

## SUBJECT: RESULTS OF THE 75TH HANSHIN JUVENILE FILLIES (G1)

Races for two-year-olds were held for the first time in 1946 at Tokyo. As the number of contenders increased, championship races that determine the top two-year-olds of the season—the Asahi Hai Sansai Stakes (predecessor to the Asahi Hai Futurity Stakes) and the Hanshin Sansai Stakes (predecessor to the Hanshin Juvenile Fillies)—were established in eastern and western Japan, respectively, in 1949. The two races were designated G1 status in conjunction with the new grading system implemented in 1984. In 1991, the two races were divided by gender into two separate G1 events; the Hanshin Sansai Himba Stakes for two-year-old fillies and the Asahi Hai Sansai Stakes for two-year-old colts and geldings, then renamed “Hanshin Juvenile Fillies” and “Asahi Hai Futurity Stakes”, respectively, in 2001. The Hanshin Juvenile Fillies, which initially started as a 1,200-meter sprint race, was extended to 1,400 meters in 1960 and to 1,600 meters in 1962. In 2010, the race was opened to foreign runners.

Past winners of the race include many successful G1 champions such as 2006 winner and 2008 & 2009 Horse of the Year Vodka (JPN, by Tanino Gimlet); 2008 champion and 2010 Horse of the Year Buena Vista (JPN, by Special Week); and last year’s victor Liberty Island (JPN, F3, by Duramente) who subsequently became the seventh filly to sweep the fillies’ Triple Crown races—the Oka Sho (Japanese 1000 Guineas, G1, 1,600m), the Yushun Himba (Japanese Oaks, G1, 2,400m) and the Shuka Sho (G1, 2,000m)—and went on to recently mark a respectable runner-up effort against Equinox in the Japan Cup (G1, 2,400m) this year.

Coming off their respective wins were **Cosmo Dinner** (Clover Sho [Open Class, 1,500m, Aug.20]), **Ascoli Piceno** (Niigata Nisai Stakes [G3, 1,600m, Aug.27]), **Catfight** (Aster Sho [1 Win Class, 1,600m, Sep.9]), **Spring Nova** (Saffron Sho [1 Win Class, 1,600m, Oct.1]), **Nanao** (Momiji Stakes [Open Class, 1,400m, Oct.15]), **Lucifer** (Hagi Stakes [Listed, 1,800m, Oct.28]), **Corazon Beat** (Keio Hai Nisai Stakes [G2, 1,400m, Nov.4]), **Culture Day** (Fantasy Stakes [G3, 1,400m, Nov.4]), **Stellenbosch** (Akamatsu Sho [1 Win Class, 1,600m, Nov.19]) and **Psipsina** (Shiragiku Sho [1 Win Class, 1,600m, Nov.26]). Also among the field were two second-place finishers in graded events, **Safira** (Artemis Stakes [G3, 1,600m, Oct.28]) and **Dona Betty** (Fantasy Stakes).

### THE 75TH HANSHIN JUVENILE FILLIES (G1)

2-year-olds, Fillies, 1,600 meters (about 8 furlongs), turf, right-handed

Sunday, December 10, 2023 Hanshin Racecourse 11th Race Post time: 15:40

Total prize money: ¥ 140,200,000 (about US\$ 1,071,000 <US\$1=¥131>)

2-y-o: 55kg (about 121 lbs), 3 kg allowance for Southern Hemisphere-bred born in 2021

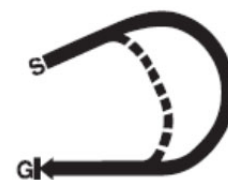
Course Record: 1:32.3

Race Record: 1:32.6 [Ascoli Piceno (JPN, by Daiwa Major), 2023]

Safety factor: 18 runners

Going: Good to Firm

Weather: Fine



FP	BK	PP	Horse Jockey	S&A Color Wgt	Odds (Fav)	Margin (L3F)	Sire Dam (Dam's Sire)	Owner Breeder Trainer
1	4	7	Ascoli Piceno (JPN) Hiroshi Kitamura	F2 d.b. 55.0	5.9 (3)	1:32.6 (33.7)	Daiwa Major Ascolti (Danehill Dancer)	Sunday Racing Co., Ltd. Northern Farm Yoichi Kuroiwa
2	3	6	Stellenbosch (JPN) Christophe Lemaire	F2 b. 55.0	8.7 (5)	Neck (33.5)	Epiphaneia Bloukrans (Rulership)	Katsumi Yoshida Northern Farm Sakae Kunieda
3	5	10	Corazon Beat (JPN) Takeshi Yokoyama	F2 ch. 55.0	4.8 (2)	1-1/4 (34.1)	Suave Richard Le Ciel d'Or (Orfevre)	Thoroughbred Club Ruffian Co., Ltd. Big Red Farm Shizuya Kato
4	7	14	Safira (JPN) Kohei Matsuyama	F2 d.b. 55.0	4.6 (1)	3 (34.2)	Heart's Cry Salomina (Lomitas)	Silk Racing Co., Ltd. Northern Racing Manabu Ikezoe
5	6	12	Chicago Sting (JPN) Katsuma Sameshima	F2 d.b. 55.0	67.0 (12)	1/2 (35.2)	Logotype Multi Screen (Screen Hero)	Hiroshi Tsujikawa Shadai Farm Yasushi Shono

