

Will Stand at Park Paddocks, Highflyer Paddock I, Box 121

1087 (WITH VAT)

BALESTRA (GB)
(2014)
A Bay Colt

{	Bated Breath (GB)	{	Dansili (GB)	{	Danehill (USA)
			Tantina (USA)	{	Hasili (IRE)
{	Nimble Thimble (USA) (2009)	{	Mizzen Mast (USA)	{	Distant View (USA)
			{	Cozzene (USA)	
				Kinema (USA)	
			Skiable (IRE)	{	Niniski (USA)
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BALESTRA (GB): won 1 race at 3 years, 2017.

Highest BHA rating 84 (Flat) Latest BHA rating 82 (Flat) (prior to compilation)

TURF 3 runs 1 win £5,822 F 1m
ALL WEATHER 1 run

1st Dam

NIMBLE THIMBLE (USA), won 1 race at 3 years; dam of one winner from 2 runners and 2 foals of racing age viz- BALESTRA (GB) (2014 c. by Bated Breath (GB)), see above. Usher (GB) (2015 g. by Oasis Dream (GB)), ran twice at 2 years, 2017. She also has a 2016 colt by Kingman (GB).

2nd Dam

Skiable (IRE), won 4 races at 2 to 4 years in France and in U.S.A. and £48,628 and placed once viz second in Matching Stakes, Del Mar, L.;

dam of eight winners from 9 runners and 10 foals of racing age including-

THREE VALLEYS (USA) (c. by Diesis), JT Champion 2yr old colt in England in 2003, won 5 races at 2, 4 and 5 years at home and in U.S.A. and £371,466 including Del Mar Breeders' Cup Handicap, Del Mar, **Gr.2**, Coventry Stakes, Ascot, **Gr.3** and Oceanport Stakes, Monmouth Park, **Gr.3**, placed 5 times viz second in Dewhurst Stakes, Newmarket, **Gr.1**, bet365 Craven Stakes, Newmarket, **Gr.3**, third in Phoenix Stakes, Curragh, **Gr.1** and Citation Handicap, Hollywood Park, **Gr.1** (twice); sire.

Derwent (USA), won 2 races at 2 and 3 years and placed twice; also won 2 races over jumps in France, £82,453, placed second in Prix Gerald de Rochefort Hurdle, Auteuil.

BACK PASS (USA), won 1 race at 4 years and placed 3 times; dam of winners.

SCISSOR KICK (AUS), won Up And Coming Stakes, Randwick, **Gr.3**, Eskimo Prince Stakes, Rosehill, **Gr.3**, second in De Bortoli Golden Rose Stakes, Rosehill, **Gr.1**.

SHARKBITE (AUS), won Stanley Lowndes Lord Stakes, Caulfield, **L.**, third in Danehill Rory's Jester Stakes, Flemington, **Gr.3**, The Age Caulfield Guineas Prelude, **Gr.3**.

3rd Dam

KERALI, won 1 race at 3 years;

dam of seven winners from 8 runners and 10 foals of racing age including-

HASILI (IRE), won 4 races in France including Prix des Sablonnets, Nantes, **L.**, second in Prix des Lilas, Longchamp, **L.**, Prix Imprudence, M'-Laffitte, **L.**; dam of winners.

INTERCONTINENTAL (GB), 13 races at 2 to 5 years in France and in U.S.A. including Matriarch Stakes, Hollywood Park, **Gr.1** and Emirates Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf, Belmont Park, **Gr.1**, third in Sagitta 1000 Guineas, Newmarket, **Gr.1**.

CACIQUE (IRE), 7 races at 3 to 5 years in France and in U.S.A. including Manhattan Handicap, Belmont Park, **Gr.1** and Man O'War Stakes, Belmont Park, **Gr.1**; sire.

HEAT HAZE (GB), 7 races in France and in U.S.A. including Matriarch Stakes, Hollywood Park, **Gr.1** and Beverly D Stakes, Arlington International, **Gr.1**.

CHAMPS ELYSEES (GB), 6 races in Canada, in France and in U.S.A. including Pattison Canadian International Stakes, Woodbine, **Gr.1**, Hollywood Turf Cup Stakes, Hollywood, **Gr.1** and Northern Dancer Turf Stakes, Woodbine, **Gr.1**; sire.

BANKS HILL (GB), Champion 3yr old filly in Europe in 2001, Jt Champion older mare in Europe in 2002, won Coronation Stakes, Royal Ascot, **Gr.1**, P. Jacques Le Marois, Deauville, **Gr.1** and Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf, Belmont Park, **Gr.1**; dam of **ROMANTICA (GB)**, won Prix Jean Romanet, Deauville, **Gr.1**.

DANSILI (GB), Jt Champion older miler in Europe in 2000, won Prix du Muguet, Saint-Cloud, **Gr.2**, second in Sussex Stakes, Goodwood, **Gr.1**; sire.

DELUXE (USA), won Cardinal Handicap, Churchill Downs, **Gr.3**.

ARRIVE (GB), won 3 races including Bahrain Trophy, Newmarket, **L.**; dam of winners.

PROMISING LEAD (GB), Jt Champion older mare in Ireland in 2008, won Pretty Polly Stakes, Curragh, **Gr.1**, second in Prix de l'Opera, Longchamp, **Gr.1**.

Dissemble (GB), unraced; dam of winners.

LEROIDESANIMAU (BRZ), won Frank E Kilroe Mile Hcp, Santa Anita, **Gr.1**; sire.