

Stellar Night for O'Reilly at NZ Racing Awards Night...









Daughter Silent Achiever crowned Champion NZ Stayer

Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate Set to be a cracker

It seems only fitting that tomorrow's Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate field is positively dominated by WS sired runners...

No.	Horse Name	Breeding	
1	Veyron (NZ) 2005 ch.g.	by Thorn Park out of Over the Limit	
2	Pure Champion (H.K.) (IRE) 2007 b.c.	RE) 2007 b.c. by Footstepsinthesand out of Castara Beach	
3	Spin Doctor (NZ) 2007 b.g.	octor (NZ) 2007 b.g. by Pins out of Love the Limelight	
4	lamishwara (NZ) 2009 br.g.	by Keeninsky out of She's Heroic	
5	Whosyourmaster (NZ) 2008 b.g.	sster (NZ) 2008 b.g. by Captain Rio out of Peace of Mind	
6	Viadana (NZ) 2007 b.f.		
7	I Do (NZ) 2007 gr.f. by No Excuse Needed out of Freequence		
8	Xanadu (NZ) 2008 b.f. by Elusive City out of Forest Dream		
9	Costume (NZ) 2009 b.f. by Savabeel out of Disguised		
10	Soriano (NZ) 2009 b.f.	by Savabeel out of Call Me Lily	
11	Postmans Daughter (NZ) 2007 b.f.	by Postponed out of Kinjabelle	
12	The Filly (NZ) 2008 b. or br.f.	Filly (NZ) 2008 b. or br.f. by Ishiguru out of Bayline Beauty	
13	Pussy O'Reilly (NZ) 2008 b.f.	by O'Reilly out of Octapussy	
14	Spellbinder (NZ) 2010 b.f.	by O'Reilly out of Scenic Sprint	

15	Brave Centaur (NZ) 2007 b.g.	by O'Reilly out of Centaurea
16	Guevara (NZ) 2007 b.g.	by No Excuse Needed out of Freestyler
17	Aaja Nachle (NZ) 2010 ch.f.	by Fast 'n' Famous out of Madhuri Dixit
18	Weissmuller (NZ) 2009 br.g.	by Handsome Ransom out of Belongs in Lights
19	Happyto Keepa (NZ) 2006 b.f.	by Keeper out of My Happiness
20	Sir Kingwood (AUS) 2009 br.g.	by Excites out of Fame Princess

Introducing WS Vet... Dr. Chris Phillips



Waikato Stud is thrilled to introduce our new full-time Vet, Dr. Chris Phillips.

Chris joins us from a large Reproductive practice in England, where clients included Thoroughbred studs such as Juddmonte Farms.

Over the last seven years, Chris has extensively focused on **Equine Reproduction**, working with some of the world's best bloodstock and industry professionals.

With dual Hemisphere **Reproductive Medicine** experience, we know that Chris will be a terrific asset to the WS team and will enable the optimal care of horses residing at the stud.

60 Seconds with... Dr. Chris Phillips

This week we put 60 seconds of curious questions to Waikato Stud's new Vet, Dr Chris Phillips.

Favourite comfort food:	Steak	
Do you have any nicknames:	Tiptoetall blondelong story	
Best horse seen:	Frankel	
Book on the bedside table:	Horsetrader: Robert Sangster and The Rise And Fall of	
	the Sport Of Kings	
If you weren't a vet, you'd be	Full of energy	
What do you do to relax:	Play sport	
Who would you love to meet:	David Attenborough	
Favourite holiday destination:	Barbados	
Favourite thing about Waikato Stud:	Great stallions	
How did you come to be involved in the	Through being a Vet	
Racing/Breeding industry		
Favourite Movie	Schindler's List	
Career Highlights:	Vet for Frankel as a foal and as a stallion	
Best piece of good advice:	What's for you won't go by you	
If someone was going to play you in a	Brad Pitt (as he looked in Fight Club)	
movie, who would it be:		
Name 3 people you'd love to invite to a	My mum, dad and girlfriend – they're a long way away!	
dinner party:		
Not many people would know that I	Can't roll my R's	
Favourite comfort food:	Steak	

