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Gasparini Victorious at the 34th Cena Turfu!

The Czech 5yo colt beats Ninna Best for the prize.....(Page 2)

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### **Bratislava · Race day 13 · August 11**



#### **Favourites Did Not Dissapoint**

As expected by bettors, the most significant tests of the thirteenth race day of the season at the Staroháj Hippodrome, supported by **Breeding Services of the Slovak** Republic, s.p., ended as anticipated. In the 30th Golden Whip, last year's triumph was defended by exceptional WORTH CHOICE, the 34th Turf Prize belonged to the Bratislava favorite GASPARINI, and finally, in the 29th Whisky Prize, MUSTELA achieved her fourth victory of the year.



Worth Choice (IRE) /// zavodisko.sk

The representative of the Vasury Kolesa stable. WORTH CHOICE. won the Slovak titles of "Best Sprinter" and "Best Older Stallion/Gelding" last year. He is on a strong path to defend the first title, having dominated the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development Prize at the June Turf-gala and left no chance for competitors in the Breeding Services of the Slovak Republic, s.p. -30th Golden Whip (Category I, 1.400m, 3yo+, 7.000€ plus bonuses) this Sunday. Despite the highest starting number and covering extra meters on the outside track in the home stretch, he once again unleashed his famous "turbo" and triumphed in a solid time of

1:23,72. Only one length behind was the second choice of bettors, the progressive three-year-old **ASTURIAS** (previously, among others, third in the Spring Prize for Fillies), while the rest of the field watched from a respectful distance.

A very similar situation was repeated half an hour later in the Breeding Services of the Slovak Republic, s.p. -34th Turf Prize (Category I, 2.400m, 7.000€ plus bonuses). With the two lowest odds, the older colt GASPARINI (1.9:1) and the three-year-old filly NINNA BEST (2.1:1) entered the endurance test. They finished in this order, with **GASPARINI** winning by a clear onelength margin in a race record time of 2:30,34. The high-quality time was mainly set by NINNA BEST, who, under apprentice jockey Tomas Roman, set the pace but ultimately couldn't match the finish of arguably one of the highest-class endurance horses in the Central European region. For Jiri Palik in the saddle, this was one of three victories during the hot Bratislava afternoon.



Gasparini (CZE) /// zavodisko.sk

Current leading jockey champion **Jaroslav Linek** responded immediately. In the Breeding Services of the Slovak Republic, s.p. - 29th Whisky Prize

(Category I, 1.800m, 7.000€ plus bonuses), the bettors' estimate was correct, and the triumph was contested by the two paper favorites. However, this time the duel between MUSTELA (2.5:1) and SHE FREE (2.6:1) had to be decided by a photo finish, which awarded the fourth victory of the season to the representative of the Dermek Racing stable. MUSTELA. Trainer Jaroslav Linek's charge is on an impressive winning streak this season, interrupted only by an unfortunate loss in the Pat's Music Prize during Derby Day. Fortunately, the bay mare came out of it unscathed, and after four weeks, she again showed her fine form and remarkable fighting spirit. The classic winner SHE FREE, Spring attacking from the rear positions, was aiming for the victory, but in the end, only a few centimeters made the difference.



Mustela (IRE) barely winning /// zavodisko.sk

#### **RC Farm Scores**

The racing entity RC Farm has been registered only for three seasons, but it is a "reincarnation" of the owner-breeder activities of Ing. Rudolf Csomor, with a much longer tradition dating back to the 1990s. Cooperation with trainer Ramazan Tugusev and, recently, jockey Jiri Palik has borne fruit this season in the form of three victories, two of which came just last Sunday. At

the start of the afternoon, in the competition for two-year-olds in the Kansas Prize (Category III, 1.400m, 3.000€), the dark blue colors even took the top two spots in the order RAIN BEE (jockey J. Palik) - DIAPRA (jockey M. Laube). The successes of the "weaker" sex were underlined in the final test of the day by **FEMININ**, who gave no chance to nine opponents in the Camillo Prize (Category IV, 1.800m, 2.300€). Thanks to the winning hat-trick during the afternoon, Jiri Palik closed the gap to leading jockey Jaroslav Linek to just one point in the jockeys' championship.

