

A Recap on recent SA Bred Winners On fire



Galaxy Patch has achieved victory in eight races throughout its career to date. On October 13, 2024, at Sha Tin, Galaxy Patch, ridden by Vincent Ho, celebrated its most notable win yet. Last season, Galaxy Patch earned the title of Champion Four-Year-Old in Hong Kong. Galaxy Patch was bred by Rob and Maureen McBryde of Summerset Park, Gumeracha SA.

Galaxy Patch- Image HKJC

Attrition (Churchill x Queens Kiss bred by Harry Perks, Toorak Thoroughbreds) Wins \$2million G2 Hill Stakes Saturday October 12, 2024.

On this day last year talented Churchill (IRE) stallion Attrition wins the Group I MRC Toorak Handicap (1600m), trainer Mitch Freedman elected to chase the prizemoney on offer in Sydney achieving this great result.



Attrition - Image Breednet



Too Darn Discreet - Image Grant Courtney

Too Darn Discreet secures her third consecutive Win in G3 Ethereal Stakes on Saturday, October 19. The Too Darn Hot (GB) filly, Too Darn Discreet, maintained her impressive progress by clinching a challenging victory in the Group 1 Schweppes Ethereal Stakes (2000m) at Caulfield. This win follows her success in the Edward Manifold Stakes G2. She is bred and partially owned by Mr David Peacock and trained by Dan O'Sullivan at Ballarat VIC.



Goldrush Guru is a 3 year old colt by American Pharoah out of the Medaglia D'oro mare, Glam Guru bred by the Guru Breeding Syndicate SA and trained by Andrew Gluyas. The Victoria Derby will be the next mission for South Australian three-year-old after his dominant win in the Listed Hill Smith Stakes at Morphettville on Saturday 12th October.

Goldrush Guru - Terry Hann, Atkins



Wunderbar has achieved six career victories to date. On October 13, 2024, at Sha Tin, Wunderbar, ridden by Zac Purton, secured its best result thus far in the Class 2 Handicap. Wunderbar is from (Rich Enuff standing at Woodside Park Stud x Could Be Something), was bred by Paul Crawford, Angas Bank Farm.



Wunderbar - Image HKJC

South Australian Thoroughbred Breeders



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(Colt from the family of Secret Agenda and Tutta La Vita)



In The Congo x Nangami filly
(First crop In The Congo foal out of a Zoustar mare that is a half-sister to Our Crown Mistress)

Farnan x Girl In Flight colt
(Colt at one day old, out of Gr.3 winning Commands mare Girl In Flight)



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Left - Sejarden x Alabama Missile Colt

Middle with Harry - Kermadec x Alabama Missile Filly

Right - D'Argento x Caribbean Concert Filly



Nostradamus x Trunfio Filly



Nostradamus x Stratifies Colt

SPRINGFIELD FARM



The SA Breeders are looking forward to celebrating the achievements of 4 Group 1 winners last season together with other contenders at their annual Horse of the Year event Saturday 1st February 2025 at the Wolf-Blass Function Centre.





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*Exclusive Opportunity for
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Receive a 50% discount on the advertised fee for "Lauda Sion."*



Luke Koumi, a fellow member of SA Breeders with extensive experience in breeding and owning racehorses, has proudly acquired the stallion *Lauda Sion*, who is now standing at Larneuk Park Stud.

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Send your mare to *Lauda Sion* and pay half his advertised fee which is already very competitive when compared with other equivalent first season sires.

Lauda Sion's family delivers WINNERS!

His Sire *Real Impact*, Grand Sire *Deep Impact* and Great Grand Sire *Sunday Silence* all have an outstanding **WINNER** to runner strike rate of 75 percent. *Deep Impact* and *Sunday Silence* were Japan's leading sires for 10 years and 12 years (resp).

In his 3 years standing in Australia *Real Impact* was equally successful with Northern Dancer mares (*Danehill*, *Fastnet Rock*, *Redoute's Choice*, *Snitzel* etc) and all other Australian sire-lines.

On his dams side the first 4 dams have had 33 foals for 28 **WINNERS** (85 percent) 10 black type inc 3x G1, 2x G2 (35% black type to winners) 3 Sires (excluding *Lauda Sion*)

His performance lived up to his pedigree in the strong Japanese racing scene.

- **WINNER** of \$3.8 million.
- **WINNER** as 2yo, 2 wins and a G3 third - four stats,
- **WINNER** as 3yo with 2 wins (G1 NHK Mile and *Crocus Stakes* (L) and 2 seconds (G2, G3) - 5 starts
- **WINNER** at 4yo 1 win (G2) 3 thirds (G2,G3)-7 starts. And as a 5yo ran 3rd in a G2.

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INDUSTRY NEWS

**TBA CEO Writes Open Letter to Breeders**

Tom Reilly, the chief executive of Thoroughbred Breeders Australia, has penned an open letter to Australia's thoroughbred industry following what appeared to be a rushed decision to announce Group 1 status for The Everest and the All-Star Mile. Here, in full, is what he wrote:

"I am writing to you about an issue that I know is causing significant consternation in the breeding industry, namely the recent announcements around the Pattern. Earlier this month Racing Australia said it had agreed new Black Type Guidelines, at a similar time it was stated the Everest and the All Star Mile would now have Group 1 status. Neither Thoroughbred Breeders Australia (TBA) or Aushorse, nor any of the State breeding bodies were briefed on these Guidelines before they were agreed to at Racing Australia. Since the announcement of the Guidelines, TBA has been engaged in a lot of dialogue and discussion with racing administrators here in Australia, as well as representatives that sit on international committees such as the International Grading and Race Planning Advisory Committee (IRPAC), the Society of International Thoroughbred Auctioneers (SITA) and the Asian Pattern Committee (APC). Although we have yet to see the full Guidelines, from briefings we have received from racing authorities and details that have emerged in the media, we have raised a number of concerns, including:

- The lack of a broader group – including breeders and the sales companies – in decision making.
- Races to be awarded or retain Group and Listed status purely based on ratings.
- The average rating for a race to be calculated using the winner's rating plus three of the next four finishers (with the presumed intention of dropping the lowest rated horse from calculations).
- A moratorium on downgrades for two years.

