

NATIONAL VELVET

Black mare

Foaled in 2012

Sire	Danehill	Danzig	Northern Dancer
COMMANDS		Razyana.....	His Majesty
1996	Cotehele House	My Swanee.....	Petition
		Eight Carat	Pieces of Eight
Dam	Lonhro	Octagonal.....	Zabeel
NONCHALANCE		Shadea	Straight Strike
2005	Insouciance	Quest for Fame	Rainbow Quest
		Awards Ceremony.....	Kaoru Star

COMMANDS (AUS) (1996). 4 wins-3 at 2, STC Missile S., Gr.3. Sire of 1318 rnrs, 973 wnrs, 80 SW, inc. Melody Belle, etc. Sire of the dams of 1830 rnrs, 1162 wnrs, 31 GW, inc. SW Hayasugi, Socks Nation, Captivant, Got the Greenlight, Contentment, Politeness, Alabama Lass, Scarlet Oak, Swift Witness, Cosmic Force, Obsequious, Immediate Edge, Public Attention, Caballus, Raf Attack, The Fortune Teller, Sky Command, etc.

1st dam

NONCHALANCE, by Lonhro. **2 wins** at 1200m, 2d STC TJ's Champagne Bar H. Sister to **Offhanded - Tailwind** (H.K.), three-quarter-sister to **SCREEN** (dam of **INQUIRY**), half-sister to **COMPLACENT**, **ATARAXIA**, **Malaise**, **Careless**, Tactless (dam of **SCARLET OAK**). Dam of four foals, three to race, **all winners**-

Niccologne (g by Nicconi). **2 wins** at 1100m, 1400m, A\$266,060, ATC Royal Randwick Fashions H., Independent Education P., 2d Wyong Magic Millions 2YO Classic, **RL**, ATC Surf Meets Turf 2YO P., 3d ATC Hong Kong Tour H., 4th GCTC Magic Millions 2YO Classic, **RL**.

Pres de Toi (f by Helmet). **7 wins** from 1400m to 2100m, A\$361,700, 2d MVRC Tua's Half Century H., MRC Ladbroke's Switch H., 3d MRC Mirabel Foundation H., MVRC Tote Bar & Dining H., MRC Ladbroke's Easy Form H., Ladbroke it H., SAJC Aramis H.

National Velvet (f by Commands). **Winner**. See below.

Contempt (f by Commands). Unraced. Dam of-

Contemptuous (Rubick) **7 wins-1** at 2-to 1200m, A\$298,875, BRC Tanqueray H., SQS Haulage H., Sky Racing H., XXXX Dry H., 2d BRC George Moore H., **Gr.3**, Cascade P., 3d BRC Moreton Cup, **Gr.2**, Drinkwise H., Chemist Warehouse Click & Go P., Tonic Design P., Stradbroke Season May-June H., 4th BRC Lightning H., **L**.

Zalini. **2 wins** at 900m, 1050m, A\$107,210, to 2024-25.

2nd dam

INSOUCIANCE, by Quest for Fame. **2 wins-1** at 2-at 1600m, AJC San Miguel 2YO H., MVRC Ausdart Picture Framing H. Sister to **DRACULA**, Nostalgic (dam of **MISS SENTIMENTAL**), half-sister to **SASH**, **THE OSCARS**, **Vampire**, Thespian (dam of **SCREEN**, **BRANNIGAN**). Dam of 10 foals, **all winners**, inc:-

COMPLACENT (Authorized) **5 wins** from 1400m to 2000m, A\$913,225, ATC Spring Champion S., **Gr.1**, NSW Tatt's RC Chelmsford S., **Gr.2**, ATC Gloaming S., **Gr.3**, Craven P., **Gr.3**, 2d Victoria Derby, **Gr.1**, ATC Become an ATC Sponsor 2YO H., 3d ATC Hill S., **Gr.2**. Sire.

ATARAXIA (Teofilo) **2 wins** at 1350m, 1600m, A\$136,105, ATC Dulcify H., **L**, 3d ATC Pride of Dubai at Coolmore 2YO H.

Offhanded - Tailwind (H.K.) (Lonhro) **5 wins-2** at 2-at 1200m, 1400m, A\$287,225, HK\$2,307,750, AJC Bezzina House 2YO H., HKJC Skol Cup, AJC Pink Stiletto Day H., Convention Centre H., STC Freeway Hotel Artarmon H., 2d Canberra Guineas, AJC 3 Weeks to Win a Yaris H., HKJC Lok Sin Tong Cup, Racing Club H., 3d MVRC Alister Clark S., **Gr.2**, AJC Up & Coming S., **Gr.3**, STC Solo Strong H.

Malaise (Helmet) **4 wins** at 1300m, 1400m, A\$377,405, MRC Ladbroke's Cash Out H., ATC Turf Club H., Schweppes H., VRC Young Members' H., 2d VRC CS Hayes S., **Gr.3**, MVRC Harrolds H., ATC Derucci H., Turf Club H., MRC Keno Superplay H., 3d MVRC Catanach's Jewellers H., Ladbroke's Cash in H., Echuca Cup.

Careless (Exceed and Excel) **3 wins** at 1300m, 1400m, A\$314,060, ATC Schweppes H., Grand Pavilion H., Scone RC Newgate Stallions P., 2d ATC Fernhill H., **L**, Cellarbrations Alexandria 2YO P., Supporting Surf Lifesaving H., Foodbank H., Mossman at Vinery P., TAB Rewards H., 3d MRC Gothic S., **L**, ATC Cellarbrations H., Theraces H.