### **Race Results**



Bratislava · 11.08.2024.

Good

# CENA PLEMENARSKYCH SLUZIEB SR, S.P. - 30. ZLATY BICIK

Category I - 7.000€ - 3yo+ - 1.400m

#### 1st WORTH CHOICE (IRE) 8G

Worthadd (IRE) - Alba Verde (GB), Verglas

(IRE)

Owner: Vasury Kolesa Breeder: Tormey P.

Trainer: Myskova Stepanka

Jockey: David Liska

Sales history: Goffs, Foal Sale, 10.000€, Emerald Bloodstock; Goffs Sportsman's Sale, 5.500€, Volteo Horse service

#### 2nd **ASTURIAS (FR) 3F**

Siyouni (FR) - Amahitee (FR), Galileo (IRE)

Owner: Bunty Team Breeder: Haras Voltaire Trainer: Vaclav Luka Jockey: Adam Florian

Sales history: Arqana, Yearling sale October 2022, 105.000€, Meridian Bloodstock;

Claiming race in Deauville (France), 25.222€,

Luka Vaclav

#### 3rd LITTLE LORD (GER) 4G

Zazou (GER) - Lady Emerald (GER), Tiger Hill

(IRE)

Owner: K-K Metal a.s. Breeder: Stall E.N.T. Trainer: Radek Holcak Jockey: Sofie Kvizova

Sales history: BBAG, Sales & Racing Festival,

14.000€, K-K Metal

**Winning time: 01:23,72** 

# CENA PLEMENARSKYCH SLUZIEB SR, S.P. - 34. CENA TURFU

Category I - 7.000€ - 3yo+ - 2.400m

#### 1st GASPARINI (CZE) 5C

Eagle Top (GB) - Galantery (FR), Tobougg

(IRE)

Owner: TIPPLER Group s.r.o.

Breeder: Karlik Petr Trainer: Jan Demele Jockey: Jiri Palik

#### 2nd NINNA BEST (GER) 3F

Best Solution (IRE) - Nina Buck (IRE), High

Chaparral (IRE)
Owner: PD Kuty

Breeder: Stall the glory brotherhood

Trainer: Zuzana Kubovicova Jockey: Tomas Roman

Sales history: BBAG, Sales & Racing Festival,

6.000€, Dulivevs s.r.o.

#### 3rd ROYAL CATATUMBO (IRE) 4G

Footstepsinthesand (GB) - Sadowa

Destination (GB), Dubai Destination (USA)

Owner: Vimar

Breeder: Cahalan M. & Maguire J. Trainer: Zuzana Kubovicova Jockey: Milan Zatloukal

Sales history: Goffs, Autumn Yearling Sale,

17.500€, Bobby O'Ryan/Kubovieova

Winning time: 02:30,34



# CENA PLEMENARSKYCH SLUZIEB SR, S.P. - 29. CENA WHISKY

Category I - 7.000€ - 3yo+ - 1.800m

#### 1st MUSTELA (IRE) 5F

War Command (USA) - Behlana (IRE),

Mastercraftsman (IRE) Owner: Dermek Racing Breeder: Farrell Mat Trainer: Jaroslav Linek Jockey: Jaroslav Linek

Sales history: Goffs, Autumn Yearling Sale,

**Not Sold** 

#### 2nd SHE FREE (IRE) 3F

Free Eagle (IRE) - Shemara (IRE),

Kendargent (FR)
Owner: Bamatse
Breeder: O'Neill E.

