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WA YEARLING SALE – SUNDAY 1 MARCH 2020

Have you received your catalogue yet?.

The Sale is on **Sunday 1 March 2019, commencing 1pm at Magic Millions Sales Complex, 56 Dale Road, Middle Swan**, 2 days after the 2YO Sales Classics. There are 119 quality lots available, and if the sustaining payments are made, they are eligible for the WA 2YO \$100,000 Sales Classics and the 2YO \$50,000 APG Finals and the 3YO \$50,000 Sales Classics, all run in WA. Yes, in WA.

34 different sires are represented in the Sale, including ALL of the reigning top sires, first season sires, local sires and other quality sires.

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Online Guides featuring photos, videos and detailed pedigree charts will be available online in mid February.

DON'T FORGET – THE GOLDEN NUGGET AND WA OAKS WERE WON BY SALES GRADUATES!..

The APG WASBA Sales Classic Function and Awards Night is in Quinns on Sales Classic night, Friday 28 February. Stay tuned for an invite if you are an Awardee, Sales Finalist or Sales' Supporter.

2YO, 3YO, FILLIES, MARES and WESTBRED OPPORTUNITIES COMING UP

2yo	Check the program or contact RWWA to confirm the schedule. 2yo races are on now. The \$100,000 2YO Sales Classics Heats are on Friday 18 February, with the Final on 28 February
3yo	the 3YO Fillies \$50,000 Daintys Daughter Classic is on 7 February, The 3YO \$50,000 Sales Classics are on 6 March
Mares	the \$30,000 Lewis Final is on 14 February (HWOE LT \$40,000)
Westbred	The additional \$10,000 43 Westbred only races are up and running – make sure you check the calendar for these, 2yo, 3yo and 4yo plus races!



Ladies of Pacing Luncheon

What a fantastic day!. Congratulations to all the nominees (mostly photographed here) for your contributions.



The Awards were held at Optus Stadium, with the venue having to be changed to the Victory Lounge to allow for the increase in attendees. Great to see so many busy ladies making the time to eat lunch!

RWWA should be congratulated for this initiative, which is about rewarding the many unsung heroes of harness racing in WA for their selfless dedication and contribution. It is a pity that the inaugural awards couldn't have been doubled (although there were two awards in Administration) because there were many ladies who have been magnificent contributors to the industry without recognition or acknowledgement.

The Awards were in 4 categories - Administration, Leadership, Welfare, Dedication to Harness - with many worthy recipients in each. The nominees were, with winners in bold and number of nominations in brackets,

Pat Abbott, Lisa Adams, Annie Belton, Nadia Bishop, Gloria Blockey, Skye Bond, Pat Borg, Ashlea Brennan, Lara Brennan, Annette Charles, Tanya Cull, **Jeanine Diederich** (3), **Wendy Dixon** (2), **Julie Doble**, Loretta Eddy, Marilyn Feast, Joy Fletcher, Verna Freind, Jodie Hallows (2), Jemma Hayman, Kathleen Howse, Sian Hughes, Debra Lewis (2), Tamara Markham, Kristie Marrone, Kym Neal, Debbie Padberg, Beryl Petricevich, Natalie Poyser-Bovell, Deni Roberts, Jenna Saunders (2), Barbara Scott, Sarah Suvaljko, **Patricia Swallow**, **Bayley Thomas**, Cathi Trefort-Budby (2), Denise Trobe (3), Sarah Wall

Prior to the awards there was some sobering information regarding the reasons behind Team Teal, which is part of a nation-wide initiative supported by harness racing controlling bodies, harness racing clubs and sponsors, to raise awareness for the Womens Cancer Foundation which supports the Australia New Zealand Gynaecological Oncology Group. Certainly the speeches from Clare and husband Mark O'Donnell gave all attendees a better understanding of the need to contribute, where you can, to this worthy cause.

We look forward to next year's Awards. Thank you to everyone who took the time to nominate their favourite lady in harness. Reward and recognition is very important, whether you win a race or contribute to the success of others.

