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SENDING RAINBOWS THE WINDERMERE FARM MONTHLY UPDATE



Happy Easter!

Dear valued clients and friends,

We wish you a happy, safe Easter and hope the Easter Bunny delivers a truck load of chocolates! Please let us not forget our Anzacs on their special day of remembrance, the 25th of April. Without them, we may not be enjoying our treasured freedom.

Racing this month was at a low, mainly due to the weather and race meetings being abandoned.

However, we managed to race BLACK PIRATE at Goulbourn on the 14th in a 2100 mt race. Once again he had no luck in running. Therefore his effort to run second, plus breaking the course record, by three seconds, was to be highly commended. He was to race at Hawkesbury on the 27th but of course they were abandoned after the third race. He will run in a 2100 at Wyong on the 3rd of April. All going well, he may contend the final of the stayer's cup series on May the 3rd at Hawkesbury, so our one- more- go- horse, has found his true realm amongst the stayers!



HAPPY EASTER



Carol Bailey, part owner of Vencedora, is having a chat with him before he trialled at Hawkesbury. No doubt he went well!

From time to time, both Sacred Journey and Black Pirate suffer bad backs. This horrid problem struck SACRED JOURNEY at Hawkesbury on the 13th of March. Sacred seemed to travel fairly well throughout, until the final stretch when he found it all too hard. Needless to say we called Ken Butler, our trusty Chiropractor to work his magic and he did a wonderful job to have him back bucking around his yard. Sacred has kept on improving since his manipulation and supersonic light treatment. He will race this coming Saturday at Kembla the 5th of April over 1400mt. His race journey will be lengthened after this race. As you may understand, it takes a little time for all things to adjust and become stronger.





Wally and friends relaxing. Hiding from work? SPRUNG!!!

Hawkesbury on the 17^{th,} we trailed, VENCEDORA, AUSBRED LACE, AUSBRED BENZ, AUSBRED CUTIE. All horses trialled very well, including Ausbred Lace, who did not let us down, after we predicted she would improve by the length of the straight, after her Warwick Farm trial. Cutie shared the lead most of the way, only to be nutted on the line. She has gone out for a spell and will return mid May.

Vencedora excelled-- crossing the line, with an almost win. He will now begin his race career at Wyong this coming Thursday the 3rd of April and trust me; whatever he does he will also improve by the length of the straight.

Ausbred Benz seems back on top after his set back and will race this Saturday at Kembla the 5^{th} of April.

Ausbred Cutie raced well and was toughened up a little more, by partaking in a jump out on Monday the 31st. She will perhaps need another trial before racing. However, we are more than happy with her progress.

The Bobsie twins are back in work— SNIPAROSE and TOO CHIC, both fillies are excelling in their work. We look forward to trialling and then racing them mid May. I should have said triplet's as LA CHIC returned to work from today the 1st. The penny has suddenly dropped for BELLE RULER, she is pleasing us with some very nice work and her barrier manners could not be better. She will only need one more practice jumpout; hopefully this coming Friday and we are sure she'll be ready to trial. Rain –rain- go away!

All other horses are well and happy. Please contact us if you would like to pay a visit to your horse, whether it be spelling or in work. We welcome your company. We will endeavour to have our next open day in June. I will keep you posted.

Good luck and good punting!!

Sending rainbows Dor and Wade

Peggy's Corner



Peggy and the Cat - Part 1



Peggy and the Cat - Part 2

Monique Robinson was our foreperson many years ago, beginning with us at the age of sixteen and staying for a seven years. We have remained close friends throughout the following years. Monique is now married to trainer Terry Robinson and they have two children Matilda and Tom.

Moni has gone through many hours of study and learning to become an accredited riding instructor. This study includes many safety procedures. We all wish Moni every success in her new business venture "Ready Set Trot'.





Matilda and Tom

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning. We will remember them.

Anzac Day - 25 April 2014 Lest we forget



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