

VON COSTA DE HERO

BAY - 2005 - 16.2 HH



STUD NOTES

- Winner of Sires' Produce Stakes (Gr 2) earning over \$1.1m in career prize money.
- Out of his first crop, 64.8% winners to runners.
- Progeny earnings in excess of \$2.9m.
- Sire of stakes winning Lord Von Costa.

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\$2,200
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RACE RECORD Stakes won: \$1,124,450

AGE	STARTS	WINS	2NDS	3RDS
2	5	1	1	0
3	9	0	1	3
4	5	0	0	0
Total	19	1	2	3

- 1st** VRC Sires' Produce S., **Gr.2** (1400m)
- 2nd** STC Golden Slipper S., **Gr.1** (1200m)
VRC Australian Guineas, **Gr.1** (1600m)
- 3rd** MRC Caulfield Guineas, **Gr.1** (1600m)
MVRC Norman Carlyon S., **Gr.2** (1200m)
MRC Caulfield Guineas Prelude, **Gr.3** (1400m)
- 4th** VRC Coolmore Stud S., **Gr.1** (1200m)
MRC Blue Diamond Prelude (c&g), **Gr.3**

STUD RECORD

VON COSTA DE HERO entered stud in Aust. in 2010. Sire of 113 progeny to race, 51 winners (45.0%), earnings of over \$3.1 million, 1 stakes winner, 1 stakes placegetter, inc.

LORD VON COSTA (12g, Dash for Cash, Snippets). 2 wins at 1200m in 2015-16, \$189,590, VRC AR Creswick Series Final S., **L.**

Sea Spray (11f, The Commander, Kreisler). 3 wins at 1100m, 1400m to 2015-16, \$239,375, MRC Yellowglen P., Beck Property Group H., 2d VRC Lexus Hybrid P., **L.**

Lady Selkirk (12f, Royal Academy, Vain). 5 wins from 1300m to 1600m to 2016-17, \$254,600, VRC Silver Bowl Series Final H., Western Otway H., MRC Splashland H.

Jurasound (11f, Portland Pirate, Top of the Pack). 4 wins from 1200m to 1600m, \$325,125, MRC Bayside Jeep Guineas, Soul Pattinson H., 4th SAJC Schweppes Oaks, **Gr.1.**

Big Red Costa (12g, Masterclass, Arctic Explorer). 2 wins at 1500m, 1600m to 2016-17, WATC Amelia Park H., Champion Fillies Day H., 4th WATC Lex Piper S., **L.** JC Roberts S., **L.**

Everyday Hero - Hero Champion (Sing.) (12g, Exceed and Excel, Woodman). 2 wins-1 at 2-at 1000m to 2015-16, SCTC Access Insulation H.

Someday One Day (12g, Rock of Gibraltar, Sackford). 3 wins at 1400m, 1600m in 2016-17, WATC Club Membership H., Tabtouch P.

Zefiro (12g, Zeditave, Is it True). 3 wins at 1200m, 1400m in 2016-17, WATC Budget Car & Truck Rental H., Club Membership H.

Trump It (12g, Fraar, Salmon Leap). 4 wins to 1400m to 2016-17, GCTC Langs Building Supplies H.

Nouvelle Again (11f, Perugino, Southern Appeal). 4 wins from 1200m to 1600m to 2015-16, MRC Schweppes H.

Golden Century (11f, Loup Sauvage, Rubiton). 3 wins at 1100m, 1200m to 2016-17, SAJC National Jockeys Trust H., Holdfast Insurance H.

Vonus (11g, High Chaparral, Last Tycoon). 2 wins at 1000m, WATC Passages Resource Centre H.

Von Classic Hero (11g, Spartacus, Canny Lad). 4 wins from 1450m to 1600m to 2016-17, \$147,005, MRC Joe Brown P.

Abriola (13f, Canny Lad, Marauding). 2 wins at 1100m, 1150m in 2016-17, 2d MVRC CRT Whites Rural H.

