# **VON COSTA DE HERO**

BAY - 2005 - 16.2 HH



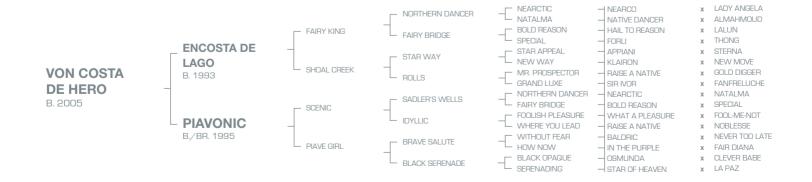






# **STUD NOTES**

- Winner of Sires' Produce Stakes (Gr 2) earning over \$1.1m in career prize money.
- Sire of stakes winners Lord Von Costa and Von Costa Glass.
- $\bullet$  Consistent producer of winners with 65% winners to runners from first 6 crops.
- Progeny earnings in excess of \$8m.
- Versatile progeny have won over distances from 1000m to 2200m.



# RACE RECORD | STUD RECORD | MALE / FEMALE LINE



### 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 (1100m)

## STUD RECORD

- VON COSTA DE HERO entered stud in Aust. in 2010. Sire of 188 progeny to race, 97 winners (51.0%), earnings of over \$8.0 million, 2 stakes winners, 2 stakes placeaetters, inc.
- LORD VON COSTA (12g, Dash for Cash, Snippets). 4 wins at 1200m to 2019-20, \$417,005, VRC AR Creswick Series Final, L, Victorian Sprint Final, L, Thank You Firefighters H., 2d VRC LV Lachal H., Goulburn Murray H.
- VON COSTA GLASS (11g, Generous, Sir Tristram). 11 wins 1400m to 2000m to 2020-21, \$350,900, Murray Bridge Gold Cup, L, SAJC Evright H., Hughes Limousines H.
- Brimarvi Vehero (14g, Danewin, Euclase). 6 wins at 1000m, 1050m to 2020-21, \$216,175, SAJC Adelaide Appeals Committee H., Furphy H., Chalk Hill H., Hylands Racecolours H., 2d SAJC Medallion H., 3d SAJC Manihi Classic, L.
- Sea Spray (11f, The Commander, Kreisler). 3 wins at 1100m, 1400m, \$239,375, MRC Yellowglen P., Beck Property Group H., 2d VRC Lexus Hybrid P., L, Denis Walter 3YO Trophy.
- Jurasound (11f, Portland Pirate, Top of the Pack). 4 wins-3 in succession-1200m to 1600m, \$325,125, MRC Bayside Jeep Guineas, 4th SAJC Schweppes Oaks, **Gr.1**.
- Someday One Day (12g, Rock of Gibraltar, Sackford). 5 wins 1300m to 2200m, \$187,731, WATC Club Membership H., Tabtouch P., 4th Kalgoorlie Cup, L.
- Big Red Costa (12g, Masterclass, Arctic Explorer). 3 wins 1500m to 1700m, WATC Amelia Park H., Champion Fillies Day H., 4th WATC Lex Piper S., L. JC Roberts S., L.
- Susurri (14f, French Deputy, Danehill). 2 wins-1 at