6	8	16	Lucifer (JPN) Bauyrzhan Murzabayev	F2 b. 55.0	9.0 (6)	Neck (34.1)	Heart's Cry Alluring Star (Exchange Rate)	Carrot Farm Co., Ltd. Northern Racing Takashi Saito
7	6	11	Sweep Feet (JPN) Manami Nagashima	F2 ch. 55.0	34.2 (9)	Neck (34.2)	Suave Richard Bijou Toshio (Deep Sky)	YGG Horse Club Co., Ltd. Seishindai Stud Ranch Yasushi Shono
8	8	18	Dona Betty (JPN) Ryusei Sakai	F2 b. 55.0	74.1 (13)	Nose (34.0)	Real Steel Dona Lucia (Malibu Moon)	Masao Ogawa Shimoyashiki Bokujo Yoshito Yahagi
9	1	1	Cosmo Dinner (JPN) Masami Matsuoka	F2 d.b. 55.0	78.4 (14)	1 (34.3)	Danon Ballade Cosmo Meal (Hector Protector)	Big Red Farm Big Red Farm Shinichi Ito
10	2	3	Catfight (JPN) Takuya Ono	F2 d.b. 55.0	6.2 (4)	Neck (34.6)	Discreet Cat Flammable (Pyro)	Godolphin Godolphin Hiroyuki Uehara
11	5	9	Teleos Lulu (JPN) Yoshihiro Furukawa	F2 b. 55.0	285.1 (17)	Head (35.2)	Al Ain Guillem (Medaglia d'Oro)	Mieko Suzuki Northern Racing Toshiaki Tajima
12	7	15	Nanao (JPN) Atsuya Nishimura	F2 b. 55.0	33.5 (8)	Head (35.4)	Lord Kanaloa Buy the Dimple (Orfevre)	Kazuhiro Masuda Nibutani Farm Minoru Oguri
13	1	2	Quick Bio (JPN) Luke Morris	F2 b. 55.0	34.9 (10)	Nose (34.9)	Bricks and Mortar Animate Bio (Zenno Rob Roy)	Bio K. Bio Co., Ltd. Naosuke Sugai
14	3	5	Spring Nova (JPN) Ryuji Wada	F2 b. 55.0	65.6 (11)	2 (34.3)	California Chrome Berangkat (Deep Impact)	Hiroshi Hashimoto Hattori Bokujo Ippo Sameshima
15	4	8	Psipsina (JPN) Suguru Hamanaka	F2 br. 55.0	100.9 (15)	Head (35.1)	Epiphaneia Purple Sail (Fuji Kiseki)	Kazumi Yoshida Northern Farm Minoru Oguri
16	7	13	Culture Day (JPN) Manabu Sakai	F2 ch. 55.0	22.4 (7)	Nose (35.4)	Fine Needle L'Artista (Meiner Love)	MMS Holdings Co. Ltd Matsuda Bokujo Hirofumi Shii
17	2	4	New General (JPN) Kanta Taguchi	F2 b. 55.0	142.2 (16)	7 (35.6)	New Year's Day Hermes Green (Agnes Tachyon)	Green Farm Co., Ltd. Nasuno Bokujo Hidenori Take
18	8	17	Mirai Tailor (JPN) Yuji Nakai	F2 b. 55.0	313.8 (18)	7 (37.9)	Orfevre Dubawi Deity (Dubawi)	Kouichi Nakanishi Versailles Farm Yuzo Iida

FP: Final Position / BK: Bracket Number / PP: Post Position / S&A: Sex & Age / Wgt: Weight (kg) / L3F: Time of Last 3 Furlongs (600m)

Color: b.=bay / bl.=black / br.=brown / ch.=chestnut / d.b.=dark bay / d.ch.=dark chestnut / g.=gray / w.=white

NOTE 1: No Foreign Contenders

NOTE 2: Figures quoted under Odds are shown in form of decimal odds (single unit is ¥100), and Fav indicates the order of favorites.

Turnover for the Race alone: ¥ 13,774,162,700      Turnover for the Day: ¥ 22,351,872,400      Attendance: 20,288

Pay-off (for ¥100)

Win	No.7	¥ 590	Bracket Quinella	3-4	¥ 1,880	Quinella	6-7	¥ 2,330
Place	No.7	¥ 210	Quinella Place	6-7	¥ 890	Exacta	7-6	¥ 4,350
	No.6	¥ 270		7-10	¥ 620	Trio	6-7-10	¥ 3,680
	No.10	¥ 180		6-10	¥ 770	Trifecta	7-6-10	¥ 21,530

Winner= 3 starts: 3 wins / Added & stakes money: ¥ 66,302,000 / Career earnings: ¥ 104,936,000

### **Ascoli Piceno Scores Hanshin Juvenile Fillies Win**

Third favorite **Ascoli Piceno** claim this year's Hanshin Juvenile Fillies, her third career win in as many starts, while renewing the race record time to 1:32.6. After breaking her maiden in her debut start (Tokyo, 1,400m) in June, she stepped up in class and immediately won her first grade-race title in the Niigata Nisai Stakes (G3, 1,600m) on August 27. For trainer Yoichi Kuroiwa, who opened his yard in 2012, this



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