

Barn D Stables 39-50 On Account of MERRICKS STATION, Merricks, Vic (As Agent)

Lot 688

BAY FILLY

(Branded \bigcirc nr sh. $\frac{768}{4}$ off sh. Foaled 19th October 2024)

Sire ALABAMA EXPRESS .		Shantha's Choice	by Danzigby Canny Ladby Canny Ladby Fairy King (USA)by Royal Applause
Dam PURE	Pierro	Lonhro	by Octagonal (NZ) by Daylami
2015	Flying Ruby		by Centuryby Brigand (USA)

ALABAMA EXPRESS (AUS) (Bay 2016-Stud 2020). 4 wins-1 at 2, MRC CF Orr S., Gr.1. Sire of 109 rnrs, 59 wnrs, inc. SW Treasurethe Moment (VRC Oaks, Gr.1), Alabama Lass, Glasgow Lass, Discretion Rules, SP Poster Girl, Karavas, Shangri la Express, Cheaha, Strideaway, Kalkallo - Natural Numbers (H.K.), Express Yo'self, Alibaba, Alabama Magic and of Sunshine Law, Eagle Express, Alabama State Chicking Book, Branding Silont Div. Alabama Sangata State, Sigiriya Rock, Brandjam, Silent Diva, Alabama Song, etc.

1st Dam

PURE, by Pierro. 4 wins 1100m to 2046m, \$103,650, 2d MVRC Adapt Aust Martin Ralston H. Half-sister to FLYING ARTIE, Belflyer. This is her fourth foal. Her third foal is a 2YO. Her second foal is an unraced 3YO. Dam of 1 foal to race-

Kind of Blue (f by Blue Point (Ire)). Placed at 2 & 3 to 2024-25 in NZ.

2nd Dam

FLYING RUBY, by Rubiton. 6 wins—3 in succession—1200m to 1600m, \$309,662, TRC Bow Mistress S., L, VRC Sunday Herald Sun P., MRC Swell Time H., 2d MRC Mannerism S., Gr 3, NSA Great Strides CF Cup, 3d VRC Frances Tressady S., Gr 3, MRC WW Cockram S., Gr 3, TRC Bow Mistress S.,

Frances Tressady S., Gr 3, MRC WW Cockram S., Gr 3, TRC Bow Mistress S., L. Dam of 8 named foals, 7 to race, all winners, inc:

FLYING ARTIE (c Artie Schiller (USA)). Champion 3YO Colt in Australia in 2016-17. Leading 3YO Male on the 2016 WTR (Sprint). 3 wins-1 at 2-to 1200m, \$1,281,000, VRC Coolmore Stud S., Gr 1, MRC Blue Sapphire S., Gr 3, Blue Diamond Prelude (c&g), Gr 3, 2d MRC Blue Diamond S., Gr 1, VRC Maribyrnong P., Gr 3, 3d ATC Golden Slipper S., Gr 1. Sire.

Belflyer (g Bel Esprit). 14 wins 1000m to 1600m, \$1,009,880, ATC Kosciuszko P., SCTC Caloundra Automotive H., 2d Clarence River JC Ramornie H., L, 3d Tamworth Showcase Cup, BRC Pink Sports Day H.

3rd Dam

PARKHILL'S FLYER, by Brigand (USA). Started 3 times. Half-sister to BETTER LOOSEN UP, Pure Imagination (dam of ALL IMAGINATION). Dam of 14

named foals, 11 to race, **8 winners**, inc:- **FLYING RUBY** (*f Rubiton*). **6 wins**. See above. Crimson Pilot. **9 wins**–2 at 2–1100m to 1400m, \$113,190, Qld Tatt's RC Country Cup, BTC Byrne Ford H., 4th Gosford RC Pacesetter S., **L**.

4th Dam

BETTER FANTASY, by Better Boy (Ire). 5 wins 1400m to 2400m. Dam of 14

named foals, 13 to race, 8 winners, inc:-

BETTER LOOSEN UP (c Loosen Up (USA)). Aust. Horse of the Year & Champion Older Horse in Australia in 1990-91. 17 wins-1 at 2-1100m to 2400m, \$3,481,125, MVRC WS Cox P., **Gr 1**, VRC Australian Cup, **Gr 1**, LKS Mackinnon S., **Gr 1**, Honda S.H., **Gr 1**, STC Segenhoe S., **Gr 1**, WATC Winfield S., **Gr 1**, Railway S., **Gr 1**, VRC Turnbull S., **Gr 2**, Irwin S., **Gr 3**, VATC Richard Ellis S., **L**, 3d STC Hill S., **Gr 2**. Pure Imagination. **4 wins**–2 at 2–to 1200m, 3d VATC Braeside H. Dam of-**ALL IMAGINATION** (*f Loosen Up (USA)*). **14 wins** 950m to 1600m, \$109,515, SAJC Johnnie Walker Classic H., **L**. Dam of 8 winners—**Trins** - **Rest Brothers** (Mac.) (*c Naturalism (NZ)*) **14 wins**—1 at 2 and 3

Trips - Best Brothers (Mac.) (*c Naturalism (NZ)*). **14 wins**—1 at 2 and 3 in succession—1100m to 2000m, \$1,250,301 in Aust and Macau, VATC Le Pine Funeral Services H., 2d VATC Zeditave S., **L**.