



DERBY DOMINANCE - LEAVE IT TO ME again got the better of stable-mate **Amanyara** in a thrilling renewal of the Derby.
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Brilliance again from the exciting **APOSTLE** who claimed the "T.A. Tommy Peirce Memorial Stakes" for the second time in three years.
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Garrison Savannah Results for Saturday August 7, 2010

UNITED INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED RACEDAY

FEATURING

THE 26TH UNITED INSURANCE
BARBADOS DERBY (GR.1R. - BAR)
("THE THIRD JEWEL OF THE BARBADOS TRIPLE CROWN")

&

THE T. A. "TOMMY" PEIRCE MEMORIAL TROPHY (HANDICAP)

NOTE: Dividends are declared at a base bet of Bds. \$1.00



Two Year Old **SLIP STREAM** looks like a star in the making and remained a perfect two for two.
 (PHOTOGRAPH BY JUNIOR FRANKLYN)

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| Race # | 1 | ID# | 115 | Track Condition | GOOD |
| THE R.L. SEALE & COMPANY LIMITED TROPHY (CONDITION RACE) WEST INDIAN BRED 2-YEAR-OLDS | | | | | |
| 1100 Meters (5½ furlongs) | | | | | |
| Total Purse - \$12,000 | | | 1st: \$6,600; 2nd: \$2,760; 3rd: \$1,680; 4th: \$960. | | |
| Order of Finish | # | Horse | Weight | Jockey | |
| 1 | #12 | SLIP STREAM (BAR) (B) - 6/5 | 118 | A. TROTMAN | |

Hung slightly left from gate; led after 1f; stumbled badly 4f out; always handy and never seriously threatened; pulled clear when shaken up; impressive.

2 #10 **FERNANDINA** (BAR) - 7/1 **111** **RESHAWN LATCHMAN** (7)

Quickly away and prominent; chased leader in 2nd; effort to challenge 2 1/2f out; same place when ridden; all out.

3 #14 **ISTANBUL** (BAR) - 13/1 **115** **R. WHITTER** (7)

Hampered slightly at start; prominent from outside; clear 3rd 3f out; pressed over 1f out; stayed on.

4 #6 **VITALITY** (BAR) - 7/2 **117** **J. SAMUEL** (5)

In touch with leaders; switched off rail under 3f out and soon bidding for 3rd; no further.

5 #4 **LUNE DE BARACHOIS** (BAR) - 19/2 **119** **A. BISHOP** (5)

Soon led; quickly headed and further relegated to 5th when stumbling 4f out; always in chase and not doing enough; evenly.

6 #8 **INDIAN SOUL** (BAR) - 13/1 **108** **AFFRIE WARD** (7)

Broke awkwardly and lost ground; settled mid-division; headway to dispute 5th 3f out; hanging left 2-3f out; beaten 1f out.

7 #2 **QUEEN OF HEARTS** (BAR) - 45/1 **107** **P. BADRIE** (5)

Never closer than mid-division; unable to quicken when pressed.

8 #3 **KING OF DIAMONDS** (BAR) - 11/1 **118** **J. CRONEY** (7)

Wayward from gate and soon outpaced towards rear; made no impression when ridden.

9 #7 **PAR-TIC-U-LAR** (BAR) - 16/1 **118** **K. JOHN** (3)

With leaders early; soon out-paced in mid-pack; no effort when pressed; already beaten 3f out.

10 #11 **TACTICAL REMARK** (BAR) (T) - 40/1 **115** **D. BYNOE** (7)

Slowly into stride and out-paced; quickly towards rear; never a factor.

11 #9 **REPRISE** (BAR) - 20/1 **111** **J. GRANT**

Soon out-paced and well-back in second to last after 1 1/2f.

12 #5 **STEPPIN RAZOR** (BAR) - 8/1 **120** **JASON LEACOCK**

Dwelt badly at start; quickly in last and never on terms.

SCR #13 **THE MILK MAID** (BAR) **111** **SCRATCHED**

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| Fractional Times | 1/4 Mile | 26.8 | 1/2 Mile | 51.8 | 3/4 Mile | | 1 Mile | |
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| Final Time | 1:08.0 | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE |
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| Winner | 2YO Bay Filly - FEDERICO out of VALDANCE CREEK by STORM CREEK |
| Winning Trainer | A. NUNES |
| Winning Owner | SIR CHARLES AND LADY WILLIAMS |
| Winning Breeder | SIR CHARLES WILLIAMS |

| | Payments | Win | Place |
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| 1st | 12 | 2.20 | 1.95 |
| 2nd | 10 | | 1.95 |
| 3rd | 14 | | 7.10 |
| Forecast | 12-10 | | 7.00 |
| Trifecta | 12-10-14 | | 61.30 |

Analysis:

It appears that breeder Sir Charles Williams has a very smart horse on his hands in the shape of two year old **SLIP STREAM**, another exciting product of his Broomfield breeding operation. The leggy bay kept her perfect record intact with more convincing romp over fellow juveniles, and is the first of her generation to set tongues wagging with excitement at the possibilities. These are early days yet, but the signs are very encouraging for her and all connected. Not built like the typical precocious type, she's yet to be asked a serious question by the opposition, and the manner of victory here suggests they'll continue to struggle behind the Nunes trainee at least for the time being. The Kathleen Taylor Stakes is the next probable target, and the filly appears poised for a successful black-type debut. In a race run fairly true to form, **Fernandina** was again runner up and gave another good account. Similar to the winner, she quickly overcame a disadvantageous outside berth and forced a strong early gallop, though unable to get closer than within maybe a length of that horse throughout. The smallish filly was flat to the boards coming home (while in receipt of seven pounds from **SLIP STREAM**), and these factors make a clear case for her conqueror's impressive showing. **Istanbul** gave the form of Island Memories (two weeks ago) a little boost with another decent effort for third-place money. While looking like the type to be better suited by a longer journey, he's a colt who has pace and should continue to represent himself well in these early contests. [ROG]



MYSTIC MOON out-rallied a game **Grenadilla** en-route to winner the **"United Star Treatment Trophy Handicap"**.

