

SENDING RAINBOWS

THE WINDERMERE FARM MONTHLY UPDATE

HAPPY HORSE BIRTHDAY!

Dear valued clients and friends,

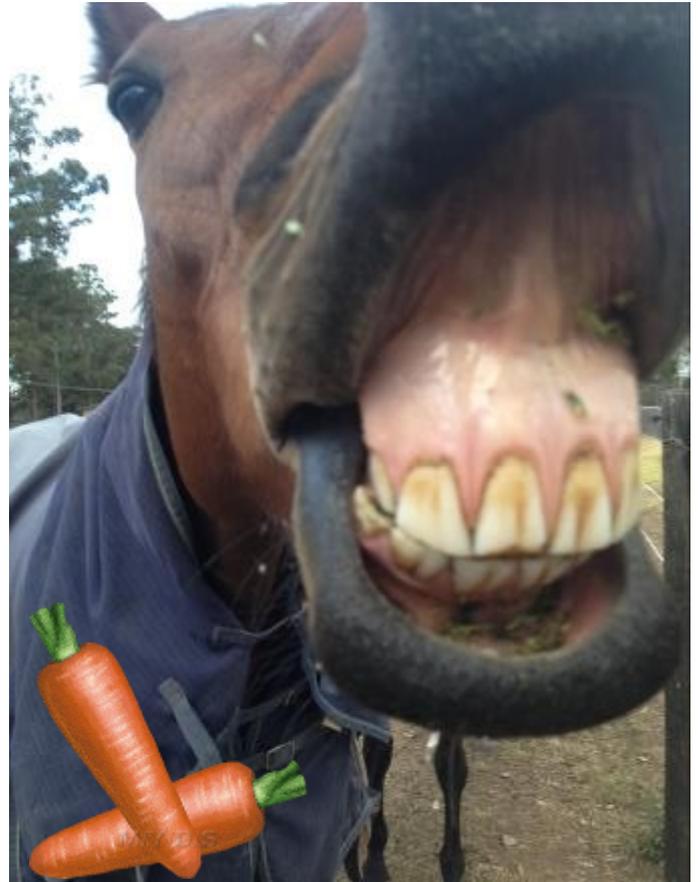
The first of August witnessed SACRED JOURNEY enjoying his birthday and his holiday, all rugged up with his girl friend LA CHIC!

Who would have guessed, after nearly three weeks of rain, freezing winds and grey skies, we would have been blessed with such a glorious day this past Sunday? I mention this because it was our open day and all who attended were delighted to soak up the warmth of the sun, while enjoying a drop of fine wine and, tasty fair. Once again, I'm sure everyone will agree; Wade excelled with his delicious ham and home maid sausage rolls, plus my cakes seem to be a favourite. We do intend to offer another open day come autumn, so don't miss out!

Our equine team who have done so well recently, have mostly gone out for a spell and the newcomers are on their way to the winners circle. We had a few to trial in August and few to race, however, we have lot's of pictures to show you on all the good times had in August----and you know what they say; 'a picture paints a thousand words!

We began by racing a small herd at Hawkesbury on the 7th.

TOO CHIC raced well over 1400 meters and was extremely unlucky not to have won or at least run a place.



SACRED JOURNEY

"I'm having a fun time on my holiday!"

STRADAZZLE, didn't have a clue in his very first race start, but stretched out in the straight to show his impressive stride.

APPLIANCES received an enormous squeeze when jumping out of the barriers, this seemed to knock his confidence and he consequently ran around???

SACRED JOURNEY while running second last over the 1800 meters was only beaten 2.4 lengths. He showed no fight really and pulled up like he hadn't raced. Sacred had been racing since February and has been plagued with back problems. He has almost paid his way this prep,

Happy Father's Day



after winning in fine style at Hawkesbury on the 10/4 and being placed 3rd and 4th on many occasions. The decision to spell him after he raced at Hawkesbury, was made so as to give all things time to rest and settle. He will return on the 1/10.

