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LORD ARTHUR OUTSTAYS RIVALS IN CHAMPIONSHIP STAKES



Lord Arthur cruises to the front as he heads to victory at Ellerslie (Trish Dunell)

A truly run race set up the perfect conditions for Cambridge three-year-old **Lord Arthur** (Camelot) who stormed to victory in the Gr.2 Valachi Downs Championship Stakes (2100m) at Ellerslie.

A half-brother to dual New

Zealand Horse of the Year, Bonneval (NZ) (Makfi), the Camelot gelding is prepared by Murray Baker and Andrew Forsman, who had produced stablemate The Chosen One (NZ) (Savabeel) for victory in the Gr.3 Frank Packer Plate (2000m) at Randwick barely thirty minutes earlier.

Touted as a staying prospect earlier in the season, Lord Arthur had been thereabouts in his recent starts that included an eye-catching run for sixth behind The Chosen One in the Gr.3 Manawatu Classic (2000m) at Awapuni.

Allowed to settle well back in a

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strung-out field which was led at a true pace by fellow Cambridge raider, Gehrig (NZ) (Cape Blanco), Lord Arthur and rider Jake Bayliss lobbed along quietly before making their run at the 600m.

Promising filly Intrigue struck the front with 250m to run but just as she was being hailed the winner, Bayliss brought Lord Arthur down the outside to swamp her with another Baker/ Forsman runner in Bobby Dee (NZ) (Zed) clinging on well for third.

"That was very impressive," Murray Baker said.

"He's a half to Bonneval who has been a little bit immature. We've spaced his races and given him plenty

of time.

"I gave him a stayer's show today with plenty of pace on. He showed good acceleration."

Baker had the inkling his charge was starting to round into form after strengthening up in recent weeks.

"He's been a bit weak, but he's started to get it together in the last month or so," he said.

"There is a possibility he could go on to Brisbane from here."

Bayliss was all smiles after picking up the ride on Lord Arthur on race morning.

"I came in with a fair bit of confidence after picking the ride up this morning," he said.

"There was good speed on throughout the whole race and he was travelling so well coming to the corner.

"He gave me a good turn of foot although when we got to the front, he started to do a little bit wrong.

"In twelve months-time he is going to be a key stayer for the cup races."

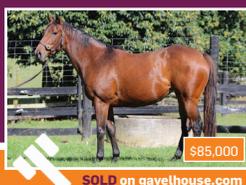
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Race	ARC Valachi Downs Championship Stakes, Gr.2 2100m
Winner	Lord Arthur 2015
Owners	P B Newsom, A N Wales and A M Whitehouse
Trainer	Murray Baker & Andrew Forsman (Cambridge)
Breeding	by Camelot (GB) out of Imposingly (AUS) by Zabeel
Breeder	Mr P Newsom



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NO DRAMA WITH EASTER HANDICAP VICTORY



Endless Drama and Leith Innes capture the Gr.2 Manco Easter Handicap at Ellerslie (Trish Dunell)

Former Australian galloper **Endless Drama** (Lope de Vega) backed up an eye-catching finish for second at Hastings last week to go one better at Ellerslie on Saturday when he took out the Gr.2 Manco Easter Handicap (1600m).

The seven-year-old Lope De Vega entire has done the bulk of his racing from the Chris Waller stable in Sydney after kicking off his career in Ireland. Successful at Group Two level over 1400m, Endless Drama was transferred

to the stable of Cambridge trainer Tony Pike earlier this year after finishing well back behind Melody Belle (NZ) (Commands) in a hit and run raid on the Gr.1 Haunui Farm Weight-For-Age Group One Classic (1600m) for owners Qatar Bloodstock.

Endless Drama showed he could be competitive in good company with a tidy run for fourth at Group Two level over 1600m at Tauranga at his next start before producing a sharp turn of foot over 1200m behind Princess

Kereru (NZ) (Pins) at Hastings.

An ideal inside barrier played in Endless Drama's favour on Saturday as rider Leith Innes settled him nicely in midfield throughout before tracking up behind runners approaching the home turn. Angled off the rail at the 300m Endless Drama quickly forged to the front before holding out the challenges of Watch This Space (NZ) (Elusive City) and Yearn (NZ) (Savabeel) to capture his fourth career victory.

