

STALLION	PEDIGREE	LOCATION
ASK	Sadler's Wells - Request (Rainbow Quest)	The Beeches Stud
<b>DYLAN THOMAS</b>	Danehill - Lagrion (Diesis)	Castlehyde Stud
<b>FAME AND GLORY</b>	Montjeu - Gryada (Shirley Heights)	Grange Stud
FLEMENSFIRTH	Alleged - Etheldreda (Diesis)	The Beeches Stud
GETAWAY	Monsun - Guernica (Unfuwain)	Grange Stud
IMPERIAL MONARCH	Galileo - Ionian Sea (Slip Anchor)	The Beeches Stud
LEADING LIGHT	Montjeu - Dance Parade (Gone West)	Grange Stud
MAHLER	Galileo - Rainbow Goddess (Rainbow Quest)	The Beeches Stud
MILAN	Sadler's Wells - Kithanga (Darshaan)	Grange Stud
OCOVANGO	Monsun - Crystal Maze (Gone West)	The Beeches Stud
SANS FRONTIERES	Galileo - Llia (Shirley Heights)	The Beeches Stud
SCORPION	Montjeu - Ardmelody (Law Society)	Castlehyde Stud
SOLDIER OF FORTUNE	Galileo - Affianced (Erins Isle)	The Beeches Stud
WALK IN THE PARK	New Montjeu - Classic Park (Robellino)	Grange Stud
WESTERNER	Danehill - Walensee (Troy)	Castlehyde Stud
YEATS	Sadler's Wells - Lyndonville (Top Ville)	Castlehyde Stud

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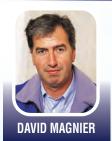
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### **Castlehyde Stud**





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**CATHAL MURPHY** 



**TED WALSH** 

#### The year that was.

2015 saw another fine year for our stallions. Both Westerner and Milan sired Grade 1 winners at the Cheltenham Festival for the second successive year. Westerner's six-year-old son Cole Harden, bred by Mrs J O'Callaghan, made all the to win the runnina Ladbrokes World Hurdle providing trainer Warren Greatrex with his first Festival success. The following day Milan supplied the 1-2 in the Albert Bartlett Novices' Hurdle when Martello Tower bred by Martin Cullinane stayed on gamely to deny Milsean bred by Cyrus Buttimer. The pair were

trained by Margaret Mullins for Barry Connell and Willie Mullins for Gigginstown House Stud respectively.

On to Aintree and a Grade 1 double for Milan. The Gerald McGrath-bred Jezki cruised to a 13-length success in the Aintree Hurdle for Jessica Harrington and J P McManus while Sizing Granite, bred by Thomas Kelly, landed the Maghull Novices' Chase for Henry de Bromhead and Alan Potts.

At Fairyhouse the Enda Bolger-trained Gilgamboa, running in the colours of J P McManus and bred by his son Kieran, fulfilled his Grade 1 potential when keeping on well in the Ryanair Gold Cup Novice Chase and at Punchestown Jezki notched up his ninth Grade 1 win.

At Leopardstown's Christmas meeting Flemensfirth enjoyed two more Grade 1 successes. The Donal Barnwell-bred Flemenstar showed some of his old sparkle to win for Anthony and Stephen Curran while the Eamon Salmon-bred Prince of Scars looked a top chaser of the future when winning the 3m Christmas Hurdle Gigginstown and Gordon Elliott.





### ASK

#### BAY 2003, SADLER'S WELLS - REQUEST (RAINBOW QUEST)

### Dual Group 1 winner by SADLER'S WELLS just like KING'S THEATRE and OLD VIC

- 1st Coronation Cup-Gr.1, 12f., Epsom from Youmzain and Look Here.
- 1st Prix Royal-Oak-Gr.1, Longchamp, by 1½ lengths from five-time Group 1 winner Schiaparelli.
- 1st Yorkshire Cup-**Gr.2**, York, by 6 lengths.
- 1st Gordon Richards Stakes-Gr.3, 10f., Sandown Park.
- 1st Ormonde Stakes-Gr.3, Chester, by 2 lengths from Scorpion.
- 1st Cumberland Lodge Stakes-Gr.3, 12f., Ascot, by 2 lengths.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Canadian International-Gr.1, 12f., Woodbine, beaten a short head.
- 3rd King George VI & Queen Elizabeth Stakes-**Gr.1**, 12f., Ascot, beaten 1¾ lengths by Conduit and Tartan Bearer.

