

QIPCO



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INTRODUCTION

QIPCO British Champions Series features 35 top class races divided into five championship categories run over the course of the British Flat Racing season at the country's leading racecourses, culminating in QIPCO British Champions Day at Ascot.



Races in the Series provide the centerpiece at each of the season's major meetings, including the QIPCO Guineas Festival, the Investec Derby Festival, Royal Ascot, the July Festival, Glorious Goodwood, York's Welcome to Yorkshire Ebor Festival and the Ladbrokes St Leger Meeting.

QIPCO Holding's sponsorship of the British Champions Series is intended to highlight and promote quality racing. When reviewed at the close of 2013 by handicappers from around the globe, seven of the world's top dozen races feature in the QIPCO British Champions Series, based on a three year average.

The QIPCO Champion Stakes remains the number one race in the world, as it was for the first time in 2012, and the Queen Elizabeth II Stakes, sponsored by QIPCO, comes in fourth. Both races take place on QIPCO British Champions Day.

The success of QIPCO British Champions Day has led to another of the races on the day being upgraded; in

2014 the QIPCO Long Distance Cup will be a Group 2 race. This will further boost the value of the day and the total prize money on offer will be £3.75m, making it once again the richest raceday in British Racing.

QIPCO HOLDING is one of the leading private investment companies in Qatar. Established in 1999, QIPCO Holding has a diverse range of interests, including real estate, construction, oil and gas, trading and services, finance and health. Its portfolio of interests includes Qatar Racing and Qatar Bloodstock, which owns and stands the stallions Makfi, Harbour Watch and Havana Gold.

Qatar Investment & Projects Development Holding Company (QIPCO Holding) is owned by six brothers who are members of the Royal Family of Qatar. The Chief Executive is Sheikh Hamad bin Abdullah Al Thani, who together with his brothers are cousins of the Emir of the State of Qatar.



