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NO DRAMA WITH EASTER HANDICAP VICTORY

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Pike was confident he had his charge in the right shape to be a factor in the contest following his Hastings performance.

“It was a superb ride by Leith (Innes) as I said to just try and hold him up for as long as you can,” he said.

“He sat and waited until the 200m to let him go and he has got an electric turn of foot that he showed at Hawkes Bay.

“We thought we had him back in form then and we were quietly confident heading into today.”

Pike admitted he had taken a patient path with Endless Drama as the horse had shown some symptoms of niggling issues from the general wear and tear over his career to date.

“He’s just got a little bit of a wind issue being an older horse,” he said.

“He’s quite a big, gross, heavy horse and just ridden that little bit quieter means he can get in a better rhythm and show that turn of foot.”

Pike’s association with Qatar Bloodstock, who he had trained for earlier in his career, saw him take over training duties when the horse was left in New Zealand and he paid tribute to Waller and the owners after the race.

“I was lucky enough to train for Qatar Bloodstock some years back now and when the horse failed at Otaki, Chris (Waller) said to them he was probably better placed here rather

than go back to Sydney,” Pike said.

“They left him here and the change of environment with an older horse has really improved him.

“Chris is a good mate of mine so it’s nice to be able to improve one off him.”

Endless Drama, who finished third behind wonder mare Winx (Street Cry) at just his second Australian start, has now won four of his 23 career runs and just over \$580,000 in prizemoney.

– NZ Racing Desk

Race	ARC Manco Easter Handicap, Gr.2 1600m
Winner	Endless Drama 2012
Owners	Qatar Bloodstock
Trainer	Tony Pike (Cambridge)
Breeding	by Lope de Vega (IRE) out of Desert Drama (IRE) by Green Desert (USA)
Breeder	Knocktoran Stud & Bluehorse Breeding Ltd

NEWS IN BRIEF

Further stakes success for Celebrity Dream

Celebrity Dream (NZ) (Thorn Park) collected her sixth win at black type level on Friday when successful in the Listed Sheila Gwynne Classic (1400m) at Ascot.

The six-year-old Adam Durrant-trained mare was purchased by bloodstock agent John Chalmers out of Haunui Farm’s 2014 New Zealand Bloodstock Yearling draft for \$260,000 and has now won over A\$600,000 in prize money.

Durrant has indicated that Celebrity Dream is closing in on retirement to stud, but Friday’s performance showed she had lost none of her zest.

Dropping back to second-last under regular rider William Pike, she was angled to the outside in the straight and coasted past her rivals. With Pike never asking her for full effort, she forged clear to win by a length and a half.

Celebrity Dream is a valuable broodmare prospect being a sibling to Group winners Vavasour (NZ) (Redoute’s Choice) and Catalonia (NZ) (Commands) as well as Group One placed Rondinella (NZ) (Ocean Park) from the great producing Group Three winner Valpolicella (NZ) (Red Ransom).





GROUP THREE WIN FOR THE CHOSEN ONE

Premier New Zealand trainers Murray Baker and Andrew Forsman gained a consolation win at the Sydney carnival with **The Chosen One's (NZ)** (Savabeel) victory in the Gr.3 Frank Packer Plate (2000m) at Randwick.

The Chosen One finished fourth and stablemate Madison County (NZ) (Pins) second in the Gr.1 Australian Derby (2400m)..

Back to 2000m on a firm track in Saturday's Group Three race, The Chosen One showed a superior turn of foot late to surge away from Dealmaker (Dundeel) and win by 1-1/2

lengths with Purple Sector (NZ) (Pins) a short neck third.

Forsman said the team would not be tempted by the Brisbane winter carnival with the colt to be aimed at bigger races in the spring.

"He has been up a long time but he keeps improving," Forsman said.

"He's a quality bred colt, just maturing at the right time. It was great to see him get his just desserts today.

"Brisbane would be tempting but hopefully he's got bigger fish to fry in the spring. You can't do it everywhere.

"We had two big runs in the Derby but hadn't had a winner in the carnival but they raced well enough so it was good to get the result today."

