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## ANOTHER DOLLAR CASHES IN ON CHANGE OF TACTICS

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A plan to use new tactics on the Waikato Stud graduate Another Dollar proved a winning move at Doomben on Saturday. None of her rivals were noted frontrunners so the decision was made to go to the lead on the daughter of Ocean Park.

Trainer Chris Waller's Queensland manager Paul Shailer instructed jockey Ryan Maloney to make the running on the mare.

"She might not have ever won at Doomben, but she had placed in all five starts here including in the Queensland Oaks when second to a pretty smart horse in Youngstar," Shailer said.

"In other words, in a genuinely run race, she was always going to be hard to beat. She was the class in the race and it showed through."

It was only the third win for Another Dollar who has been stakes placed on another four occasions. "There isn't a lot for her up here and I am not sure what Chris has in mind for her," Shailer said.

A \$190,000 purchase from Waikato Stud's Inglis Easter Yearling Sale draft in 2016, Another Dollar is raced by some of Waller's biggest owners including Frank and Christine Cook, Peter Tighe and Noel Greenhalgh.

Maloney said Another Dollar had always been travelling strongly and she would appreciate even further at her next start.

Another Dollar is a daughter of the Pins mare Make a Wish, also the dam of the \$1.4 million Savabeel colt at Karaka earlier this year.

In a notable result for Waikato Stud, stablemate Savacool chased home Another Dollar.

She was sold by the Matamata farm at Karaka to Waller for \$220,000 and is out of Chilled Out.

The dam is a half-sister to the stakes winner The Big Chill and to the mother of the dual Group Two winner Coldplay.

BELOW / Another Dollar



<u>VIEW</u> OCEAN PARK



#### ROCK 'N' POP 3YO BREAKS THROUGH EARLY

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Rainbow Thief has wasted no time in posting the first winning strike of his career in Australia. The son of Rock 'n' Pop recently won at Geelong at his second appearance for trainer Michael Moroney.

The three-year-old's recent success came as no surprise as he had run well to finish fifth first time out.

Rainbow Thief also has a strong pedigree to instill confidence in his future career.

A \$55,000 New Zealand Bloodstock Yearling Sale graduate, he was purchased in 2017 by the trainer's brother Paul.

He is a son of the Zabeel mare Showzeel, who was twice successful, and she has produced eight winners. Showzeel is a half-sister to the multiple Group Three winner Confiscate and his sister Sarah Fay, also a stakes winner.

Their mother Winsomely is a halfsister to the Gr.1 All Aged Stakes winner Eastern Classic.

BELOW / Rainbow Thief
Photo credit: Ross Holburt/Racing
Photos

VIEW ROCK 'N' POP





## GRAND START FOR OCEAN PARK FILLY

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## The well-related Quizzy Lizzy has added performance to her pedigree with a dream start to her career.

The Ocean Park filly brought her smart trial form to the races on Wednesday with an impressive debut win at Pukekohe.

Trained by Stephen Marsh, she overcame a testing track in style in the hands of the in-form Craig Grylls.

Quizzy Lizzy was angled wide on to the turn and then lengthened stride to quickly put a margin on her rivals.

Co-bred and sold at Karaka by Waikato Stud, the filly was a \$10,000

purchase by agent Bruce Perry on behalf of major owner Lib Petagna.

Quizzy Lizzy is out of the Carnegie mare Quizzical and a half-sister to the stakes winner Showemup.

The dam is also a half-sister to the multiple winner and Group One placegetter Chaparonne.

It is the family of the Gr.1 BMW Stakes and Gr.1 VRC Derby winner Fiveandahalfstar and the Gr.1 Sydney Cup winner Cross Swords.

BELOW / Quizzy Lizzy Photo credit: Race Images Photos

<u>VIEW</u> OCEAN PARK





#### ROCK 'N' POP MARE HAS HER DAY

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Veuve Clicquot dug deep to post an overdue success at Hastings where she had to overcome a chequered passage. The Rock 'n' Pop mare was in trouble when hampered at the start, but she rallied admirably to win over 1400 metres.

The four-year-old was a deserved winner as she had placed in two of her previous three appearances for trainer Lee Somervell.

Veuve Clicquot was a \$12,000 Karaka graduate and is a daughter of Megan's Tough Love.

The dam was a Listed winner in North America and she's a three-quarter sister to multiple stakes winner Secret Partner. Headline acts in this pedigree include the Gr.1 Middle Park Stakes winner Formidable and the Gr.1 Dewhurst Stakes winner Adjal.

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Photo Credit: Race Images
Photos

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## WALKER CHASING FIRST DERBY WIN WITH SAVABEEL GELDING

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Trainer Mark Walker is confident four-year-old Savabeel gelding Sacred Croix can provide him with an elusive Derby victory.

BELOW / Sacred Croix

The Raffles Racing-owned galloper is a leading contender for the S\$1 million Singapore Derby (1800m) on Sunday after finding the line well for second in both legs of the four-year-old series to date, the Listed Silver Bowl (1400m) and the Listed Steward's Cup (1600m).

A winner of four of his seven starts, in addition to those two-runner up finishes, Sacred Croix will have to turn the tables on the smart Cliff Browntrained mare What's New, who has usurped Sacred Croix at his past two outings.

"He's been a touch unlucky in his first two runs in the four-year-old series. He has been caught three-wide without cover in both of them and the winner had all favours, so he deserves a bit of luck this time around," Walker said

Drawn barrier 9 on Sunday, Walker is hopeful rider Benny Woodworth can find a position midfield with cover.

