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SUBJECT: RESULT OF THE 32ND QUEEN ELIZABETH II COMMEMORATIVE CUP (G1)

The QUEEN ELIZABETH II COMMEMORATIVE CUP was established in 1976 to promote friendly relations between Japan and England, in commemoration of Her Excellency's visit to Japan in 1975. The race initially started as a 2,400-meter race for 3 year-old fillies but became a 2,200-meter race for fillies and mares of 3 year-old and up from 1996 and has become an international G1 race beginning this year.

Tigertail (by Priolo, FRA) and Anna Marie (by Anabaa, FRA) were the first two foreign contestants to run in 2003—four years after its designation as an international event in 1999—and finished third and 8th respectively. Whortelberry (by Starborough, FRA) finished 15th in the following year and Summitville (Grand Lodge, USA) was 16th in 2005, but no foreign runner has contested the race since then, although Doomben Cup (G1, 2200m, AUS) winner, Cinque Cento (by Nothin' Leica Dane, AUS) was selected to run this year.

Nevertheless, the race has continued to attract some of the best female runners such as To the Victory who was also runner-up in the '01 Dubai World Cup (G1), Admire Groove, who won successive victories in '03 and '04 and a third in '05, and Sweep Tosho who had also bested a field of mixed runners in the Takarazuka Kinen (G1) before her victory in this race in 2005.

Last year's title went to Fusaichi Pandora (by Sunday Silence, JPN) after Kawakami Princess who crossed the wire ahead was demoted for interference, while defending champion Sweep Tosho finished third and was promoted to second place.

The record holder of this race is To the Victory (by Sunday Silence, JPN) who marked 2:11.2 over the 2,200-meter distance in 2001.

THE 32ND QUEEN ELIZABETH II COMMEMORATIVE CUP (G1)

3-year-old & up, Fillies & Mares, 2,200 meters (about 11 furlongs), turf, right-handed

Sunday, November 11 2007 Kyoto Racecourse 11th Race Post time: 15:40

Total prize money: ¥192,700,000 (about US\$1,675,000 US\$1 = ¥115)

3-y-o: 54kg (about 119lbs), 4-y-o & up: 56kg (about 123 or 124lbs),

2kg allowance for Southern Hemisphere horses born in 2004

Safety Factor: 18runners (Foreign Trained Horses: 9)

FP	BK	PP	Horse	Sex Age	Wgt (kg)	Sire Dam	Jockey Trainer	Owner Breeder	Margin (L3F)	Odds (Fav)
1	5	7	Daiwa Scarlet (JPN)	F3	54.0	Agnes Tachyon Scarlet Bouquet	K. Ando K. Matsuda	K. Oshiro Shadai Farm	2:11.9 (34.1)	1.9 (1)
2	7	12	Fusaichi Pandora (JPN)	F4	56.0	Sunday Silence Lotta Lace	C. Lemaire T. Shirai	F. Sekiguchi Northern Farm	3/4 (33.9)	8.3 (3)
3	3	4	Sweep Tosho (JPN)	M6	56.0	End Sweep Tabatha Tosho	K. Ikezoe A. Tsurudome	Tosho Sangyo Tosho Sangyo Corporation Tosho Bokujo	1-1/4 (33.9)	6.6 (2)
4	8	13	Dia de la Novia (JPN)	M5	56.0	Sunday Silence Potrizaris	Y. Take K. Sumii	U. Carrot Farm Northern Farm	1-3/4 (34.0)	10.6 (5)
5	4	6	Admire Kiss (JPN)	F4	56.0	Sunday Silence Kiss Pasion	Y. Iwata H. Matsuda	R. Kondo Northern Farm	Neck (34.0)	18.4 (7)
6	8	14	Kiss to Heaven (JPN)	F4	56.0	Admire Vega Long Virgin	H. Miyuki H. Toda	K. Yoshida Showa Yamamoto Bokujo	1/2 (34.3)	83.4 (12)
7	6	9	Asahi Rising (JPN)	F4	56.0	Royal Touch Asahi Mercury	Y. Shibata M. Koga	M. Terauchi K. Motosu	1-1/2 (34.9)	10.3 (4)
8	5	8	Dear Chance (JPN)	M6	56.0	Taiki Shuttle Maruka Moonlight	N. Yokoyama I. Shimizu	C. Terada Sasachi Bokujo	Neck (34.3)	23.4 (9)
9	7	11	Cosmo Marvelous (JPN)	M5	56.0	Fuji Kiseki Romola	Y. Yoshida H. Nakamura	Big Red Farm K. Nakamura	Head (34.1)	64.9 (11)
10	6	10	Taiki Madeleine (JPN)	F4	56.0	Brian's Time Welsh Muffin	F. Komaki S. Matsumoto	U. Taiki Farm Taiki Farm	1/2 (34.2)	54.2 (10)
11	4	5	Robe Decollete (USA)	F3	54.0	Cozzene Color of Gold	Y. Fukunaga S. Matsumoto	K. Maeda Mr. & Mrs. Larry D. Williams	Head (34.7)	14.1 (6)
12	1	1	Daring Heart (JPN)	M5	56.0	Sunday Silence Daring Danzig	S. Fujita H. Fujiwara	Shadai Race H. Shadai Farm	Head (34.9)	22.0 (8)
13	2	2	Spring Drew (JPN)	M7	56.0	Misil Dyna Saffron	Y. Kawada N. Hori	H. Kato Shimizu Stud	2-1/2 (34.6)	134.7 (13)
-	3	3	Vodka (JPN)	F3	54.0	Tanino Gimlet Tanino Sister	H. Shii K. Sumii	Y. Tanimizu Country Bokujo	Scratched	

