



PRIME DISPATCH

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UNIQUE WINNING AT CANTERBURY

The winners just seem to keep coming with Unique scoring a strong win at Canterbury last Wednesday. He is developing into a nice horse and as a ½ brother to Happy Trails has the pedigree to go on with it. Unique may well head to the Stayers Cup on Magic Millions day at the Gold Coast in January, a race we won with Hidden Wonder a few years ago.

He is the 4th individual winner for us *this season* which we purchased from the Adelaide Magic Millions Sale joining Husson Eagle, Rumeron and Atalanta Miss.

We had some other good results with Savoureux being beaten in the last stride at Canterbury. Hail Maher as is her way threw away a certain victory running 2nd on resuming at Gawler. She has terrific ability but must improve her very average racing manners if she is to reach her full potential. Atalanta Miss didn't disgrace herself running 5th in the \$200,000 Magic Millions Clockwise Classic at Ballarat on Saturday.

This weekend we haven't had too much go right with the barriers. Terra Amata heads to Rosehill but has a tricky gate to overcome. We decided to scratch Faith'n' Courage in Brisbane after she drew in

the car park. It is just too big an ask to expect a horse run well around the tight circuit from a very poor gate in a competitive race. Better news for Rumeron with a nice draw in barrier 1 in Hobart on Sunday where she looks nicely placed.

On Wednesday Pitt Street makes his Tasmanian debut in the Newmarket Handicap. The 1200m may be a bit short for him but it is a nice launching pad for his summer assault. This will be the 5th state he has raced in. At the same meeting we have the progressive three year old Bella Venus running.

Next Saturday Hijack Hussy heads to Doomben for the Listed Mode Plate. Faith'n' Courage is likely to run at the same meeting. There will be other runners as well with more on that next week.

MAGIC MILLIONS HERE I COME

I must say I have plenty of spring in my step at present as I prepare for the Gold Coast Magic Millions Yearling Sale that starts in about 6 weeks time. This is our most important sale of the year and I head to the Hunter to continue preparations about 8 December. I have a lot of work to do but I am sorting out the first season sires progeny in my head and I am happy where I'm at. More as we get closer. I am intending to purchase 6 to 8 yearlings. Please don't call to find out where I see the first season sires sitting because I won't tell you.

We look like having a couple of runners on the day with Hijack Hussy heading to the \$1million Three Year Old Classic and Unique the Stayers Cup. We may have other runners on the day but this depends on results heading towards Magic Millions Day which is Queensland's richest race day.

I was amazed to read in Breednet that Gai Waterhouse purchased 54 yearlings in January last year for herself and her syndication arm for a total spend of about \$10,300,000 or an average of about \$190,000 each. You would hope to get a winner with that sort of outlay!!!

I AM INVINCIBLE FILLY

The progeny of I Am Invincible seem to go from strength to strength with him now completely dominating the 2nd season sires list with winners coming thick and fast.

I am thrilled to offer the yearling filly by I Am Invincible out of Amber's Arion. I have been trying to purchase her for six months and clinched the deal last week while I was in the Hunter Valley. This should be good news for the clients who buy into her. More information later in this dispatch.

Yarraman Park is also riding on the crest of a wave at present with their first season sire Hinchinbrook starting to make a big impact with him sitting in 2nd place on the First Season List. He is a stunning horse and I am on record picking him to be Australia's Leading First Season Sire. Fingers crossed.

I AM INVINCIBLE 2ND SEASON RESULTS TO 26/11/14

Sire	Runners	Winners	Wins	Rnrs/Wnrs	Total Earnings	
1	<u>I Am Invincible (by Invincible Spirit)</u>	40	20 (1)	27 (2)	50%	\$1,042,005
2	<u>Turffontein (by Johannesburg)</u>	16	3 (2)	5 (3)	18.8%	\$873,910
3	<u>Manhattan Rain (by Encosta de Lago)</u>	38	11 (1)	12 (1)	28.9%	\$794,780
4	<u>Mastercraftsman (by Danehill Dancer)</u>	14	4 (1)	4 (1)	28.6%	\$578,980
5	<u>Medaglia d'Oro (by El Prado)</u>	30	12 (2)	12 (2)	40%	\$523,350
6	<u>Denman (by Lonhro)</u>	35	5 (1)	9 (2)	14.3%	\$497,200
7	<u>Nicconi (by Bianconi)</u>	47	10	12	21.3%	\$362,115
8	<u>Onemorenomore (by Red Ransom)</u>	27	9 (1)	12 (1)	33.3%	\$358,315
9	<u>Universal Ruler (by Scenic)</u>	19	7	8	36.8%	\$310,480
10	<u>Duporth (by Red Ransom)</u>	31	8	11	25.8%	\$297,020

TASMANIAN SUMMER CARNIVAL

The upcoming Tasmanian Summer Carnival looks like being a ripper. We have a nice team of horses in place for the Carnival and may add to it as we head forwards. I will be finalising the costs etc for the events we are attending during the Hobart Cup week and will get those out in December. We have an dangerous looking team assembling!!!

The changes to the Hobart Cup week are long overdue and a step in the right direction.

ACCOUNTS

Most of our clients are great payers. For the few of you that are slow please lift your game. We pay all our suppliers before the end of each month and please ensure you identify yourself when making a payment.

I AM INVINCIBLE FILLY OUT OF AMBER'S ARION

KRIS LEES TO TRAIN



I AM INVINCIBLE / AMBER'S ARION 2013

Pictured above is an athletic yearling filly by I Am Invincible out of the very well related mare Amber's Arion. This is Amber's Arion's 2nd foal. Amber's Arion is a ½ sister to the outstanding two year old filly Amber's Waltz.

Amber's Arion

Amber's Arion is a ½ sister to Amber's Waltz which won as a two year old and was placed 2nd in the Gold Coast Magic Millions Two Year Old Classic and Group 2 Silver Slipper Stakes. She was also placed 2nd in the Group 3 AJC Sweet Embrace Stakes and 3rd in the STC Tea Rose Stakes and the Listed MVRC Alexandra Plate. At 3 she ran 4th in the MRC Group 1 1000 Guineas.

Amber's Arion is out of the Group 3 and multiple Listed winner Ambers Halo. She was also placed 4th in the WA Oaks. I love purchasing horses out of families where the daughters have performed well in Oaks races. I have also had a lot of success with horses out of WA mares with the best being Unabated. This is a great family.

Amber's Arion is by Fusaichi Pegasus who is starting to make a name for himself internationally as a sire of high class brood mares. The best horses out to Fusaichi Pegasus mare to race in Australia are Niagara, Darci Be Good, Gamblin Guru, Aeronautical and Rose Of Choice.

I Am Invincible

I Am Invincible was Australia's Leading First season Sire in 2013/14 Season by both stakes money and individual winners. His progeny have proved he was no flash in the pan coming out in their three year old year being more dominant than in the first season. In fact he gapped the opposition with more winners as the next three sires on the list. See table below:

I Am invincible had his service fee raised to \$27,500 this breeding season and was fully booked out in a matter of days. The mail about his upcoming crop of two year olds is very strong.

I am thrilled to have this filly join our team and look forward to her wearing our colours. 10 shares @ \$7,800 with 5% shares just \$3,900 each.

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