Trainer: Zuzana Kubovicova

Jockey: Martin Srnec

Sales history: Goffs, Autumn Yearling Sale,

1.000€, Janda Bloodstock

#### 3rd RHAPSODY (SVK) 3F

Fairlypi (IRE) - Robben Island (USA), Dream

Ahead (USA)

Owner: MPL Racing

Breeder: Piskla Miroslav, Ing. - MPL

Trainer: Jaroslav Hanacek Jockey: Monir Madihi

Winning time: 01:53,95



### Wroclaw · Race day 7 · August 11

#### **Boheme wins the Nagroda Tunisa**

After a very unlucky performance in Warsaw, Boheme, trained by Patryk Wroblewski, once again entered the hurdle Nagroda Tunisa as the favorite. This time, there were no surprises, but despite leading throughout the distance, the mare fought to the very end for this victory. In the race for debuting two-year-old thoroughbreds, we had a surprise, as the favorite, Belmond, trained by Maciej Jodlowski, had to acknowledge the superiority of Montenegrin, trained by Adam Wyrzyk. On that day, there was also a race for young Arabian horses, which was won by another unlucky horse from two months ago, Power Bolt.



Boheme (GER) /// trafnews.pl

After the withdrawal of the guest from the Czech Republic, Derrivore, it seemed that the fast **Boheme** should handle the remaining competitors in the race for three-year-olds. Adam Cmiel, riding the favorite, decided to take the lead right after the start. At the exit to the straight, one of the debutants in hurdle races, **Tabasko**, broke away, and the rest of the field followed the leader. After the next jump, **Magnetyt** was in second place, **Fast Devil** was running in the middle of the pack, and

**Neo** was last. In the bend, the pack was running in a similar formation, as if waiting for the leader to make a move, which soon happened. **Boheme** pushed forward, and **Casandra** and **Kohinoor** immediately began to lose contact with the pack.

At 1.000 meters before the finish line. Adam Cmiel decided to increase the pace even more, which slowly became too strong for the remaining rivals, especially Magnetyt. At the exit to the straight, the horses were separated by clear distances, and it seemed that the pack would arrive in a similar order at the finish. 300 meters before the finish line and just before the last jump, Neo. who looked excellent in third place, seemed likely to try to cause an upset if he cleared the hurdle cleanly, but he had slight problems after the jump. Pawel Palczynski, who is also his trainer, gathered the horse and began pushing him hard, while the favorite and especially Fast Devil began to weaken slightly.

In the last 150 meters, the jockeys performed titanic work to maintain or improve their positions. Ultimately, Boheme happily cleared all the hurdles, galloped best in the distance, and had enough strength left to defeat Fast Devil by 1.25 lengths. A nose behind him, Neo crossed the finish line, and although he had disappointed in flat races in the past, now shows that he has the potential for a good career in jump races. Boheme, owned by a syndicate: M. Barbuzinska, J. Kostrzewska, Pituch, A. Mizerska, S. Sosinski, P. Wroblewski, is trained by Wroblewski and was guided to victory by Adam Cmiel.

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In the second hurdle race of the day, for four-year-old and older horses, Marek Stromsky on Ambrosius adopted the same tactics as we saw in the previous race, and the other four horses galloped in close intervals. There were no significant changes until the turn before entering the back straight when Kraram had a slight problem with her jump for the first time. She galloped at the last position for a moment but quickly rejoined the group of horses, as the pace was moderate.



Ambrosius (GER) /// trafnews.pl

In the middle of the back straight, Marek Stromsky decided to accelerate, and alongside him galloped Celestine from the Czech Republic under Tereza Polesna, while Kraram once again began to lose contact with the group. At the end of the turn, Adam Cmiel decided to attack earlier on the second favorite of the race, El Pago Pago, and it was he who was running in second position after the penultimate hurdle. After the last jump, Ambrosius showed that he was out of reach that day, had a large reserve of strength, and began to pull away again, gaining a large and safe lead.

The offensive rounding of the turn cost El Pago Pago his strength, and it was only a matter of time before Speedy Silver, galloping in fourth position, passed him and also the weakening Celestine. And when it seemed that the gelding would snatch second place,

suddenly after clearing the last hurdle, Kraram, galloping even better from the inside under Rostislav Bens, delivered an express finish and unexpectedly took second place at the finish line. Thus, at the finish, we saw a one-two finish of horses trained by father Greg Wroblewski and his son Patryk. Ambrosius, owned by W. J. Kartus, is trained by Grzegorz Wroblewski.

