



HUGO PALMER RACING

JUNE - SEPTEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER



"The horses have really thrived throughout the summer, particularly the two year olds who have flown the flag for the yard. The highlight has definitely been POWERFUL BREEZE's (Ifraaj – Power of Light) Group Two win and, all being well, she will step up to Group One company on her next start.

The autumn is now upon us and the annual yearling sales have begun. We have purchased some lovely horses so far, with plenty more to buy. In this edition of our Newsletter, there are details of some cracking colts and fillies who are looking for owners, along with a full roundup of all the exciting recent winners that we have had."



2019 SEASON STATS

Winners: 43 Placed: 123 Runners: 306 Strike Rate: 14% Prize Money: £555,070



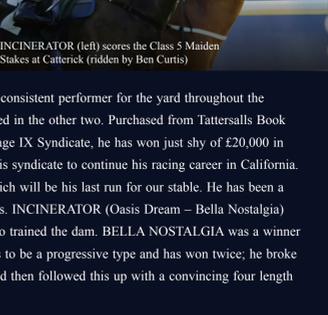
POWERFUL BREEZE storms to victory under James Doyle in the Group 2 May Hill Stakes at Doncaster

RACING ROUNDUP JUNE - SEPTEMBER 2019

It has been great to watch our two year olds flourish throughout the summer. Amongst these is the very exciting filly of Dr Ali Ridha's, POWERFUL BREEZE, who is currently unbeaten after a runaway victory on debut at Newmarket, followed by a win in the Group Two May Hill Stakes at Doncaster, where she blew away a competitive field and gave us our 40th Group winner to date. She has come out of this race well and, following a racecourse gallop on the Rowley Mile where she handled Newmarket's famous undulations nicely in the hands of James Doyle, a supplementary entry for the Group One Fillies' Mile at Newmarket on 11th October is likely to be made, all being well. She is currently 20/1 for the 2020 Group One Classic 1000 Guineas, giving us a dream for the year ahead.

Dr Ali Ridha has also experienced success this summer with two more smart two year old fillies; HOT TOUCH (Hot Streak – Stroll Patrol) and ANGEL OF DELIGHT (Dark Angel – Ventura Mist) who both won nicely at the second time of asking at Kempton and Newmarket, respectively. HAMISH MACBETH (Due Diligence – Brick Tops) is another two year old who broke his maiden at Newmarket on only his second start, he then followed this up by comfortably winning a Novice Auction Stakes at Salisbury in August.

HAMISH MACBETH went on to run a big race in the Tattersalls Ireland Super Auction Sale Stakes at the Curragh, where he picked up €27,500 for third place in what was a tight finish.



HAMISH MACBETH wins the Class 4 Novice Median Auction Stakes at Newmarket



HARIBOUX notches up another sweet victory in the Class 3 Nursery Handicap at Newmarket (ridden by Jack Mitchell)



INCINERATOR (left) scores the Class 5 Maiden Stakes at Catterick (ridden by Ben Curtis)

HARIBOUX (Havana Gold – Royal Warranty) has been a consistent performer for the yard throughout the summer, winning on three of his five starts and being placed in the other two. Purchased from Tattersalls Book 3 for just £11,000 by Philippa Mains for the Kremlin Cottage IX Syndicate, he has won just shy of £20,000 in prize money to date. HARIBOUX has now been sold by his syndicate to continue his racing career in California. His first run for his new owner will be on 6th October, which will be his last run for our stable. He has been a joy to train and we wish his new connections every success. INCINERATOR (Oasis Dream – Bella Nostalgia) (owned by Mr V. I. Araci) is our first winner where we also trained the dam. BELLA NOSTALGIA was a winner in 2015 and was also Listed placed. INCINERATOR looks to be a progressive type and has won twice; he broke his maiden at Catterick in an eye wateringly tight finish and then followed this up with a convincing length victory at Windsor.



ACQUITTED wins at Kempton in the Class 4 Novice Stakes under James Doyle



POWERTRAIN (right) powers through to win the Class 4 Nursery Handicap at Chester

It was great to see ARTHUR'S COURT (Camelot – Logjam) become a winner for owners John Livock, Nat Lacy and Mrs M. V. Magnier as the good-looking colt travelled well and picked up nicely to lose his maiden tag in a mile Nursery at Windsor under James Doyle. Mr Livock has also had success with ACQUITTED (Night of Thunder – Blameless) who was an impressive winner on debut when scoring at Kempton under James Doyle. This two year old colt then stepped up to the Haynes, Hanson & Clark Conditions Stakes at Newbury where he came forward from his previous start and ran a good solid fourth against some nice types. I look forward to seeing how he progresses next year. Two year old Craven Breeze-Up purchase POWERTRAIN (Zoffany – Emerald Ring), owned by Sheikh Isa Bin Salman Al Khalifa, has learnt a lot in his four starts to date, winning his last two races (at Newmarket and Chester), where in both he met difficulty in running but stayed true to his name when powering through to win well.



IRONCLAD shows steely determination to take the Class 3 Handicap at Newmarket



BIRDCAGE WALK (ridden by James Doyle) swoops to take the Class 4 Fillies' Handicap at Windsor

Many of our three year olds have also recorded winning performances through the summer months including; BIRDCAGE WALK (Sea the Moon – Baisse) this half-sister to BEST OF DAYS (who won the Group Two Royal Lodge Stakes for us in 2016) broke her maiden at Windsor in June. She then backed this up winning at Windsor in July for owner and breeder Gerhard Schoeningh. Another promising three year old is the well-bred IRONCLAD (Dubawi – Heat Haze), who confirmed his promise when winning at Beverley in June. The half-brother to MIRAGE DANCER then went on to win convincingly when knocking down and showing a good attitude at Newmarket one month later.