(PHOTOGRAPH BY EDDIE BELLE)

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| Race # | 2 | ID# | 116 | Track Condition | GOOD |
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THE UNITED STAR TREATMENT TROPHY (HANDICAP) (DIV-A)
 3-YEAR-OLDS AND OVER RATED 0 - 70; AND NON-WEST INDIAN BRED 3-YEAR-OLD MAIDENS

1570 Meters (7.8 furlongs)

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| Total Purse - \$12,000 | 1st: \$6,600; 2nd: \$2,760; 3rd: \$1,680; 4th: \$960. |
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| Order of Finish | # | Horse | Weight | Jockey |
|-----------------|------------|--|------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | #2 | MYSTIC MOON (USA) (B) - 3/1 <i>Tracked leaders handily; smooth effort when ridden 2 1/2f out; led 1 1/2f out; rallied and going best late.</i> | 121 | K. JOHN (3) |
| 2 | #4 | GRENADILLA (USA) - 5/1 <i>Broke smartly and disputed lead; remained prominent though headed 4f out; still handy 2-3f out - not a clear run; quickened smartly along rail over 1f out; rallied; second best.</i> | 123 | A. TROTMAN |
| 3 | #12 | GREGORY'S GIRL (USA) - 35/1 <i>Aft of mid-division; still behind main group 2f out; considerable progress along rail and quickly in touch with leaders; 5th into straight; ridden out to take 3rd well inside final furlong; no chance with first two.</i> | 113 | P. BADRIE (5) |
| 4 | #11 | SUPER DANCER (BAR) (B) - 6/1 <i>Mid-division; short of room 3f out; smooth effort to dispute 4th 2f out; unable to go with winner 1f out; worn down and lost 3rd late.</i> | 110 | AFFRIE WARD (7) |
| 5 | #5 | GOLD DIGGER (BAR) - 3/1 <i>Dwelt and raced well back in last; in the hunt 1 1/2f out; wide into straight; gained 5th 100m out; not enough.</i> | 118 | J. SAMUEL (5) |
| 6 | #1 | JUST JIVING (USA) - 11/2 <i>Stalked leaders along rail; steadied when short of room just over 3f out; further relegated over 2f out; wide into straight; one pace.</i> | 117 | J. CRONEY (7) |
| 7 | #10 | CANDUIT TUYA (USA) (CP) - 15/1 <i>Prominent to dispute 3rd; pushed along to 2nd 3f out; brief lead then headed under 2f out; soon in trouble and weakening.</i> | 120 | JASON LEACOCK |
| 8 | #3 | QUE PASA (BAR) (T) - 15/2 <i>Settled towards rear; progress to mid-pack over 2f out; forced wide into straight; unable to make an impression.</i> | 111 | RESHAWN LATCHMAN (7) |
| 9 | #7 | WORDS OF THE WISE (USA) (T) - 11/1 <i>Among back-markers; widest of runners 2-3f out; one pace throughout.</i> | 115 | R. WHITTER (7) |
| 10 | #9 | JUST U AND ME (BAR) - 21/1 <i>Mid-division; pressing in close 4th over 2f out; soon in trouble.</i> | 120 | A. BISHOP (5) |
| 11 | #8 | SIR GLACKEN (USA) (T) - <i>Disputed lead; clear advantage under 4f out; shaken up under 3f out; quickly in trouble; weakened badly.</i> | 121 | R. MAYNARD (7) |
| 12 | #6 | ATHENA (BAR) - 35/1 <i>Prominent behind leaders; pushed along from 4f out; in retreat from under 3f out.</i> | 113 | J. GRANT |

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| Fractional Times | 1/4 Mile | 25.6 | 1/2 Mile | 51.0 | 3/4 Mile | 1:17.4 | 1 Mile | |
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| Final Time | 1:38.2 | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE |
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| Winner | 5YO Bay Mare - MALIBU MOON out of SALTWATER SILENCE by NO LOUDER |
| Winning Trainer | B. JOHN |
| Winning Owner | GREAT EXPECTATIONS |
| Winning Breeder | JUSTICE FARM, GREG & STEVE JUSTICE |

| Payments | Win | Place |
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| 1st | 2 | 1.40 |
| 2nd | 4 | 5.00 |
| 3rd | 12 | 8.40 |
| Forecast | 2-4 | 71.30 |
| Trifecta | 2-4-12 | 1,624.90 |

Analysis:

Five year old mare **MYSTIC MOON** was rewarded with her fourth visit to winner's row with this gutsy victory at the 7.8-furlong trip. It took the Boston John-trained animal four runs to again conjure up winning form, after sidelined by injury for just short of a year immediately following her last triumph. She gamely took the fight to runner-up **Grenadilla** in the final panel, and saw off that horse in good style despite his valiant manner. The handsome and promising runner-up ran perhaps his best race to date here; finding plenty once off the bridle a furlong and a half out. He's shown similar ability in the past, but keeping a line on him has been difficult due to a highly interrupted injury-affected campaign. With four months off prior to this brave effort, he's obviously one to take from this once he stays sound. **Gregory's Girl** has also had her share of physical issues, and is hopefully past the worst now; en-route to finally fulfill the promise she showed on debut. She rallied from well back for third place (though never in a position to trouble the first two) and should come on a lot for the run. [ROG]



Apprentice Randy Whitter assures victory on **LA PADRINO**, who swooped in the final furlong to win his handicap.

(PHOTOGRAPH BY JUNIOR FRANKLYN)

