

**BROWN GELDING (IRE)****2 May 2018****Purchase Price:** Euro 140,000**Sale:** Goffs Orby

Yearling Sale 2019

**Pre-Sale Cost:** HK\$2,322,000

By **MASTERCRAFTSMAN (IRE)** (Grey 2006 - Stud 2010). **Champion 2YO Colt in Europe & Ireland in 2008. 7 wins**-4 in succession at 2-from only 12 starts 1200m to 2150m, £282,504, €818,763, US\$60,000, Curragh Phoenix S., **Gr.1**, National S., **Gr.1**, Royal Ascot St James's Palace S., **Gr.1**, Irish Two Thousand Guineas, **Gr.1**, Curragh Railway S., **Gr.2**, Dundalk Diamond S., **Gr.3**, Curragh Antonius Pius 2YO S., 2d York International S., **Gr.1**, 3d Leopardstown Irish Champion S., **Gr.1**, 4th Longchamp Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere, **Gr.1**, Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile S., **Gr.1**.

Sire of 1483 foals, 1256 runners, 782 winners of 2241 races, 78 SW and over HK\$470m. inc. **ALPHA CENTAURI (Equal Leading 3YO Filly on the 2018 WTR)**. Irish One Thousand Guineas, **Gr.1**, **YA PRIMO (Horse of the Year in Chile in 2018-19)**. Valparaiso Clasico El Derby, **Gr.1**, **AMAZING MARIA (Champion Older Female Miler in GB in 2015)**. Newmarket Falmouth S., **Gr.1**, **A RAVING BEAUTY** (Belmont Just a Game S., **Gr.1**), **TECHNICIAN (Champion 3YO Stayer in France in 2019)**. ParisLongchamp Prix Royal Oak, **Gr.1**, **KINGSTON HILL (Champion 2YO Colt in Europe in 2013)**. Doncaster Racing Post Trophy, **Gr.1**, **DANZANDANCE (Champion Middle Distance Horse in NZ in 2018-19)**. ARC Zabeel Classic, **Gr.1**, **THE GREY GATSBY (Joint Head of the 2014 WTR (Int.))**. Chantilly Prix du Jockey Club, **Gr.1**, **SAINT EMILION** (ARC New Zealand S., **Gr.1**), **THEE AULD FLOOZIE** (WRC Thorndon Mile, **Gr.1**), **OFF LIMITS** (Del Mar Matriarch S., **Gr.1**), **VALLEY GIRL** (Waikato RC Herbie Dyke S., **Gr.1**), **LUVALUVA, AVAY, SANTA MONICA, MIME, GRAN GRECO, GRAN CAROSO, QUIAN, SACRED MASTER, NEUFBOSC, VINTAGER, NOMBAR, MASTER PIECE, MI MANDARINA.**

**Leading GB First Season Sire in 2013. Champion Sire in Chile in 2018-19.**

**From 2020 his stakes performers include**

**OJO DEL MILAGRO** (Monterrico G.P. Nacional Augusto B Leguía, **Gr.1**), **MASTER JOHNNY, GRAN CAROSO, QUIAN, NEUFBOSC, AVAY, GRAN GRECO, MI MANDARINA, EXTRA ELUSIVE, PATHS OF GLORY, LUVALUVA, BARRINGTON COURT, CBALETTA, MASTERWIN, DON FANUCCI.**