### From the immediate family of NAYEF, NASHWAN, UNFUWAIN, DEEP IMPACT, JEREMY etc.





RATED

### First crop 3YO's of 2015 sold for **€65,000, €45,000, €40,000, €37,000** etc.

Buyers included

Colin Tizzard, Harold Kirk/Willie Mullins, Monbeg Stables (x3), Peter & Ross Doyle Bloodstock, Tom Keating, Denis Hogan, Stuart Crawford (x2), Richard Rohan, Eugene O'Sullivan etc.



Peter & Ross Doyle

### **DYLAN THOMAS**

**BAY 2003, DANEHILL - LAGRION (DIESIS)** 

#### An outstanding **DUAL PURPOSE** sire

Won 10 races from 2 to 4 years and over £3.3m including:

- 1st Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-Gr.1, Longchamp
- 1st Irish Champion Stakes-Gr.1, Leopardstown (twice)
- 1st Irish Derby-Gr.1, Curragh
- 1st King George VI & Queen Elizabeth Stakes-Gr.1, Ascot
- 1st Prix Ganay-Gr.1, Longchamp

#### RATED





### Half-brother to 1,000 Guineas winner HOMECOMING QUEEN and European Champion 2YO Filly QUEEN'S LOGIC



# Sire of 4 Group 1 winners in 2015

Only GALILEO and DUBAWI had more!

**PETHER'S MOON** Coronation Cup-**Gr.1** 

**NIGHTFLOWER** Preis von Europa-**Gr.1** 

**BLAZING SPEED** Queen Elizabeth Il Cup-**Gr.1** 

**DYLAN MOUTH**Gran Premio di Milano-**Gr.1**Premio Roma-**Gr.1** 

PETHER'S MOON wins the Coronation Cup-Gr.1 from Gr.1 winners Dolniya and Flintshire ▼



Yearlings in 2015 sold for up to 115.000 ans at Tattersalls October and

for up to £100,000 at the Goffs Orby Sale. Impressive Fairyhouse bumper winner Peter The Mayo Man sold for £120,000 at Brightwells

**Sire of 2015 blacktype performers/winners over hurdles/fences for:**Dan Skelton, Donald McCain, Tim Easterby, Philip Hobbs, Willie Mullins, Gordon Elliott *etc.* 



### **FAME AND GLORY**

**RATED** 

BAY 2006, MONTJEU - GRYADA (SHIRLEY HEIGHTS)

### The best horse **EVER** to retire

straight to NH stud!

#### **Unbeaten Gr.1 winner at 2**

- 1st Criterium de Saint-Cloud-Gr.1
- 1st Maiden at Navan

#### **Classic winner at 3**

1st Irish Derby-**Gr.1** by 5 lengths

1st Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial-Gr.2 by 5 lengths

- 1st Ballysax Stakes-Gr.3
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Epsom Derby-**Gr.1** to Sea The Stars
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Irish Champion Stakes-**Gr.1** to Sea The Stars

#### **Gr.1 winner over 10½ & 12f at 4**

- 1st Coronation Cup-**Gr.1** from Sariska
- 1st Tattersalls Gold Cup-**Gr.1** by 7 lengths
- 1st Royal Whip Stakes-**Gr.2** by 3½ lengths
- 1st Mooresbridge Stakes-**Gr.3** by 5 lengths

#### **Gr.1 winner at 5**

- 1st Ascot Gold Cup-**Gr.1** by 3 lengths
- 1st British Champions Long Distance Cup-Gr.3
- The only Group 1 winner at 2, 3, 4 & 5 years by MONTJEU
- Full-brother to the dam of triple Group 1 winner in 2015 LEGATISSIMO
- Out of a Group-placed 2YO by SHIRLEY HEIGHTS
- His second dam won the German 1,000 Guineas-Gr.2



#### Foals and yearlings from his first and second crops have sold for:

**€80,000, €60,000, €55,000, €52,000, €50,000, €46,000, €45,000, €40,000, €39,000, €36,000, €36,000, €35,000 etc.** 

Buyers included Aiden Murphy, John O'Byrne, JC Bloodstock, Mount Eaton Stud, Kevin Ross Bloodstock, Fethard Bloodstock, Rathmore Stud, Oak Tree Farm, Dick Frisby etc.



