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The twenty-second edition of the Prinsjesdag National Foal Auction (NVP) will take place on Tuesday 16 September at the National Equestrian Centre in Ermelo. Also this year a newsletter is sent to the participants and other interested parties.

Golden selection of golden team!

What a great achievement of the Dutch showjumping team in Normandy. World Champion! Ultimately, all that matters is the Power of Performance, the motto of NVP. Anyone who, like our showjumping riders now, wants to win in the future can better purchase the future medal winner at the Prinsjesdag National Foal Auction. On 16 September a large number of foals and embryos are offered for sale who are directly related to the showjumping horses that won gold in Normandy.

One of them, for example, is a Douglas out of the dam of Zenith SFN (Rash R). Zenith was selected after an impressive season with a silver medal in the Dutch Championship and clear rounds in Rotterdam, Rome and Aachen in classes for the WEG in Normandy. There she did even better than the highest expectations of her, staying clear in two rounds and so securing the golden team medal of the Dutch showjumping team.



(Jeroen Dubbeldam and Zenith SFN)

Besides Zenith, Sascha also produced the AES-licensed stallion Fortissimo (Padinus) and the 1.40m level showjumping horse Allegro TN (Kojak) ridden by Hanno Ellermann.

Out of a full sister of Maikel van der Vleuten's VDL Groep Verdi (Quidam de Revel x Landgraf I) NVP offers an embryo by super progenitor Baloubet du Rouet. A fully Olympic pedigree with the silver from Verdi in London and gold and bronze from Baloubet, then ridden by Rodrigo Pessoa, in the Athens and Sydney Olympics, respectively.



(No 85 Justusch, Glock's London x Sylvia by Grosso Z)

Thanks to the Glock family, the Netherlands could still avail of Gerco Schröder and Glock's London in Normandy. Thanks to three breeders and Prinsjesdag National Foal Auction, you can soon be the owner of a foal or embryo by London. Number 84 in the catalogue was bred by Animal Embryo Centre and is out of Bay the Way. This daughter of the top-class Olympic stallion Clinton is out of the former 1.50m level Grand Prix showjumping horse Retina V (Caretino), who, by the name of One Way 3, was successful under the British Christopher Frazer. Her full sister Chika's Way is also jumping at Grand Prix level and this year won another 1.50m level class in Sankt Gallen under Pius Schwizer. Their dam is the highly valuable state premium mare Wodka II (Lord x G.Ramiro Z) from lineage 1916. In addition to the licensed stallions Conway, Conway II, Conway-T, Clearway and Arturo, she also supplied the winner of the Hamburg 2009 Grand Prix Carassina (Concerto II) ridden by Thomas Kleis. The same breeder also offers an embryo out of Winning Girl, the full sister of the Olympic showjumping stallion and top-class sire Carthago (Capitol). Grandam A-Cover Girl jumped at 1.60m level herself and produced,

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besides Winning Girl, also the Grand Prix showjumping horse Lactic (Landjunker II) ridden by John Whitaker.

The foals of London are just as interesting as these two embryos. Highfield Genetics bred Jondon MB, a colt out of the full sister of Havinia. This Grosso Z daughter and 'KWPN Horse of the year' won the GPs of Twente, Rome and Arezzo under Gianni Govoni. Another of her products is her licensed son Untouchable, who is also jumping at Grand Prix level.

Jewel London is a filly from breeder Verver from Albergen. She has extremely interesting gene material for developing a mares line in the future, being the daughter of London out of the dam's line of Numero Uno.

Another horse in the golden team, VDL Bubalu (Jur Vrieling), is not directly represented in this auction. However, the products of sire Baloubet and half-brothers Chaman and Balou du Rouet will be interesting for breeders who want the blood of Baloubet!

And finally, besides the embryo out of the dam of Zenith SFN, also other showjumping horses of Jeroen Dubbeldam are well represented at Prinsjesdag. An embryo by Kannan out of the dam of the top-class horse Simon and a Nabab foal out of Utascha.

