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SENDING RAINBOWS

THE WINDERMERE FARM MONTHLY UPDATE



Dear valued clients and friends,

It's time again to wish you all, a happy, healthy and prosperous 2018. Peppered with many winners!

After a busy but enjoyable Christmas, it's time to look forward to some of our winners and next to be winners racing soon. It was certainly nice of STRADAZZLE to put two in row, giving us reason to celebrate Christmas even more. And maybe a hat trick on New Year's Day – Randwick?

Happy
New
Year 2018





Not far from us lies a secret river, well not quite, but only the locals now about this part of the Grose River. So nice to see our equine friends enjoying our local water hole.

Only three horses represented the stable this past month.

LEGISTATION was first horse off the property with a try hard effort to run 4th at Hawkesbury, 1500mts - 10/12. The field was near as good as the Ted Macabe Cup field. Legi lead most of the way, but got swamped twenty meters from the post. Another suitable race at Hawkesbury one week later, over 1400mts saw him almost hang on for the win. He gave a great effort to run 2nd. Legi is now out for a spell, missing the intensive heat and enjoying a well grassed paddock under the shade of the old gum tree, or should I say trees.

STRADAZZLE, two weeks after his impressive win at Hawkesbury, gave an even more impressive win at Kembla 16/12. He travelled a little more keenly over the same 2000mt, as the pace was not as strong as Hawkesbury. But Clare had him cruising ready to pounce, he looked all over the winner until entering the straight where he was blocked for a run. It seemed for a while he was going to go down due to bad luck, then the opening came, and he stormed through like a tiger after his prey. Next start, he will hopefully keep up his good form at Randwick 1/1/2018, over 2400 mts



Ruby, the granddaughters dog, knows how to join in Christmas lunch, just dress up like Santa!

NIGHTLY GRIND, had his first ever race start at Hawkesbury 17/12. As many first starters do, he went like the clappers and faded. Which always brings me to the old bull and the young bull story. 'Patience my son' and we shall reap the rewards - meaning all the young heifers not just one.

OUR ANNIVERSAIRE will trial and race within January, as will VENCEDORA.

JEWELL OF HONOUR along with ROMAN PRINCESS and TRADE STAR, will be looking at trialling end of January. All horses spelling are doing extremely well.

Sending rainbows.

Cheers
Dor & Wade



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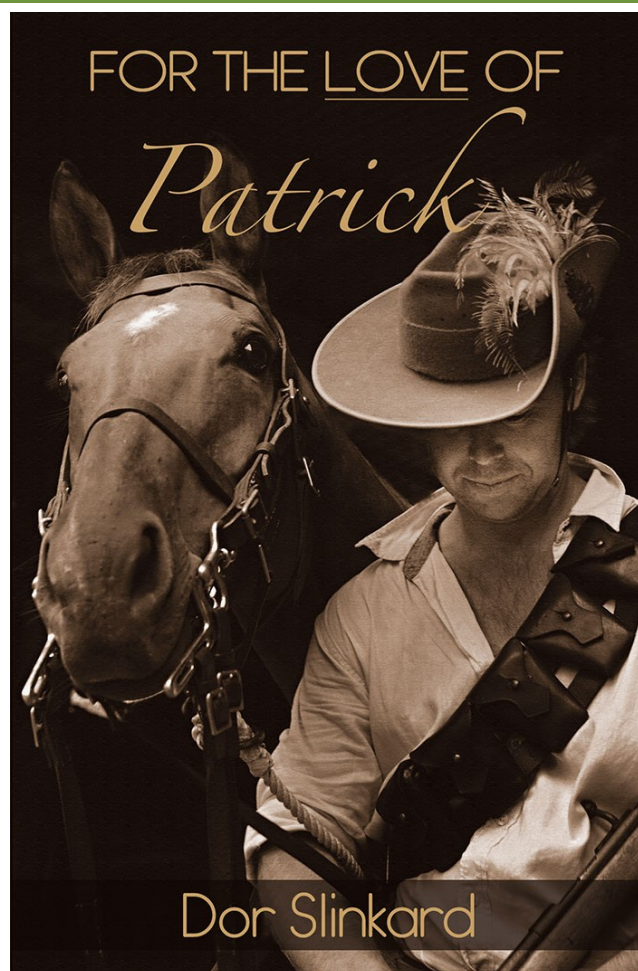
I'd like to thank all my friends who have supported me throughout the past year and before.

I truly have been inspired by your enthusiasm to proof read and give constructive criticism to my stories. I could not have produced so many stories without you.

My first novel, For The love of Patrick, has been welcomed by the public and sales are steadily rising. I will be heading to England May 2018, to join my Publishers in a promotion tour. I'm lucky enough to have close friends who I know will join me in helping to promote in person.

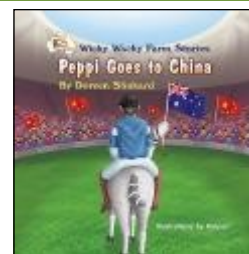
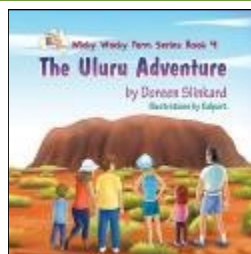
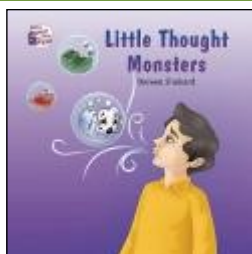
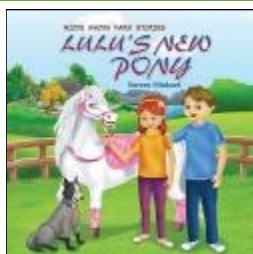
Not wishing time away, but already I have had so many requests for the next book in the series, which is called, 'For the Love of Freedom.' It's a stand-alone story about Patrick's daughter, but threaded with family characters.

I am now working on my fifth novel - to do with racing. It's a very ocker story containing an ample supply of my quintessential Aussie humour.



"For the Love of Patrick" purchase locations are on my website.

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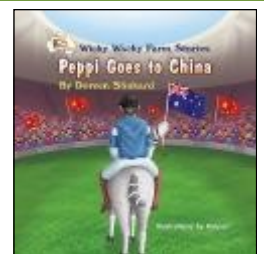
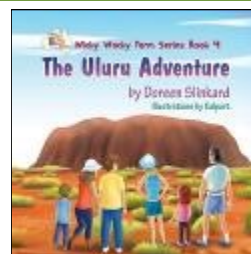
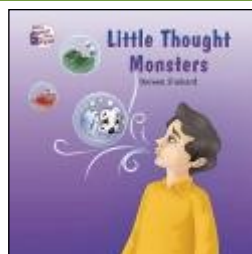
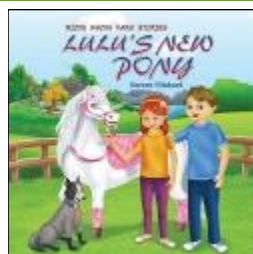
I gave a talk about FTLOP, at the State of the Art Hawkesbury Library 7/12. I was in my element, making attendees laugh and join in the discussion about writing novels. Many, many more attended, but I forgot to take a photo until the very end. I'm telling the truth!



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