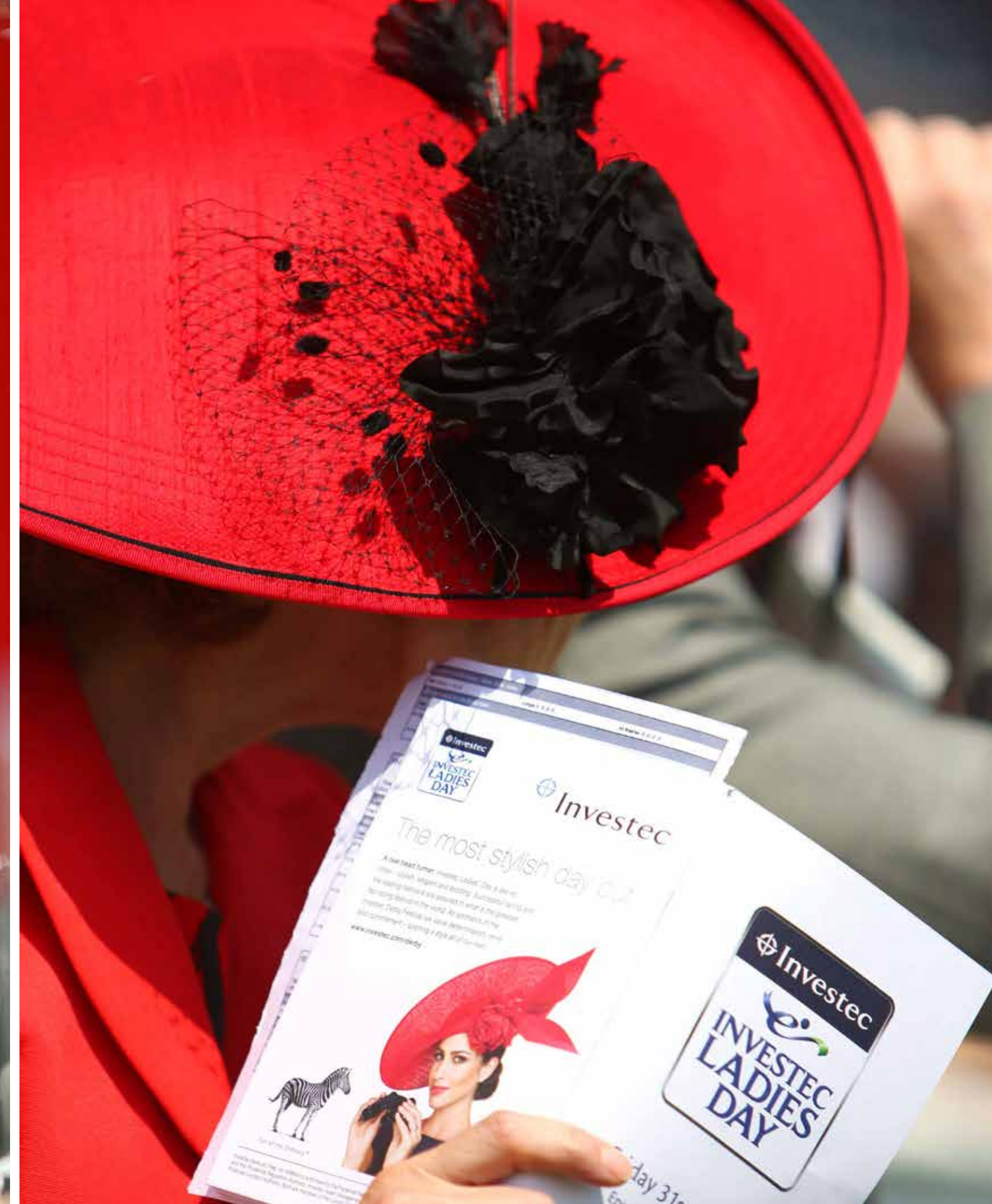




JUST THE JUDGE | Jamie Spencer















RULER OF THE WORLD | *Ryan Moore*



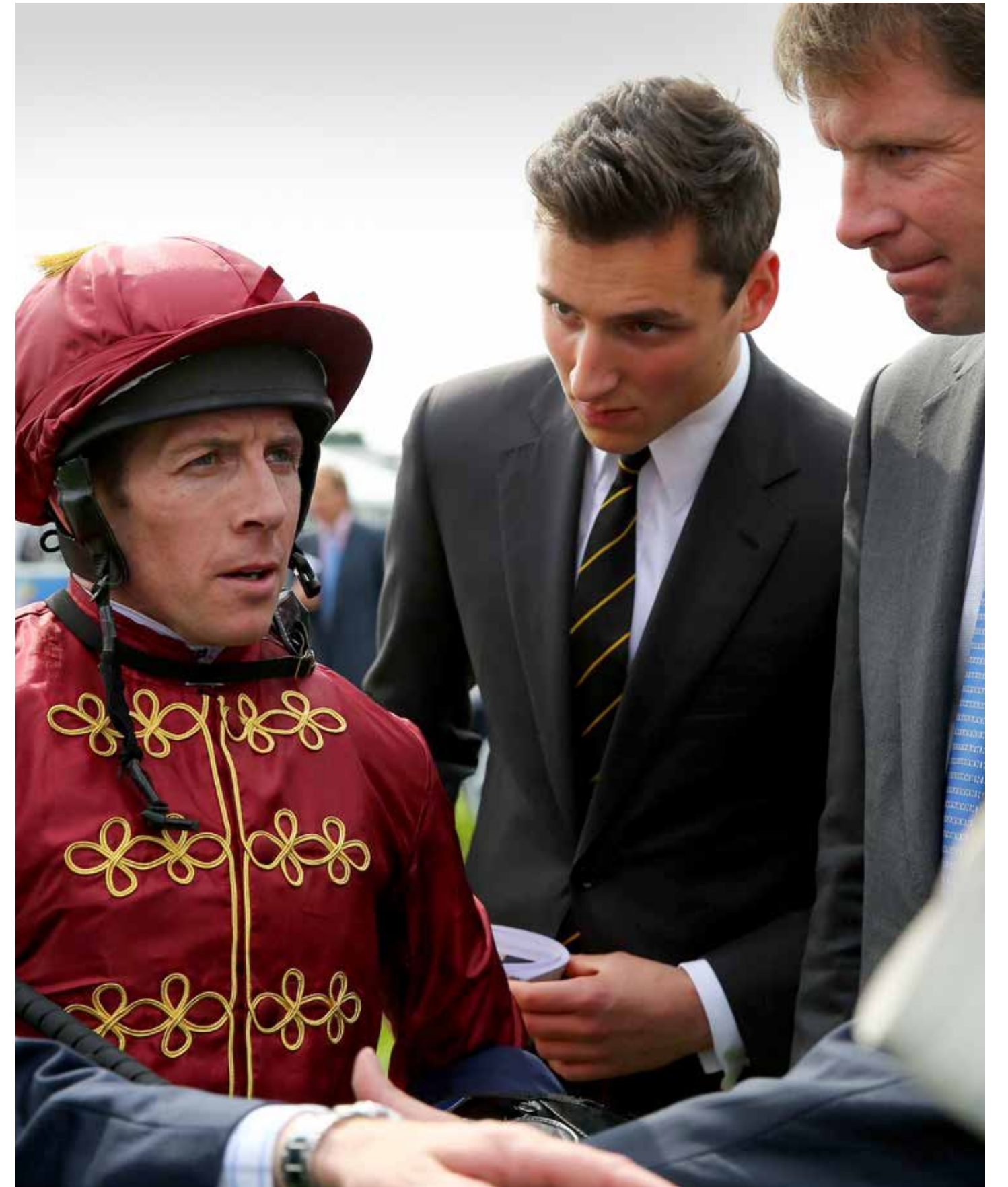
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SECRET GESTURE | *Jim Crowley (top left)*
CHOPIN | *Jamie Spencer (bottom left)*