| Race # | 3 | ID# | 117 | Track Condition | GOOD | | | |
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| THE UNITED STAR TREATMENT TROPHY (H'CAP) (DIV-B) 3-YEAR-OLDS AND OVER RATED 0 - 70 AND NON-WEST INDIAN BRED 3-YEAR-OLD MAIDENS | | | | | | | | |
| 1570 Meters (7.8 furlongs) | | | | | | | | |
| Total Purse - \$12,000 | | | 1st: \$6,600; 2nd: \$2,760; 3rd: \$1,680; 4th: \$960. | | | | | |
| Order of Finish | # | Horse | Weight | Jockey | | | | |
| 1 | #4 | LA PADRINO (BAR) (T) - 24/1 | 115 | R. WHITTER (7) | | | | |
| <i>Always in touch with leaders; tracked pace handily in 3rd 4f out; still in hand behind leading pair over 2f out; quickened nicely when pressed over 1f out; led inside final furlong and pulled clear.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | #3 | DESERT ORCHID (BAR) - 5/1 | 110 | RESHAWN LATCHMAN (7) | | | | |
| <i>Disputed; traveled keenly to lead over 4f out; ridden 2f out and soon joined; brief rally; gave way grudgingly; all out final 100m.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | #2 | DEAL OR NODEAL (BAR) (T) - 7/5 | 123 | P. BADRIE (5) | | | | |
| <i>Settled off pace; headway along rail to dispute 4th over 4f out; still handily in 4th over 2f out; some effort when soon pressed though no chance with first two; hung slightly right and inconvenienced rival late.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | #10 | SLAMMIN N' JAMMIN (USA) - 4/1 | 118 | J. SAMUEL (5) | | | | |
| <i>Pulled hard behind leading group; same place 2f out when ridden; left rail and rallied between horses under 1f out; squeezed for room between horses well inside final furlong; never a threat to first two.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | #5 | MAHOGANY BIRD (BAR) - 25/1 | 120 | A. BISHOP (5) | | | | |
| <i>Disputed lead with runner-up; called on for effort over 2f out - unable to get by leader; soon under pressure when not going on; hung slightly left and squeezed foe late.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | #1 | JAMAICA MOON (BAR) - 6/1 | 114 | A. TROTMAN | | | | |
| <i>Held up and settled in second to last; pushed along 4f out and took closer order; smooth progress 3f out; no further; eased over 1f out.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | #11 | HORIZON (BAR) (T) - 35/1 | 109 | AFFRIE WARD (7) | | | | |
| <i>Mid-division; bolted just under 6f out and lost ground; not picking up when ridden under 3f out; already in trouble 2f out.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | #12 | INFORTHEFUN (USA) - 30/1 | 125 | K. JOHN (3) | | | | |
| <i>Soon out-paced and disputing second to last; never able to mount a challenge and quickly beaten.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | #6 | WHO'S STAYING (USA) (BT) - 15/2 | 119 | J. CRONEY (7) | | | | |
| <i>With leaders early; angled poorly under 6f out and lost ground; wide of runner over 4f out and quickly weakening to among back-markers.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | #9 | QUICK CITY (USA) - 15/2 | 123 | NOBLE ABREGO | | | | |
| <i>Held up in rear and never a factor.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | #8 | ST. NICHOLAS BAY (BAR) (B) - 12/1 | 117 | J. GRANT | | | | |
| <i>Sat behind leading trio; pushed along under 5f out; headway to pressed for 4th over 3f out; quickly under pressure and going backward.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| Fractional Times | 1/4 Mile | 26.0 | 1/2 Mile | 50.8 | 3/4 Mile | 1:16.8 | 1 Mile | |
| Final Time | 1:37.4 | | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE | | | | |
| Winner | 4YO Grey Gelding - MR. LIVINGSTON - ISLAND TRADEWINDS by ISLAND WHIRL | | | | | | | |
| Winning Trainer | A. WARD | | | | | | | |
| Winning Owner | LORD MICHAEL TAYLOR | | | | | | | |

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| Winning Breeder | | MR. MILLER ST JOHN | |
| Payments | | Win | Place |
| 1st | 4 | 25.00 | 3.50 |
| 2nd | 3 | | 2.20 |
| 3rd | 2 | | 1.20 |
| Forecast | 4-3 | | 108.15 |
| Trifecta | 4-3-2 | | 442.50 |

Analysis:

A contest which turned into less competitive than first presumed, and the winner's virtual romp assured the decisive result; and one that caught many punters napping. It was however, a fine way for the winner to chalk up his third lifetime win, and re-energize his career from what was beginning to look like a dreadful demise. The Anderson Ward-conditioned **LA PADRINO** ended a long absence from winner's row with sharp turn of foot in the final furlong, coming home considerably well clear of the in-form **Desert Orchid** for the score. In replenishing his bank account the four year old grey pushed Ward's career tally to seven; and with this triumph close on the heels of a decent third-place finish, it seems he may've found the key to keeping the son of Mr. Livingston in fine fettle for competition. **Desert Orchid's** enviable form continues, with a series of very smart efforts preceding today's showing. She had no excuses, having traveled well to control the gallop as she pleased until confronted by the winner just prior to reaching the furlong marker. Nonetheless, the consistent daughter of Janak deserves much credit, and will no doubt be a major forced again when next seen out. **Deal Or Noddeal** was never too far off the pace, and cruised smoothly into contention a quarter of a mile out. Conceding first run and being forced wide of the principles turning for home was to her detriment, and caused a less effective effort on her part in the run to the line. She is quite capable of trouncing these, but it's difficult to say if she'd taken an inner lane that the result would've been significantly altered on this occasion. [ROG]



MOST WANTED did just enough to make all in the day's 5-furlong sprint.
(PHOTOGRAPH BY EDDIE BELLE)

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| Race # | 4 | ID# | 118 | Track Condition | GOOD |
| THE UI MANAGEMENT INCORPORATED TROPHY (HANDICAP) WEST INDIAN BRED 3-YEAR-OLD NON-WINNERS OF TWO RACES IN CAREER | | | | | |
| 1000 Meters (5 furlongs) | | | | | |
| Total Purse - \$12,000 | | | 1st: \$6,600; 2nd: \$2,760; 3rd: \$1,680; 4th: \$960. | | |
| Order of Finish | # | Horse | Weight | Jockey | |
| 1 | #1 | MOST WANTED (BAR) (T) - 4/1 <i>Made all; stumbled leaving gate but still led easily; in hand until quickening further clear 2 1/2f out; left rail and under pressure 1f out; shortening but just held.</i> | 107 | P. BADRIE (5) | |
| 2 | #11 | FEDRICA (BAR) (B) - 4/1 <i>Prominent from outside gate; smoothly into 2nd over 3f out; beaten for pace by winner 2 1/2f out; stayed on under pressure and closing late.</i> | 121 | K. JOHN (3) | |
| 3 | #3 | PRINCE OF GROVES (BAR) - 9/5 <i>Broke smartly and stalked pace; took 3rd over 1f out; picked up inside final furlong and rallied late; closing between horses when squeezed for room at the death.</i> | 125 | J. SAMUEL (5) | |
| 4 | #9 | BOND STREET (BAR) - 7/2 <i>Prominent; beaten for pace 2f out; continued evenly.</i> | 122 | A. TROTMAN | |
| 5 | #8 | MIDNIGHT EXPRESS (BAR) - 12/1 <i>Out-paced and soon second to last; headway along rail and ridden to be 5th under 2f out; no further.</i> | 110 | RESHAWN LATCHMAN (7) | |
| 6 | #13 | LAMARA (BAR) - 35/1 <i>Soon towards rear; never better than mid-division; evenly.</i> | 111 | A. PERCH (7) | |
| 7 | #2 | YOURS TRULY (BAR) - 21/1 <i>Soon in last; ridden widest 3f out; quickly beaten.</i> | 108 | L. EDWARDS | |
| 8 | #5 | PRINCESS ARIEL (BAR) (T) - 10/1 <i>Mid-division; weakening from 3f out.</i> | 111 | J. GRANT | |
| 9 | #7 | GIDEON (BAR) (B) - 10/1 <i>Never better than mid-division.</i> | 112 | AFFRIE WARD (7) | |
| 10 | #10 | FLYING ROCKET (BAR) - 18/1 <i>Always among second group; beaten well over 2f out.</i> | 120 | JASON LEACOCK | |
| 11 | #4 | VOICE MAIL (BAR) (VT) - 16/1 <i>Refused to jump from gate.</i> | 119 | J. CRONEY (7) | |

