

WEEKEND @ WAIKATO

31.10.14

# TRAILBLAZER

*Savabeel sets Melbourne Cup Carnival tempo*



*Gr.1 VRC Derby*  
*Atmosphere*

*Gr.1 Myer Classic*  
*You're So Good*

*Gr.1 VRC Oaks*  
*Savage Coup*

*Gr.1 LKS Mackinnon*  
*Costume*  
*Brambles*

*Gr.1 Melbourne Cup*  
*Lucia Valentina*  
*Brambles*

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# WS SIRED BLACK-TYPE RUNNERS

SATURDAY				
	<b>SAVAGE COUP</b> 11f Savabeel x Justine Coup by Entrepreneur	<b>Gr.2 Wakeful Stakes</b> [2000m]	VRC	2:10pm
	<b>BRAMBLES</b> 08g Savabeel x Prickle by Pins	<b>Gr.1 LKS Mackinnon Stakes</b> [2000m]	VRC	5:00pm
	<b>COSTUME</b> 09f Savabeel x Disguised by O'Reilly	<b>Gr.1 LKS Mackinnon Stakes</b> [2000m]	VRC	5:00pm
	<b>SMARTLY</b> 08f Fast n Famous x Artemesia by Peintre Celebre	<b>Listed Feilding Gold Cup</b> [2100m]	Feild.	5:28pm
	<b>ATMOSPHERE</b> 11g Savabeel x Zephyr Song by Danasinga	<b>Gr.1 Victoria Derby</b> [2500m]	VRC	5:45pm
	<b>YOU'RE SO GOOD</b> 09f Savabeel x Lightning Spur by Flying Spur	<b>Gr.1 Myer Classic</b> [2500m]	VRC	6:30pm
	<b>ECLAIR BIG BANG</b> 10g Savabeel x Ennerdale by Singspiel	<b>Gr.2 Tab.com.au Stakes</b> [2500m]	VRC	7:15pm
	<b>MOLTO ALLEGRO</b> 11f Fast n Famous x Jestatune by Rory's Jester	<b>Listed Burgess Queen Stakes</b> [1400m]	WATC	9:20pm
TUESDAY				
	<b>LUCIA VALENTINA</b> 10f Savabeel x Staryn Glenn by Montjeu	<b>Gr.1 Melbourne Cup</b> [3200m]	VRC	5:00pm
	<b>BRAMBLES</b> 08g Savabeel x Prickle by Pins	<b>Gr.1 Melbourne Cup</b> [3200m]	VRC	5:00pm



In 2004 Savabeel finished second in the Gr.1 Victoria Derby.

In 2011 Savabeel's son Sangster won the Gr.1 Victoria Derby.

In 2014 Savabeel will be represented by son Atmosphere.

# **60 Seconds with...** TERRY HENDERSON



This week we put **60** seconds of curious questions to  
**OTI Racing's TERRY HENDERSON**

Under the expert guidance of Henderson & Simon O'Donnell, OTI Racing could boast 5 Melbourne Cup chances on Tuesday - one of these being **Savabeel** gelding **BRAMBLES**.

<b>Favourite comfort food:</b>	Pasta
<b>Do you have any nicknames and how did you come to get it:</b>	Always been 'hendo'...not hard to guess why!
<b>Best Horses involved with:</b>	Thoroughbreds – Doriemus, Pacers – Chokin
<b>Book on the bedside table:</b>	'Jeeves and Wedding Bells' by Sebastian Faulks
<b>If you weren't involved with thoroughbreds you'd be:</b>	A frustrated pensioner
<b>What do you do to relax:</b>	Walking, adventure travel
<b>Favourite TV shows:</b>	Egg Heads
<b>Who would you love to meet or have met:</b>	John Madden, only thoroughbred and harness 'Hall of Fame' member in USA
<b>Favourite holiday destination:</b>	Portsea, Victoria
<b>Favourite thing about Waikato Stud:</b>	Savabeel
<b>How did you get involved with racing:</b>	As a 10yo at Showgrounds trots in Melbourne. With thoroughbreds with mates in my 30's
<b>Favourite Movie:</b>	Blues Brothers
<b>Career Highlights:</b>	In racing, Doriemus's Melbourne Cup win.
<b>Best piece of good advice:</b>	Only 3 things matter...something to do, something to look forward to, and someone to love.
<b>If someone was going to play you in a movie:</b>	Sean Penn
<b>Name 3 people you'd love to invite to a dinner party:</b>	Herb Elliott, Roy Purdon and Emma Thompson. Hopefully I'd have enough sense to shut up and listen.
<b>Not many people would know that I...</b>	Enjoy the company and innocence of little kids