ST NICHOLAS ABBEY | *Joseph O'Brien*













RULER OF THE WORLD | Ryan Moore



DECLARATION OF WAR | *Joseph O'Brien*



WELL SHARP | *F.M. Berry*







DAWN APPROACH | Kevin Manning





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EXTORTIONIST | Johnny Murtagh

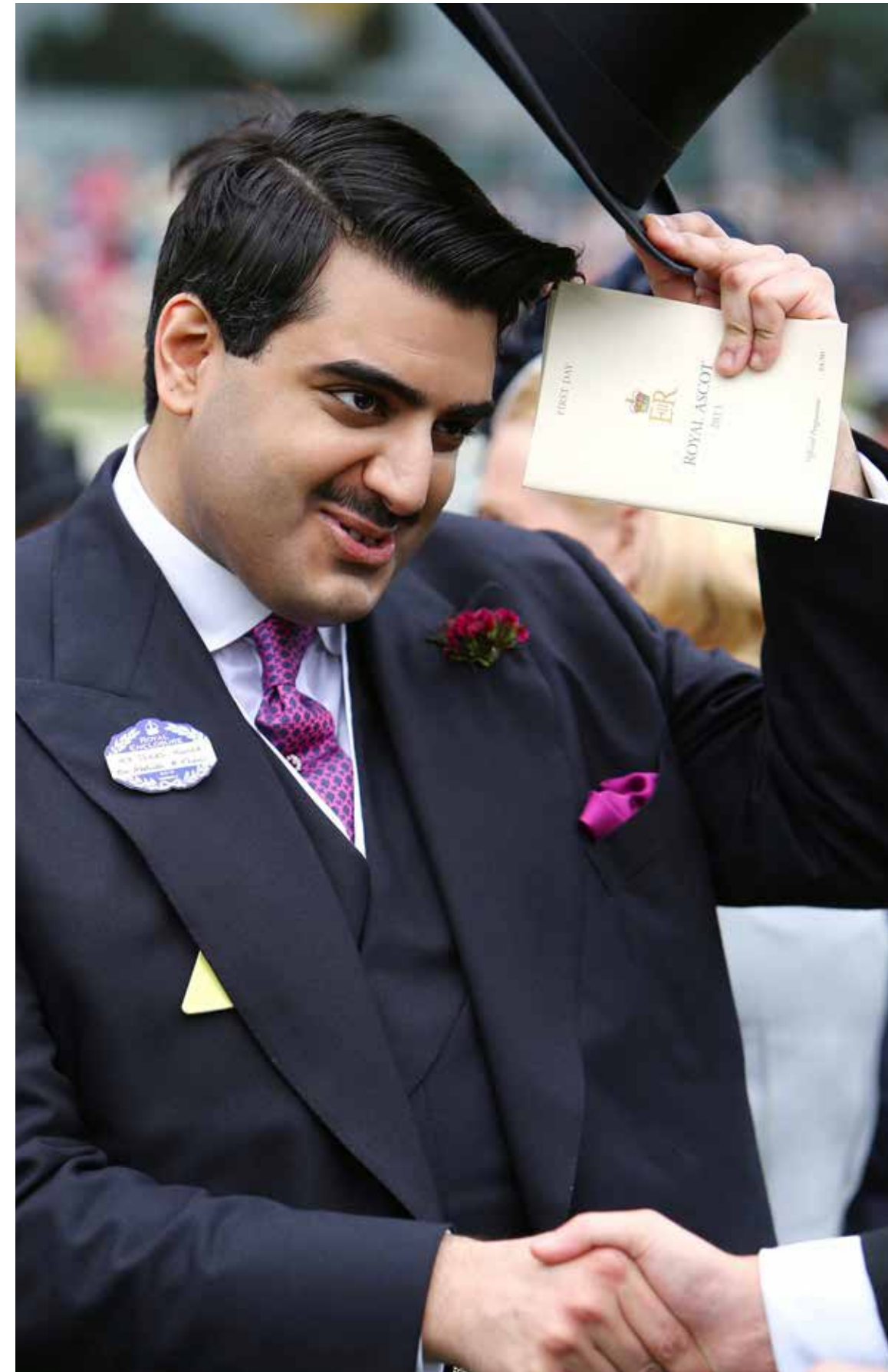


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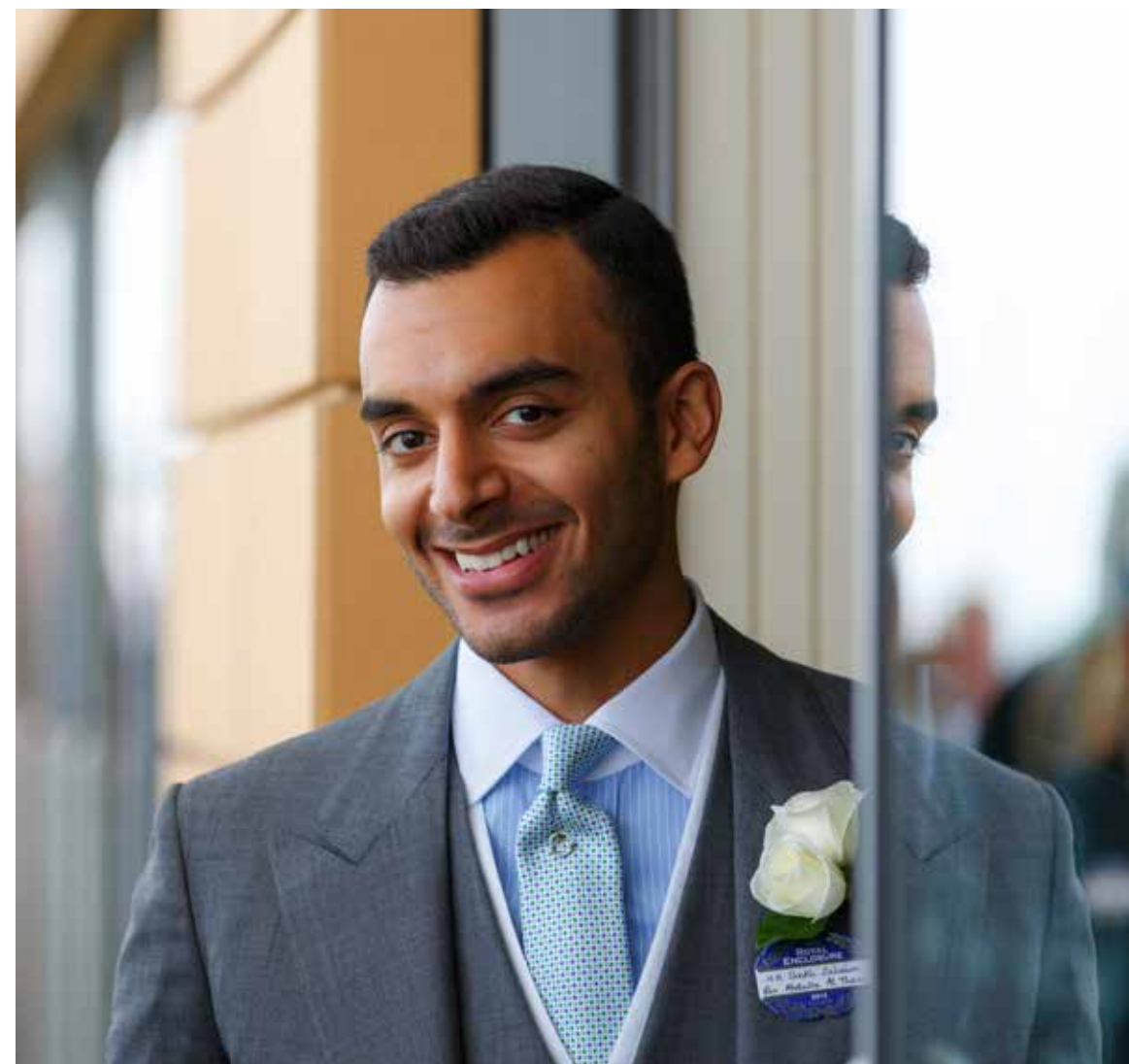




















SIDE GLANCE | Jamie Spencer











ELIDOR | Martin Harley (top, far right)
ESTIMATE | Ryan Moore (bottom right)