It is the view of TBA that Australia needs a Pattern system that is both robust and transparent and involves a broader group of stakeholders involved in decision-making than just racing administrators. It is also vital that our Black Type is recognised around the world. These recent Guidelines were developed in an effort to end the impasse over the Pattern, which had seen no races upgraded or downgraded for seven years. They were also shaped by concerns over Australian competition law. TBA has engaged a specialist competition lawyer to assist us in pulling together an alternate framework for decision-making in relation to the Pattern. We will continue to work with racing authorities and other interested parties and are hopeful we can resolve this issue as a matter of urgency."

Tom Reilly





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NEW PATHWAY FOR YOUNG PEOPLE TO ENTER THE THOROUGHBRED INDUSTRY

TBA GRADUATE PROGRAM

The scheme will give university-leavers the opportunity to learn from some of the biggest names associated with racing, breeding and wagering. Those accepted on to the course will undertake a two-week learning block based at Flemington racecourse, before starting an internship with a major employer.

Among the companies supporting the program are Entain, Godolphin, Waterhouse and Bott Racing, Magic Millions, Melbourne Racing Club, Inglis, Yulong and the Victorian Racing Club.

TBA aim to attract 10-12 graduates in the first year, with the learning block starting in late January 2025. After this fortnight, graduates will join an employer for a paid internship of at least six weeks.

The graduate program builds on TBA's established education and training programs, such as the national breeding traineeship, Fast Track, and TBA Learning, a free online platform that has more than 1,000 students enrolled on its courses.

Applications are open now and can be completed at tbaus.com. Those applying need to have graduated in 2024 or 2023. **For further information contact Madison Tims 0405 535 436** madison@tbaus.com or click button

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Thoroughbred Breeders Australia

Professor Sam Franklin from the University of Adelaide is a clinical researcher and specialist in equine sports medicine, with a particular focus on cardio-respiratory causes of poor performance in equine athletes.

Sam presented recent research findings on the yearling endoscopy process and associations between yearling laryngeal function and future race performance at our AGM/AgriFutures seminar.

The publications mentioned on the night are also available through open access. See the links below:

Stakeholder perceptions of thoroughbred yearling sales endoscopy - <https://doi.org/10.1111/avj.13332>

Yearling laryngeal function in thoroughbreds that underwent laryngoplasty differs from controls - <https://doi.org/10.1111/evj.14110>

The final report is currently in the publication process and will soon be accessible for viewing on the AgriFutures website. Once again, a big thank you to Professor Sam Franklin and AgriFutures.



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PLEASE BE AWARE OF THESE CRITICAL CHANGES

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RULE CHANGES & LODGEMENT OBLIGATIONS

Recent changes have been introduced by Racing Australia. Understand your obligations under the new traceability rules to help ensure the welfare of all Thoroughbreds. Significant changes with broodmares, stallions, foal declarations, named horses and retired horses.

Particular importance drawn to declaration of '**Change of location**' where the Stud book must be notified within 3 days, some exemptions may apply.

While Racing Australia has allowed flexibility for owners as they continued to adapt to the Rules since their introduction in 2016, from the 1st of August 2025 the rules will be strictly enforced. From the 1st of August 2025 late FODs will result in an automatic embargo from registration and racing in Australia. Owners that wish to appeal the embargo will be required to lodge an appeal with Racing Australia along with a fee of \$500. This process will replace the late fees currently charged for live foal mare returns.

Owners selling an unregistered horse must disclose to potential purchasers whether there has been compliance with the lodgement obligations. Similarly, potential purchasers should make enquiries of a vendor to satisfy themselves the horse is eligible to be registered to race.

Racing Australia recognises that ineligibility to register and race your horse in Australia is a **serious consequence** for owners failing to comply with their lodgement obligations. However, enforcement of the Rules is paramount to ensuring ongoing improvements in horse welfare and traceability. Please follow this link for expanded obligations.

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TAXATION NEWS



FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN AUSTRALIA | THE ISSUES

Over the years Paul has built up a significant overseas clientele who invest in Australian Racing, especially breeding.

This is an article to share with your overseas client base as a means of not only stimulating their desire to invest here, but also as an important high-level analysis of the tax and structuring issues to consider. Please click the link for the detailed report.

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For further enquiry, don't hesitate to contact Paul at paul.carrazzo@baumgartners.com.au

COMMITTEE NEWS

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Supporting the Thoroughbred Horse Breeders of South Australia

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MICHAEL
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I'm excited to join the board and collaborate with such a dedicated group.

I look forward to contributing my skills and insights to assist our SA Breeders. Together, I believe we can make a meaningful impact!

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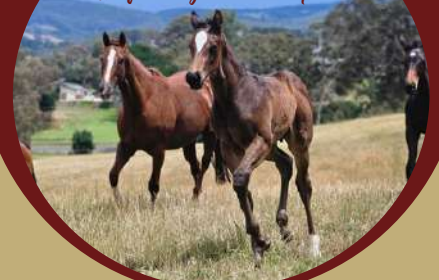
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