First Foals for ROCK N POP









WS Sired Runners Black-Type Runners

SATURDAY						
NANDOWRA 07g	Sgp-3 Causeway Classic (1800m)	SGP	1:20am			
Savabeel x Fabaz						
SPIN DOCTOR 07g	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
Pins x Love The Limelight	(1200m)					
I DO 07f	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
No Excuse Needed x Freequence	(1200m)					
COSTUME 09f	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
Savabeel x Disguised	(1200m)					
SORIANO 09f	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
Savabeel x Call Me Lily	(1200m)					
PUSSY O'REILLY 08f	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
O'Reilly x Octapussy	(1200m)					
SPELLBINDER 09f	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
O'Reilly x Scenic Sprint	(1200m)					
BRAVE CENTAUR 07g (B1)	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
O'Reilly x Centaurea	(1200m)					
GUEVARA 07g B2	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
No Excuse Needed x Freestyler	(1200m)					
AAJA NACHLE 10f B3	Gr.3 Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate	Waikato	3:37pm			
Fast N Famous x Madhuri Dixit	(1200m)					
EMPRESS O'REILLY 11f	Gr.3 Quezette Stakes (1100m	MRC	5:20pm			
O'Reilly x Victoria's Reign	,					
BRAMBLES 08g	Gr.2 PB Lawrence Stakes (1400m)	MRC	6:35pm			
Savabeel x Prickle	, in the second of the second					

Sign up for a Organised Stud Visit to see

OCEAN PARK & ROCK N POP's First Foals

We are getting very excited about the pending arrival of Ocean Park and Rock'n' Pop's first foals.

Once these foals are on the ground, we will be organising stud tours from the 20th of August through to the 20th of September.

If you would like to be added to the list of people interested in attending one of these organised tours, please email Justine@waikatostud.co.nz to arrange a visit.



16 August	Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate Day
23/24 August	Waikato TBA Stallion Weekend
19-20 Nov	NZB Ready to Run Sale of 2YO's
26 Jan – 2 Feb	NZB National Yearling Sales Series

Pedigree Pointers with... GARETH DOWNEY

Let's Rock!

Looking for a new dance partner for a mare carrying **Nureyev** this season? Well look no further. I believe **Rock N Pop** is a very good choice – for two quite compelling reasons. Firstly, the results when **Fastnet Rock** and **Nureyev**have been combined together continue to be outstanding. In fact, from **110** runners, there have been seven **Gr. 1**winners – representing a wonderful statistic of one Gr. 1 winner for every **15.7** runners. These Gr. 1 winners have been **Atlantic Jewel, Mosheen, Super Cool, Planet Rock, Nechita, Atlante** and **Rock Classic**.

Secondly, with **Rock N Pop** being out of the super **Sir Tristram** mare **Popsy**, it is also encouraging to see that **Sir Tristram** and **Nureyev** have previously combined extremely well together – with examples including **Zabeel**, **Ocean Park**, **Norzita**, **Veyron**, **Booming** and **Rebel Raider**.

The more common sources of Nureyev in our part of the world include Any Given Sunday, Good Journey, Kingmambo, Lonhro, No Excuse Needed, Octagonal, Peintre Celebre, Savabeel, Soviet Star, Spinning World, St Petersburg, Starcraft, Stravinsky, Thorn Park and Zabeel. If you have a mare by, or carrying one of these stallions, I strongly encourage you to consider Rock N Pop this season.

If you would like to discuss this, or any other mating options, please feel free to contact me on 021 433 073 or at gareth@waikatostud.co.nz



Have to say I am rapt to have Dr. Chris Phillips on board.

What's more, this week we've also had Vet Locum Dr. Mark Buchert return to the team. It's wonderful heading into the breeding season with this level of expertise.

Had a great night at the NZ Racing Awards. Congrats to 'NZ Breeder of the Year, Kevin Hickman', whose superstar O'Reilly mare Silent Achiever was crowned New Zealand's Champion Stayer of 2013/14.

Congrats also to our boy **O'Reilly** – it's still pretty unbelievable to think that he has clean-sweeped the three major sire awards once again.

Big day tomorrow with the **Lisa Chittick Foxbridge Plate**. It has once again attracted a terrific field, so can't wait for a great day of racing and to catch up with friends.

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