### **FLEMENSFIRTH**





### **GETAWAY**

**BAY 2003, MONSUN - GUERNICA (UNFUWAIN)** 

#### **Dual Group 1 winner by MONSUN**

- 1st Deutschland-Preis-Gr.1, Dusseldorf, 12f.
- 1st Grosser Preis Von Baden-Gr.1, Baden-Baden, 12f., (by 3 lengths from Dubai Sheema Classic winner Eastern Anthem and Youmzain).
- 1st Jockey Club Stakes-**Gr.2**, 12f., Newmarket (by 3¾ lengths from St. Leger winner Sixties Icon despite conceding him 3lbs).
- 1st Grand Prix de Deauville-Gr.2, 12½f., Deauville (by a length from Doctor Dino).
- 1st Prix Kergorlay-Gr.2, Deauville.
- 1st Prix de Lutece-Gr.3, Longchamp.
- 4<sup>th</sup> Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-**Gr.1**, 12f., Longchamp (beaten 1¾ lengths by Dylan Thomas, Youmzain and Sagara).





by Timeform



# 3YO's at the Land Rover and Derby Sales sold for up to €150,000 and averaged



Gelding ex. Listening from Redpender Stud bred by Mrs Mary McCann which sold for €150,000 - the second top price of the sale and joins Nicky Henderson

it would be hard to find a better individual or more exciting prospect

#### Other first crop 4YO's now in training with:

Willie Mullins, Noel Meade, Enda Bolger, Dan Skelton, Edward O'Grady, Robert Tyner, Sandra Hughes, Alan King etc.



### **IMPERIAL MONARCH**



2nd Dam.
SNOW DAY (FR) (f by Reliance II), won 3 races at 3 years including Prix de Royaumont, Chantilly, Gr.3 and Prix Fille de l'Air, Saint-Cloud, Gr.3, placed fourth in Prix de Malleret, Longchamp, Gr.2;
dam of five winners including.

BLUE STAG (c by Sadler's Wells), won 2 races at 2 and 3 years and £187,592 including Dee Stakes, Chester, L., placed second in Derby Stakes, Epsom Downs, Gr.1 and third in Gordon IONIAN SEA (GB) (f by Sadler's Wells), won 1 race at 3 years in France, placed second in Prix du Sockey Club, Chantilly, Gr.1 and Prix Hocquart, Chantilly, Gr.2; leading N.H. sire.

SNOWKIST (USA) (f by The Minstrel), won 2 races at 3 years and £3713; dam of: FYFIELD FLYER (IRE) (g by Sharrood), 2 races at 2 years including Timeform Harry Saba (TY) (f by Kris); dam of SABASHA (FR) (f by Stakes, Doncaster, L.

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### **LEADING LIGHT**

BAY 2010, MONTJEU - DANCE PARADE (GONE WEST)

# CLASSIC AND ASCOT GOLD CUP WINNER BY MONTJEU - JUST LIKE FAME AND GLORY

**Out of Queen Mary Stakes winner Dance Parade** 

#### Won 8 races at 2, 3 and 4 years including:

- 1st St Leger Stakes-**Gr.1**, Doncaster
- 1st Ascot Gold Cup-**Gr.1**, Royal Ascot
- 1st Gallinule Stakes-Gr.3, 1m 2f, Curragh
- 1st Queen's Vase Stakes-**Gr.3**, Royal Ascot
- 1st Vintage Crop Stakes-Gr.3, Navan
- 1st Irish St Leger Trial Stakes-Gr.3, Curragh



