

# WEEKEND @ WAIKATO



## THANKS FOR THE SUPPORT

As you read in our release earlier this week, **Waikato Stud** had a great **Karaka Yearling Sale Series**.

We'd like to sincerely thank our supporters, who made this a reality.

To buyers, underbidders, friends, media and of course both our team and the team at NZB, a big thanks for your efforts made!

## WS SIRE ROSTER KARAKA RESULTS

STALLION	SOLD	AVERAGE	TOTAL	TOP PRICE
<b>O'REILLY</b>	47	\$123,319	\$5,796,000	\$460,000
<b>PINS</b>	39	\$107,846	\$4,206,000	\$775,000
<b>SAVABEEL</b>	22	\$77,500	\$1,705,000	\$160,000
<b>FAST N FAMOUS</b>	11	\$18,590	\$204,500	\$75,000
<b>NO EXCUSE NEEDED</b>	7	\$23,642	\$165,500	\$35,000

## WS TOP SELLERS

RANK	LOT	COL/SEX	SIRE	DAM	PURCHASER	LOCATION	PRICE
1	130	Brown Colt	O'Reilly	Escada	Hong Kong Jockey Club	Hong Kong	\$460,000
2	402	Bay Colt	Zabeel	Tootsie	Mr G Hennessy	Matamata	\$450,000
3	206	Bay Colt	O'Reilly	Know All	Moody Racing	Victoria	\$320,000
4	231	Brown Filly	O'Reilly	Lodore Mystic	Mr DC Ellis	Te Akau	\$250,000
5	226	Grey Filly	Pins	Lasting Luck	Cliff Brown Racing	Singapore	\$210,000
6=	174	Bay Colt	O'Reilly	Happily Ever After	Hong Kong Jockey Club	Hong Kong	\$200,000
6=	46	Bay Filly	O'Reilly	Breezy	Rogerson Bloodstock	Hamilton	\$200,000
8	176	Bay Colt	O'Reilly	Heads or Tales	Chris Waller Racing	New South Wales	\$160,000
9=	181	Brown Colt	O'Reilly	Iguazu	Mulcaster Bloodstock	Malaysia	\$150,000
9=	381	Bay Colt	O'Reilly	Striptease	NZB as agent	Macau	\$150,000
10	440	Bay Colt	Savabeel	Zephyr Song	NZB as agent	Singapore	\$140,000

## BLACK-TYPE DOUBLE PUTS O'REILLY IN NZ TOP 5 EVER

O'Reilly took his 2012/13 season stakes winners tally to **nine** following the deeds of Stan Jones' **Monachee** and Andy Denham's **Ric O'Shea** last weekend.

NZ-BASED SIRE	STAKES WINNERS
ZABEEL (NZ) 1986	143
SIR TRISTRAM (IRE) 1971	130
NOBLE BIJOU (USA) 1971	65
ZAMAZAAN (FR) 1965	64
O'REILLY (NZ) 1993	63
CENTAINE (AUS) 1980	61

Importantly, with his John and Karen Parsons-trained 6YO daughter **Monachee** winning the **Listed Dunedin Gold Cup** by 6.5 lengths and his Steven Prince-conditioned 5YO son **Ric O'Shea** claiming the **Gr. 3 White Robe Lodge Handicap**, the champion WS sire reached a career tally of **63** individual stakes winners.

**63** secures his place as the 5<sup>th</sup> leading NZ-based sire ever of individual black-type winners.

Interestingly, **O'Reilly** needs only another three stake winners to be elevated to New Zealand's 3rd leading stakes producer of all time.