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| Fractional Times | ¼ Mile | 25.4 | ½ Mile | 50.0 | ¾ Mile | | 1 Mile | |
| Time | 1:02.2 | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE | | | | | |
| Winner | 3YO Chestnut Filly - SOUTHERN GLORY out of ESCAPEE by FORTUNATE PROSPECT | | | | | | | |
| Winning Trainer | S. JOSEPH JNR. | | | | | | | |
| Winning Owner | MR. ATTIE JOSEPH III & MR. SAFFIE JOSEPH JNR. | | | | | | | |
| Winning Breeder | DR. GUS READER BV SC. | | | | | | | |
| Payments | | Win | | Place | | | | |
| 1st | 1 | 5.45 | 1.60 | | | | | |
| 2nd | 11 | | 1.95 | | | | | |
| 3rd | 3 | | 1.55 | | | | | |
| Forecast | 1-11 | | 16.75 | | | | | |
| Trifecta | 1-11-3 | | 38.20 | | | | | |

Analysis:

Quite often, the first taste of victory is all some horses need to get them heading in the right direction. The speedy **MOST WANTED** may be one who can fall into that category, as she's now rattled off two wins in her last three outings for trainer Saffie Joseph Jr. True that most things were in her favour for this contest (i.e. the minimum trip, the inner-most berth, and a light handicap further helped by a talented 5-lb claiming apprentice); but the three year old definitely looks a better horse since a four and a half-length maiden score a month ago. The best of her ability may be limited to the sprint distances (as she was screaming for the line to come late in affairs), but once smartly placed her recent run of success could continue. Both **Fedrica** and **Prince Of Groves** found themselves initially helpless when the winner turned the heat up approaching the two, but stayed on gamely in the dying stages as that horse shortened. To their credit, the effort in both cases made the significant weight difference in **MOST WANTED**'s favour appear miniscule. [ROG]



Four Year Old gelding **ZALTARR** gained a hard-fought win in the "**Louis Seale & Company Ltd. Trophy Handicap**".

(PHOTOGRAPH BY JUNIOR FRANKLYN)

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| Race # | 5 | ID# | 119 | Track Condition | GOOD |
| THE LOUIS SEALE & COMPANY LIMITED TROPHY (HANDICAP) 3-YEAR-OLDS AND OVER RATED 0 - 50 | | | | | |
| 1100 Meters (5½ furlongs) | | | | | |
| Total Purse - \$12,000 | | | 1st: \$6,600; 2nd: \$2,760; 3rd: \$1,680; 4th: \$960. | | |
| Order of Finish | # | Horse | Weight | Jockey | |
| 1 | #7 | ZALTARR (BAR) - 9/2 | 126 | A. BISHOP (5) | |
| <i>Chasing clear 2nd; shaken up under 2f out and soon closing steadily; drifted slightly left away from wayward leader under 1f out; kept on and led late.</i> | | | | | |
| 2 | #1 | FAMILY AFFAIR (BAR) - 9/1 | 115 | AFFRIE WARD (7) | |
| <i>Quickly led and soon well clear; ridden just over 1f out; rallied gamely but under pressure late; failed to keep a straight course final furlong.</i> | | | | | |
| 3 | #2 | WHY NOT DANCE (BAR) - 15/2 | 117 | K. JOHN (3) | |
| <i>Off a step slow and settled just behind pace; lost ground when stumbling just under 4f out; not a clear run when ridden along rail under 3f out; held rail and quickened to 3rd inside final furlong; no chance with first two.</i> | | | | | |
| 4 | #6 | STORM WARNING (BAR) - 15/1 | 122 | RESHAWN LATCHMAN (7) | |
| <i>Stalked pace; stumbled under 4f out - held place in 4th; soon took 3rd and raced in hand; effort when pressed 2f out though unable to trouble leaders; lost 3rd deep inside final furlong.</i> | | | | | |
| 5 | #5 | MILLENNIUM MILE (BAR) (BT) - 11/2 | 117 | R. WHITTER (7) | |
| <i>Broke awkwardly and squeezed out at start; soon headway to mid-division; further progress to 4th f out; all out.</i> | | | | | |
| 6 | #14 | VICTOR LUDORUM (BAR) - 11/2 | 127 | S. BELLE (7) | |
| <i>Pushed along towards rear; some headway along rail 2-3f out; closing steadily under a hand-ride.</i> | | | | | |
| 7 | #10 | DANCEBAK (BAR) - 25/1 | 119 | A. PERCH (7) | |
| <i>Beaten for pace from gate and raced in last; effort past beaten foes final two furlongs; never on serious terms.</i> | | | | | |
| 8 | #4 | WHO'S CALLING (BAR) (TD) - 3/1 | 119 | J. SAMUEL (5) | |
| <i>Always pushed along in mid-division; even finish.</i> | | | | | |
| 9 | #9 | DRESSES (BAR) (B) - 5/1 | 123 | A. TROTMAN | |

Smartly away and prominent in 3rd; pushed along from 3f out and soon going backward; eased well over 1f out.

10 #12 **WHATALINE** (BAR) - 15/2 **129** **JASON LEACOCK**

Broke awkwardly and raced wide of runners; soon towards rear and ridden; beaten over 1f out.

11 #11 **COUNTRY DANCE** (BAR) - 30/1 **121** **J. CRONEY (7)**

Stalked pace; racing wide from 3f out and soon in trouble; steadily going backward.

12 #8 **STAR AHGLORY** (BAR) - 99/1 **125** **D. BYNOE (7)**

Always toward rear.