Dancer will shine in opening dressage auction

NVP is very pleased with the promise of Kirsten Brouwer to give a performance for the



(Dancer and Kirsten Brouwer)

opening of the auction's afternoon programme. Dancer (Vivaldi x Tango x Krack C) recently became World Champion of the 6-yr-olds in Verden in a blood-curdling final in which also the Dutch representatives Dreamboy and Desperado started. Like last year, the dressage foals are auctioned in the afternoon and the showjumping foals in the evening.

The programme looks as follows:

- 12.30 presentation dressage foals
- 14.00 auction dressage foals
- 16.00 presentation showjumping foals
- 18.30 auction showjumping foals

Services for the DVB Foundation

Also this year, Prinsjesdag National Foal Auction will auction stallion services, the fees of which will come to the benefit of the



(Giovanni)

DVB Foundation, the active club around the Olympic riders Coby and Marlies van Baalen, which promotes horse riding for the disabled. As in former years, the DVB Foundation is very happy with two services they are allowed to offer and the suitable platform of NVP to draw attention to their cause. One of these services is from performance test champion Giovanni (Chippendale out of Zarava elite- IBOP-dres. and sport-dres. awarded). The proud breeder and owner Cees van Etten has stationed his own stallion at Gert-Jan van Olst. Van Olst is a loyal supporter of the DVB Foundation and that is why Van Etten and Van Olst together offer this service. 'DVB Foundation is doing good

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work for the group of disabled people who can very well use this support', Cees van Etten explains, 'and I like to help them.'



(Glock's London under Gerco Schröder)

For the showjumping public in the evening a service is auctioned from Glock's London (Nabab de Rève x Chin Chin), the stallion which, under Gerco Schröder, won team gold yesterday at the WC in Normandy and two Olympic silver medals in London. Glock's London is offered by Holstud in Stroe. The Austrian family Gaston and Kathrinn Glock bought London to continue the successful combination with Gerco Schröder. Now the Glock family also wants to help the disabled riders from the DVB Foundation by making a service available from same London. The Glock family supports a lot of social work and had already indicated before that they now also want to do something for the DVB Foundation. You can not be present? You can also make your bid by telephone. Look at the options on the website of NVP <http://www.veuleneveilingprinsjesdag.nl/>

Bennie Wezenberg: Good sales thanks to NVP

Regular participant, supplier and investor Bennie Wezenberg was at last year's Prinsjesdag National Foal Auction awarded the title of 'NVP Breeder of the Year'. The transport entrepreneur from IJsselmuiden already bred several international showjumping horses and licensed stallions, some of which were sold via NVP. This year Stal Wezenberg bred 28 foals. 'But for two foals, which I would like to keep for myself, I sold all of them already. My sales are

going very well. That started when Robin Hood W (Animo x Libero H) began to be internationally successful under Ben Maher, which was good promotion for my breeding and my products came to be in high demand. But also the Prinsjesdag Foal Auction has played an important role in this. Every year I meet foreign customers there, which later want to buy my products', says Bennie Wezenberg, who is a fan of Libero H in the dam's line and top-class sires such as For Pleasure, Quidam de Revel, Mr. Blue, Quick Star, Kannan and Plot Blue. Wezenberg also sells his foals at other auctions, in Germany, for example, but he considers NVP the international foal auction. 'Performance in the dam's line has become important nowadays. It is no longer very interesting to breed with mares with no sport blood in the dam's line. In Germany they even say that 'barnyard breeding' no longer exists. By that they mean to say that the number of big and professional breeders is constantly growing. The costs of veterinary guidance and the flushing of embryos have become very high, and also having to have your horses start in the sport is an enormous financial burden for the breeder. This logically causes a shift.'



(No 61 Cornado I x Werida W van Indoctro)

Wezenberg occasionally buys at Prinsjesdag National Foal Auction. Four years ago he bought a colt, together with the Lodewijk family, by Mr. Blue x Cassini I. This Mr. Europe was later licensed as a stallion by Zangersheide. At this NVP, Wezenberg offers the showjumping foal Jerida W (Cornado x

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Indoctro) and the dressage foal Jazzy W (Jazz x Florestan I) for sale.

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