- 2-at 1200m, 1350m, \$140,250, BRC Civforce Pipelaying H., 2d BRC James Boag's H.
- Lady Selkirk (12f, Royal Academy, Vain). 5 wins 1300m to 1600m, \$280,150, VRC Silver Bowl Series Final H., Western Otway H.
- Can'tforgetyou (14f, Masterpiece, Danehill). 4 wins at 1000m to 2020-21, \$169,425, MVRC Condare Court Tanderra H., Simpson H.
- Mum's My Hero (14g, Thunder Gulch, Danehill). 6 wins 1050m to 1106m to 2019-20, \$172,900, SAJC Medallion Homes H., GH Mumm H.
- Jamaican Hurry (14f, Gold Ace, Rancho Ruler). 5 wins-3 in succession-at 1200m in 2019-20, \$185,835, VRC Furphy Ale H., Vale Darby McCarthy H., MRC Macpherson Kelley H.
- Von Saga (14f, Fantastic Light, Creese). 4 wins 1000m to 1200m to 2020-21, SAJC 36 Degrees South Beef H.
- Cochada (14g, Danzero, Marauding). 2 wins at 1415m, 1600m, \$145,760, VRC Melbourne Cup Carnival Country Final H.
- Von Richter (13f, Jeune, End Sweep). 5 wins 1200m to 1950m, \$113,014, BRC Paddyfest 2019 H., 2d BRC Queensland Times H.
- Romance Can Costa (13f, Show a Heart, Danzero). 6 wins-3 in succession-1425m to 2120m, ATC TAB Rewards H.
- Zefiro (12g, Zeditave, Is it True). 7 wins at 1200m, 1400m, WATC Budget Car & Truck Rental H., Club Membership H.
- Trump lt (12g, Fraar, Salmon Leap). 4 wins 1200m to 1400m, GCTC Langs Building Supplies H.
- Annrhon (12f, Zilzal, Alydar). 3 wins 1100m to 1300m, VRC Arbroath H.
- Everyday Hero Hero Champion (Sing.) [12g, Exceed and Excel, Woodman]. 5 wins-1 at 2-1000m to 1400m to 2020, \$105,738, SCTC Access Insulation H., 2d BRC Sky Racing H.
- Nouvelle Again (11f, Perugino, Southern Appeal). 4 wins 1200m to 1612m, MRC Schweppes H.
- Golden Century (11f, Loup Sauvage, Rubiton). 3 wins at 1100m, 1200m, SAJC National Jockeys Trust H., Holdfast Insurance H.
- Von Classic Hero (11g, Spartacus, Canny Lad). 4 wins 1430m to 1600m, \$161,275, MRC Joe Brown P., 2d MRC Sheamus Mills H.
- Vonus (11g, High Chaparral, Last Tycoon). 7 wins 1000m to 1200m, \$153,595, WATC Passages Resource Centre H., 2d WATC Westspeed H.
- La Bella Costa (15f, Zeditave, Sir Tristram). 4 wins at 1200m, 1400m to 2020-21, \$125,350, 2d VRC Kennedy H.
- Aroha Te Mana (14g, Bianconi, Soviet Lad). 3 wins 1400m to 1609m to 2020-21, 2d MRC Sheen Panel Service H.
- Von Mystic (14g, Starcraft, Danehill). 5 wins 1300m to 2000m to 2020-21, \$141,230, 2d MRC Ladbrokes Live Streaming H.
- Abriola (13f, Canny Lad, Marauding). 3 wins 1100m to 1200m, 2d MVRC CRT Whites H.
- Robert de Hero (12g, Tale of the Cat, Danehill). 3 wins 1300m to 1450m, 3d MRC Mypunter.com H., Mitavite Challenge H.
- Ritchford (12g, Tale of the Cat, Flying Spur). 11 wins 1350m to 1690m to 2020-21, \$146,370, 3d GCTC Melbourne Cup Restaurant H.
- Heroic Rock (11g, Rock of Gibraltar, Barathea). 2 wins at 1600m, 2d GCTC Sky Racing 2 H., 3d BRC Garden City Refrigeration P.

#### **MATERNAL GRANDSIRE**

**SCENIC** Joint third on The 1988 European 2YO Classification. 4 wins-3 at 2-at 7f,  $1\frac{1}{4}$ m, £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. 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, VIEWED, SCENIC PEAK, SCENIC SHOT, etc. Maternal sire of winners of over \$93 million - 50 stakes winners, inc. NICONERO, NICCONI, LAZER SHARP, FIRST SEAL, DELICACY, VON COSTA DE HERO, HOLLOWLEA, BOOK OF KELLS, SO SWIFT, LUCY MAE, 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, 2d VATC Memsie S., Gr.2, Mannerism S., Gr.3, Bletchingly S., Gr.3, SAJC Dermody S., Gr.3, VATC WW Cockram S., L, Hyderabad Race Club S., L. Three-quarter-sister to Hageabi (dam of MIO DIO). 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 1400m to 2400m, R346,800, 2d Greyville KZN Guineas Trial, L, 4th Fairview Glenlair Trophy, L.
- Jezzabba (f. by Fastnet Rock). 3 wins at 1200m, 1400m, MRC Beck Property Group P. Dam of-**Dubai Star** (Pride of Dubai). Winner at 2 at 1100m, A\$89,100, in 2019-20, ATC TAB 2YO H., 2d MRC Merson Cooper S., **L**.

#### 2nd Dam

Piave Girl, by Brave Salute. 4 wins-3 at 2-1000m to 1100m, A\$136,100, SAJC Navarino H., VATC Zephyr Bay 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, inc:-
- Piave Girl (Brave Salute). 4 wins. See above.

  Segusino (Habituate). 6 wins-2 at 2-at 1005m, SAJC

  Atropine H., 2d SAJC Balcrest S., L.
- Rubra Lass (Alzao). Winner at 2 at 1000m, SAJC Connoisseur H., 2d SAJC Balcrest S., L. Dam of-
  - EMLOZZA (Encosta de Lago). 5 wins at 1000m, 1200m, A\$231,550, MRC Thoroughbred Club S. Gr.3. SAJC Dermody Lightning S. Gr.3.
  - DOPPIO (Umatilla). 8 wins 1100m to 2000m in Aust. and Macau. Macau Derby. L.
  - Hageabi. Unplaced. Dam of-
    - MIO DIO (God's Own). 11 wins-1 at 2-1100m to 1250m, A\$382,265, SAJC Spring S., **Gr.3**.
- Belle Uno. 2 wins at 1200m, 1500m, VATC Nepean H., 2d VATC Lyndhurst H. Dam of-
  - **BELLONIC** (Redding). 7 wins 1400m to 2400m, A\$197,750, SAJC St Leger, **L**. Dam of-
  - BEL THOR (God's Own). 4 wins 1400m to 2000m, Seymour Cup, L, 2d VRC Galilee Series Final H., L, 3d MRC Eclipse S., Gr.3.
  - Belscenica (Scenic). 7 wins-3 in succession-1400m to 2040m, A\$266,038, MRC Manacre H., 2d MVRC WH Stocks S., Gr.2.