### **Race Results**



Wroclaw · 11.08.2024.

Good

#### **NAGRODA TUNISA**

International Hurdle Race - 4.660€ - 3yo - 2.800m

#### 1st BOHEME (GER) 3F

Protectionist (GER) - Bithiah (IRE), Exceed and Excel (AUS)

Owner: M. Barbuzinska, J. Kostrzewska, A.

Mizerska, M. Pituch, S. Sosinski, P.

Wrooblewski

Breeder: W. Bischoff Trainer: P. Wroblewski Jockey: Adam Cmiel

Sales history: BBAG, Yearling sale, 7.500€,

Bernhard Matusche

#### 2nd FAST DEVIL (POL) 3G

Daredevil (IRE) - Fastnet Mile (IRE), Fastnet

Rock (AUS)

Owner: D. Drygas, G. Kogut, M. Soltysiak, L.

Such, G. Witek

Breeder: Plavac Sp. z o.o.

Trainer: L. Such Jockey: Petr Tuma

#### 3rd NEO (GER) 3C

Areion (GER) - Nur Bani (GER), Artan (IRE) Owner: Westminster Race Horses Sp. z o.o. Breeder: Westminster Race Horses GmbH

Trainer: P. Palczynski Jockey: P. Palczynski

Winning time: 03:18,00

#### RACE 4

International Hurdle Race - 4.660€ - 4yo+ - 3.200m

#### 1st AMBROSIUS (GER) 7G

Amaron (GB) - Albara (IRE), Barathea(IRE)

**Owner: Wieslaw Jakub Kartus** 

Breeder: Schmid T.

Trainer: : Gregorz Wroblewski Jockey: Marek Stromsky

Sales history: BBAG, Sales & Racing Festival,

**Not Sold** 

#### 2nd KRARAM (IRE) 5F

Muhaarar (GB) - Maakrah (GB), Dubai

Destination (USA)

Owner: W. J. Kartus, P. Wroblewski

Breeder: Jossetown Farm Trainer: P. Wroblewski Jockey: Rostislav Bens

Sales history: Goffs, November Foal Sale,

20.000€, Marco Bozzi B/S

#### 3rd SPEEDY SILVER (FR) 6G

Silver Frost (IRE) - Murviel (FR), Siyouni (FR)

Owner: V. Vocetka

**Breeder: Bloodstock Agency Ltd** 

Trainer: Jana Novakova Jockey: Tereza Podraska

Sales history: Argana, Breeding Stock Sale,

7.000€, Chris Richner Bloodstock

**Winning time: 03:51,70** 



## **Race Day 15**



Budapest · 11.08.2024.

Good

#### **BERCZY KAROLY EMLEKVERSENY**

Category I - 3.550€ - 3yo+ - 1.600m

#### 1st LIGHT BLUE SKY (GB) 6F

Adaay (IRE) - Lady Macduff (IRE), Iffraaj (GB)

Owner: TAHI STUD Kft.

**Breeder: Whitsbury Manor Stud** 

Trainer: Sandor Kovacs Jockey: Istvan Kozma

Sales history: Tattersalls, December Foal Sale, Not Sold; Tattersalls, October Yearling

Sale, 2.000gns, Tahi Stud

#### 2nd WOLF OF WALLSTREET (GER) 4C

Tai Chi (GER) - Whishawizz (IRE), Dark Angel

(IRE)

Owner: S. S. Juniors Club

Breeder: Mr Christoph M. Holschbach

**Trainer: Pal Csontos** 

Jockey: Stanislav Georgiev

Sales history: BBAG, Sales & Racing Festival,

8.000€, Elvir Jukic

#### 3rd **DIFFERENT ILLUSION (GB) 5F**

Charming Thought (GB) - Daysiwaay (IRE),

Daylami (IRE) Owner: Szekely i.

