

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

**Remember Me cruises home again**

REMEMBER ME won her second \$100,000 contest in succession as horse racing continued at Santa Rosa Park, Arima, with a seven-race card. It was not nearly as dominant as when she had trotted up in the Futurity Stakes by over nine lengths a month earlier, but the daughter of A Great Team cruised to victory in the feature attraction of the 39th round of the Arima Race Club's 2010 Season. After stalking Oro De Cordoba and Sleepinginthong, Remember Me picked up the running just before turning for home and went on to win the Stud Farm Association's Breeders Stakes by three lengths. The "babes" were going as far as 1,200 metres for the first time of the season and Prados Wells, who had placed third on debut two weeks earlier, finished well to earn second. Early leader Oro De Cordoba ended up 2 ¾ lengths adrift in third, but 4 ½ lengths ahead of fellow newcomer Captain Crook in the event for locally-bred two-year-olds.

Alexander was the most respected of the six debutants facing the starter in the field of 11, but the second fancy in the betting could finish no higher than sixth. Remember Me, the only previous winner in the field who sent off as the overwhelming 2/5 favourite, picked up her second \$60,000 winners' cheque for owners, Kidz Too, syndicate. And the chestnut surprisingly became the very first winner for Glenn Mendez and jockey Ricky Jadoo in the 18 editions of the 'Breeders Stakes.' Dr Ryan Shim had substituted for Mendez when he was serving a brief suspension and Remember Me was the champion trainer's first winner on his first day back in action. Remember Me should next be seen early next month in the St Ann's Stakes, where she is expected to meet the Jamaican-bred Oriental Appeal, who beat her by over 12 lengths when the "babes" made their first appearance of the season in the Nursery Stakes on September 4.

Jadoo, who passed Rajpaul Rajkumar – another veteran with over 25 years experience in the saddle – on the list of career winners just a couple weeks earlier, started the day by booting home his 675th winner. The two-time defending champion jockey had to work overtime in mid-stretch for Candy Alert to get by favourite Nakita before pulling away to win the 1,200-metre \$25,000 Optional Claimer by almost four lengths. Candy Alert, bred and owned by the Humming Bird Stables' Gerard and trainer Sharon Ferreira, has really been a model of consistency as the daughter of Western Envoy has won three times, finished second on four occasions and third once in her last eight starts. Two disappointing performances followed her sizzling Boxing Day (December 26) triumph on debut, but she is clearly back on track and has finished on the board in her last 11 outings. Jadoo could have celebrated a three-timer, but his mount in the fourth race, Bird King, was caught close home by Forwardtracking in the \$10,000 Optional Claimer.

The out-of-form Jamaican-bred five-year-old, who had not won a race on the main course since 2008, took the 1,300-metre contest by 1 ¾ lengths for owner Stephan Narinesingh and trainer Michael Carew Jr. Christopher Husbands was astride and the Barbadian shared the spotlight with Jadoo as he returned in the very next event to make all the running with favourite Burning Wells. This Harold Chadee-owned and trained five-year-old, who had prevailed scored just once before from 44 career outings, cruised home by almost five lengths in the 1,300-metre Conditional Handicap F. And Sacred Trust, the day's biggest outsider at 12/1, delivered arguably the performance of the day on debut and could very be the next star to emerge from the combination of Zanim Meah-John and Jose William-Samaroo.

Despite going very wide at the home turn, the American-bred juvenile, with apprentice Ronald Ali in the irons, scored a convincing five-length victory over Husbands and King Street in the Cedric Coussement 1,100-metre contest for maidens. Sacred Trust is an offspring of Petionville, the sire of exciting American-bred three-year-old Montejo, who completed a hat-trick of victories the Saturday before. Montejo is also owned by Meah-John and trained by William-Samaroo. Racing continues at Santa Rosa Park on Saturday.