ASSEMBLED (ridden by Pat Cosgrave) is victorious in the Class 5 Novice Stakes at Windsor

Three year old Craven Breeze-Up graduate ASSEMBLED (Ifraaj – Beziqie) partnered with Pat Cosgrave to overcome a bad draw and break his maiden at Windsor in June for owners Mr V. I. Araci & partners. Mr Araci's three year old filly MINA VAGANTE (Exceed and Excel – Unity) was a most deserving winner having been three times the bridesmaid this season, and she did it nicely under Cieren Fallon Jr at Sandown in September.



PATHS OF GLORY (right) takes the Class 5 Maiden Stakes at Ffos Las under Jack Mitchell



SIGLO SIX (right) under Kieran Shoemark takes the Class 4 Handicap at Sandown

Two year old winner DEBBONAIR (Slade Power - Bryanstown Girl) notched his first win of this season at Doncaster in July for owner George Richardson of Commission Air Limited where he showcased a fantastic attitude when sticking his neck out to take the ten furlong Handicap under Ben Curtis. Another breeze up graduate that we have celebrated success with this season is the John Livock owned three year old colt, SIGLO SIX (Havana Gold – Yens) who broke his maiden at Doncaster, bringing up a double on the night for our team. SIGLO SIX then backed this up with a smoking win at Sandown under Kieran Shoemark. He is looking like a progressive horse and we look forward to seeing what he can achieve further down the line. PATHS OF GLORY (Mastercraftsman – Pacific Rim) (owned by The China Horse Club) paid dividends to his owner's patience, with a gusty victory at Ffos Las on ground that didn't suit. He relished the good ground at Chepstow when winning nicely again under Oisín Murphy in September. The arrival of autumn brings promise of some much sought after cut in the ground and he should be a nice staying type for the future.

STAFF PROFILE: EMMA CLUTTERBUCK HUGO PALMER RACING - PUPIL ASSISTANT

Background: I think I was probably riding before I was born! My family moved to Newmarket in 2000 when my dad took out his dual licence after twenty years of training point-to-pointers. I competed in every discipline possible growing up and rode over twenty five winner's pony racing. I then went pointing and also had a dozen rides under rules over jumps before going on to be Pupil Assistant for Luca Cumani.

Favorite part of the job: Riding MOOTASADIR (Dansili - Mahbooba) every day, riding MOOTASADIR (Dansili - Mahbooba) every day, riding MOOTASADIR and going racing to look after our owners. We have such a lovely group of owners and in particular the syndicates are great fun to spend a day with, especially when we have a winner.

What is your biggest achievement to date? Buying my own house, there's no better feeling than not having to pay rent.

The best piece of advice you have been given? When my parents told me I'd regret it when I was older if I didn't finish school.

Favorite horse: MOOTASADIR hands down! I've ridden him every day for two years. I'm very protective of him and do everything I can to make sure he's happy. I don't think I'll ever love another racehorse like I do him, he's very special to me.

Interests away from Racing: My show pony, Corky. He is a four year old Connemara from Ireland who



Emma Clutterbuck and MOOTASADIR

I bought unseen and have broken in and produced myself. He has achieved so much in six months, I'm so proud of him. The plan was to bring him on and sell him, but like most girls with their ponies, I'm too attached and he's not going anywhere (much to my boyfriend's disappointment as he still owns a leg in him!).

HORSES FOR SALE

We have the following horses (and shares in horses) available for sale:

UNNAMED b f (2018)
(OLYMPIC GLORY x ORNELIA RUEE)
➤ For sale
Purchased at the Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale

This filly is a gorgeous rangy filly by a multiple Group One winning sire. OLYMPIC GLORY achieved the rare feat of winning Group Ones at two, three and four and he has already sired a Group One winning filly in his first crop in WATCH ME, who won the Coronation Stakes at Royal Ascot. The dam is by the world champion SEA THE STARS, who needs little introduction, and this yearling filly is from a very good family of RULE OF LAW. She is a lovely strong filly with great scope and movement.



UNNAMED gr f (2018)
(MEHMAS x CRYSTAL SNOWFLAKE)
➤ For sale
Purchased at the Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale

This filly is a really strong athletic fast looking filly. MEHMAS was an exceptional two year old and his stock have really looked the part and looked like they will be as fast as he was. She is out of a DANEHILL DANCER mare, so she is speed on speed and she looks like a precocious, smart, early runner for next year, and very good value at that.



UNNAMED b c (2018)
(SHOWCASING x DAM BEAUTIFUL)
➤ For sale
Purchased at the Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale

This colt was in many people's view the best colt in the sale. He is exceptionally strong and athletic with great depth and muscle definition. He is by an exceptional stallion in SHOWCASING, who is the sire this year of MULTIGROUP ONE winner ADVERTISE as well as QUIET REFLECTION, TASLEET & SOLDIER'S CALL.



LOVER'S MOON b f (2017)
(MAKE BELIEVE – NIGHT FEVER)
➤ Ladies Syndicate - 20% share remaining
Purchased at the Tattersalls October Yearling Sale, Book One

This filly is to me an absolute beauty who just oozes class! She has got lovely depth and balance and moves in a smart looking manner. She reminds me in many ways of some of the good fillies that I have trained. She has the scope of COVERT LOVE, and the depth of AUDACIA, as well as the athleticism of NEW PROVIDENCE. Like all three of those fillies, she was not an expensive purchase at the sales and for whatever reason failed to catch the imagination of the others, which is always something that I take great pleasure in. She is a filly from the first crop of MAKE BELIEVE who was an outstanding miler and won the French 2,000 Guineas in 2015.



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