Winning jockey Blake Shinn said the win showed The Chosen One's true ability.

"It is a consolation for the Derby," he said.

"The Derby was a little bit frustrating.

"We were the victim of a wide barrier and had to take him back.

Race	ATC Frank Packer Plate, Gr.3 2000m
Winner	The Chosen One (NZ) 2015
Owners	R L Bonnington, A G, C P, G, K J, Mrs P A & P R Dennis, Miss J L Dunlop, D G Forde, P M Jeffares, P Johnstone, G R Miller, G J Popham, G R Redington, T V Rider, Mrs N C Robertson & N van Schaik
Trainer	Murray Baker & Andrew Forsman (Cambridge)
Breeding	by Savabeel (AUS) out of The Glitz One (AUS) by Flying Spur (AUS)
Breeder	A G, K J, M C & P R Dennis



"I thought his run was arguably the best run in the race and he brought that form here today.

"We made another searching run on him but we were coming back 400m so I was mindful of that.

"He is a lovely horse and it is great to win for Murray Baker and Andrew. It is my first winner for them so hopefully it is the start of a good association."

-AAP

The Chosen One scores at Randwick (Bradley Photographers)





BAKER & FORSMAN TEAM SET NEW RECORD WITH TWO-YEAR-OLD VICTORY

The Murray Baker and Andrew Forsman training partnership set a new record for the most victories at stakes level in a New Zealand season when **Quick Thinker** (So You Think) took out the Listed Buffalo & Co Champagne Stakes (1600m) at Ellerslie on Saturday.

The win by the So You Think colt was the 21st black-type winner for the season for the Cambridge duo who prepare him for well-known Australian-based syndicators OTI Racing.

Racing in OTI's familiar gold and black striped colours, Quick Thinker did plenty of work early in the race to loop the field three-wide before settling outside the muddling speed set by Ranger (NZ) (Ghibellines).

Rider Matt Cameron had Quick Thinker travelling easily approaching the home turn before asking for an effort as the field straightened for the run home. Quick Thinker quickly burst to the front and maintained a solid gallop to the line to hold out Ranger, who fought back gallantly, with Rendition (NZ) (Pierro) running on strongly for third.

Baker admitted he was keen on the colt's chances prior to the race after he had taken plenty of benefit out of his debut run for second at Rotorua a week ago.

"He's bred to be a staying horse and we were confident he would go

well today at the mile," he said.

"He might be a middle-distance horse in the spring where we might get him to Melbourne or something like that."

The Baker/Forsman team have enjoyed a good run with OTI Racing owned horses having prepared Vin De Dance (NZ) (Roc de Cambes) to win the 2018 Gr.1 New Zealand Derby (2400m).

Cameron was full of praise for the effort when questioned after the race.

"He's going to be a very very good horse," he said.

"The plan wasn't to go forward; it was just to see if he could settle somewhere and finish off.

"He pulled himself up (to the pace) and then we got a breather across the top and he was just too strong.

"It's only his second start and his debut was more like a trial.

"The Baker and Forsman polish went on and that's why they have such good three-year-olds as they burn around as two-year-olds, win these stakes races and then when they come out at three everything is so easy for them."

– NZ Racing Desk

Race	ARC Buffalo & Co Champagne Stakes, L. 1600m
Winner	Quick Thinker 2016
Owners	OTI Racing
Trainer	Murray Baker & Andrew Forsman (Cambridge)
Breeding	by So You Think out of Acouplamas (AUS) by Al Maher (AUS)
Breeder	Bowcock Bloodstock



Quick Thinker and Matt Cameron score comfortably at Ellerslie (Trish Dunell)





LOCAL RUNNER UPSETS IN RIVERTON CUP

Locally trained mare **Lil Miss Swiss (NZ)** (Rip Van Winkle) caused a major boil-over when she nabbed hot favourite Orepuki Lad (NZ) (Raise The Flag) in the shadows of the winning post to capture the Listed Carriers Arms Hotel Riverton Cup (2147m) on Saturday.

Sent out at odds of \$42, the Rip Van Winkle five-year-old was having her first start in open company for owner and trainer Kelvin Tyler, who prepares the mare in partnership with daughter Aimee.

