Pearlescent by Clever Trick. **Breeder: Desperado Stables Inc.** Trainer: Jerry Hollendorfer. Jockey: Michael C. Baze.

GENERAL MEETING

May 26 (GG, \$18,900 MCL.)

Iron Rooster. James M. Biller's dk. b. g., 4, by General Meeting—Marnay by Kris S.. **Breeder: James M. Biller.** Trainer: Greg C. James. Jockey: William Antongeorgi III.

HIGH DEMAND

May 23 (HOL, \$16,880 MCL.)

Smart Demand. Nick Cafarchia's b. c., 4, by High Demand—Rumor of War by Lord At War (Arg). **Breeder: Nick Cafarchia.** Trainer: Rafael Becerra. Jockey: Mike E. Smith.

HONOUR AND GLORY

May 25 (PIM, \$8,000 MCL.)

Honour Roll. Andy and Karen Iacenda's b. g., 5, by Honour and Glory—Blue Eyed Lilli by Gulch. **Breeder: Dr. Mark Dedomenico.** Trainer: Francis P. Campitelli. Jockey: Geovany Garcia.

In Excess (Ire)

Vessels Stallion Farm
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May 21 (HOL, \$51,600 MSW.)

Bran Jammias. Frank Alesia, Bran Jam Stable and Joseph Ciaglia's b. f., 3, by In Excess (Ire)—Do You Mind by Broadway Forli. **Breeders: Frank Alesia, Greg Vela, Joe Ciaglia and Bran Jam Stables.** Trainer: Peter Eurton. Jockey: Alonso Quinonez.

May 23 (HOL, \$17,280 MCL.)

Scotty Jones. Bryan M. Carney and Ronald Donn's b. c., 4, by In Excess (Ire)—Craftique by Crafty Prospector. **Breeders: William L. Currin and Al Eisman.** Trainer: Jack C. Van Berg. Jockey: Isaias D. Enriquez.

KID CAPOTE

May 24 (ARP, \$6,200 MSW.)

Baby Jack Rey. Eli Diamant's dk. b. g., 4, by Kid Capote—Bela's Pal by Cryptoclearance.

Breeders: Harry Veruchi and Eli Diamant. Trainer: Jon G. Arnett. Jockey: Travis Wales.

LORD CARSON

May 21 (GG, \$18,900 MCL.)

Enjoy to the World. Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC's dk. b. f., 2, by Lord Carson—Wager's Joy by Valid Wager. **Breeder: Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC.** Trainer: Armando Lage. Jockey: Catalino Martinez.

May 24 (HST, \$11,865 MCL.)

Cuddlemekaylee. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Barroby's dk. b. f., 3, by Lord Carson—Visitron by King Alphonse. **Breeders: Bill and Christine Retzer.** Trainer: Harold J. Barroby. Jockey: Jayson Manuel Rodriguez.

May 25 (HST, \$10,283 MCL.)

Joy of the Lord. Lara Racing Stables Ltd.'s ch. g., 3, by Lord Carson—Wager's Joy by Valid Wager. **Breeder: Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, LLC.** Trainer: Juan C. Olmos. Jockey: Fernando Hernandez Perez.

MALABAR GOLD

May 26 (IND, \$11,000 MSW.)

Aloha Love. T. L. Wise's b. c., 3, by Malabar Gold—San Diego Sue by Red Ransom. **Breeder: B. Wayne Hughes.** Trainer: Vernon D. Coyle. Jockey: Orlando Mojica.

Momentum
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May 22 (GG, \$18,900 MCL.)

Joy Division. J. Paul Reddam's b. c., 2, by Momentum—Joyful Meeting by General Meeting. **Breeder: J. Paul Reddam.** Trainer: Edward R. Freeman. Jockey: Saul Arias.

MORE THAN READY

May 21 (HOL, \$49,200 MSW.)

Listisimo. Tom Grether Farms Inc. and Gary Sherlock's b. f., 2, by More Than Ready—Harbor Princess by Boston Harbor. **Breeder: Betty L. and Larry Mabee.** Trainer: Gary Sherlock. Jockey: Jose M. Campos.

MUD ROUTE

May 23 (LA, \$6,115 MCL.)

Evelenajoelene. Salvador De Alba and Howard and Gerry Morrow's ch. f., 4, by Mud Route—Cup and a Half by Half a Year. **Breeder: Charles J. Longen.** Trainer: Joe Herrick. Jockey: Cesar De Alba.