RATED





# 66 it is easy to believe that sons of Montjeu represent the future of National Hunt breeding 99

Thoroughbred Owner & Breeder Magazine, May 2015



### MAHLER

BAY 2004, GALILEO – RAINBOW GODDESS (RAINBOW QUEST)

Bright prospects from his first and second crops (now 5 & 6 YO's) include:



Won a pair of novice hurdles, the later by 6 lengths (Sue Smith/McGoldrick Racing Syndicate/D Cantillon & E Cantillon)

showed a really likeable attitude and remains open to further progress when stamina is at the fore

RACING POST, 2 Jan 2016

#### SUTTON PLACE

Comfortable winner of a Punchestown bumper on 9 Jan (**Gordon Elliott**/ **J P McManus**/

James D Leahy)

66 a nice horse with a bit of size about him and possibly a big future 99 RACING POST, 11 Jan 2016



4YO point-to-pointers in 2015 included first-time-out winners BEHIND THE WIRE, POINT OF DEPARTURE, LETHEGOODTIMESROLL, MS PARFOIS along with the very highly regarded HE'S A GENT

#### HE'S A GENT

I rode this fellow at Dromahane for Gary Ahern and I couldn't have been more impressed. He was professional throughout the race and had the contest in the bag before falling at the last. He was bought subsequently by Barry Connell to go into training with Alan Fleming and I'd be confident they will enjoy plenty of success with him. When we look back at that race at Dromahane I think we'll realise we saw a star in action.

3YO's at the 2015
Derby Sale sold for
up to €160,000
(From Lakefield Farm
to MV Magnier)



John Bleahan of Lakefield Farm





### **OCOVANGO**

BAY 2010, MONSUN - CRYSTAL MAZE (GONE WEST)

By leading NH influence MONSUN
Out of a daughter of Fillies' Mile-Gr.1 winner CRYSTAL MUSIC
From the Michael Poland family of STATE CRYSTAL and SOLAR CRYSTAL

#### Unbeaten at 2

1st Conditions race, 8f., Saint Cloud

**66** stayed on strongly and soon clear, comfortably **99** 

RACING POST

#### High class at 3

1st Prix Greffulhe – Gr.2, 10f., Saint Cloud "showed a pleasing attitude when asked to quicken up"

1st Prix Francois Mathet – L.R., 10½f., Saint Cloud
66 asserted entering final furlong,
Very readily 99 RACING POST

**3rd** Grand Prix de Paris – Gr.1, 12f., Longchamp behind Flintshire

66 Ocovango didn't enjoy the best of runs at Epsom and luck again deserted him here....He ran on well once in the clear 99 RACING POST

**5th Epsom Derby – Gr.1,** 12f., beaten 2 lengths by Ruler Of The World





"Strong, good-bodied colt: very smart performer in 2013, winning listed race and Prix Greffulhe, both at Saint-Cloud: looked unlucky not to finish closer when 2 lengths fifth to Ruler of The World in Derby at Epsom next time: third at Longchamp after, in Grand Prix de Paris and Prix Niel (beaten ¾ length by Kizuna)"



First mares in foal include Graded winner THEATRE BIRD along with the dams of Cheltenham Gold Cup winner BOBS WORTH, dual Grade 1 winner WON IN THE DARK and the exciting BLACK HERCULES 23

### **SANS FRONTIERES**

#### CH 2006, GALILEO - LLIA (SHIRLEY HEIGHTS)

- 1st Irish St Leger Stakes-Gr.1, 14f., Curragh
- 1st Princess Of Wales's Stakes-Gr.2, 12f., Ascot by 2½ lengths

1st Geoffrey Freer Stakes-Gr.3, 13f., Newbury by 21/4 lengths

- 1st Maiden, 7f., Lingfield, his only start at 2 years.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Craven Stakes-Gr.3, 8f., Newmarket, to Delegator.
- 3rd Dante Stakes-Gr.2, 10f., York, beaten only ¾ of a length.