Breeder: Clarendon Farm Trainer: Gabor Maronka Jockey: Ors Kolumbar

Sales history: Tattersalls, December Foal Sale, Not Sold; Tattersalls, February Sale, Not

Sold

**Winning time: 01:39,50** 

Video: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?">https://www.youtube.com/watch?</a>

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# **Trotting News**



### **Austria**



#### **Baden**

11.08.2024

Mona Lisa Venus the best ever in Austria?

Once again, the 4-year-old daughter of Light Kronos and Mon Amie Vic Ve triumphed in a prestigious race, this time in the 5th J. Hohstaffl Memorial, setting a record time of 1:14,9 over 2.150 meters from a turning start. Only Christoph Fischer with Vittorio Venus managed to offer some resistance to this gem, this diamond of Austria. Something like this is rarely produced by the Majak stable.



Mona Lisa Venus /// Eddy Risavy

A surprise was delivered by a guest from the Czech Republic in a fast-paced race, where **Elixir de Charmee** with Jaroslav Dobrovolny defeated the favorites **Invictus Mencourta** with Mayr and **Ducc De Connee** with Sagaj. The stallion clocked a time of **15.8** over **2.100 meters**.

David Dobrovolny took second place in the last race with the horse **Bucephalos Misi**, while **Matrix Venus** with Fischer won. All in all, an excellent day for the Dobrovolny family. Mayr is just one victory away from reaching 3.500 gold medals, and slightly less than 20 from a total of 4.000 in his career. He celebrated one sweet victory on a hot Sunday afternoon with the 3-year-old son of Conway Hall and Kiwi's Melody, a grandson of Muscle Hill.

June 25 is the day when racing resumes in Baden, with the program featuring the 3-year-old championship and the Montee Derby.



Elixir de Charmee /// Eddy Risavy





## **Serbia**



#### Sombor

11.08.2024.

#### **Sinatra AT Wins the Serbian Derby!**

A warm racing day was held in Sombor in front of 3.000 spectators.

The son of **Olimede** and **Stella Sissu**. bred by the Animal Trade Racing Team, owned by the Jozic family from Sombor, and trained by Aleksandar Dimitrijevic, who won his first derby trophy in his career, while for driver Boris Kecenovic. it was his second. Sinatra AT trotted 18,3 over 2.700 meters, leaving behind Bonadisea and Dejan Katanic, and Topp Hill and Andjal Andor, who finished third. This race was exciting until the final meters when Sinatra AT overtook Bonadisea and Topp Hill. The main favorite, Stan Getz AT, and the Slovenian superstar Peter Zadel were disqualified due to galloping in the finish.



Sinatra AT /// Marica Pavkov

It was interesting in the races where the guest from Italy, Carmine Piscuoglio, drove horses from the **Dream Catcher** stable, which is led by NBA star from Sombor, Nikola Jokić. In a fast race, he won with **Brenno Laumar**, an 8-year-old son of **Varenne**, ahead of **Desiree Joyeuse** and the third **Bondo Jet**. The time over **1.700 meters** was **14.9**.

In the race for 3-year-old horses, Flash Dei Greppi won in a time of 16,2 over 1.700 meters, ahead of Urari and Dejan Katanic, and Lucky De Sajan with Peter Zadel.

The championship race for horses bred in Serbia was won by **Parma Ferm**, an 8-year-old mare of **Lucky Boy**, and **Plamira Ferm** with Boris Novic, trotting **18,5** over **2.200** meters. This was **Parma's** 28th career victory."