Apprentice Tanya Jonker, who had won on the mare at her last start, produced a gem of a ride as she bided her time at the back of the field throughout before beginning a searching wide run as the field approached the home corner.

Punters who had installed Dunedin Gold Cup winner

Orepuki Lad as the warm favourite were on good terms with themselves at this point as rider Leah Hemi took a wide berth on the home corner before forging to a clear lead with just 300m to run.

Lil Miss Swiss and Jonker were still four lengths behind the leader at that point but making up ground steadily along the outside fence. Lil Miss Swiss hit overdrive at the 100m and with three huge bounds she grabbed Orepuki Lad in the final stride to record the biggest victory of her career to date.

Jonker was beaming when interviewed, although she admitted she had mentally settled for second before the final placings were announced.

"I thought Leah (Hemi) and Orepuki Lad had got up," she said.

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Lil Miss Swiss causes a major upset with her victory in the Listed Carriers Arms Hotel Riverton Cup (Wild Range Photography)





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"I was just really happy with her (Lil Miss Swiss) performance and the way she pushed herself at the end (although) I didn't think I had got it.

"It's kind of her style and works for her when she gets a clear run. I just didn't know if she had the wheels to beat some of the really good horses in the race today.

"She's got a big heart and it paid off."

Lil Miss Swiss is the first foal of Flying Spur mare, Miss Swiss and was bred by Andrew Wong and Stephen Yan who, along with trainer Gary Hennessy, raced multiple Group One winner and now successful stallion, Ocean Park.

The win marked a red-letter day for the Tyler pairing who

took out the opening event with two-year-old He's Got Power (NZ) (Power) before closing off the third leg of a winning treble with Valetina Vittoria (NZ) (Jimmy Choux) in the last race on the programme.

– NZ Racing Desk

Race	RRC Carrier Arms Hotel Riverton Cup, L. 2147m
Winner	Lil Miss Swiss (NZ) 2013
Owners	K L Tyler
Trainer	Kelvin Tyler & Aimee Tyler (Riverton)
Breeding	by Rip Van Winkle (IRE) out of Miss Swiss (AUS) by Flying Spur (AUS)
Breeder	A K K Wong & S Y S Yan

NEWS IN BRIEF

Zed Em reigns at Oakbank

Zed Em (NZ) (Zed) continued his reign as the heavyweight champion of Oakbank with a dominant win in Saturday's Great Eastern Steeplechase (4950m).

It was the Patrick Payne-trained galloper's second-consecutive win in the marathon feature and it came a fortnight after he secured a third-straight Von Doussa Steeplechase (3250m) at the unique Adelaide Hills track.

As he's done in four of the gelding's five Oakbank wins, star jockey Steven Pateman did the steering and never looked under pressure, settling the eight-year-old on the speed before extending over the final 800 metres for a four-length victory over local hero Spying On You (NZ) (Yamanin Vital).

For Pateman, it was a record sixth win in the race and he said he was delighted to achieve the feat aboard a horse that's stamped himself as one of the toughest jumpers in the history of the sport. -racing.com



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SA DERBY ON RADAR FOR GRINZINGER STAR

The South Australian Derby is in trainer Danny O'Brien's plans for **Grinzinger Star (NZ)** (Reliable Man), who has shown he is on target for a shot at the Group One race with a second-straight win at Caulfield.

Grinzinger Star chased down in-form Mr Quickie (Shamus Award) to win over 1600m at Caulfield two weeks ago and backed that up with a strong display to win Saturday's Bill Collins Handicap (2000m) against older horses.

With Damien Oliver aboard, Grinzinger Star settled midfield before chiming in strongly on the outside in the straight.

He defeated Divanation (All Too Hard), a daughter of three-time Melbourne Cup winner Makybe Diva (Desert King), by one length.

"He will run again in a fortnight at Flemington over 2000 metres and then he will potentially back up into the South Australian Derby a week later," O'Brien said.

"He needs another run at 2000 metres. He's a very robust horse and the seven-day back-up would be perfect going to a mile and a half after that.

"He was gelded at the end of the spring and that was his first racing preparation.

"He's definitely a more seasoned race horse now."