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| Fractional Times | 1/4 Mile | 24.8 | 1/2 Mile | 49.6 | 3/4 Mile | | 1 Mile | |
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| Final Time | 1:07.6 | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE |
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| Winner | 4YO Brown Gelding - FORTY MILE out of ELISA by KAMMTARRA |
| Winning Trainer | V. CHEESEMAN |
| Winning Owner | MESSRS. A. BETHELL, S. WALCOTT & D. BYNOE & SIR R. BUCHANAN |
| Winning Breeder | MR. GEOFFREY BYNOE |

| Payments | | Win | Place |
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| 1st | 7 | 5.85 | 1.95 |
| 2nd | 1 | | 2.80 |
| 3rd | 2 | | 3.00 |
| Forecast | 7-1 | | 70.15 |
| Superfecta | 7-1-2-6 | *NO WINNERS | 13,420.74 |

*NO WINNERS; CARRIED OVER TO RACE #8

Analysis:

It would've always been challenging to see **ZALTARR** beaten here, as he's shown ability in the past to go with slightly better than today's opposition when not yet race-hardened. With the benefit of a 7lb claim, the gelded son of Forty Mile went to post 3lbs lower than the high-weight but conceded 11lbs to the fleet-footed runner-up; yet while not having a smooth run throughout was still able to do the business. It's been over a year since his last (and only other win) and he's done little wrong in his two starts since returning from knee surgery. The win was made to look more difficult than it should've been however, as pacesetter Family Affair failed to keep a straight course in the critical stages and slightly thwarted the winner's momentum before that horse was able to assert. Interesting to note that is that similar antics two starts ago almost cost the filly that win, and surely her fate today may not have stopped short of such a penalty had she crossed the line first. Nonetheless, she fought hard to stave off the winner and still deserves recognition for the performance. Why Not Dance closed steadily along the rail from just off the pace, but was never really on terms with the first two despite saving ground to the inner. [ROG]



APOSTLE in the Winners Enclosure with from right Trainer Andrew Nunes, a friend of the winning connections, Lady Williams, Natalia Nunes, Co-owner Elias Haloute, Matthew Russell and Co-owner Sir Charles Williams (PHOTOGRAPH BY JUNIOR FRANKLYN)



PHOTOGRAPH BY JUNIOR FRANKLYN

The **T. A. "Tommy" Peirce Memorial Trophy** being presented by Mrs. Andrea Peirce wife of the late "Tommy" Peirce to Co-owner Sir Charles Williams. Witnessing the presentation are (from left) a representative for United Insurance, Mr. Robert Peirce son of the late "Tommy" Peirce and another representative for United Insurance.

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| Race # | 6 | ID# | 120 | Track Condition | GOOD |
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THE T. A. 'TOMMY' PEIRCE MEMORIAL TROPHY (HANDICAP)
3-YEAR-OLDS AND OVER RATED 0 - 145

1570 Meters (7.8 furlongs)

Total Purse - \$15,000

1st: \$8,250; 2nd: \$3,450; 3rd: \$2,100; 4th: \$1,200.

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| Order # | Horse | Weight | Jockey |
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| of Finish | | | | | |
|-----------|-----|---|------------|-----------------------------|--|
| 1 | #8 | APOSTLE (BAR) - 7/5 | 130 | A. TROTMAN | <i>Made all; very quick to lead and always traveled strongly in lead; still in hand under 2f out; finally shaken up just over 1f out; stayed on; easily.</i> |
| 2 | #10 | BIPIN (BAR) - 3/1 | 117 | K. JOHN (3) | <i>Stalked handily behind leading group; closer order 3f out; steadily gained ground 2-3f out; took 2nd 1f out; stayed on though no chance with winner; second best.</i> |
| 3 | #1 | WALK ON BY (BAR) - 5/1 | 110 | P. BADRIE (5) | <i> Held up in last; headway to mid-division 3f out; switched off rail over 1f out and quickened appreciably final furlong; just up for 3rd.</i> |
| 4 | #6 | BRAM STOKER (BAR) - 12/1 | 108 | J. GRANT | <i>Chased leaders; pushed along to take closer order under 4f out; smooth progress to 2nd 2f out; all out and under pressure final furlong.</i> |
| 5 | #9 | PREACH TO ME (USA) (T) - 11/2 | 121 | RESHAWN LATCHMAN (7) | <i>Mid-division; same place initially when ridden; some headway along rail late and fell just short for 5th.</i> |
| 6 | #4 | ZOOM (BAR) - 19/1 | 110 | AFFRIE WARD (7) | <i>Never better than mid-division.</i> |
| 7 | #5 | PEACEFUL ENVOY (USA) (T) - 12/1 | 116 | R. WHITTER (7) | <i>With leaders; pressing pacesetter under 4f out; in retreat from just under 2f out when ridden.</i> |
| 8 | #3 | PURE TEMPTATION (USA) (BT) - 8/1 | 117 | J. SAMUEL (5) | <i>Never on terms.</i> |
| 9 | #7 | SUPER STAR (BAR) (T) - | 125 | A. BISHOP (5) | <i>Chased leader; left rail and relegated to 4th under 4f out; packed up and never pressed.</i> |
| 10 | #2 | PROUD BAJAN (USA) - 35/1 | 120 | JASON LEACOCK | <i>Always towards rear; never a factor.</i> |

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| Fractional Times | 1/4 Mile | 24.8 | 1/2 Mile | 48.0 | 3/4 Mile | 1:16.0 | 1 Mile | |
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| Final Time | 1:35.8 | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE |
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| Winner | 6YO Chestnut Gelding - BANDSMAN out of PEACE TOKEN by COMMON GROUNDS |
| Winning Trainer | A. NUNES |
| Winning Owner | MR. ELIAS HALOUTE & SIR CHARLES WILLIAMS |
| Winning Breeder | DR. A. STOREY BVM&S (EDIN) MRCVS & DR. & MRS. A.S. HALOUTE |

| | Payments | Win | Place |
|-----------------|-----------------|------------|--------------|
| 1st | 8 | 2.45 | 1.80 |
| 2nd | 10 | | 1.05 |
| 3rd | 1 | | 1.80 |
| Forecast | 8-10 | | 12.15 |
| Trifecta | 8-10-1 | | 62.60 |

Analysis:

A relatively recent addition to the calendar, the T.A. Tommy Peirce Memorial Trophy is yet to attract a stellar cast despite being won so far by a talented trio. This year's running again lacked a deep group of outstanding performers, and so its status as merely a more valuable handicap will remain for a bit longer.

Nonetheless, the result produced another exciting performance by one of racing's darlings, **APOSTLE**. The six year old capitalized on the weak opposition and made all of the running; looking something like the **APOSTLE** of old to notch his second win in the race, having claimed the top prize two years ago. True that the field was far from the strongest he's conquered, but he conceded from five to twenty-two pounds in the handicap and practically lost a shoe in the event - factors that undeniably underscore his dominance here. The chestnut never came off the bridle until turning in for the judge, and by that time his rivals were already properly cooked from the sustained pace he maintained. It's testament to his ability that he won the way he did, and again asserts him as among the best ever seen over the "local mile" journey. **Super Star**'s entry here was perhaps only as a warm-up for his next main target (The Breeders' Sprint), but it also represented another futile attempt to run the front-running winner of his legs early (a failed tactic previously experienced by former sprint "King-pin" Kingdora). The long-striding **Bipin** finished closest in pursuit, staying on nicely for Kenny John in his first run in three months is creditable. **Walk On By** found a sharp change of pace when asked, and made up lots of ground after being tailed off early (not her usual running style). **Bram Stoker** was not disgraced in this his first crack at a top bracket event, and it served as an awakening of sorts for the handsome entire who endured the early gallop well.

