

WEEKEND @ WAIKATO



Savabeel 5YO Kawi lands special win in first leg of Hawke's Bay Gr.1 Triple Crown

As he hit the line first in Saturday's Gr.1 Makfi Challenge Stakes outstanding winner Kawi rewarded the faith shown in him by his most ardent supporters, co-owners and breeders Steak and Christine Goodin.

While the Taranaki couple were applauding the triumph of their pride and joy it would be no surprise if there was a large extended "family" in their local community and beyond that were celebrating widely just for them.

That's because not only have the couple been heavily involved in thoroughbred racing and breeding over the past 40 years they have also made their mark on the social fabric of the community through the fostering of troubled children over that same period.

The Goodin dairy farm and homestead has been the base for reforming the lives of well in excess of fifty boys over those years, a service that was recognised in Auckland during the week where Steak was awarded a Queens Service Medal for his work with the Life

Education Trust and other troubled youth organisations.

"It certainly has been quite a week with the awards ceremony and now the wonderful win of Kawi," remarked Christine Goodin.

"We got into racing a little by accident really as we inherited a broodmare named The Boss with a filly at foot after a death in the family. My father is Bob Sharrock's brother and at the time he wasn't that keen on us having a mare or racing a horse even though Bob was a trainer.

"As it turned out that foal became Mirikau Lass who went on to win nine races so we were hooked. It seemed quite an easy game at that stage however we did find out fairly quickly it's not always like that.

"I guess it was only natural that racing would become a big part of our lives, firstly with Bob and then with Allan training for us.



“We began to race and breed a few while also offering agistment services to some of our friends who didn’t have the facilities like we had at the farm.”

Although their racing interests expanded the couple’s dairying business remained the backbone of their operation and played a significant role in the development of the Kawi story.

“The dairy farm has always been the major priority for us and it was through a good dairy payout back in 2002 that we ended up with Kawi’s dam,” explained Goodin.

“We didn’t have any foals on the ground that year so the boys headed off to the National Broodmare, Weanling and Mixed Bloodstock Sale at Karaka and came home with Magic Time.”

“Steak liked the Volksraad blood so he went to \$18,000 for her. Unfortunately she never made it to the race-track although I guess she has more than made up for that with Kawi.”

The Goodins are now looking forward to welcoming the next progeny from Magic Time when she produces the Rock “N” Pop foal she is currently carrying.

Goodin was quick to pay tribute to the role Sharrock has played in their success as both breeders and owners.

“Allan and I are first cousins but he has been more like a brother over the years,” she noted.

“He is a very astute and talented horseman and he identified the potential in Kawi right from his early days. He was the one who recommended sending Magic Time to Savabeel so I’m just as thrilled for him as I am for Steak and I with what has happened with the horse.

“That win on Saturday was Allan’s 10th Group One as a trainer with four of those coming with Shez Sinsational who raced in the same ownership as Kawi so maybe we are a good luck charm for each other.

-NZ Racing Desk, Kevin Robertson

KAWI

Breeding: Savabeel x Magic Time by Volksraad

Breeder: Christine & Steak Goodin

Owners: Alan Baeyertz, Steak Goodin, Gordon MacDonald, Graeme Phillips & Est late Bob Sharrock

Trainer: Allan Sharrock

Jockey: Leith Innes

Record: 7 wins from 1200m to 1800m, to 2014-15, Makfi Challenge Stakes Gr.1, Taranaki Cup, Gr.3, WRC Anniversary H., L.,





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WS SIRED BLACK-TYPE RUNNERS

FRIDAY

	MISS TENPINS 10f Pins x Flirting by O'Reilly	Listed Mona Lisa Stakes 1350m	Wyong	5:55pm
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SATURDAY

	GOLD AMBITION 12g Savabeel x Senorita Lucy by Senior Pete	Gr.3 Ming Dynasty Hcp 1400m	Rand.	3:50pm
	PASADENA GIRL 12f Savabeel x Nina From Pasadena by Redoute's Choice	Listed Atlantic Jewel Stakes 1200m	M. Valley	4:45pm
	NO TRICKS 11f Savabeel x Mezaire by Al Akbar	Gr.2 Dato' Tan Chin Nam Stakes 1600m	M. Valley	6:05pm
	LUCIA VALENTINA 10f Savabeel x Staryn Glenn by Montjeu	Gr.2 Tramway Stakes 1400m	Rand.	6:25pm

SUNDAY

	KNIGHT'S COMMAND 07c Pins x Emerald Dream by Danehill	Sgp-3 Jumbo Jet Trophy 1400m	Sing.	9:25pm
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Pick a Foal, Any Foal...



1. Rock n Pop x Fru Ju (No Excuse Needed) filly
2. Pins x Blush (O'Reilly) filly
3. Ocean Park x Celebrate (Savabeel) colt
4. Savabeel x Spending (Pins) colt
5. Savabeel x Lily Bollinger (O'Reilly) filly
6. Ocean Park x Legs (Pins) colt
7. Pins x Sparkling (O'Reilly) colt
8. Savabeel x Everyday (O'Reilly) colt
9. O'Reilly x Joy (Pins) filly

WS Breeding Phone

021 433 251

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SAVABEEL

10

G1 Winners

9.3

Per cent stakes winners to runners

42

Stakes Winners





LADIES MEN

Who are Australasia's leading damsires?