NINEEVEN

May 26 (LNN, \$10,640 MSW.)

Colony Trick. Laneluck Farms and Veerhusen Stables' b. f., 3, by Nineeven—Bay Colony by Storm Bird. **Breeder: Terry C. Lovingier.** Trainer: Kim Veerhusen. Jockey: Yuri Yarang.

ONE MAN ARMY

May 26 (YAV, \$4,800 MCL.)

Ma Deuce. Janet L. Aiton's ch. f., 4, by One Man

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California-Bred Maiden Winners In North America: May 19-26, 2008

Army—Crystal Chandelier by Houston. **Breeders:** Bruce Headley and Andrew and Irwin Molasky. Trainer: Sam Aiton. Jockey: Alberto R. Higuera.

PERFECT MANDATE

May 25 (HOL, \$50,400 MSW.)

Mandate Perfected. E. W. and Judy Johnston, and Robert Riggio's ch. c., 3, by Perfect Mandate—Curves 'n Curls by Something Lucky. **Breeder: Old English Rancho.** Trainer: Donald Warren. Jockey: Victor Espinoza.

PROUD IRISH

May 25 (RUI, \$5,200 MCL.)

El Vago. Tricar Stable Inc.'s gr./ro. g., 3, by Proud Irish—Misty Daze by Rubiano. **Breeder: Tricar Stables Inc.** Trainer: Sal Gonzalez. Jockey: Miguel A. Perez.

RICHLY BLENDED

May 23 (GG, \$40,500 MSW.)

Carissa. Bob Ramsey's ch. f., 3, by Richly Blended—Lady Jade by Memo (Chi). **Breeder: Bob Ramsey.** Trainer: Lloyd C. Mason. Jockey: Luis V. Martinez.

SHARAN (GB)

May 20 (RD, \$4,400 MCL.)

Sharanese. Tango Stable-Verdis Corp.'s dk. b. f., 3,

by Sharan (GB)—Personified by Strike Gold. **Breeder: Luis E. Seglin.** Trainer: Luis E. Seglin. Jockey: Christian Rojas.

Swiss Yodeler Pepper Oaks Farm (805) 688-8979

May 24 (HOL, \$23,600 MCL.)

Bondi Babe. Elizabeth Walsh and Gabriel Dixon's ch. f., 3, by Swiss Yodeler—Hit the Pavement by Pirate's Bounty. **Breeder: Ronald E. Jex.** Trainer: Patrick Gallagher. Jockey: Alex O. Solis.

TOWN CAPER

May 20 (PHA, \$17,280 MCL.)

My Sis Nancy. James W. and Marcia S. Equils's b. f., 4, by Town Capar—Think Sure by For Sure. **Breeders: Haras El Palenque and McNeil.** Trainer: Randy Allen. Jockey: Manuel A. Rosario.

TRAIL CITY

May 24 (GG, \$9,640 MCL.)

Trail Blazer. Robert J. Verchota's dk. b. g., 3, by Trail City—Loveable Mandy by Boundary. **Breeder: Robert J. Verchota.** Trainer: Steve M. Sherman. Jockey: Russell A. Baze.

Truckee

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May 21 (CT, \$13,000 MCL.)

Trumar. David J. and Toni M. Rose's b. g., 4, by Truckee—Marlite by Majestic Light. **Breeder: Four Quarters Corp.** Trainer: David J. Rose. Jockey: Arnaldo Bocachica.

VALID WAGER

May 24 (RUI, \$5,200 MCL.)

Pigette. Arturo Rodriguez's dk. b. c., 3, by Valid Wager—Precious Peace by Habitony (Eng) **Breeder: Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC.** Trainer: Ronald W. Hartnett. Jockey: Joe A. Martinez.

May 26 (BOI, \$2,800 MSW.)

Nanak Guy. Travis Staker's ch. g., 3, by Valid Wager—My Thellie by Naevus. **Breeders: Tiffany Zammit and Richard Reed.** Trainer: Gary Simpson. Jockey: Cameron Colledge.

YOU AND I

May 26 (YAV, \$4,800 MCL.)

Herman Da Rat. Rafael Barraza's b. g., 3, by You and I—Sotogrande by Smokester. **Breeder: Joe Testan.** Trainer: Dick Hall. Jockey: Daniel P. Vergara.

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