So the stage is again set for a clash on even terms between local racing's two aces - **APOSTLE** and Areutalkintome - and the long overdue, mouth-watering match over 7.8 furlongs may finally be a reality. Unfortunate for us this may not come until year-end in the Victor Chandler Stakes on December 26th, and hopefully both equine warriors will be still in fine form to properly defend their honour. [ROG]



A battling **BOCELLI** denies **Gin For Me** for another game win in their 9-furlong handicap.

(PHOTOGRAPH BY JUNIOR FRANKLYN)

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| Race # | 7 | ID# | 121 | Track Condition | GOOD |
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THE UNITED MOTOR INSURANCE TROPHY (HANDICAP)
 3-YEAR-OLDS AND OVER RATED 0 - 45
 OPEN TO ALL APPRENTICES. ALSO JOCKEYS WITH LESS THAN 3 WINS IN 2009. HANDS AND HEELS (NO WHIPS TO BE CARRIED)

1800 Meters (9 furlongs)

Total Purse - \$12,000

1st: \$6,600; 2nd: \$2,760; 3rd: \$1,680; 4th: \$960.

| Order of Finish | # | Horse | Weight | Jockey |
|---|------------|--|------------|------------------------|
| 1 | #1 | BOCELLI (BAR) - 7/2 | 125 | A. BISHOP (5) |
| <i>Pushed along to lead early; stayed prominent though headed 4 1/2f out; effort to chase leader 2f out; rallied along rail to lead under 1f out; gamely.</i> | | | | |
| 2 | #3 | GIN FOR ME (BAR) - 11/2 | 117 | R. MAYNARD (7) |
| <i>Prominent; smoothly to lead 4 1/2f out; shaken up well over 2f out and rallied until 1f out; gave way grudgingly.</i> | | | | |
| 3 | #8 | ZENYATTA (BAR) - 5/2 | 124 | P. BADRIE (5) |
| <i>Held up in rear of second group and pulled hard; in chase from 3f out; took 3rd well under 1f out; never doing enough to catch first two.</i> | | | | |
| 4 | #10 | BATISTA (BAR) (B) - 25/1 | 122 | K. DOWNES (7) |
| <i>Dwelt badly and raced in last; recovered quickly to be in touch with leaders after 2f; pushed along under 3f out; one pace along rail final 2f.</i> | | | | |
| 5 | #4 | LADY PATRICK (BAR) (VT) - 40/1 | 116 | R. WHITTER (7) |
| <i>In touch with leaders; effort to dispute 2nd 2-3f out; quickly in retreat thereafter.</i> | | | | |
| 6 | #7 | SYLVIA HELEN (BAR) - 9/1 | 114 | AFFRIE WARD (7) |
| <i>Dwelt and settled behind second group; soon headway to mid-division; smooth bid 2f out; lost ground when wide into stretch; no further.</i> | | | | |
| 7 | #2 | RANDY ANDY (BAR) - 40/1 | 108 | L. EDWARDS (7) |
| <i>Settled off pace; considerable headway over 3f out to press leading pair; no further; soon beaten.</i> | | | | |
| 8 | #11 | MIDNIGHT WALTZ (BAR) - 35/1 | 114 | A. PERCH (7) |
| <i>Never on terms.</i> | | | | |
| 9 | #6 | TURBULENT GUY (USA) (BT) - 11/2 | 119 | J. CRONEY (7) |
| <i>With leaders; weakening badly from 3f out.</i> | | | | |
| 10 | #13 | QUALITY TIME (BAR) (V) - 2/1 | 127 | K. JOHN (3) |
| <i>Held up in second group; soon last and never picked up.</i> | | | | |
| 11 | #9 | SUPERCHARGE (BAR) - 9/1 | 114 | D. BYNOE (7) |
| <i>With leaders off rail; in trouble from 4f out.</i> | | | | |
| SCR | #5 | TING A MERRY SLEW (BAR) | 126 | SCRATCHED |

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| Fractional Times | 1/4 Mile | 26.0 | 1/2 Mile | 50.8 | 3/4 Mile | 1:15.2 | 1 Mile | 1:41.4 |
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| Final Time | 1:58.2 | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE |
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| Winner | 8YO Chestnut Gelding - BANDSMAN out of PEACE TOKEN by COMMON GROUNDS |
| Winning Trainer | R. DEANE |
| Winning Owner | THE A TEAM |
| Winning Breeder | DR. A. STOREY BVM&S (EDIN) MRCVS & DR. & MRS. A.S. HALOUTE |

| Payments | Win | Place |
|-----------------|-------|-------|
| 1st | 1 | 4.90 |
| 2nd | 3 | 2.45 |
| 3rd | 8 | 1.60 |
| Forecast | 1-3 | 27.85 |
| Trifecta | 1-3-8 | 82.90 |

Analysis:

As the apprentice race on the card, no whips were carried by riders and that criteria featured as an exciting addition to the contest. The 9-furlong handicap developed into a 2-horse affair, with a rejuvenated **BOCELLI** grittily bettering **Gin For Me** for the spoils. The eight year old winner has regained lots of respect since changing to the

less-esteemed Richard Deane yard, and looks to be set for a fruitful campaign towards the end of his career. It was also a nice addition to the story of the day's racing that he would win immediately following the stylish effort of his younger full-brother in the previous race. The big chestnut stayed on well at the distance and showed that even as the virtual top-weight he towers above these when close to his best. **Gin For Me** hasn't been her consistently good self most recently, but did well to finish as she did at a trip over which she's not be overly successful. **Zenyatta** continues knocking at the door to break her maiden, and may not be far from this considering her last few efforts. [ROG]



PHOTOGRAPH BY JUNIOR FRANKLYN

The **United Insurance Barbados Derby (GR. 1R. - BAR)** Trophy being presented by Mr. Anthony King Chairman of United Insurance Company Limited to Mr. Peter Odle. Witnessing the presentation are (from left) Ms. Keitla Hall (representative for United Insurance); Mr. David Alleyne General Manager of United Insurance Company Limited; Sir David Seale President of the Barbados Turf Club and another representative of United Insurance.