Indifference. **7 wins** from 1300m to 1600m, A\$231,780, to 2025-26, BRC Nova 106.9 H., 3d ATC Hyland Race Colours H., MVRC Summer Membership on Sale Now H., BRC Cascade H., 4th Wyong Cup, **L**.

Tactless (Commands) **4 wins** at 1300m, 1600m, A\$134,790, MRC Chase Hotel H., ATC Vili's Bakery H., 2d ATC Super Saver H., Clovelly H., 3d ATC Warwick Farm 100 Club H. Dam of-

SCARLET OAK (Kermadec) **3 wins** from 1400m to 2000m, NZ\$14,375, A\$357,400, BRC The Roses, **Gr.2**, Gosford RC Signarama Erina H., 2d ATC James HB Carr S., **Gr.3**, 3d ATC Millie Fox S., **Gr.2**.

Boredom. **3 wins** from 1900m to 2200m. Dam of-

Tropezina. **3 wins** at 1000m, 1100m, A\$245,625, VRC Inglis Dash, MRC Patricia Cooper H.

3rd dam

AWARDS CEREMONY, by Kaoru Star. Raced once. Half-sister to **FESTAL**, **MASKED PARTY**, La Bamba (dam of **INSPIRATION**, **WANDJINA**, **LUCKY UNICORN**, **PROVENCE**), What a Joy (dam of **ZOOMETRIC**). Dam of 10 foals, all raced, **7 winners**, inc:-

DRACULA (Quest for Fame) Champion 2YO in Australia in 1997-98. **7 wins-5** at 2-from 1100m to 1600m, A\$796,300, AJC George Main S., **Gr.1**, Champagne S., **Gr.1**, QTC Sires' Produce S., **Gr.1**, AJC Fernhill H., **Gr.3**, 2d AJC Royal Sovereign S., **Gr.2**, 3d AJC Hobartville S., **Gr.2**, NSW Tatt's RC Roman Consul S., **Gr.3**. Sire.

SASH (Dr Grace) **5 wins** to 1400m, A\$152,068, AJC Toy Show H., **L**, Tom Street Quality H., STC David Jones 160 Years P., AJC Eschol Park H., Caspian H., 2d AJC Sapphire S., **L**, 3d STC Millie Fox S., **L**.

THE OSCARS (Procol Harum) **4 wins-1** at 2-at 1000m, 1200m, A\$84,200, HK\$2,322,315, AJC Canonbury S., **L**, HKJC Atlanta H., 2d STC Silver Slipper S., **Gr.2**, AJC Kindergarten S., **L**, 3d AJC Brian Crowley S., **L**, STC Light Quality H., 4th VATC Debutant S., **L**.

Vampire (Flying Spur) **6 wins** from 1300m to 1800m, A\$189,255, AJC Woolworths Liquor H., VATC Harper's Bazaar Trophy H., WATC Peter's Giant Sandwich H., Kaysart H., 2d AJC Fernhill H., **Gr.3**, TL Baillieu H., **L**, 4th Tamworth JC Prime Television H., **L**.

Thespian. **Winner** at 1300m, AJC Cuddle H., 2d AJC Botany Bay H., Ambarvale H., 3d AJC George K Special Projects H., STC Ultimo H., Bexley H. Dam of-

SCREEN (Lonhro) **7 wins** to 1400m, A\$386,503, ATC Golden Pendant, **Gr.3**, AJC Sydney Carnival on Sale H., Corporate Membership H., ATC Trippas White Group H., MVRC Pulse Pharmacy H., MRC Sufficient H., 2d Hawkesbury RC Darley Crown, **L**. Dam of-

INQUIRY (Exceed and Excel) **10 wins** to 1400m, A\$264,345, BRC Spear Chief H., **L**, GCTC TAB H., 2d ATC Kia Evening Star H., BRC TAB H., 3d ATC Tab.com.au H., 4th VRC Maribyrnong Trial S., **L**.

BRANNIGAN (Flying Spur) **4 wins**-1 at 2-to 1250m, A\$289,160, AJC Brian Crowley S., **L**, MRC Kevin Heffernan S., **L**, MVRC Leslie Froggatt S., **L**, STC West Leagues Club Campbelltown H., 2d VRC Rory's Jester P., **Gr.3**, MRC Heath H., **L**, SAJC Balcrest S., **L**.

Nostalgic. Placed at 3, 3d STC Chemsave Wentworthville H. Dam of-

MISS SENTIMENTAL (Reliable Man) Equal Third NZ 3YO Filly on 2018-19 International Ratings. **3 wins** from 1400m to 2400m, NZ\$311,125, A\$13,625, New Zealand Oaks, **Gr.1**, Wanganui Cup, **L**, 2d Waikato RC Sir Tristram Fillies Classic, **Gr.2**, 3d Levin RC Wellington S., **Gr.3**, 4th Wanganui JC Castletown S., **L**.

Race Record : Winner at 1100m.

Produce Record : Dam of four named foals, three to race, **two winners**.

2018 f. Velours Bleu, by Nicconi. **2 wins** at 950m, 1200m.

2019 **THE FORTUNE TELLER** (g by Caravaggio). **2 wins** at 1200m, 1600m, A\$370,000, ATC Carbine Club S., **Gr.3**, 2d MRC Sandown Guineas, **Gr.2**, Stow Storage Solutions H., 3d MRC Autumn S., **Gr.2**, VRC Carbine Club S., **Gr.3**, 4th VRC Paris Lane S., **L**.

2020 f. Madame Potter, by Harry Angel. Unraced.

2022 f. Sorcerer Lass, by Maurice. Raced twice.

2024 c. by Dundee.

Missed in 2023, 2025; slipped in 2021.

Served by Henry Longfellow. Date of last service, 08.09.2025.