**In Hong Kong**

Sire of 17 winners of 62 races and over HK\$78m. inc. **Masterhorseman - Pingwu Spark (H.K.)** (平湖之星) (**5 wins**, 1200m-1400m, HK\$8,752,650, 3d HKJC Chairman's Trophy, **Gr.2**, HKJC Premier Cup, **Gr.3**), **Packing Dragon** (包裝騎士) (**8 wins**, 1650m-2200m, HK\$10,380,550, 3d HKJC January Cup, **Gr.3**), **Upham - Basic Trilogy (H.K.)** (精氣神) (**2 wins**, 1800m, HK\$4,908,800, 2d HKJC Centenary Vase, **Gr.3**), **VICTORY BOYS** (勝利仔) (**7 wins**, 1600m-1800m, HK\$8,262,200), **PABLOSKY** (飛龍駒) (**4 wins**, 1200m, HK\$8,076,350), **AS YOU WILL - RACING FIGHTER** (H.K.) (競技勇士) (**6 wins**, 1200m, HK\$7,398,000), **RIGHT CHOICE** (繽紛遊戲) (**5 wins**, 1200m-1600m, HK\$6,614,600), **HYMATSU - HAPPILABABY** (H.K.) (歡樂盈盈) (**4 wins**, 1800m-2200m, HK\$4,579,188), **MASTER VIKING** (多多勁驥) (**6 wins**, 1200m, HK\$3,416,425), **VALLONE - YOU HAVE MY WORD** (H.K.) (千金一諾) (**4 wins**, 1600m-1800m, HK\$2,606,000), **MONEY WINNER** (萬里威揚) (**2 wins**, 1600m-1800m, HK\$2,197,335), **GRAN MASTER** (大步走) (**2 wins**, 1650m, HK\$2,051,800), **SEIZE THE SPIRIT** (天地同心) (**2 wins**, 1400m-1600m, HK\$1,718,150).

<b>MASTERCRAFTSMAN (IRE)</b> 2006	Danehill Dancer	Danehill	Danzig
		Mira Adonde	Sharpen Up
	Starlight Dreams	Black Tie Affair	Miswaki
Reves Celestes		Lyphard	
<b>EXCELLENT MARINER (IRE)</b> 2010	Henrythenavigator	Kingmambo	Mr. Prospector
		Sequoyah	Sadler's Wells
	Castara Beach	Danehill	Danzig
Sea Harrier		Grundy	

**1st dam**

**EXCELLENT MARINER**, by Henrythenavigator. Placed at 2 to 1500m in Great Britain. Half-sister to **PURE CHAMPION, Varenka**. Dam of 3 named foals, all raced, **2 winners**, inc:- **PASS THE VINO** (g. by Power) **2 wins** at 1200m, Newmarket Bet365 H., 2d Ascot Shergar Cup Sprint, Newmarket Heath Court Hotel H., 3d Newmarket Betway H., Price Promise H. **FOLLOWTHESTEPS** (g. by Footstepsinthesand) **Winner** at 2 at 1050m in Great Britain.

**2nd dam**

**CASTARA BEACH**, by Danehill. Unplaced. Sister to **HILL HOPPER** (dam of **NANNINA**), three-quarter-sister to De Laroche (dam of **FENOMENO**), half-sister to **WATER BOATMAN**. Dam of 7 named foals, all raced, **3 winners**, inc:-

**PURE CHAMPION** (滿綵) (Footstepsinthesand) **8 wins**-1 at 2-1200m to 1800m, £17,041, €99,864, US\$3,334, NZ\$187,625, HK\$9,804,875, Hawkes Bay Windsor Park P., **Gr.1**, Curragh Solonaway S., **Gr.3**, Manawatu Challenge S., **Gr.3**, Killarney Ruby S., **L**, HKJC January Cup, **L**, Centenary Vase, **L**, Chopard H., 2d HKJC Cathay Pacific Jockey Club Cup, **Gr.2**, Leopardstown Meld S., **Gr.3**, HKJC Centenary Vase, **L**, Citibank Hong Kong Gold Cup, **L**, Happy Valley Vase-twice, 3d Hawkes Bay Makfi Challenge S., **Gr.1**, HKJC Jockey Club Mile, **Gr.2**, Chairman's Trophy, **L**, 4th Newmarket Dewhurst S., **Gr.1**, Irish Two Thousand Guineas, **Gr.1**, HKJC Premier P., **L**, Citibank Hong Kong Gold Cup, **L**. Sire.