RIPOSTE | Tom Queally (above left and right) ESTIMATE | Ryan Moore















THE QUEEN'S VASE IN MEMORY OF SIR HENRY CECIL
Won by Leading Light and Joseph O'Brien







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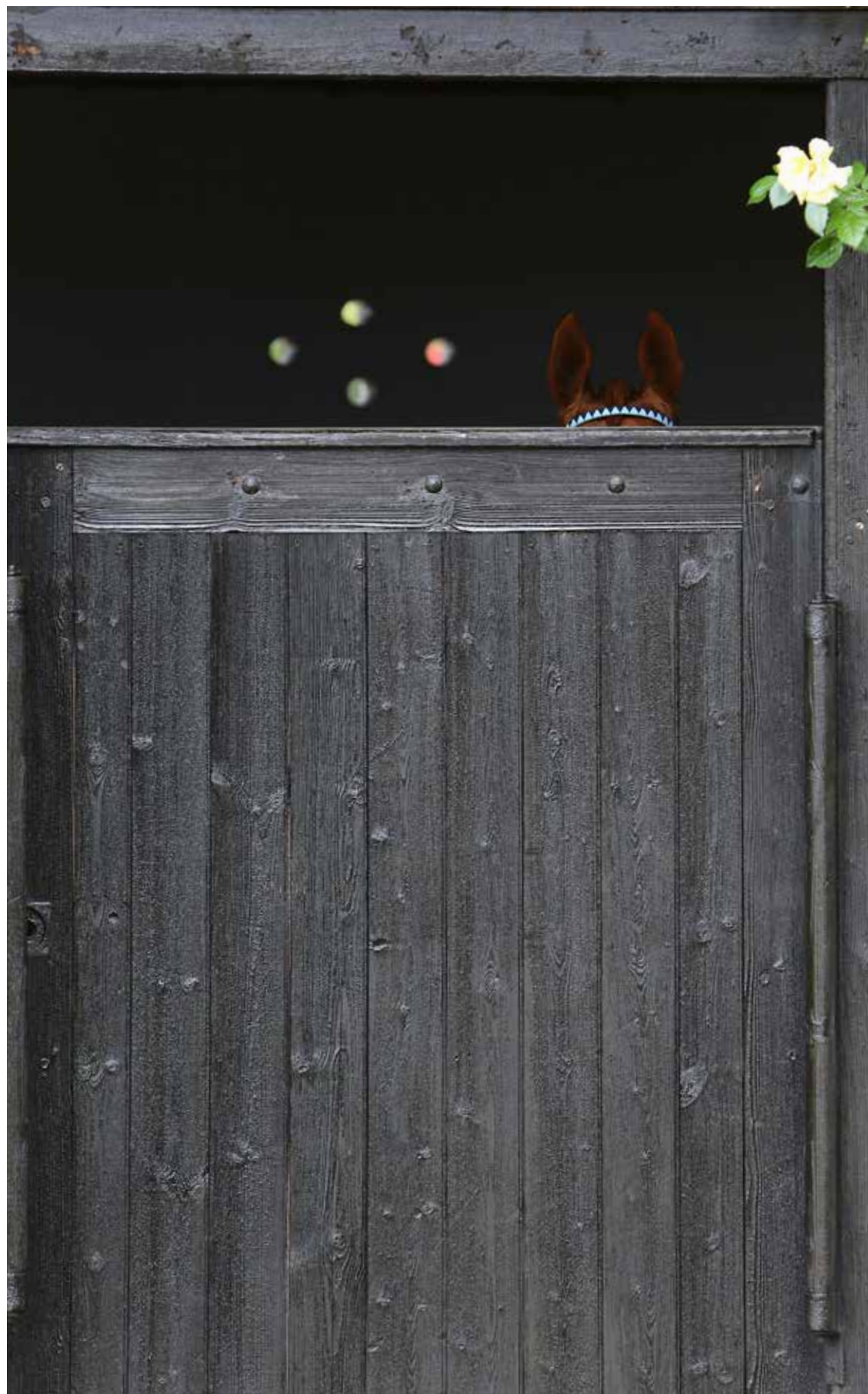


















AMAZING MARIA | Frankie Dettori







FORGOTTEN VOICE | Johnny Murtagh









GORDON LORD BYRON | *Johnny Murtagh*



PLATINUM | *Philip Kirby*



LEADING LIGHT | Joseph O'Brien



GREEN DOOR | Jim Crowley















OLYMPIC GLORY | Richard Hughes





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