Based on those damsires with a proven black-type record, the top 8 Australasian broodmare sires in terms of % Stakes winners to Runners in Australasia for southern hemisphere conceived progeny only are:

RANK	STALLION	RUNNERS	STAKES WINNERS (SW'rs)	% SW'rs
1	O'REILLY 	570	40	7.0%
2	PINS 	250	17	6.8%
3	ZABEEL	2173	142	6.5%
4	REDOUTE'S CHOICE	566	35	6.2%
5	LAST TYCOON	1398	85	6.1%
6	DANEHILL	2625	148	5.6%
7	SNIPPETS	1474	80	5.4%
8	CENTAINE 	2125	111	5.2%





60 Seconds with...

Gr.1 winner Kawi's breeder/owner

Steak Goodin



Favourite food:	Steak
Do you have any nicknames and how did you come to get it:	Steak. I was only 5 years old when I got it and I'm still not sure why. I was going to ask the guy who made it up for me, but he past away before I got the chance.
Best Horse(s) involved with:	Shez Sinsational and now Kawi
Book on the bedside table:	The Informant - Dennis did a lovely story today.
What do you do to relax:	Hanging out with my grandkids and the family.
Favourite TV show:	Weigh In
Who would you love to meet or have met:	Van Morrison and Sol3 Mio (New Zealand musical trio consisting of Samoan brothers Pene Pati and Amitai Pati and their cousin Moses Mackay)
Favourite holiday destination:	Visiting our son in the Netherlands
Favourite thing about Waikato Stud:	The Chitticks and the rest of the team.
How did you get involved with the thoroughbred industry:	<p>I inherited a mare from my Dad call The Boss. When she arrived my wife Christine initially hit the roof. The Boss had a foal at foot at the time called Mirikau Lass, who we later sent to Christine's Uncle Bob to train. She won 9 and was stakes placed.</p> <p>This is how we got started and how Bob and his son Allan - who was working for him at the time, came to be our trainers.</p>
Favourite Movie:	One Flew Over the Cockoo's Nest.
Career Highlights:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Father to six awesome kids• Breeding Kawi would be right up there.• Running a successful dairy farm• Recieving a Queen's Service Medal (QSM) last week for services to the community.• Being awarded Life membership from Life Education New Zealand
Best piece of good advice:	Be kind to one another.
Name 3 people you'd love to invite to a dinner party:	Elton John, Roger Federer and Gai Waterhouse.
If someone was going to play you in a movie, it would be...	Former All Black coach Graham Henry.
Not many people would know that I...	am a single malt whiskey connoisseur



RECENT WS SIRED Winners

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Pedigree Pointers

with
Gareth Downey



SAVABEEL ESTABLISHING A RICH TYCOON DYNASTY

After Savabeel's stellar season in 2014/15, during which he led the way with 6 individual Gr.1 winners, he has kicked off the 2015/16 season in exactly the same manner with Kawi taking out the Hawke's Bay Makfi Challenge Stakes so impressively last weekend. This was the 7th win of Kawi's career and the 3rd at stakes level – and the style of his win, combined with what Alan Sharrock has

always been telling us regarding his ability, it looks like there will certainly be further Gr.1 wins ahead for this striking son of Savabeel.



The pedigree of Kawi is interesting, as he is out of a Last Tycoon mare – and so this is just yet another example of the amazing affinity Savabeel seems to have with Last Tycoon. There have so far been 60 runners that have combined Savabeel and Last Tycoon on opposite sides of a pedigree. From these 60 runners, the results are running at a very impressive 16.7% SW/Rnrs –

and an amazing statistic of a Gr.1 winner from every 15 runners!

Of Savabeel's 9 other Gr.1 winners, no less than three are bred on this pattern. These Gr.1 winners comprise Costume, Savaria and Diademe.

So, if you want to try and tap in to this proven affinity, there are 2 most obvious ways. You can either send your mare carrying Last Tycoon to Savabeel, or you can send your Savabeel mare to Sacred Falls.

If you would like to discuss your mating plans for the 2015/16 season, and your pursuit of successful pedigree patterns, please contact me via gareth@waikatostud.co.nz or 021 433 073





THE MAIL WITH MARK CHITTICK

Great result for Savabeel last Saturday with Kawi's dominant win in the Gr.1 Makfi Challenge Stakes. Trainer Allan Sharrock has long held this horse in high regard, so congrats to connections, which include good friends Steak and Christine Goodin.

Very busy week at the stud.

There are now 48 foals on the ground and the stallions have commenced their breeding duties. Remarkably despite just four days under his belt, Sacred Falls is already a consummate professional in the breeding barn. I could scarcely be more impressed with his intelligence and responsiveness to the task.

All this talk about the NZ flag got us thinking....what do you think?!!



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**HUGHESEY'S
TIP!**

HORSE: SAVASAVA [Savabeel]

RACE: Wanganui RC - Race 1 - 12:12pm [NZ]

BET TYPE: Win [\$2.25 fancy with NZ TAB]

COMMENT: You won't get rich on these odds but should be winning after a couple of impressive trials.



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