On the 11th SNIPAROSE showed us she also needed a spell and while not winning this prep she managed many seconds, going down by very short margins and every time she was unlucky not to have won. It will be her turn to have Lady Luck on her side next prep, beginning 1st of October.



At Widden Stud, we were delighted to see 'Your Songs' first foal, only two days old --What a beauty!

APPLIANCES and STRADAZZLE also raced on the same day and while Stradazzle showed us his promising racing future, he too was held up for most of the way down the straight, when he finally saw daylight he extended like a gazelle and made up several lengths to finish close to the winner.

Horses that trialed well in August were ROVING EYE and AUSBRED LACE. Horses coming up to trials in September are BLACK PIRATE, BELLE RULER, and VENCEDORA. The five horses mentioned above are excelling in their work and we look forward to them racing soon.

Horses coming along are AUSBRED CUTIE, AUSBRED SKY and our new comer AUSBRED yet to be named?? She is a stunner out of Ausbred Blue by Congrats. You may remember last month seeing a picture of her in the background with Wade walking away from her, well she is here now and some lucky people have taken up Chris Lawler's generous offer to lease her. She began slow work today (the first of September) and did everything right, she seems more than happy to be in a routine with her new friends.

AUSBRED CUTIE is now being set for her spectacular entry into racing on Friday the 19th/9 at Bathurst in a 1300mt, fillies and mares maiden.

Happy Fathers Day to all the Dads on Sunday!

Good luck and Good punting !!
Sending rainbows,
Dor & Wade



La Chic and Sacred Journey

TOO CHIC raced again on the 21st at Hawkesbury over 1500mts. She settled well in a truly run race (which she needs) and rattled home like the honest little darling that she is, unfortunately being held up for fifty meters or so in the straight, ment she missed out on the win but she ran a very close third. We were more than pleased with her run and also how she pulled up so Chic has a chance to win again this prep, which will make it three wins in one prep!!

Windermere Farm Open Day



Before the Stallion parade. Rhonda, Ray and Wade, enjoyed the morning tea at Coolmore, and the sunshine where "So You Think" stands, along with many more champion sires.



This horse is "So You Think", I say--- so you think--- you want to send your mare to him, well think again unless you have one hundred and twenty thousand dollars to spare !!!

Peggy's Corner



[Isabelle & Peggy click to watch video](#)

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I am honoured to have been invited to the annual NSW School Book Feast on the 11/9 at Burwood RSL. There will be fifty schools participating and fifty authors to be positioned with a selected school. My school is Girraween and I can hardly wait, as one of my favourite things to do in my life, is to read and discuss writing with the kids. Their questions and answers to different topics would make way for a wonderful story in its self. I truly receive one hundred times more pleasure, than what I'm able to give when I read my stories.

During Book week I read 'Lu Lu's New Pony,' at my Granddaughters School, 'Saint Monica's,' in Richmond and once again I had an enjoyable and memorable day. I will travel to wherever to read to School children, so remember if you have any School in mind you wish me to attend, please contact me, I am more than happy to donate to libraries and give away books to the good listeners, who answer my questions correctly.

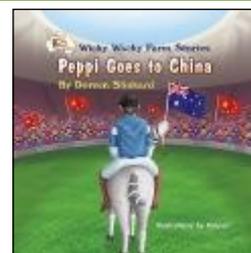
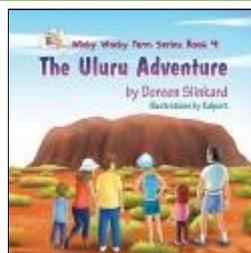
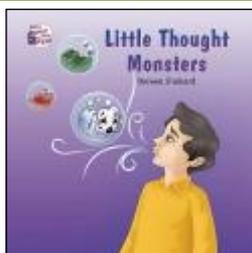
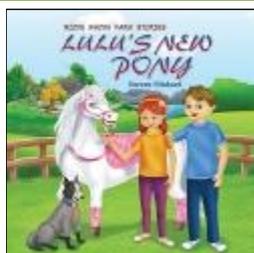
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