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SAVABEEL



## **COSTUME**

Dressed and ready for  
Gr.1 Mackinnon

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## **BRAMBLES**

Ready for Gr.1 Mackinnon  
& Melbourne Cup

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## **ATMOSPHERE**

Joao Moreira aboard for  
Gr.1 VRC Derby

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## **BRAMBLES & YOU'RE SO GOOD**

Celia shows family the  
way with 2 Gr.1 chances

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## **WAR AFFAIR**

Simply breathtaking in  
Sgp-1 Raffles Cup

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## **ATMOSPHERE**

Natalie Young discusses  
Gr.1 VRC Derby chance

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## **AEROVELOCITY**

Stages tenacious  
HK-2 Premier Bowl win

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## **MARITIMO**

Million dollar plan ahead  
for 2YO stakes winner

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## **O'MARILYN**

Tightens grip on Gr.1 NZ  
1000 Guineas

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### SILENT ACHIEVER

Arc de Triomphe earmarked following Cox Plate placing

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### WOLFWHISTLE

Blueblood strikes black-type success

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### PINZAARA

Completes WS treble with all the way win

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## Recent Winners

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PINS



NO EXCUSE  
NEEDED



RIOS





## This week's GR.1 ENCOUNTERS



Gr.1 racemare I DO scans  
in-foal to SAVABEEL



OCEAN PARK half-sister to  
4x Gr.1 winner  
METAL BENDER born



Singapore superstar  
SPALATO's dam ELLINGTON  
served by O'REILLY



## NZB Ready To Run Sale of 2YO's

BREEZE UPS: 20 & 21 Oct

SALE: 19 & 20 Nov



O'REILLY  
12 on offer  
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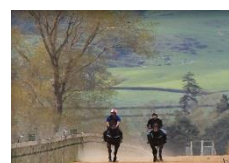
SAVABEEL  
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7 on offer  
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NEEDED  
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COURTZA  
PARK  
7 on offer  
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# Pedigree Pointers with...

## GARETH DOWNEY



I am going to take a slightly different approach today, and will look beyond common pedigree factors to look further afield at “**stats and facts**” in general.

We keep seeing and hearing about the amazing run that our proven stallions are having lately. That is indeed amazing in one sense, but of course this is really just what top proven stallions do – they keep producing top class horses year after year. We are in an incredibly lucky position to have the proven stallion line-up that we have, and we don't take those results for granted – we delight in watching the progeny of our stallions week after week.

Last weekend alone, the progeny of our stallions picked up earnings of **\$1.25 million**. **Pins** was the stallion to shine brightest of all, with his progeny earning over **\$600K** of that total. He is a wonderful example of a top proven stallion – year after year, he keeps producing top class horses. This is evidenced by the fact that he has now produced **63** stakes winners. Even more remarkable than that is his strike rate of success – over his career, he has averaged **7.9% SW/Rnrs**; which puts him in the very top echelon of sires across Australasia. In fact, of all stallions standing at stud in Australasia, there are only **4** others who have produced at least 10 stakes winners in our part of the world who can claim a SW/Rnrs strike rate as good as that. So, with **Pins** achieving results as good as this across his career, he is certainly remarkable value to be standing at **NZ\$25,000 + GST**.



The main contributors to his progeny earnings last weekend were:

- Aerovelocit**y Won the HK-Gp2 Premier Bowl to bring his career total to 7 wins from 13 starts
- Maritimo** Maintained her unbeaten record in winning the Listed Wellesley Stakes by 4.5 lengths in the style of a special horse
- Packing Pins** Went out a very short-priced favourite on debut in Hong Kong and delivered accordingly in very impressive style
- Ambitious Dragon** Put up a superb performance to finish 3rd in the HK-Gp2 Sha Tin Trophy in his first start for 18 months

What a super stallion **Pins** is. Given the value he stands at, he provides your mare with an excellent chance of producing a top class horse. If you haven't yet decided on a stallion for your mare this season, and would like to discuss **Pins** as an option, please feel free to contact me at [gareth@waikatostud.co.nz](mailto:gareth@waikatostud.co.nz) or on 021 433 073







## The Mail with... MARK CHITTICK

Click on picture below for Mark's GoPro instalment featuring I Do and her 16 day pregnancy scan to Savabeel...



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