Annrhon (12f, Zilzal, Alydar). 2 wins at 1100m, 1300m in 2016-17, 2d VRC Nouvelle Star H.

Robert de Hero (12g, Tale of the Cat, Danehill). 3 wins to 1450m to 2016-17, 3d MRC Mitavite Challenge Heat 3 H.

Sam de Hero (11g, Street Cry, Francis Bacon). Winner at 1650m in 2015-16, 2d SCTC Go Transit Media Group P.

MALE LINE

ENCOSTA DE LAGO 3 wins from 1200m to 1600m, \$469,850, VATC Vic Health Cup, **Gr.1**, VRC Ascot Vale S., **Gr.2**. Champion Aust. Sire in 2007-08, 2008-09, second in 2003-04, 2005-06, 2006-07, 2009-10. Leading Aust. Sire (worldwide earnings) in 2010-11. Leading NZ Sire of 3YOs in 2013-14. Champion HK Sire in 2011-12. Champion Aust. Sire of Broodmares in 2015-16.. Sire of 1614 progeny to race, 1137 winners (70.0%), earnings of over \$173 million, 113 stakes winners, 117 stakes placegetters, inc.

RACING TO WIN (02g, Kenny's Best Pal, Kenmare). AJC George Main S., **Gr.1**, Doncaster H., **Gr.1.**

ALINGHI (01f, Monde Bleu, Shirley Heights). VRC Newmarket H., **Gr.1.**

PRINCESS COUP (03f, Sovereign Red, Arch Sculptor). Hawkes Bay Kelt Capital S., **Gr.1**-twice.

LASHED (99f, Salieri, Boucher). ARC Zabeel Classic, **Gr.1**, New Zealand S., **Gr.1.**

SACRED KINGDOM (03g, Zeditave, Sir Tristram). Cathay Pacific Hong Kong Sprint, **Gr.1**-twice.

PUCCINI (10c, Paris Opera, Sir Godfrey). New Zealand Derby, **Gr.1**, WRC Thorndon Mile, **Gr.1.**

MNEMOSYNE (02f, Canny Lad, Whiskey Road). STC Queen of the Turf S., **Gr.1.**

DELAGO DELUXE (08c, Flying Spur, Success Express). Scottsville Gold Medallion S., **Gr.1.**

CHAUTAUQUA (10g, Lion Hunter, Vice Regal). VRC Lightning S., **Gr.1**, ATC TJ Smith S., **Gr.1**-3 times.

ENGLISH (12f, Anabaa, Zeditave). ATC All Aged S., **Gr.1**, 2d ATC Golden Slipper S., **Gr.1.**

COSTA VIVA (10f, Bel Esprit, Snippets). New Zealand One Thousand Guineas, **Gr.1.**

ROAD TO ROCK (04c, Midyan, Welsh Saint). AJC Queen Elizabeth S., **Gr.1**, George Main S., **Gr.1.**

SIRMIONE (03g, Defensive Play, Danzatore). VRC Australian Cup, **Gr.1**, LKS Mackinnon S., **Gr.1.**

TITANIC JACK (99g, Stage Door Johnny, T. V. Commercial). VRC Emirates S., **Gr.1.**

His sire sons include **Northern Meteor (22 SW)**, **Manhattan Rain (10 SW)**, **Delago Brom (5 SW)**, etc.

MATERNAL GRANDSIRE

SCENIC 4 wins-3 at 2-at 7f, 1¼m, £133,799, Newmarket Dewhurst S., **Gr.1**, Ayr Scottish Classic S., **Gr.3**, 2d Sandown Brigadier Gerard S., **Gr.3**, 3d Royal

Ascot St James's Palace S., **Gr.1**, 4th Newmarket Champion S., **Gr.1**. Champion Aust. Sire (by AEI) in 2008-09, third in 1998-99. Second on Aust. Sire List in 2000-01, 2008-09 . Sire of winners of over \$84 million - 73 stakes winners, inc. **UNIVERSAL PRINCE, CONISTON BLUEBIRD, BLEVIC, SCENIC PEAK, SCENIC SHOT, LOCHRAE, SCENIC BLAST, SHAME, EPISODE, LORD ESSEX**, etc. Maternal sire of winners of over \$78 million - 46 stakes winners, inc. **NICONERO, NICCONI, LAZER SHARP, FIRST SEAL, DELICACY, VON COSTA DE HERO, HOLLOWLEA, BOOK OF KELLS**, etc.

