

# E Newsletter September 2011

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## There's Still Time To Send Your Mare for that special foal

Infact the time is just right. October coverings and November coverings are more than OK for 2yo racing. Champion 2yo Octagonal was an October foal-his dam covered in November, and Lonhro was born on the 10th of December.

As Henry Fields of Newgate Farm (formerly from Coolmore) once told me "A broadmare not in foal is like a rental property with no tenant!"

## Payment plans can be prearranged and extend until 30th June 2012!

Transport is just \$550 ex Brisbane or Melbourne. Call me (Peta) today on (02) 63379269 for a chat.

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## GLACIAL GOLD

(Gold Bayou TB - Shimmering Gold, by Billionaire)

Possessing a dynamic outcross option to both DANEHILL and NORTHERN DANCER mares, and highlighting a distaff line littered with black type, this is a strong French / American family which features the Santa Anita Derby (Gr1) winning MUTTERING, Group 2 winning MAXIMILIAN and MIXER, and traces back to Group One winners CADEAUX and EARLY GRAY.

Bred on the dominant Halo sire line, and on the same cross as Group 2 winner DUBLEO (USA) and Group 1 winner URGUN (USA), his dam is a granddaughter of the legendary SECRETARIAT, A striking looking individual, perfect for DANEHILL and NORTHERN DANCER line mares, his sireline has already produced leading Australian 2YO sire, MORE THAN READY as well as multiple Champion Japanese entire, SUNDAY SILENCE. Halo / Secretariat 3x3 boasts a substantial 72.2% winners to runners record (colts).



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## What's been going on at WCF this last month

We have been busy ploughing putting in oats for the new foals for some nice munching this summer. We have moved the pregnant mares into the 'Chappel' paddock which is next to the house and close to the foaling paddocks. (Yes, it's a

real working Chappel). Our foals are due from mid September as we bred later last season as I had a baby of my own (see below!)







We've been burning off the old grass to make way for the new fresh growth (Actually it was just to make more work for Grant - spraying weeds and direct drilling in fertiliser and pasture seed!!)



### Colour Blind?? Not us.



In this months Breeding And Racing Magazine, Pedigree Analyst Jane Henning puts to rest the myth that colour can effect a horses athletic ability.

Jane writes "Any geneticist can tell you that there is no correlation between coat colour and athletic ability" and "Selection of racehorses is a very difficult task. Factors such as conformation, genetic compatibility of the parents, nutrition and temperament influence our choices. But at least you can rule a line through 'colour' as having any bearing on the inheritance of racing ability" Read more

Here at WCF we were already in the know, and Apache Cat has put to rest the myth that a horse with four white legs can't run.

With our quality and selective breeding program it is only time before a coloured thoroughbred makes headlines for more than his colour. Why not make it yours? Foals for sale once landed!

Framed In History.... Turned 2 & LOOKIN' GOOD!



Framed In History's double?? Here's five month old 'Patrick'





For the twenty lucky people that are going to be a part of racing this spectacular colt for a fraction of normal racings costs, here is a picture for you. The syndicate members will be finalised next month. and I shall contact you with all the exciting details. A one-off payment of \$1300 or \$25 per week x 52 weeks is the outlay NO MORE TO PAY. A very special thank you to Jess & Craig Bertram of Ceejay Park for the lease of the Bletchingly granddaughter and dam of Framed In History once again.



Now five months old "Patrick" is looking like Framed In History's double. He has super long legs which I promise to show you next Newsletter (I didn't have the heart to make him stand up as he looked so peaceful).

You won't believe what his ASB name is going to be. Let's just say his name is as wild as a swingers club on a Saturday night! .... Stay tuned



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Quote worthy of mention

"Just Do It!"

- Nike