"That would be a good spot for him," Walker said.

"We've had a second with Elite Invincible last year and Rockfast ran third in the race (in 2016) as well, so it would be nice to win it.

"It would be great to win it for Raffles. They're great supporters of ours up here. They always have some nice new horses coming up and Dato Yap and



Bruce Sherwin are brilliant to train for." Walker said the relationship with Raffles Racing began through hardy galloper Viviano, who won once for Stephen McKee in New Zealand before transferring to Walker's Singapore barn.

"He proved to be a good Class 2 horse and he has won in excess of \$\$560,000 since he has been up here. Dato Yap got a bit keen on the racing again up here and continued to send more horses up.

"I think probably Sacred Croix and Sacred Rebel have been the best that he has sent to us and we had another two that came out of quarantine on Tuesday.

"It is sometimes hard predicting which horses are going to improve and be suited to racing in Singapore. Some of them don't show as good a form as they do in New Zealand and others get here and just grow another leg.

"I'd say it is more to do with the climate, but as a rule most of the New Zealand horses that come here do perform well because they're so adaptable. – NZ Racing Desk

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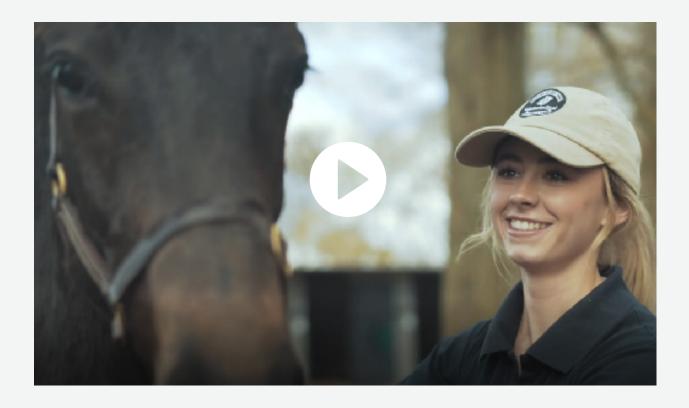
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#### JOIN THE WS TEAM

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Does spending the summer working with horses in a fun team environment sound like your **dream** job? **Watch** the video below to find out more.





#### **Yearling Preparation**

We are now taking applications for outgoing and enthusiastic individuals to join our yearling preparation team for the upcoming yearling sale season!

To apply, send your cover letter and resume to **kerrie@waikatostud.co.nz** or click the button below to find out more.



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#### **Experienced Reproductive Position**

Are you experienced in the field of equine reproduction and love working with broodmares and foals? Great news! We have an exciting position available for an experienced reproductive person to join the WS team.

The successful applicant will have prior experience working with broodmares and foals and will demonstrate a high levelof knowledge and understanding of horses and reproduction.

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#### Senior Stallion Handler

Always dreamed of working with one of the world's most elitestallion rosters? We have an exciting opportunity for a Senior Stallion Handler to join the WS team.

This position will involve assisting with the daily management of Waikato Stud's six stallions. Previous experience working with thoroughbred stallions is essential.

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#### Senior Marketing Manager

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## HORSES FOR SALE / GAVELHOUSE.COM

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Waikato Stud are offering a number of horses on this week's online Gavel House auction.



LOT 25 - FAMOUS

BROODMARE | IN FOAL

Famous is a lovely big mare with good conformation and a great temperament.

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**LOT 37 - NEVERSAYNEVER** 

**BROODMARE | IN FOAL** 

Neversaynever is a stakes winning mare who won 6 races.

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**LOT 45 - REALLY REPUTABLE** 

**BROODMARE | IN FOAL** 

Good looking mare who leaves a nice type. She is in foal to Group 1 winning stallion Rock 'n' Pop.

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**LOT 52 - UNDER AND OVER** 

#### BROODMARE

Under and Over is a full sister to the stakes winner and producer Bird who is the dam of stakes winners Flamingo and Preditor.

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**LOT 54 - ZIPPA THE RIPPA** 

#### BROODMARE

This mare boasts a lovely pedigree being out of the Group 1 winner Pernod and is also a half-sister to dual Group 3 winner Martini Red.



#### MARK'S MAIL

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# As we approach the end of July, it's becoming increasingly evident that winter has really set in.

We are enjoying a very mild winter in Matamata this year and the farm is looking sensational leading into foaling.

It's been another very good week on the track - it was great to see WS-bred Ocean Park mare Another Dollar back in the winners circle at Doomben on Saturday and Rock 'n' Pop put forward a couple of very tidy winners.

As a breeder, it is very rewarding to see a number of WS-bred horses among the finalists for the Horse of the Year Awards including; Probabeel, Madison County, Surely Sacred and Savvy Coup (all the best to their connections!).

The 2019/20 stallion brochure arrived this week and looks superb - keep an eye out for it in your letterbox in the coming week!

Have a great weekend, **Mark** 





#### **GARRY'S CORNER**

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There must be more winter to come. Waikato Stud looks like the Autumn flush, a great colour with an abundance of quality grass.





#### THE OPTIMIST

This week in his blog 'The Optimist', Brian de Lore touches on yet another compelling topic relevant to the New Zealand Thoroughbred industry.

READ THE STORY:

Confidence needs a boost coming into new season