Support for Off The Track and Rehoming

We are receiving many requests for support or sponsorship for rehoming and off the track activities and we will do our best to give each request the consideration that it deserves. However, we do not have an unlimited budget and will not be able to support every request.

Our sponsors play a vital part in supporting us, which supports all our activities, including funding rehoming and off the track activities.

We need you to support us in our fund raising drives and support our sponsors, to enable us to continue what we do, which currently results in over \$20,000 per year being returned to the industry in stakes, bonuses, rewards and incentives.

If you recently received an email "*Have you overlooked your membership payment*" indicating you were unfinancial, and you haven't forwarded your membership payment, would you please do so, or advise us if you

are no longer interested in being a member as you have no interest in supporting WA harness racing and breeding. If you have made a payment – thank you!

Our sponsors are below.



\$125,000 Mares Classic

Well, she missed out last year but made up for it this year. A great training effort by Annie Belton with her home bred mare, the result of a \$6,000 purchase of a yearling filly, later named Lady Gabbana, from the 2007 WA Yearling Sale.

Gotta Go Gabbana resumed in November after a 9 month absence and was 4th up after running third to eventual Fremantle Cup winner Caviar Star at her previous start. Starting favourite from 1, Gotta Go Gabbana went straight to the front, set a solid pace throughout and was never going to lose, going on to win the \$125,000 Westral Mares Classic by 7.2m from Our Alfie Romeo, running 1:57.3, last qtr 27.5 over the stayers 2536m journey. That took her stakes to just under \$230,000. She has earned close to \$87,000 this season after \$52,000 last season

Bred and owned by Annie and Colin Belton, Gotta Go Gabbana is the first live foal from **Lady Gabbana (Kinney Hanover)** 2:02 \$58,461. The unraced **Whitbys Beachbabe (Beach Towel)**, the dam of Lady Gabbana, produced 3 winners and is a half sister to 4 winners including **Whitbys Magic (Magic Fella)** 1:58.2 13 win \$115,939 and **Shoalwater Whitby (Holmes Hanover)**, the dam of Paid Twice (Blissfull Hall) 1:55.9 8 wins \$70,243. The family has produced a number of good horses including **Bow And Arrow (Afella Rainbow)** 1:58 15 wins \$96,179, **Express Fire (Shipps Scorch)** 1:54.8 \$212,177, **Henry Te Whitby (Crouch)** 1:57.9 9 wins \$128,415 and **Commander Whitby (Crouch)** 1:57 12 wins \$57,710.

A very nice outcome from a purchase of one filly at the WA Yearling Sale. Congratulations Annie and Colin.

\$200,000 Golden Nugget

Wow. Hasn't the racing been super in the 4yo class and to top it off, we have a super performer bred in our own state. Not only was **Shockwave (Mach Three)** placed in the \$50,000 4YO Championship, he also "won" the \$125,000 4YO Championship before being relegated for interference, then won the Golden Nugget in an excellent display of racing, just pipping another West Aussie Patrickthepiranha to take the spoils. Make no mistake, this was a very good group of 4yos.

Starting favourite in 12, young trainer driver Aiden De Campo drove a patient race, settling Shockwave second last in the moving line. Patrickthepiranha led from 1 and the breeze horse changed 4 times as different runners tried to improve their position. With a 1000m to go, Shockwave tacked on to the 3 wide line, moving 3 and 4 wide after the 400m to make his run. Coming with a rush, it was just between Shockwave and Patrickthepiranha

down the straight, with Shockwave getting the better of Patrickthepiranha in the shadows of the post to win the 2019 \$200,000 Golden Nugget by a head from Patrickthepiranha. Fourth across the line was another WA bred in Theo Aviator. The mile rate was a super 1:56.3, last qtrs. 28 flat and 28.3 for the 2536m feature. The Group 1 win was overdue and his season tally is over \$150,000 for lifetime stakes of \$300,000.

Bred by Kevin and Annette Charles and sold for \$46,000 as a yearling, Shockwave is one of two outstanding winners from his dam **Here For The Money (Rich And Spoilt)** 1:57.9 7 wins \$81,874, with his half sister being multiple Group 1 winner **Double Espresso (Sweet Lou)** 1:55.7 8 wins \$182,579.