**RATED** 







Sans Frontieres showed his class and picked up best 🤧

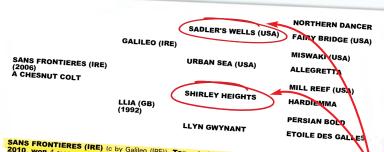
RACING POST, following the Irish St Leger

"Sans Frontieres stepped up to a very smart level"

TIMEFORM Blackbook, following the Princess of Wales's Stakes

**66** came away to win in good style >> RACING POST, following the Geoffrey Freer

### A classic winner from a quality family!



SANS FRONTIERES (IRE) (c by Galileo (IRE)), Top rated older stayer in England & Ireland in 2010, won 4 races at 2 and 4 years and £251,504 including Irish Field Irish St Leger, Curragh, Gr.1, Princess of Wales's Sportingbet Stakes, Newmarket, Gr.2 and CGA Geoffrey Freer Stakes, Newbury, third in totesport cam Dante Stakes, Vork, Gr.2 and fourth in Hardwicks Stakes, Newmarket, Gr.3 and Gr.2 from called the control of Gr.o. placed 3 times including second in pansinghousestables.com Graven Stakes, Newmarket, Gr.3 and third in totesport.com Dante Stakes, York, Gr.2 and fourth in Hardwicke Stakes, Ascot, Gr.2, from only

Lila (GB) (f by Shirley Heights), won 1 race at 2 years and £7493 and placed 3 times including third in Madagans Pretty Polly Stakes, Newmarket, L.;

Madagans Pretty Polly Stakes, Newmarket, L.;

dam of seven winners including:

SANS FRONTIERES (RE) (c. by Galileo (IRE)), see above.

HANS HOLBEIN (GB) (c. by Montjeu (IRE)), won 2 races at 3 years, 2015 and £50,799 including

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KOOTENAY (IRE) (f. by Selkirk (USA)), won 3 races at 2 and 3 years and £70,329 including Blue

Downs, L., placed 4 times including second in Victor Chandler Lupe Stakes, Goodwood, L., third

Gr.3; also won 1 race at 2 years in Italy and £59,799 viz Premio Coolmore, Millor, discounting of twice viz second in Premio Dormello, Milan, Gr.3 and third in Premio Sergio Cumani, Milan,

Kelowna (IRE) (f by Pivotal (GB)), 1 race at 3 years; also 2 races at 4 years in U.S.A. and Gr.3; dam or Z winners including.
Kelowna (IRE) (f by Pivotal (GBJ), 1 race at 3 years; also 2 races at 4 years in U.S.A. and £46,813 and placed 3 times including third in H.B.P.A. Stakes, Presque Isle Downs, L.

2nd Dam.

LLYN GWYNANT (f by Persian Bold), Top rated older mare in Ireland in 1989 (7-9.5f.), won 5 faces at 3 and 4 years and £55,621 including Tara Sires EBF Desmond Stakes, Curragh, Gr.3 and Brownstown Stud Stakes, Leop Curragh, Gr.3, Mount times including third in Mount Coote Stud EBF Matron Stakes, Curragh, Gr.3; also placed 4 years in France and in Italy and £5017 including fourth in Ciga Prix de l'Opera, Longchamp, Gr.2; alam of six winners including.

4 years in France and in Italy and £5017 including fourth in Gige Final Science, 2008.

dam of six winners including:

GUEST CONNECTIONS (GB) (g by Zafonic (USA)), won 6 races and £37,827 and placed 14 times; also won 1 race at 2 years in Italy and £24,414 viz Premio Primi Passi, Milan, 67.3.

George Stuhks Rated Stakes Handicap, Newmarket, L., placed 5 times; dam of winners: LADY OF INE LARE (GB) (If by Caerleon (USA)), won 4 races at 3 years and £25,809 including George Stubbs Rated Stakes Handicap, Newmarket, L., placed 5 times; dam of winners: coventina (IRE), or acces at 2 and 3 years and £30,717 and placed 6 times including third in Weatherbys Bank Further Flight Stakes, Nottingham, L.

Liia (GB) (If by Shirley Heights), see above.