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### **Sinatra AT**

### Serbian Derby Winner

#### **PEDIGREE**

Breeder: Animal Trade, Serbia

GANYMEDE (FR)

BUVETIER D'AUNOU (FR)

OLIMEDE (FR) UDAMES (FR)

DOLICKOVA(FR) WORKAHOLIC (US) KURKOVA (FR)

SINATRA A.T. (RS)

Colt 2020

MAKE IT HAPPEN (US) CONWAY HALL (CA)

MEADOWBRANCH MAGIC (US)

STRATEGIC VICTORY (US)

**KEYSTONE STARPOINT (US)** 

SINATRA A.T. (RS) Record 16.8 (1.700m-Sombor) Serbian derby winner, eraning 4.593€, 15 starts 6 wins

OLIMEDE (FR), Bai, 2002, 65 starts 13wins Records 11.0/12.7, Earnings 478.410 €

STELLA SISU (SE)

Winner: Prix Herve Ceran G2 2.175m(Monte), Prix Reynolds G2 2.200m(Monte),

Placed: Third Citerium Continental G1 2.200m 12.8, Second Prix Paul Karle G2 2.100m

Racing career			
2004	2yo	5	4
2005	3yo	16	5
2006	4yo	19	0
2007	5yo	15	3
2008	6yo	10	1
		65	13

Olimede was active stallion in France nad Sweeden. From 2019 in Serbia Produce: ALKALIZER AM (SE) 10.1, VIVO PER LEI (SE) 10.5

JULIA AF SOLNÄS (SE) 10.9, DOMESTIC ÅS (SE) 11.1,

EKIANGO DE NILE (FR) 11.2, DROP DES DURIEZ (FR) (2nd G3) 11.7

#### 1st Dam

Stella Sisu (SE), 2010, did not run

2015 SAPHIR AT(RS), c, Jasmin d'Odyssee, 10.3, Earning 10.945€, Second in national championchip 3yo

2016 SPINAL TAP A.T. (RS) c, Amiral Sund, 11.6, 55 starts, 11 wins. Earning 11.349€

2018 SAMMY DAVIS A.T.(RS) c, Jasmin d'Odyssee, 17.9, Earning 2.212€

2020 SINATRA A.T. (RS) se above

2021 STEVIE WONDER A.T.(RS) c, Hasard Lavec, 18.8, Earning 705€

2022 Sibeliue A.T.(RS) c, Olimede

#### 2nd Dam

Strategic Victory (US), 2000, did not run

2007 TION MEDON SISU (SE), c, Primrose Lane (US), 43 starts, 13 wins, 12.1, Earning 138.000€

2009 Merja Sisu (SE)

2014 EMELIE SISU (SE), f, Cantab Hall (US) 13.4

2015 FERRARI SISU (SE), c, Ready Cash (FR) 11.2, earning 480.000€, Second Swensk derby

2010 Stella Sisu (SE), see above

2011 BIZZY SISU (SE), f, Cantab Hall (US) 45 starts, 6 wins, 13.3, Earning 36.000€

2019 VILLAGE PARTY (SE), c, Muscle Hill (US), 14 starts, 6 wins, 11.2, Earning 26.000€

2012 Callgirl Sisu (SE), f, Zola Boko, did not run. She is dam of few horses

2013 Brenda Sisu (DK), f, Kadabra, 17.6

2019 FLIK FLAK GRY (DK), c, Ens Snapshot, 15.4,



## **Slovenia**



### Ljutomer

10.08.2024.

# John Wish TP Wins the 34th Slovenian Derby!



John Wish TP /// Boris Vranic

On a warm August day in Ljutomer, in front of 2.000 spectators, the victory was claimed by the 4-year-old **John Wish TP**, a daughter of **Wishing Stone** and **Joy Love**, owned by Tpirc DOO, with a time of **19,8** over **2.600 meters**. Second place went to **Marcello** and Sersen, and third place to **Libby** and Darko Sodec.



John Wish TP /// Boris Vranic

The race was interesting because the top three favorites, **Vaina Viva**, **Lnesta**, and **Muffin**, were disqualified at the start.

In the second race of the day, Maugli with Joze Sagaj Jr., an 8-year-old son of El Nino and Manisha Vita, won with a time of 13,1 over 1.600 meters, setting a track record in Ljutomer, ahead of Jerce and **Don Saxo**. This victory confirms Maugli's reputation as the best Slovenian horse of all time. He is owned by Dejan Bacic from Subotica, Serbia, and trained by Janko Sagaj, Joze's brother. Maugli has career earnings of over 80.000€ and a record of 12,6 per kilometer.





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