



Barn C Stables 55-69
On Account of MERTON CREEK THOROUGHBREDS,
Merton (As Agent)



Lot 439 (With 50% GST)

BROWN FILLY

(Branded MCT nr sh. $\frac{1}{8}$ off sh. Foaled 29th July 2018)

SIRE	Snitzel.....	Redoute's Choice.....by Danehill (USA).....
SHAMUS AWARD	Sunset Express	Snippets' Lass by Snippets
	Traditionally (USA)	Success Express (USA) by Hold Your Peace
DAM	Chicago Hope.....	Finito Fling..... by Luskin Star
ILLINOIS GIRL (NZ)..		Mr. Prospector by Raise a Native
2003		Personal Ensign..... by Private Account.....
		Deputy Governor (USA) by Master Willie.....
		Faithful Thought..... by Water Mill (GB)

SHAMUS AWARD (AUS) (Bay 2010-Stud 2014). 2 wins at 1600m, 2040m, MVRC WS Cox P., Gr.1. Sire of 125 mrs, 74 wns, inc. SW Mr Quickie (BRC Queensland Derby, Gr.1), Soul Patch, Etana, True Detective, Classic Weiwei, SP Causeway Girl, Epic Girl, Golden Victory, Malahide and of Academy, Call Me Shamus, Ethical Solution, It's a Shame, Military Road, Cosmic Award, Ethical Dilemma, Gumshoe, Havana Heat, Irish Songs, Lashoni, Mannix, Mufasta, etc.

1st Dam

Illinois Girl (NZ), by Traditionally (USA). 4 wins 1400m to 1700m, \$118,200, VRC Ritzenhoff H., 2d MVRC Sunline S., **Gr 2.** This is her seventh foal. Her sixth foal is an unraced 3YO. Dam of 2 foals to race, **1 winner**, inc:- Chicago Chick (*f by God's Own*). **2 wins** at 1200m, 1400m.

2nd Dam

CHICAGO HOPE, by Deputy Governor (USA). Winner at 1400m in NZ. Sister to **FAITHFUL LOVE**, half-sister to **TALAGA**. Dam of 7 named foals, 6 to race, **all winners**, inc:-

Illinois Girl (f Traditionally (USA)). 4 wins. See above.

Bishopbriggs. **4 wins**-3 in succession-1200m to 1400m, WRC NME H., Wanganui JC Coro Angel Syndicate H.

Karen Coup. **4 wins** at 1200m, 1400m, 3d Otago RC Cromwell Cup. Producer.

3rd Dam

FAITHFUL THOUGHT, by Water Mill (GB). 7 wins-3 at 2-1000m to 1850m, \$130,980, SAJC Auraria S., **Gr 3**, Tattersall's Cup, **L**, John D Lee S., **L**, VATC Mona Nursery S., **L**, 2d SAJC Adelaide Guineas, **Gr 3**, 3d South Australian Oaks, **Gr 1**. Sister to Steadfast (dam of **FIRM**), three-quarter-sister to Nothing Daunted (dam of **ALACQUA**), half-sister to Phar Mahal (dam of **SUSTAAD**). Dam of 13 named foals, 12 to race, **11 winners**, inc:-

FAITHFUL LOVE (f Deputy Governor (USA)). 3 wins-1 at 2-1000m to 1200m, \$115,230, VRC Red Roses S., **L**, SAJC Cinderella S., **L**, VATC Auspower H., 2d VATC Out of Danger H., 3d VATC Whisked H. Producer.

TALAGA (f Bakharoff (USA)). 3 wins-2 at 2-1200m to 1600m, \$110,800, AJC TL Baillieu H., **L**, 2d AJC Champagne S., **Gr 1**. Dam of 9 winners-

Talista (f Snippets). 7 wins-1 at 2-1150m to 1800m, \$114,137, WRC Juvenile Fillies Super Bonus H., STC Argyle Street Hotel H., 2d STC Epona S., **L**, 4th WRC Cuddle S.H., **Gr 3**. Producer.

4th Dam

Faithful Mahal, by Rajah Sahib (NZ). Winner at 1250m, 2d VATC Matinee S., 3d VRC Qantas S., VATC Kingston S. Half-sister to **TRULY UNFAITHFUL, Konarak - Magic Lantern** (H.K.), Nothing Daunted (dam of **ALACQUA**). Dam of 8 foals, 7 to race, **5 winners**, inc:-

FAITHFUL THOUGHT (f Water Mill (GB)). 7 wins. See above.

Steadfast. Unraced. Dam of 8 winners-

FIRM (f Night Shift (USA)). 2 wins at 2 at 1100m, 1200m, \$135,600, SAJC Smoke-Free SA S., **Gr 3**, 2d SAJC Jansz S., **Gr 3**. Grandam of-

GATTING (g Hard Spun (USA)). 11 wins 1100m to 2400m, \$2,044,950, to 2019-20, VRC Makybe Diva S., **Gr 1**, WATC Lee Steere S., **Gr 2**.

MANICURE (f Exceed and Excel). 4 wins-2 at 2-to 1200m, \$636,525, to 2019-20, MRC How Now S., **Gr 3**, 2d ATC PJ Bell S., **Gr 3**.