#### Impressive book of mares include the dams of RIVERSIDE CITY. WHAT A GOOD NIGHT and THE ROMFORD PELE.

#### **Buyers of 2015** foals included

Brendan Bashford. Denis Hogan, Tommy Cooper, Ros Easom, **Dick Frisby** etc.



Just like FAME AND **GLORY!** 

### **SCORPION**





### **SOLDIER OF FORTUNE**

BAY 2004, GALILEO – AFFIANCED (ERINS ISLE)

# Group 1 performer at 2 Group 1 winner at 3 and 4

- 1st Irish Derby-Gr.1 by 9 lengths (pictured)
- 1st Coronation Cup-Gr.1
- 1st Prix Niel-Gr.2
- 1st Prix Noailles-Gr.2
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud-Gr.1
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Criterium de Saint-Cloud-Gr.1 at 2 years
- 3rd Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-Gr.1



RATED

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Already sire of over 115 winners on the flat and over jumps including in 2015... CARLITA DU BERLAIS One of France's leading 3YO hurdlers in 2015 **Fire Fighting** FIRE FIGHTING > Nine wins including Listed events at Dundalk (by 5 lengths) in special horse October and at Kempton in November. Trainer Mark Johnston His only representative at Tattersalls Ireland's November Sale topped the

His only representative at Tattersalls Ireland's November Sale topped the yearling session selling to Trickledown Stud for £60,000

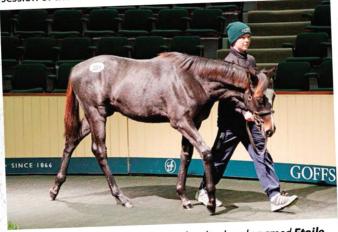
The following week at Arqana a two-year-old store realised £85,000

### **WALK IN THE PARK**



# EXCEPTIONAL TRADE AT DECEMBER NH SALE

A superb €70,000 colt foal by **Walk In The Park** stole the show as the sales year in Ireland drew to a close with the second and final session of the Goffs December National Hunt Sale.



**Lot 301**, the **Walk In The Park** colt, already named **Etoile Rebelle**, that was consigned by Ballincurrig House Stud and knocked down to Lenny Walker for €70,000.

EBN, 11/12/15

### **66** the unheralded sire who's quietly making monsters 99

Timeform, Jan 2016

#### Sire of 2016 Cheltenham Festival hot favourites:

MIN (Grade 1 Supreme Novices' Hurdle)



**DOUVAN (Grade 1 Arkle Challenge Trophy Chase)** 



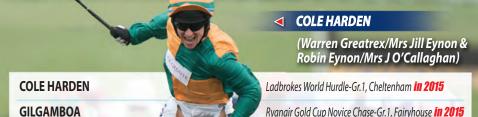
66 He's an amazing athlete for a horse of his size and I would say he's as good as I've ever had. 🤧

Willie Mullins

### WESTERNER

BAY 1999, DANEHILL - WALENSEE (GROUP 1 WINNER BY TROY)

### A potent source of Graded success...



WESTERN WARHORSE

CAPTAIN CUTTER

WAKANDA

**EMPIRE OF DIRT** 

**THREE STARS** 

CE Facilities Novices' Chase-Gr.2, Haydock **in 2015** 

Arkle Challenge Trophy Chase-Gr.1, Cheltenham

Challow Novices' Hurdle-Gr.1, Newbury

Nas Na Riogh Novice H'cap Chase-Gr.B, Naas **in 2015** 

"For Auction" Novice Hurdle-Gr.3, Navan in 2015

**⋖** GILGAMBOA

(Enda Bolger/JP McManus/ Kieran McManus)



### **YEATS**

**BAY 2001, SADLER'S WELLS - LYNDONVILLE (TOP VILLE)** 

UNBEATEN AT 2 AND 3 YEARS and hot favourite for the Epsom Derby until suffering an injury

**7-TIME GROUP 1 WINNER** including a record 4 Ascot Gold Cups





# Unprecedented quality and class

Our collection of stallions won a staggering **44 Group 1 races** between them. All by leading National Hunt influences they include the best sires around and the best prospects for the future in every measurable way.





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