| Race # | 8 | ID# | 122 | Track Condition | GOOD |
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| THE 26TH UNITED INSURANCE BARBADOS DERBY (GR.1R.-BAR) WEST INDIAN BRED 3-YEAR-OLDS | | | | | |
| NO APPRENTICE ALLOWANCE | | | | | |
| 2000 Meters (10 furlongs) | | | | | |
| Total Purse \$68,000.00 (Plus Subscriptions totaling \$48,100.00) | | | | 1st: \$37,400 (Plus - \$27,417); 2nd: \$15,640 (Plus - \$10,58); 3rd: \$9,520 (Plus - \$5,772); 4th: \$5,440 (Plus - \$4,429). | |
| Order of Finish | # | Horse | Weight | Jockey | |
| 1 | #17 | LEAVE IT TO ME (BAR) - 8/5 | 121 | NOBLE ABREGO | |
| <i>Prominent from outside and soon stalked pace; headway to dispute 4th 6f out; left rail 3f out and took closer order - still in hand; shaken up over 1f out; worn down runner-up final furlong.</i> | | | | | |
| 2 | #5 | AMANYARA (BAR) (T) - 2/1 | 121 | J. SAMUEL | |
| <i>Led early; snagged back to track leader - still prominent; handily to dispute lead over 2-4f out; effort when soon ridden; worn down by winner final furlong; all out late.</i> | | | | | |
| 3 | #4 | ISLAND LAD (BAR) (B) - 40/1 | 126 | J. GRANT | |
| <i>Mid-division towards inside; pushed to take closer order 4f out; ridden to take 4th 2-3f out; every chance between horses 1f out; stayed on at one pace.</i> | | | | | |
| 4 | #2 | DANCE THE DISTANCE (BAR) - 15/2 | 126 | RESHAWN LATCHMAN | |
| <i>Awkwardly into stride and held up towards rear; some progress over 3f out; same place when ridden under 3f out; stayed on final furlong and gained 4th late.</i> | | | | | |
| 5 | #11 | TORNADE (BAR) (B) - 19/1 | 126 | K. JOHN | |
| <i>Led after 1f and soon clear; joined by runner up just over 4f out and forced to dispute; pressed lightly under 3f out; held place along rail when ridden; stayed on at one pace; gave way tamely and caught late for 4th; held rail throughout.</i> | | | | | |
| 6 | #16 | CAPTAIN SULLY (BAR) - 35/1 | 126 | AFFRIE WARD | |
| <i>Held up in last; still tailed off and well back under 4f out; steadily gaining from rear; rallied from well back though not a clear run.</i> | | | | | |
| 7 | #14 | LOCAL SPEED (BAR) - 11/2 | 126 | A. TROTMAN | |
| <i>Mid-division; headway to dispute 4th under 4f out; still in touch 3f out; not picking up when pressed; eased late.</i> | | | | | |
| 8 | #13 | SEA GYPSY (BAR) - 6/1 | 121 | JASON LEACOCK | |
| <i>Held up towards rear; effort to mid-division over 2f out; already beaten 1f out.</i> | | | | | |
| 9 | #3 | RUSH CUTTER (BAR) - 15/2 | 126 | R. WHITTER | |
| <i>Towards rear; out the back-door from over 3f out.</i> | | | | | |
| 10 | #8 | UP THE ANTE (BAR) (T) - 20/1 | 126 | A BISHOP | |
| <i>Never better than mid-pack; at one pace and beaten from well over 2f out.</i> | | | | | |
| 11 | #6 | GONE PROSPECTING (BAR) (B) - 65/1 | 126 | J. CRONEY | |
| <i>Broke awkwardly and pulled hard in rear; never picked up.</i> | | | | | |
| 12 | #10 | BETWEEN THE SHEIKS (BAR) (T) - 11/1 | 126 | P. BADRIE | |
| <i>Pulled hard with leaders; no bid when pressed; in retreat from under 3f out.</i> | | | | | |
| SCR | #7 | KIMANSHIA (BAR) (V) | 121 | SCRATCHED | |

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| SCR | #9 | HEAVENLY ANGEL (BAR) (T) | 121 | SCRATCHED |
| SCR | #12 | ATOMIC BOMB (BAR) (T) | 126 | SCRATCHED |

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| Fractional Times | ¼ Mile | 51.6 | ½ Mile | 51.6 | ¾ Mile | 1:16.8 | 1 Mile | 1:43.2 |
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| Final Time | 2:12.8 | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE |
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| Winner | 3YO Bay Filly - CAPTAIN CHARLIE out of SIGNORINA by NOSFERATU |
| Winning Trainer | N. ISSA |
| Winning Owner | MELROSE RACING & CLIFTON RACING |
| Winning Breeder | SIR CHARLES WILLIAMS |

| | Payments | Win | Place |
|-------------------|-----------------|------------|--------------|
| 1st | 17 | 2.70 | 1.35 |
| 2nd | 5 | | 1.50 |
| 3rd | 4 | | 8.75 |
| 4th | 2 | | |
| Forecast | 17-5 | | 5.00 |
| Superfecta | 17-5-4-2 | | 4,029.10 |

Analysis:

The United Derby: the main goal of every local three year old's career. Now in it's 71st running, strewn through its long history are the names of the best Creoles of not only their generation, but in some cases of all time. Though improbable, it's still uncertain if this year's group will produce any breed-shaping individuals, however the first two past the pole have already created their own history in an almost unbelievable campaign since December last year.

The Melrose Racing duo (led for the most part by **LEAVE IT TO ME**) culminated a proverbial white-wash of all comers in their division, with their third successive 1-2 finish in the year's final and all important Classic. Only twice were they separated in their seven meetings since Boxing Day, and in all other instances either one copped the top prize, with the would-be Derby winner claiming five of those major prizes. LEAVE IT TO ME again had her stable-mate's number, and proved herself a better horse when recording her third consecutive triumph over the pre-season Derby favourite, Amanyara. The winner is perhaps as tough as they come, but always traveling well with a more forward ride today and the last to commit, she hardly had to call upon that characteristic to settle the result. Unfortunately (and more so for the winner) the only thing missing is a Triple Crown prize (though she did win a Guineas), something that would've been a reality had LEAVE IT TO ME been able to find another three and 3/4 lengths on Amanyara in the Guineas. Still the exploits of the two distaffers will rival (or perhaps better) any such accomplishment by a racing team. Amanyara had no excuses, and simply under when the pressure was brought to bear entering the final furlong. She's definitely a high-class animal and still looks unflustered by the solid campaign she's endured thus far. Island Lad ran a shockingly good race to be third, and not a well-beaten one by any means. He loomed dangerously at the furlong pole, but lacking another gear ended his winning chances. The recently gelded son of Captain Charlie (also sire of the winner) had good form at two, but disappointing efforts and roguish behaviour stepped in to affect his form. This run was his second since April when he flopped in the Guineas, so hopefully his career is ready to finally take off. Dance The Distance too ran a corker, in just his first start since May and his sixth overall, he closed steadily on the first three after what looked like an only even effort two to three panels. Unlike all his previous runs, he settled well from the gate and had lots of cover early - a fact that conceivably contributed to him "dancing the distance" so well.

