Where and when: your guide to the six European breeze-up sales as spring events get under way

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Osarus Breeze-Up Sale

Where? La Teste racecourse, La Teste-de-Buch, in southwestern France.

When? April 26-27.

Key lots An event which not only offers a seaside getaway but generally plenty of value has early highlights such as Barry Davis Bloodstock's Sir Percy brother to California Oaks winner Consolida (8) and Ard Erin Stud's Dark Angel colt out of a Sinndar full-sister to Prix Marcel Boussac winner and Prix de Diane runner-up Rosanara (9).

There's also Ecurie de la Dentelle's filly by first-season sire City Light out of a half-sister to Fillies' Mile and Falmouth Stakes victress Simply Perfect (44).



The Osarus Breeze-Up takes place at La Teste racecourse

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Hyde Park Stud has 18 lots listed in the catalogue, including a Seabhac half-sister to American Grade 2 winner Avenue De France, who is set to be the second horse to go under the hammer, and a Territories half-sister to stakes winner Goldberry (46).

Notable graduates Osarus's sale has already had a 2023 black-type performer in Samedi Rien, a daughter of Bated Breath who was third to the high-class With The Moonlight in the Cape Verdi in Dubai. Trained in Spain, she made &17,000 to MAB Agency from Hyde Park Stud in 2021. It recently came into the National Hunt limelight when Gold Tweet struck in the Cleeve Hurdle, having sold to Karwin Stud from Ecurie la Frenee for &14,000 at the event in 2019.