Here For The Money is a daughter of the unraced **Regal Castle (Safely Kept)**, who is a half sister to **Duel Prince (Panorama)** 1:57 \$163,902. Their dam **Duel Queen (Seahawk Hanover)** 2:02.7 \$32,150 is a half sister to four other winners including **Queen Xena (Silent Spring)** 2:02.7 \$23,359, **Gold King (Silent Spring)** 1:58.4 \$216,186 and **Boldandbeautiful (Albert Albert)** 1:59.2 \$79,422. Boldandbeautiful is the dam of **Its Only Rocknroll (Million Dollar Cam)** 1:50.8 \$398,209 and **Morgan Abby (Aces N Sevens)** 1:55.7 10 wins \$118,050. Queen Xena is the dam of multiple Group 1 winners **Chariot King (Badlands Hanover)** 1:51.3 \$643,405 and **Emjayem Grand (Bettors Delight)** 1:49.6 \$431,697.

Worth noting is the grandsire of Shockwave is the locally bred and raced Pearl Classic winner **Rich And Spoilt (Million To One)** 1:58.2 \$301,630 who the late Harry Capararo had faith in to stand at stud. While some may be knockers of our local sires, they have very often proved to be up to the best in producing top class horses and going on to be broodmares sires like Rich And Spoilt.

RECENT MEMORABLE MOMENTS

- ♣ Super time by **Fake News** (Alta Christiano) to win the first heat of the Nights of Thunder in 1:52.7. Much improved mare with a bright future, as as her Christian Cullen sire **Alta Christiano**;
- ♣ The early 2yo's getting ready for the Sales Classics, some very nice performances!
- ♣ Very nice performances from the top returning 2yo's (now 3yo's) Colt/Gelding of the Year **Major Martini** (Art Major) and Filly of the Year **Double Espresso** (Sweet Lou). A number of others showing great early form as well!
- ♣ Nice win by **Our Alfie Romeo** (Washington V C) in the new Group 3 \$30,000 Christmas Belles
- ♣ Amendments to the National Rules are finally through – 20 individual names can now be included on the ownership of one horse, double the previous number. Thanks to MHR Kerry Hanks for getting this done, and in time for the Yearling Sale!
- ♣ Great racing in the Fremantle Cup and Pacing Cup with a very nice effort by **Handsandwheels (Mach Three)** to finish 4th in the Cup behind three of the Greg and Skye Bond runners;
- ♣ None of the runners in Heat 3 of the Nights Of Thunder getting a run in the Final.

BREEDER OF THE MONTH – DECEMBER 2019

The Breeder of the Month award goes to a different WA bred horse each month. Previous (horse) winners are not eligible for later WA Breeder of the Month awards. You must be a WASBA member to win a Breeder of the Month Award. All other breeding awards are open to all WA breeders.

Congratulations to our **Breeder of the Month** for December, **Kevin and Annette Charles**, the breeders of 4yo entire **Shockwave (Mach Three** out of **Here For The Money** by **Rich And Spoilt**). Details of the win are covered above, and certainly a worthy winner, just missing a number of previous Breeder of the Month Awards.

Congratulations to Kevin and Annette Charles, trainer driver Aiden de Campo, and owners Kevin and Kyle Jeavons and Howard King, and of course, one of the stars of the future in **Shockwave**.

WA BASED Sires – DECEMBER 2019

There were 6 WA based sires represented by 10 Westsired winners of 12 races in December 2019. **Advance Attack**, **Allamerican Ingot** and **Rich And Spoilt** each recorded winners of 3 races.

The dual winners for the month were **Camluck King** (Allamerican Ingot) and **Babyface Adda** (Rich And Spoilt).

There was 1 Westsired winner of a 3YO race, so double win Bonus! And it was his first win, so First win Bonuses too for **Keptain Courageous (Franco Jamar)**.

Including Keptain Courageous, there were 3 first time winners this month, taking home the \$2000 owner and \$2000 breeder bonus – **Cyber Storm** (Advance Attack) and **Under The Clouds** (Tinted Cloud).

Congratulations to all the Westsired winners this month.