Grinzinger Star was unplaced when tried over 2500m in the Gr.1 Victoria Derby in his first racing preparation last spring.



Danny O'Brien has big plans for Caulfield winner Grinzinger Star (Bruno Cannatelli)

While question marks remain whether he will be effective at that distance, O'Brien is looking to give the gelding his chance in the SA Derby on May 11 at Morphettville, with the right grounding under his belt this campaign. -AAP

Race	MRC Bill Collins Hcp., 2000m
Winner	Grinzinger Star (NZ) 2015
Owners	J R Wheeler
Trainer	Danny O'Brien (Flemington)
Breeding	by Reliable Man (GB) out of Miss Artistic by Darci Brahma
Breeder	The Oaks Stud
Sales	2017 National Yearling Sale – Premier Sale; V: The Oaks Stud, P: Mr JR Wheeler; \$90,000





PRINCESS JENNI

AUSTRALASIAN OAKS BOUND

Trainer David Brideoake says missing a run in Sydney may lead to **Princess Jenni (NZ)** (High Chaparral) winning a Group One race in Adelaide.

Princess Jenni swooped late from a rearwards position with a big weight to land Saturday's Jack Elliott Handicap (1600m) at Caulfield.

Brideoake is now looking towards the Gr.1 Australasian Oaks at Morphettville on May 4 after being forced to miss the Australian Oaks at Randwick on April 13.

Princess Jenni was scratched from the Adrian Knox Stakes at Randwick on April 6 which forced Brideoake to abandon plans of an Australian Oaks

start, causing the trainer to look at the Adelaide option.

"They scratched her because they suspected there had been a pre-race treatment so we'll have to deal with that in due course," Brideoake said.

"It cost me a run on the day and a run in the Australian Oaks, but at

the end of the day sometimes it works the right way and she'll now go to Adelaide and she'll be a strong chance over there."

Brideoake considered Princess Jenni a strong chance of beating Verry Elleegant (NZ) (Zed) in last week's Oaks.

"It's a big call, but she's in rare air this filly," Brideoake said.

Ridden by Damien Oliver, Princess Jenni scored a short-half-head win over Sure Knee (Snitzel).

Brideoake thought the 60kg impost may stop Princess Jenni but said the filly had done a big job to haul in the opposition.

"It was the effort of a good horse," Brideoake said.

"She's a really good filly, with great quality and with a great recovery rate.

"I've got a good filly on my hands."

-AAP

Race	MRC Jack Elliott Hcp., 1600m
Winner	Princess Jenni (NZ) 2015
Owners	A Ottobre, Mrs L Ottobre & M Ottobre
Trainer	David Brideoake (Morningson)
Breeding	by High Chaparral (IRE) out of Glitzabeel by Zabeel
Breeder	The Sunlight Trust
Sales	2017 National Yearling Sales – Premier Sale; V: Phoenix Park, P: Mr A Ottobre/Darren Weir Racing; \$120,000



Princess Jenni scores her second successive win (Bruno Cannatelli)





EASY AND IMPRESSIVE EVEN FROM BEHIND

A switch to waiting tactics paid off big time for **The Big Easy (NZ)** (Super Easy) in Singapore on Friday. The son of Super Easy won three in a row by leading but has also proven to be a handful when things don't go his way, especially when ridden under restraint.

But a post-race feedback from jockey Vlad Duric at his last start when posted off the speed had trainer Donna Logan mulling over a change of register in Friday's S\$70,000 Class 3 race over 1000m.

New partner Ben Thompson was the one to be given the "licence to chill" – and he was right on target.

Race	STC Class 3 1000m
Winner	The Big Easy (NZ) 2014
Owners	The Big Easy Stable
Trainer	Donna Logan (Singapore)
Breeding	by Super Easy out of Vital Choice (AUS) by Stratum (AUS)
Breeder	P J & Mrs S N Calnan
Sales	2016 National Yearling Sales – Festival Sale; V: P J & Mrs S N Calan, P: DM Logan Racing Stables; \$40,000 – 2016 Ready To Run Sale of 2yos; V: Kiltannon Stables, P: NZB as agent; \$10,000

It was not plain sailing, though. After jumping on terms, The Big Easy was eased back into fourth place in transit by Thompson, but the wide-open mouth midrace and the intermittent head-tossing must have had Logan thinking there'll be another day to tame that naughty kid of hers.

