

**ARIMA RACE CLUB**  
**RACE DAY PREVIEW**  
**DAY 39 SATURDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2010**

**'Breeders Stakes' and Breeders' Cup in Arima**

THERE will be just seven local races, but Saturday will be as action-packed as you can imagine at Santa Rosa Park, Arima. It will be single biggest day of the international horse racing calendar and all eight million-dollar Grade I races on the second and final day of the Breeders' Cup programme will be simulcast from Churchill Downs, Kentucky, USA from around 1.30 p.m. Fans can also enjoy first-day Breeders' Cup action at Santa Rosa Park the day before and the first race on Friday's Divali holiday is just after 4 p.m. And back home we will have our own "Breeders", as the Stud Farm Association Breeders Stakes will headline the 39th round of the Arima Race Club's 2010 Season. This will be the \$100,000 event for the "babes" of the season, and as was the case in the Futurity Stakes a month ago, only locally-bred two-year-olds are eligible.

They will be going as far as 1,200 metres for the very first time and almost half of the 13 declared starters will be racing for the very first. Spearheading the field is Remember Me, who impressively prevailed by over nine lengths in the 'Flamingo' and is expected to be the overwhelming favourite to pick up another \$60,000 winners' cheque for owners, Kidz Too syndicate. The daughter of A Great Team seemed a transformed individual after she had bled during a dismal fourth-placed finish when the 'babes' made their first appearance for the season in the Nursery Stakes on September 4. Remember Me will again be ridden by two-time defending champion jockey Ricky Jadoo and Champion trainer Glenn Mendez. Prado's Wells, Swing Easy, First Emperor and Out 'N About also came of that race and into this one. Debutant Prado's Wells performed the best of the lot, but Charles James' roan filly was still more than nine lengths adrift of runaway winner Lawbreaker in third.

Swing Easy, who had been fourth in the "Flamingo", occupied that position again and finished two lengths behind Prado's Wells. First Emperor ended up 2 ½ lengths adrift in sixth, while Out 'N About was five lengths further back, but the third-placed finisher in the "Flamingo" had an excuse as her rider Ryan Hasranah lost his stirrups in the early stages. The only other horse with experience in the penultimate event is Sleepinginthong, who was scratched on the day of the Flamingo Stakes after been beaten by more than 18 lengths when he finished one-from-last in the 'Nursery". If Remember Me is to be upset it does not seem like it going to be by one of the horses which have faced the starter before. Like Swing Easy, two of the newcomers, Oro De Cordoba and Alexander, hail from the barn of multiple champion trainer John O'Brien, but neither will be partnered by the stable's "first call" rider as Brian Harding will be aboard Mambo Cat.

This colt also comes from another stable with three contestants as trainer Emmanuel Miller will also send out fellow debutant Eight Avenue and Prado's Wells. The other newcomers are Western Highland from the Patrick De Freitas barn and Captain Crook, who like First Emperor is trained by Derick Mosca. The "Breeders" is scheduled to be contested at 4.15 p.m. and will be sandwiched between two HI-5 betting races. The first of these is 40 minutes earlier and will feature 13 Conditional Handicap F horses doing battle of 1,300 metres. The other will bring down the curtain on the card with 14 West Indian-bred three-year-old maidens declared to compete over 1,350 metres at 5 p.m.

The first of the three HI-5 races will be the day's third event and the 1,100-metre affair is billed to be contested at 2.10 p.m. Nine of the 12 American-bred horses in the Cedric Coussement event are juveniles and six of those, Sacred Trust, Dream House, Destiny Train, Malibu Heights, Cubic Capacity and Smart American, will be facing the starter for the first time. The Pick 6 will start at 1.25 p.m. in the race before, a 1,200-metre contest which has attracted nine \$7,500 Optional Claimers.

Post time is 12.50 p.m.