There were no Westsired Metro Stakes winners in December, but we should mention Camluck King, a full brother to Group 1 winner Allamerican Queen, who brilliantly won his 5th race on New Years Eve in front of a very good crowd.

Of course we had some great placings by Theo Aviator in the 4YO Feature races, to go along with his win in the \$50,000 4YO Championship.

WESTBRED WINNERS – DECEMBER 2019

December is the first full month that we can compare HWOE, which commenced in mid November 2018.

There were 88 (48.9%) Westbred winners of the 180 races run in December 2019, compared to 52.1% (98 winners) in December 2018. The result is slightly down compared to November 2019, but in percentage terms the result is comparable to December 2017. While it is close to our target of 50%, the winners do need to keep coming for WA bred horses.

There were 10 Westbred races run in December 2019, compared to 15 in the same month last year, which might help explain the lower result. The \$10,000 Westbred races were missing in December, but we expect these races to now increase to make up the required end of season total for the initiative.

We will keep tracking the number of Westbred only races to ensure there are sufficient winning opportunities for WA bred horses. If you have any concerns about the race program for your Westbreds (or fillies/mares), please let us know.

The progeny of 34 sires bases outside WA were represented by winners in December. A few different faces, although **Art Major** repeated his top of the list from last month with 7 winners of 7 races. **Alta Christiano** featured this month with 4 winners of 6 races, while **Mach Three** produced 5 winners and **Mr Feelgood** produced 4 winners, both with 5 race wins.

There were 12 (10 Westbred, 2 Westsired) multiple winners this month. **EI Guerrero** and **While They Pray** (Alta Christiano), **Intheskyrocket** (American Ideal), **Our Trump Card** (Art Official), **Vultan Tin** (Dawn Ofa New Day), **Vivere Damore** (Lincoln Royal), **Roman Aviator** (Mr Aviator), **The Party Boy** (Mr Feelgood) and **Miss Merit** (Western Terror) were all dual winners this month. Our triple winner for the month was 4yo gelding **Perlee Gates (Live Or Die)**, who also featured as a dual winner last month.

A solid month, with 14 (11 Westbred and 3 Westsired) first time winners in December taking home their \$2,000 owner and \$2,000 breeder first win bonus, compared to 15 and 11 in November and October respectively. The result is well down on December 2018 (22), with the program for December 2019 containing fewer maiden races.

There was a dip in the Westbred Bonuses paid this month compared to November 2019, with \$36,563 paid (plus the first win Bonuses) compared to \$58,286 in November 2019 (\$12,656 in October 2019 and \$5,100 in September 2019).

There were 10 3YO races (including 2 Westbred only) run in December, which is 1 more than the previous month. There was 1 race restricted to 4YOs, the Group 1 Golden Nugget. No other races were restricted to the older horses, including maiden races.

Seven of the 10 3YO races were won by Westbreds (2 with first win Bonuses). Three year olds won another 22 3YO and over races (Westbred 3yos winning 14 of these races). This is not a good outcome for the older horses trying to win those races. And it isn't a good outcome for 3yos who are increasing their HWOE handicap without winning Westbred Bonus money. Eight Westbred 3YOs took home their first win Bonuses in 3YO and over races, with these weaker 3YO+ races being a target for 3yos trying to capture their first win.

Of the wins by Westbreds, 16 were in \$4,500 races, 54 in \$7,500 races, 14 in Metro stakes races (including two Group 1s, a Group 2, Group 3 and 2 FFAs) and 4 for stakes of \$9,000 to \$10,500.

At Gloucester Park, there were 41 races run at prime meetings, as well as a new initiative of running a Group 3 race at a Tuesday meeting (on New Years Eve). There were 11 Westbred winners of 13 races at the prime meetings, including 4 mares listed under their section. Congratulations to the breeders and connections of the Westbreds who were successful at our feature race meetings in December.