Upfront, Leticia Dragon's newcomer from Perth, It's Got It All (Your Song), was not shirking the task either when he seemed to lengthen up again at the 300m, but The Big Easy was starting to motor home.

Thompson showed a mastery that belied his young age as it was him who had the last say in the man vs beast contest. Producing a late acceleration that had hitherto not been tapped, The Big Easy gathered in It's Got It All before scooting off to an impressive win.

"He is beginning to grow up. He's been a work in progress," said Logan.

"After his last start, Vlad said he didn't overrace and he doesn't necessarily have to lead. Today we tried that, he ran accordingly and he went home strongly.

"It was a great ride and a fantastic team effort, especially after (assistant-trainer) Graeme (Forbes) hurt himself. He

dislocated his ankle and we wish him a speedy recovery."

Thompson was beaming at the weigh-in, fully aware that he was probably at that place by default, but all the merit was still his.

"I ride a lot of trackwork for Donna and I'm enjoying getting the results for her," said Thompson.

The Big Easy has now established a handy record of four wins from seven starts for prizemoney that has hit around the S\$140,000 mark for The Big Easy Stable.

-STC



The Big Easy scores going away in Singapore on Friday night (Singapore Turf Club)





RED DAWN RISES AGAIN

Red Dawn (NZ) (Align) was yet another horse to take advantage of the new class ratings bands after he bounced back to the winner's circle in Singapore on Friday night for the first time in exactly two years.

The seven-year-old son of Align had not greeted the judge since the last of his previous six wins recorded in Class 3 company on April 21, 2017.

What ensued in 22 subsequent starts for the Auric Stable-owned galloper was a case of being a game trier in the mid-70s region, but that elusive next win in such company just proved to be a touch harder to engineer.

Then came the class adjustments where Class 4 races now encompass horses up to 67-point raters.

Having slipped down the ratings to 65 points, Red Dawn qualified and with the astute coupling of a four-kilo claimer (and a good one at that) to take some load off the 59kgs impost, it was jackpot at the very first try.

Lined up in the S\$50,000 Class 4 Division 4 race over 1100m, the \$25 chance was ridden to perfection by new kid on the block Riduan Abu Bakar.

Taking a drop off the early pace set by Uncle Lucky (NZ) (Showcasing), Red Dawn went for the shortcuts home upon cornering. After a brief tussle with Big Elephant (Kuroshiro), Red Dawn gained the ascendancy with every stride as Riduan got stuck into him.

Favourite My Big Boss (Smart Missile) homed in late but his dash was



Red Dawn was back in the winner's circle in Singapore on Friday (Singapore Turf Club)

not sharp enough to topple Red Dawn, with three-quarter length the margin between the two at the wire.

"These new benchmark races are good. He came down in his grades, he has to carry weight, but it gives those boys a chance," said Baertschiger.

"I told the kid to ride him quiet, but the horse took off on him. He still did a great job on the horse.

"I actually told him it was my best chance today and he should be a winner for him. He rides really well that kid.

"I liked the way he rode at his first meetings last week. He is strong and he's got experience."

The kid from Kelantan booted home 13 winners while honing his craft in New Zealand under the Te Akau and Jamie Richards tutelage, and has taken

only three meetings to pad up that score to 17 winners already.

"He's a really good horse. I enjoyed that ride," said Riduan.

"Thank you to the trainer who has given me a lot of rides today."

-STC

Race	STC Class 4 Division 4 1100m
Winner	Red Dawn (NZ) 2011
Owners	Auric Stable
Trainer	Shane Baertschiger (Singapore)
Breeding	by Align (AUS) out of Danness by Danske
Breeder	M G Treloar
Sales	2012 National Weanling, Broodmare & Mixed Bloodstock Sale; V: Curraghmore, P: Mr SO & Mrs KC Engelbrecht; \$21,000 – 2013 Ready To Run Sale of 2yos; V: Westbury Stud, P: Mr S Baertschiger; \$170,000