## HATS OFF TO...

MONACHEE	
Featured Win	Listed Couplands Bakeries Dunedin Gold Cup (2400m)
Breeding	O'Reilly x Kincia by Kinjite
Breeder	Lorraine Jameson
Owner	Stan Jones
Trainer	John & Karen Parsons
Jockey	Kylie Williams

RIC O'SHEA	
Featured Win	Gr.3 White Robe Lodge Handicap (1600m)
Breeding	O'Reilly x Fellowship by Success Express
Breeder	Andy Denham
Owner	Andy Denham
Trainer	Steven Prince
Jockey	Kylie Williams

## STAT OF THE WEEK

**O'REILLY = 2ND** EQUAL HIGHEST SIRE FOR SH STAKES WINS THIS SEASON.

SIRE OF SH BLACK-TYPE WINNERS THIS SEASON		
	STAKES WINS	STAKE WINNERS
COMMANDS	13	12
O'REILLY	12	9
FASTNET ROCK	12	11
REDOUTE'S CHOICE	10	10
LONHRO	9	7

Source: Arion Pedigrees Ltd

## AMBITIOUS DRAGON HIGHEST RATED NZ-BRED

Pins' Hong Kong superstar **Ambitious Dragon** has been named the highest rated NZ-bred galloper on the final **Asian Racing Federation** (ARF) Thoroughbred Rankings for 2012.

On 124, he sits ahead of such outstanding NZ-bred's as **Ocean Park** (122), **More Joyous** (122) and **Mufhasa** (120).

Overall, **Ambitious Dragon's** 124 puts him in 5th spot behind the magnificent **Black Caviar**, who enjoys number one spot with 130 points.

# WS SIRED STAKES RUNNERS THIS WEEKEND

## SATURDAY

<b>SORIANO</b> 09f Savabeel x Call Me Lily by Just A Dancer	Gr.2 Sir Tristram Fillies Classic (2000m)	Te Rapa	3:03pm
<b>EMERALD QUEEN</b> 09f O'Reilly x Scarlet Queen by Fasliyev	Gr.2 Sir Tristram Fillies Classic (2000m)	Te Rapa	3:03pm
<b>LOVETESSA</b> 09f O'Reilly x Love Diamonds by Danehill	Gr.2 Sir Tristram Fillies Classic (2000m)	Te Rapa	3:03pm
<b>SANGSTER</b> 08g Savabeel x Quinta Special by Spectrum	Gr.1 Waikato International Stakes (2000m)	Te Rapa	4:13pm
<b>LADY KIPLING</b> 07f Savabeel x Akela by Al Akbar	Gr.1 Waikato International Stakes (2000m)	Te Rapa	4:13pm
<b>ANTONIO LOMBARDO</b> 08c Pins x Petit Verdot by Carnegie	Gr.1 Waikato Draught Sprint (1400m)	Te Rapa	5:26pm
<b>TINTERN</b> 04g Pins x Annie Daly by Spinning World	Gr.1 Waikato Draught Sprint (1400m)	Te Rapa	5:26pm
<b>MONDAY</b>			
<b>NANDOWRA</b> 07g Savabeel x Fabaz by O'Reilly	Sgp-3 Fortune Bowl (2000m)	Sing.	10:30pm

## MARK'S MAIL



New Zealand Bloodstock's 2013 Yearling Sale Series is now behind us and I have to say it was a very positive experience for the stud.

One of the things I really noticed this year, was the strong Kiwi buying bench. About half of our draft were knocked down to New Zealanders.

Thanks to all who took the time to explore our draft.

Lots to look forward to in the days ahead. We've got three yearlings bound for the Magic Millions Perth Sale commencing Feb 19, which is a completely new sale for us.

Some exciting Gr.1 action this weekend and down the line a bit, we have **O'Reilly's** unbeaten colt **Sacred Falls** having his first Australian start, our promising **Pins** filly **Spending** is pressing on to the Vanity and it looks like there is plenty more in store for Mary's **Pins** mare **Wannabe**, who has won three of her last four.

This weekend though I am tipping it will be the **Savabeel** duo **Sangster** and **Lady Kipling** who dominate the finish to the **Gr.1 Waikato International Stakes (2000m)** at Te Rapa.

**Tip of the Week: Lady Kipling or Sangster – Saturday - Gr.1 Waikato International Stakes (2000m) – Te Rapa - 4:13pm (NZ)**



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