The 7 WA born horses are listed below:

- ◆ **Allwood Peacemaker (Changeover)**, owner breeder Allwood Stud Farm, started at 100/1 (????) from barrier 3 in the short course 2096m stand after 2 placings in his previous 3 starts, settled on the leaders back, motored up to the leader in the straight and went on to win the \$18,000 Pace by 1.9m in 1:59;
- ◆ **Anime (Art Official), breeder Colin Reeves**, resumed in November after a 3 month absence, started inside the backline, sat behind the leader. Off the rails at the 800m and chasing, a close contest in the straight but Anime the winner of the \$18,000 Pace by 4.6m in a hot 1:57.2 over the 2536m;
- ◆ **Major Martini (Art Major)**, breeder Steve Johnson, second up after resuming in December, settled 3 back the rails in a cat and mouse race, slow first half then a sizzling 27.9 3rd qtr. Came off the rails coming off the back and flew down the outside for a brilliant win in the \$18,000 3YO Pace by 5.5m in 1:58, last qtr 27.3;
- ◆ **Patrickthepiranha (Four Starzzz Shark)**, breeders Kevin and Annette Charles, back to racing in October after a 4 month absence, a very brave second in the \$200,000 Golden Nugget after leading over the 2536m journey, then started favourite, flew out from 1 to lead and went on to win the Group 2 \$50,000 Christmas Gift in 1:57.2, last qtrs., both 28.4;
- ◆ **Roman Aviator (Mr Aviator)**, owner breeder Peter George, started in 1, led and won an \$18,000 Pace by 3.6m in a lifetime best 1:54.2, then a fortnight later, sat behind the leader before going wide in the straight to win a \$20,000 Pace by 3.9m in 1:57.4, last qtrs. 28.3 and 28.5;
- ◆ **Shockwave (Mach Three)**, breeders Kevin and Annette Charles, first past the post the previous week and placed in all the 4YO Features. Started as favourite from 12, followed a 3 wide move at the 1000m, moved 3 and 4 wide at the 400, closed in on race leader Patrickthepiranha down the straight and snatched the win on the line in the 2536m \$200,000 Golden Nugget in 1:56.3, last qtrs 28 and 28.3; and
- ◆ **Vultan Tin (Dawn Ofa New Day)**, owner breeders Phil and Denise Costello, 3rd in the Bunbury Cup then a second. Followed up with 2 consecutive wins after starting from barriers 9 and 8 – breezed and beat last year's Pacing Cup winner Rocknroll Lincoln in a \$25,000 Pace in 1:54.5, last half 55.7, then breezed again in a \$25,000 FFA and too tough and won by 1.3m in 1:57.2, last half 55.9.

Pleasingly, stakemoney earned by Westbreds finishing in the first 6 places in all races in December 2019 was \$1,062,306 (\$858,152 in November, \$634,081 in October and \$638,236 in September). This is \$293,000 higher than December last year and reflects the success in the Group 1 races in December. Total stakes paid to Westbreds was \$1,117,581 out of \$2,154,885 (advertised stakes for races run was \$2,182,500), or 51.9% of stakes compared to 42.2% of stakes last month and 38.1% of stakes in December last year.

Lining up all the comparisons, Westbreds provided 59.6% of individual race starters, 59.9% of race starts (both figures slightly higher than the previous month), 48.9% race winners and won 51.9% of race stakes. This is a lower percentage of race wins but a much better proportion of stakes, with around \$300,000 extra paid to WA bred horses in the month. The result is impacted by wins in the Golden Nugget (Shockwave) and the Mares Classic (Gotta Go Gabbana) but it does demonstrate that the WA bred horses are very competitive at the elite level.

However, if you would like to see some different races in the race program to better assist your particular horses, please let us know.

HOW DID THE FILLIES AND MARES GO (December 2019)

In a reversal of last month (the highest November figure since 2015), December filly and mare wins (43 races or 23.9% of races) was the second lowest result in percentage terms since 2013, with only the poor first full month (December 2018) of HWOE being worse (38 winners or 20.2% of races). We will be looking for an improved result in January, to bring us closer to a minimum 25% of races won by fillies and mares on a monthly basis.