It was the second Derby winner for now deceased sire Captain Charlie (after Captain PJ in 2004), and the writing was perhaps on the wall for his say in this year's race when assessing his juveniles last year. The half-brother to Belmont Stakes winner Lemon Drop Kid will be represented by his final crop of two year olds next year, and enthusiasts will no doubt be watching them closely. Though this is the first Derby winner (and filly) for the dam Signorina, the stamina-laden family owns an enviable association with the Classic. Signorina is a half-sister to a Derby winner in Zarmella, who in turn produced a winner of the prestigious race in the shape of Galileo; while that horse's closely related sibling Ad Honores was a respectable third in the event. [ROG]



PURR CLASS returned from a near 7-month absence as an even more brilliant winner with this romp in the day's final.

(PHOTOGRAPH BY EDDIE BELLE)

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| Race # | 9 | ID# | 123 | Track Condition | GOOD |
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| THE ALTMAN REAL ESTATE TROPHY (HANDICAP) 3-YEAR-OLDS AND OVER RATED 0 - 95 |
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| 1100 Meters (5½ furlongs) |
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| Total Purse - \$12,000 | 1st: \$6,600; 2nd: \$2,760; 3rd: \$1,680; 4th: \$960. |
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| Order of Finish | # | Horse | Weight | Jockey |
|---|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| 1 | #5 | PURR CLASS (USA) - 7/2 | 124 | R. WHITTER (7) |
| <i>Smartly away and prominent in 3rd; closer order along rail 2f out and quickly led; sprinted well clear final furlong; much the best.</i> | | | | |
| 2 | #1 | ERADOS (BAR) (BT) - 35/1 | 120 | AFFRIE WARD (7) |
| <i>Rallied from mid-division; second-best though no chance with winner.</i> | | | | |
| 3 | #9 | SWEET ENOUGH (BAR) - 25/1 | 121 | A. PERCH (7) |
| <i>Squeezed for room at start and relegated towards rear; smooth headway 4-4 1/2f out to just forward of mid-division; effort to 3rd 2f out along rail; took 2nd under 1f out; headed again late.</i> | | | | |

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| 4 | #2 JANAKI (BAR) - 9/5 | 128 | A. BISHOP (5) |
| <i>Broke sharply and soon led; disputed when joined over 4f out; brief lead 2f out - quickly headed; 2nd into straight; eased when out-finished.</i> | | | |
| 5 | #4 VANDROSS (BAR) - 15/2 | 126 | J. SAMUEL (5) |
| <i>Pushed along in mid-pack; in tandem with runner-up 3f out when ridden; switched for outside bid; even finish.</i> | | | |
| 6 | #12 DARK KNIGHT (BAR) - 6/1 | 133 | K. JOHN (3) |
| <i>Mid-division; beaten slightly for pace 3f out; same place when ridden; held rail final 1 1/2f; got past beaten rivals.</i> | | | |
| 7 | #6 TIME D'OR (USA) (D) - 16/1 | 133 | JASON LEACOCK |
| <i>Broke well but steadied after 50m; recovered to soon race handily and track winner in 4th; held briefly place when ridden; not going on and eased under 1f out.</i> | | | |
| 8 | #11 DIVINE MESSENGER (USA) - 60/1 | 117 | P. BADRIE (5) |
| <i>Out-paced and soon among back-markers; no bid when ridden.</i> | | | |
| 9 | #3 BLOUMBERG (USA) (BT) - 5/2 | 128 | RESHAWN LATCHMAN (7) |
| <i>Broke smartly and disputed; beaten for pace 2f out and relegated when angling poorly under 2f out; quickly beaten and soon eased.</i> | | | |
| 10 | #14 GRACE CHAPEL (BAR) - 11/1 | 114 | A. TROTMAN |
| <i>Towards rear throughout.</i> | | | |
| 11 | #15 LETHAL LIESEL (USA) (T) - 22/1 | 126 | J. GRANT |
| <i>Soon out-paced and never picking up.</i> | | | |
| 12 | #17 CASH BOY (USA) - 30/1 | 119 | J. CRONEY (7) |
| <i>Always tailed off.</i> | | | |
| LNS | #7 KUDAM (USA) | 113 | SCRATCHED |
| LNS | #8 RING TIME (USA) (VT) | 124 | SCRATCHED |
| LNS | #10 MYSTICAL MAGIC (BAR) (T) | 122 | SCRATCHED |
| LNS | #13 WASH BROOK (USA) | 113 | SCRATCHED |
| LNS | #16 NO SPIN ZONE (BAR) | 122 | SCRATCHED |

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| Fractional Times | 1/4 Mile | 25.2 | 1/2 Mile | 50.4 | 3/4 Mile | | 1 Mile | |
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| Final Time | 1:06.6 | Distances | NOT AVAILABLE |
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| Winner | 3YO Chestnut Filly - GREATNESS out of CAT'S EVIL I. by TABASCO CAT |
| Winning Trainer | A. WARD |
| Winning Owner | LORD MICHAEL TAYLOR |
| Winning Breeder | MS. BETH BAYER & MS. MARILYN FAZIO SELTZER |

| | Payments | Win | Place |
|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1st | 5 | 4.85 | 1.90 |
| 2nd | 1 | | 8.65 |
| 3rd | 9 | | 6.25 |
| Forecast | 5-1 | | 222.00 |
| Superfecta | 5-1-9-2 | *NO WINNERS | 2,870.54 |
| Pick 4 | 7-1-17-5 | *NO WINNERS | 420.20 |

***NO WINNERS; CARRIED OVER TO THE NEXT RACEDAY AUGUST 21, 2010 (BTBA SPRINT RACEDAY)**

Analysis:

Initially a competitive-looking sprint, but it was turned into a one-horse race in the closing stages by a very smart and promising performer. The irrefutably talented PURR CLASS returned to competition a ready winner, with a flawless victory over this decent group of sprinters to close the program. The perfectly-timed run saw the compact chestnut seize the advantage with a cheeky move along the rail two panels out, and she never looked like being caught once given her head by young Whitter. It was a double for trainer Ward, and quite a stirring effort at that considering she mauled the likes of Erados, Sweet Enough, the in-form Janaki and Dark Knight among others. Both Erados and Sweet Enough were having their first go in months due to injury and represented themselves well. Janaki conceded four pounds to the winner, but that's unlikely to have made a significant difference to the outcome; PURR CLASS is simply a class above these. [ROG]