**Varenka** (Fasliyev) **Winner** at 2 at 1500m in Great Britain, 2d Rome Premio Repubblica Marinare, **L**. Dam of **6 winners**, inc:- **WHISPERING WARRIOR**, **7 wins** 1600m to 2100m, York John Wright Electrical S., Doncaster Unison Defending Our NHS H., Wolverhampton Ladbrokes Lincoln Trial H. **MEEZAAN**, **3 wins**-1 at 2-at 1100m, 1400m in Great Britain and U.S.A, Newbury Dubai Duty Free Full of Surprises H., 2d Doncaster Victor Chandler.com S.

**3rd dam**

**SEA HARRIER**, by Grundy. Raced twice. Three-quarter-sister to **BIREME** (dam of **YAWL**), **Ocean Ballad**, half-sister to **SEA ANCHOR**, Sea Port (dam of **INDIGENOUS (H.K.) - QUALTRON**), Killick (dam of **CAVALRY**). Dam of 10 foals, 9 to race, **6 winners**, inc:-

**WATER BOATMAN** (Main Reef) **11 wins** 1600m to 3200m, £27,300, A\$595,580, SAJC Adelaide Cup, **Gr.1**, Rain Lover P., **Gr.3**, West End Export S.H., **Gr.3**, Birthday Cup, **Gr.3**, Doncaster Troy S., **L**, Onkaparinga Cup, **L**-twice, 2d VATC Caulfield Cup, **Gr.1**, Curragh Gallinule S., **Gr.2**, SAJC West End Export S.H., **Gr.3**, Robert A Lee S., **L**.

**HILL HOPPER** (Danehill) **4 wins** at 1200m, 1400m, Newmarket Criterion S., **Gr.3**, Doncaster Sceptre S., **L**, Kempton Milcars S. Dam of **6 winners**, inc:-

**NANNINA** (Medicean) **Joint Champion Older Female Miler in GB in 2007. 5 wins**-3 at 2-1200m to 1600m, £482,854, €14,650, Newmarket Fillies Mile, **Gr.1**, Royal Ascot Coronation S., **Gr.1**, Windsor Forest S., **Gr.2**, Goodwood Prestige S., **Gr.3**, 2d Newmarket Falmouth S., **Gr.1**, Sun Chariot S., **Gr.1**. Dam of **3 winners**, inc:-

**Duke of Firenze** (Pivotal) **12 wins**-1 at 2-1000m to 1200m, £277,500, €19,985, to 2021, Epsom Investec Specialist Bank Dash, York William Hill Bookmaker Sprint H., 3d Doncaster Scarbrough S., **L**, 4th Chantilly Prix de l'Abbaye de Longchamp, **Gr.1**.

Dianora. Placed to 2000m in Great Britain. Dam of- **ROMOLA** (Pivotal) **4 wins**-1 at 2-1400m to 1650m to 2020, Pontefract Pipalong S., **L**, Newmarket Champions Lawn H.

**SEA VIXEN**, **2 wins**-1 at 2-at 1200m, 1600m in Great Britain. Dam of **2 winners**, inc:- **Worchester** (Spinning World) **3 wins**-1 at 2-at 1200m, 1300m, Maisons-Laffitte Prix Mordant, 2d Criterium de Lyon, **L**, 4th Deauville Criterium du Fonds Europeen de l'Elvage, **L**, Hollywood Park Bullet S., **L**.

**GLENDERA**, **Winner** at 2000m, Newbury Reading Fillies S. Dam of **2 winners**, inc:- **Gurkha** (Polish Precedent) **Winner** at 2 at 1200m, 2d Kempton Easter S., **L**, 4th Curragh Tetrach S., **Gr.3**.

Bird of Love. Placed in Great Britain. Dam of **2 winners**, inc:-

**IRINA**, **2 wins** at 1600m, 1700m in Ireland. Dam of **9 winners**, inc:-

**HAVANNA BELLE** (Teofilo) **4 wins**-1 at 2-at 1600m in Ireland and U.S.A, Santa Anita Astra S., **L**, 3d Del Mar Sandy Blue H., **L**, 4th Santa Anita Royal Heroine S., **Gr.2**.