Of the wins by fillies and mares 20 (11.1%) were open races and the remaining 23 (12.8%) were restricted to fillies and mares. There were 12 wins by 3yo fillies, of which 7 were in 3YO and over races. First win bonuses won by 3YO fillies (3) were all in 3YO and over races. There were 15 wins by 4yo mares, 11 by 5yos, 3 by 6yos and the remaining 2 wins were by mares aged 7 and 9 years, with 9yo Mon Lillies and 7yo Millwood Molly both winning metropolitan stakes races.

\$7,500 races accounted for 26 of the wins and 6 were in \$4,500 races. Another 8 wins were metropolitan stakes races including the Group 1 \$100,000 Mares Classic, and the \$30,000 The Coulson.

Westbred fillies and mares won 27 (62.8%) of the 43 races won by fillies and mares and 65.3% of their stakes, helped significantly by the win of Gotta Go Gabbana in the \$125,000 Westral Mares Classic.

Stakemoney earned by fillies and mares finishing in the first 6 places in December 2019 races was \$514,555, up \$29,000 on last month. Total stakes paid to fillies/mares was \$544,985. Both of these figures are about 11% higher than December 2018, which had 8 more races.

The percentage of the overall stakes paid to fillies and mares in December 2019 was 25.3%, a small improvement on the previous month. If we can make improvements to the general metropolitan opportunities, rather than specific feature races, the overall impact will be positive.

For December 2019, fillies and mares comprised 29.4% of individual race starters and of 28.9% of race starts, both figures slightly higher than November. For fillies and mares only, Westbred fillies and mares provided 70.2% of individual starters and 69.8% of race starts.

At Gloucester Park prime meetings, 7 mares won 7 (17.1%) of the 41 races in December, consistent with previous months and needing another 1 winner per week to meet our target of 25-30%. We also had a Group 3 race at the midweek New Years Eve meeting.

Winners included NZ 3yo filly **Tiffany Rose (Somebeachsomewhere)** who won an \$18,000 3YO Fillies for the second consecutive month, NZ 5yo mare **Our Alfie Romeo (Washington V C)** won for the 3rd month in a row, following up her Norms Daughter Classic win with a win in the inaugural \$30,000 Christmas Belles, and 7yo NZ mare **Millwood Molly (Mach Three)** won a \$20,000 Fillies and Mares.

Congratulations to the connections of all the fillies and mares winning anywhere in December. The WA bred winners of the metropolitan stakes races were:

- ♥ **Fake News (Alta Christiano)**, owner breeders Beth Richardson and Garry Ralston, 3rd up since resuming in December after a 5 month absence, a hectic first lap and 35.2 lead time with Fake News settling one out one back, went 3 wide coming off the back, sped home in the straight to win the \$18,000 Pace by 1.3m in 1:57.8;
- ♥ **Gotta Go Gabbana (Gotta Go Collect)**, owner breeder Colin and Annie Belton, ran 3rd to Fremantle Cup winner Caviar Star at her 3rd start since resuming in November after a 10 month absence. Then started favourite from 1, led and went on to easily win the \$125,000 Westral Mares Classic by 7.2m from Pacing Cup starter Our Alfie Romeo, rating 1:57.3 over the 2536m journey, last qtrs 28.6 and 27.5.
- ♥ **Mon Lillies (Artesian)**, breeder D and D Monson, 9yo mare resumed in November with new trainer Kyle Harper, 3 places from 6 starts, then zoomed out from 2 over the sprint 1730m, straight to the front, too good on the night and went on to win the \$18,000 Pace by 3.9m in 1:55.9, last qtrs. 28.1 and 28.9;
- ♥ **Rosies Ideal (American Ideal)**, breeder owners Craig and A Lynn, 2nd favourite from 2, settled quickly in the one out one back in a solidly run race, chased the new leader from the 400m, racing past her approaching the straight and went on to easily win the \$20,000 Fillies and Mares by 15.7m in an excellent 1:55.3, last qtrs. 28.7 and 28.4; and

♥ **Vivere Damore (Lincoln Royal)**, breeder Patrician Park, a New Years Eve special, unplaced on the Friday, a very good win on the Monday by 8m in 1:56.2, then started from 2, went straight to the lead, went on for a great win in the \$30,000 The Coulson by 8m in 1:56 flat, last qtrs. 28 and 28.4.

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