FP=Final Position BK=Bracket Number PP=Post Position B=Blinkers L3F=Time of Last 3 Furlongs (600m)

NOTE1: No Foreign Contenders.

NOTE2: Figures quoted under **Odds** are Win Odds, which show the amount of money you get back per single unit (100yen), and **Fav** indicates the order of favorites.

WINNING TIME: 2:11.9

GOING: Firm

WEATHER: Fine

TURNOVER FOR THE RACE ALONE:

¥15,884,562,200

TURNOVER FOR THE DAY:

¥23,591,459,100

ATTENDANCE: 68,503

PAY - OFF (for ¥100)

WIN	No.7	¥190	PLACE	No.7	¥110
BRACKET QUINELLA	5 - 7	¥750		No.12	¥210
QUINELLA	7 - 12	¥850		No.4	¥210
EXACTA	7 - 12	¥1,160	QUINELLA PLACE	7 - 12	¥340
TRIO	4 - 7 - 12	¥1,610		4 - 7	¥350
TRIFECTA	7 - 12 - 4	¥6,290		4 - 12	¥790

- DAIWA SCARLET** (JPN), chestnut, filly, 3-year-old
 Agnes Tachyon / Scarlet Bouquet (Northern Taste)
 Breeder: Shadai Farm Owner: Keizo Oshiro
 Trainer: Kunihide Matsuda Jockey: Katsumi Ando
 8 Starts, 6 Wins
 Added money: ¥93,066,000 Career earnings: ¥411,591,000
- FUSAICHI PANDORA** (JPN), chestnut, filly, 4-year-old
 Sunday Silence / Lotta Lace (Nureyev)
 Breeder: Northern Farm Owner: Fusaro Sekiguchi
 Trainer: Toshiaki Shirai Jockey: Christophe Lemaire
- SWEEP TOSHO** (JPN), bay, mare, 6-year-old
 End Sweep / Tabatha Tosho (Dancing Brave)
 Breeder: Tosho Sangyo Corporation Tosho Bokujo Owner: Tosho Sangyo
 Trainer: Akio Tsurudome Jockey: Kenichi Ikezoe

DAIWA SCARLET partnered with Katsumi Ando swept away like the wind from wire to wire to claim this year's **QUEEN ELIZABETH II COMMEMORATIVE CUP**, marking the filly's sixth win out of eight career starts (incl. one GI, two JPN-GI and one JPN-GII races). Runner-up was 3rd pick **FUSAICHI PANDORA** followed by 2nd favorite **SWEEP TOSHO**.

The race broke off with **DAIWA SCARLET** edging its way up to take the lead. Fourth pick **ASAHI RISING** broke slowly but immediately picked up its pace to follow the leader on the outside. Last year's title holder **FUSAICHI PANDORA** ridden by Christophe Lemaire traveled 3 wide in 5th position with last year's runner-up and 2005 winner **SWEEP TOSHO** stalking behind in 6th position.

DAIWA SCARLET, still leading the pack after the last turn, held on well and although challenged by **FUSAICHI PANDORA** who had crept up through the last two corners to third position and surged further out at the root of the homestretch, accelerated tenaciously to cross the wire 3/4 length in front. **SWEEP TOSHO** who had hugged the rail throughout the race, also burst out from the inside to challenge the front but was unable to make ground and finished another 1-1/4 lengths behind in third.

VODKA, who was top favorite at the end of the previous day, was scratched from the race this morning due to lameness in its right hind leg.

Fractional Time (sec/furlong):	12.7 - 11.1 - 12.4 - 12.1 - 12.3 - 12.6 - 12.8 - 11.8 - 11.1 - 11.4 - 11.6
	Last 4 furlongs - 45.9 Last 3 furlongs - 34.1
Positions at each corner:	1st corner 7,9(1,5)12(4,6,10)14(8,11,13)2
	2nd corner 7,9(1,5)12(4,6)-10(8,14)(11,13)2
	3rd corner 7,9(1,5,12)(4,14)(8,6)(11,13)(10,2)
	4th corner (*7,9)(1,12)(4,5,14)(8,6,13)(11,10,2)

Note: horse numbers are indicated in the order of their positions at each corner, with the first position listed first. Two or more horses inside the same parentheses indicate that they were positioned side by side. Hyphens between the horse numbers indicate

that there is distance between the former and the latter. The asterisk indicates a slight lead.