FEMALE LINE

1st Dam
PIAVONIC, by Scenic. 9 wins at 1000m, 1200m, A\$629,600, MVRC Manikato S., **Gr.1**, Norman Carlyon S., **Gr.2**, VATC How Now S., **L.** MVRC Cutler Menswear H., VATC Australia's Own P., MVRC Tristalove H., VATC Orient H., Winning Post Newspaper H., 2d VATC Memsie S., **Gr.2**, SAJC Dermody S., **Gr.3**, VATC Bletchingly S., **Gr.3**, Mannerism S., **Gr.3**, VVV Cockram S., **L.** Hyderabad Race Club S., **L.** Dam of nine foals, eight to race, seven winners, inc:-
VON COSTA DE HERO (c. by Encosta de Lago). Subject horse.
Taarish (g. by Encosta de Lago). 5 wins from 1400m to 2400m, R\$346,800, 2d Greyville KZN Guineas Trial, **L.** 4th Fairview Glenlair Trophy, **L.** Port Elizabeth Gold Cup, **L.**

2nd Dam
Piave Girl, by Brave Salute. 4 wins-3 at 2-to 1100m, A\$136,100, SAJC Navarino H., Shako H., VATC Zephyr Bay H., SAJC 5DN H., 2d MVRC Laurent Perrier S., **Gr.2**, William Crockett S., **L.** 4th SAJC Lightning S., **Gr.3**. Half-sister to **Rubra Lass** (dam of **EMLOZZA, DOPPIO**), **Segusino**, Belle Uno (dam of **BELLONIC**). Dam of 3 named foals, all winners-
PIAVONIC (Scenic). 9 wins. See above.

3rd Dam
BLACK SERENADE, by Black Opaque. 3 wins at 1050m, 1200m, SAJC Glenelg Improvers' H. Sister to **DARK RHYTHM** (dam of **RAISE A RHYTHM, BIRA**). Dam of 8 foals, all winners-
Piave Girl (Brave Salute). 4 wins. See above.
Segusino (Habituate). 6 wins-2 at 2-at 1000m, SAJC Atropine H., 2d SAJC Balcrest S., **L.**
Rubra Lass (Alzao). Winner at 2, SAJC Connoisseur Collection H., 2d SAJC Balcrest S., **L.** Dam of-
EMLOZZA (Encosta de Lago). 5 wins at 1000m, 1200m, A\$231,550, SAJC Dermody Lightning S., **Gr.3**, MRC Thoroughbred Club S., **Gr.3.**
DOPPIO (Umatilla). 8 wins from 1100m to 2000m in Aust. and Macau, Macau Winter Trophy, **L.** Macau Derby, **L.** 3d Macau Chairman's Challenge Cup, **L.** Summer Trophy, **L.**
Belle Uno. 2 wins at 1200m, 1500m, VATC Nepean H., 2d VATC Lyndhurst H. Dam of-
BELLONIC (Redding). 7 wins from 1400m to 2400m, A\$197,750, SAJC St Leger, **L.** MVRC Carlton Draught Trophy, Airmond H., 4th SAJC Brock Partners Trophy H., **L.** Dam of-
BEL THOR (God's Own). 4 wins from 1400m to 2000m, A\$338,200, Seymour Cup, **L.** 2d VRC Galilee Series Final H., **L.** Bendigo JC Golden Mile, **L.** 3d MRC Eclipse S., **Gr.3.**
Belscenica (Scenic). 7 wins from 1400m to 2050m, A\$266,038, MVRC Travis Harrison Cup H., 2d MVRC WH Stocks S., **Gr.2.**

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