

# 2021-22

## Trincomalee [GB]

2013 b.g. by Malinas (Ger) ex Royal Tango (GB) (Petoski (GB))

**50% LEASE**



**Trincomalee** is by the German Derby runner-up **Malinas**, who is a leading jumps stallion with the likes of **American**, **Black Thunder** and **Medinas** flying his flag. Trincomalee has been a fantastic and fun horse for Hot To Trot Jumping, winning three times and nearly always finishing in the money. He has the potential to progress this season in staying hurdles, and possibly back over fences at some point.

### TRAINER

#### LUCY WADHAM

Lucy Wadham is a Newmarket-based National Hunt trainer but has saddled several Graded/Group winners both over jumps and on the flat. The very classy race mare **United** provided Lucy with her first Grade 1 when winning the Punchestown Champion Four Year Old Hurdle, and other flag bearers for the yard have been **El Dancer** over jumps, and **Lady Tiana** on the flat.



# Lilly Pedlar [GB]

2015 b.m. by Yeats (Ire) ex Mathine (Fr) (Malinas (Ger))

**100% LEASE**



**Lilly Pedlar** is by legendary multiple Ascot Gold Cup winner Yeats and out of a half-sister to none other than Cheltenham Gold Cup winner **Long Run** who was also trained by Nicky Henderson, so nobody knows how to handle this family better! Lilly P has become a real Hot To Trot favourite, progressing very nicely throughout last season and giving us a huge thrill when gaining black-type in the Grade 2 Mares' Novice Hurdle Final at Newbury in the spring. She achieved her much deserved first win at Ffos Las in May, before heading out for her summer holiday. Whilst she retains her novice status over hurdles, she is set to go novice chasing this autumn and could be a flag bearer for Hot To Trot this season.

## TRAINER



### NICKY HENDERSON

Nicky Henderson needs no introduction as the six times Champion National Hunt Trainer. His Seven Barrows base in Lambourn has delivered the likes of **See You Then, Long Run, Bob's Worth, Binocular, Remittance Man** and **Punjabi** to Championship race glory at the Cheltenham Festival. In more recent years, his exemplary handling of the careers of **Sprinter Sacre, Altior** and **Buveur D'Air** has cemented Nicky as one of the greatest National Hunt trainers of his generation. The outstanding novice chaser of last season **Shishkin** looks set to continue the Seven Barrows streak of champion 2 mile chasers.

# Familiar Spirit [GB]

2016 b.m. by Fame And Glory (GB) ex Sounds Familiar (Ire) (Orchestra (GB))

**50% LEASE**



**Familiar Spirit** is by Ascot Gold Cup winner **Fame And Glory** who was 2nd in Sea The Stars' Epsom Derby. Sadly no longer with us, Fame And Glory appears to be a great loss to the National Hunt stallions ranks having done extremely well with his few crops of runners. Familiar Spirit has been patiently handled by Warren Greatrex, and this patience should now pay off in handicaps over a longer trip this season.

## TRAINER

### WARREN GREATREX

Warren Greatrex has recently moved to the historic Rhonehurst Stables in Upper Lambourn, where many top-class horses have been housed including, in recent years, the much loved dual Grand National winner Many Clouds. Warren knows this yard well, having been assistant to previous occupant Oliver Sherwood for 9 years. Rhonehurst boasts exceptional facilities including an equine swimming pool, and is a stone's throw from all of the Jockey Club's outstanding Lambourn gallops. Warren has proved himself a versatile young trainer and has won multiple Grade 1's with his two stable stars to date, **Cole Harden** and **La Bague Au Roi**.



# Chabichou Dupoitou [FR]

2016 gr.m. by Martaline (GB) ex Tidara Angel (Ire) (Oratorio (Ire))

**50% LEASE**



**Chabichou Dupoitou** is an exceptionally well-bred filly, being out of the Grade 1 winning **Tidara Angel** and by the top-class stallion **Martaline**, who is a consistent sire of top-class horses including Grade 1 winners **Dynaste**, **Terrefort** and **We Have A Dream**. Chabichou Dupoitou was impressing Phillip Hobbs and his team, and was declared to run in an Aintree bumper, before sustaining an injury that ended her season. She is now fully recovered and has done well for her time off, and is an extremely exciting prospect for this season.

## TRAINER

### PHILIP HOBBS

Philip Hobbs has been one of the leading National Hunt trainers in the country for many years, having started training in 1985. He has so far trained nearly 3000 winners including numerous Cheltenham Festival winners and several top races on the flat. Phillip has trained some of the most memorable national hunt horses of the past few decades, including the likes of **Rooster Booster**, **Flagship Uberalles** and **Menorah**.





