



NEWS – January 2011

Shareholders/friends,

Sales Results MM Gold Coast

Fastnet Rock/Take care (USA) filly (40%)

Considering the events which unfolded in Brisbane during this sale it held up quite well, there was a definite bias to-wards colt's and some good buying was seen amongst the quality fillies.

Our filly achieved \$198,000 incl gst which was better than the average being achieved by Fastnet Rock fillies and the overall average for the sale.

The purchaser was a Melbourne trainer Colin Little, who is a group one trainer who put the polish on the recent Cox Plate winner EL Segundo, with stables at Caulfield.

It was agreed by the syndicate headed up by Widden that they would retain 10% and KBS 10%, for racing.

She is arguably the nicest yearling we have sold to date and has a pedigree and confirmation to suggest she has a good chance to succeed on the track and continue to provide KBS share holders an added racing investment.

Sales Results Classic Sale Sydney

Snitzel/Keela Colt (75%)

A very good result for KBS our colt was the equal sales topper at \$104,500 for Day one session and was purchased by Star Thoroughbreds/Gai Waterhouse it will have every chance to make a racehorse.

This is a satisfying result and credit should be given to Karen Irwin (Riverslea Farm) for his rearing and preparation.

He was accepted at the MMGC sale however I doubt he would have made as much, he stood out in the lesser sale as was the plan.

Credit goes to all the directors past/current who give their time in an honorary capacity, and positive results are starting to be achieved!

SNITZEL (37.5%/one share)

His progeny continue to produce both on the track and in sale ring with his stock now being keenly sought and his best years ahead of him we can look to-wards better income streams from this investment.

He has just become the leading 2nd year Sire with currently 20 individual winners and approx \$1.2M in stakes so far this season!

Snitzel flew out for a second Northern Hemisphere season in Japan at Shadai Farm in Hokkaido on Jan 17th, we understand with Shadai being a major shareholder in the stallion this will be a regular shuttle arrangement.

Dylan Thomas Colt (weanling) (75%)

His stock have done reasonably well at the sales considering his progeny are expected to need time to develop and reach their potential.

Keela (broodmare) (75%)

Is in good condition and in foal to G1 Sprinter Northern Meteor.

She will now have a Fastnet Rock filly with trainer Paul Perry and a Snitzel colt with Gai Waterhouse running for her so hopefully with any success she can upgrade her pedigree.

One of the pin hooks we sold (2009) in WA is now racing as Lucky Grey and won his last two races at Ascot, they believe he will win a group race??

By Bradbury's Luck/Lady Dhama.



Race Horses

Millenium Ruler 3yo G (15%)

Has had 4 starts for 4 seconds (better than 4 duck eggs!) and picking up a cheque!!

He is still learning has been beaten by two good city class horses in past two race's, Guy Walter believes he is city class also and will try to place him to win his maiden before giving him a spell.

Guy is convinced he will come back a nice horse and go through his class's next preparation.

Millenium Hawk 4yo G (15%)

Has been getting too far back in his races and is running good last sectionals and getting beaten, because the others have had to much start!

All the owners, Gerald Ryan and Brad the stable foreman are in agreeance that they have to try and educate him to take at least a midfield position and push him through the gaps if necessary, this may take a few races to get him used to the hurley burley, because as we have found out its not always easy to get a cart up to the outside for clear running.

The horse is not an easy horse to ride, however a couple of jockey's rides can also be questioned.

Fastnet Rock/Take Care filly (yearling) (10%)

Has gone to a spelling property in Cranbourne (VIC) where she will let down for a few weeks and then be broken in, then go into Colin little's stables for some education.

It has been good catching up with some of you at the race's and recent sales, it is our intention to try and organise a few social functions this year also.

The Web site is definitely happening now a few of the other distractions are out of the way!