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## Last Of A Legend [GB]

2017 b.f. by Midnight Legend (GB) ex Blue Buttons (Ire) (King's Theatre (Ire))

**100% LEASE**



**Last Of A Legend** is an athletic looking filly by the wonderful stallion **Midnight Legend**, an excellent sire of fillies and producer of many tough and likeable horses. Last Of A Legend is out of the King's Theatre mare **Blue Buttons**, who won a Listed race for Harry Fry. This filly is Harry's first opportunity to train the progeny of a mare he has also handled! Last Of A Legend was given time to mature last season and, having schooled nicely over hurdles last spring, is one to look forward to this season.

### TRAINER

#### HARRY FRY

Harry Fry is an already successful young trainer who launched his career in 2012 after five years as assistant to Paul Nicholls. He enjoyed his first Grade 1 success in 2015 with **Bitofapuzzle**, followed swiftly after by **Unwhatimeanharry** in the Albert Bartlett Novices' Hurdle at the Cheltenham Festival in 2016. Harry moved to an extremely smart, purpose built yard last season, and looks to have every chance of making it to the top of the training ranks.



# Heavenly Clouds [GB]

2017 b.f. by Milan (GB) ex Bobbing Back (Ire) (Bob Back (USA))

**100% LEASE**



**Heavenly Clouds** is a hugely exciting 4 year old filly by the leading National Hunt stallion **Milan**, sire of Champion Hurdle winning **Jezki** and countless Grade 1 chasers including **Monalee** and **Santini**. She is out of **Bobbing Back**, making her a half sister to the legendary dual Grand National winner **Many Clouds**, whose talent was exceeded only by his extraordinary toughness and will to win. The dam has also produced another classy horse in **The Tullow Tank**, who won two Grade 1 Novice Hurdles and would be a star name in any pedigree! We are extremely excited to have a filly with a pedigree like this, and she also has the physical quality to back it up. The dream is certainly alive!

## TRAINER

### MEL ROWLEY

Mel Rowley trains alongside husband **Phil** in Shropshire, where they have made an excellent name for themselves breaking horses, pre-training for top national hunt yards and owners, and having great success in the point to point field. They are a well known team for producing young horses to win point to points, hunter chases and bumpers, before selling on to the national hunt market. Mel has a background in dressage and focusses heavily on conditioning work.



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## Unnamed [GB]

2018 b.f. by Yeats ex Free Thinking (GB) (Hernando (Fr))

50% LEASE



This filly is by the four-time Ascot Gold Cup winner **Yeats** (also the sire of Lilly Pedlar), who had an excellent Cheltenham Festival this year as the sire of Grade 1 winners **Chantry House** and **Flooring Porter**, as well as numerous other top class jumpers over the last few years. The dam, **Free Thinking**, won a bumper before gaining all-important black type in a Listed bumper, and she was also a winner over hurdles. Free Thinking is a very well bred mare, being out of the wonderful race-mare **Liberthine**, who won the Topham Chase over the Grand National fences, before finishing 5th in the big race itself.

### TRAINER

#### NEIL MULHOLLAND

Neil Mulholland took out a training license in 2008 after retiring from his career as a jump jockey, which had been initiated when working for none other than Aiden O'Brien! Neil trained his first Cheltenham winner in 2015 with The Druid's Nephew, who won the Ultima Handicap Chase. Neil has numerous big handicap wins to his name, and has been crowned Champion Trainer in Jersey **Milkwood** could be the yard's next stable star after winning last season's Scottish Champion Hurdle at Ayr, and backing up this form when finishing runner up in the famous Galway Hurdle.



# Symbolic Spirit [GB]

2017 b.f. by Westerner (GB) ex Carole's Spirit (GB) (Hernando (Fr))

100% LEASE



This is a smart looking filly by **Westerner**, one of the most consistent and talented horses of his generation, who won 5 Group 1's including the Ascot Gold Cup, and was runner-up to the world champion racehorse Hurricane Run in the Arc. Since joining the National Hunt stallion ranks, Westerner has produced Grade 1 bumper, hurdle and chase winners including **Cole Harden**, **Western Warhorse**, and most recently the Champion Bumper winner **Ferny Hollow**, an outstanding prospect for this season. The dam, **Carole's Spirit**, was a dual Listed winner and Grade 2 placed and is a half-sister to the top class pair of **Carole's Legacy** and **Mad Max**. Our filly has the looks to go with her classy page, and we are very excited to have her on the team!

## TRAINER

### AMY MURPHY

Amy Murphy is one of the most promising young trainers to take out a license in recent years. The top-class **Kalashnikov** perfectly advertised Amy's skill when winning the Betfair Hurdle in just her second year as a trainer, and also provided a first Grade 1 for Amy, her father Paul who owns the horse, and jockey Jack Quinlan, in 2019. Amy gained experience with Tom Dascombe, Gai Waterhouse, and as Assistant to Luca Cumani before taking out her license in 2016, and is a trainer look out for both over jumps and on the flat.

