

# In The Congo Chestnut 2018 16.0 hh



## Race Record

Age	Starts	Wins	2nds	3rds
2	2	1	1	-
3	8	2	3	1
4	5	-	2	-
<b>15</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	

Stakes won: \$1,769,075

- 1st ATC Golden Rose S-G1, Rosehill (1400m) defeating *Anamoe & Coastwatch*  
 ATC San Domenico S-G3, Kembla Grange (1100m) defeating *Paulele & Captivant*  
 ATC Heineken Maiden 2YO H, Kensington (1100m) defeating *Verne & Prasiolite*
- 2nd ATC Arrowfield 3YO Sprint S-G2, Randwick (1200m) to *Mazu & beating Paulele*  
 ATC Run to the Rose-G2, Kembla Grange (1200m) to *Anamoe & beating Remarque*  
 ATC (City Tatt's Lightning) Sydney S-G3, (1200m) to *Rocketing By & beating Weona Smartone*  
 ATC Rosebud H-L, Randwick (1100m) to *Paulele & beating Remarque*  
 Hunter H, Newcastle (1300m) to *Vilana & beating Gravina*  
 ATC Fujitsu General 2YO H, Randwick (1200m) to *Verne & beating Park Avenue*
- 3rd ATC Galaxy H-G1, Rosehill (1100m) to *Shelby Sixtysix & Big Parade*

## Stud Record

IN THE CONGO enters stud in 2023.

## Male Line

**SNITZEL** - Group 1 winner, Second on The 2005-06 Australasian 3YO Classification (sprint). 7 wins, \$1,031,550, MRC Oakleigh P-G1, AJC Challenge S-G2, Up & Coming S-G3, STC Skyline S-G3, AJC Breeders' P-L, BTC (BJ McLachlan P) Tommy Smith Slipper S-L, Wyong RC

Strawberry Hill Slipper S, 2d VRC Newmarket H-G1, 3d AJC TJ Smith S-G1, San Domenico S-G3, GCTC Magic Millions 2YO Classic S (R)-L, 4th AJC All-Aged S-G1, MVRC Manikato S-G1. Champion Sire in Australia in 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, second in 2013-14. Leading Aust. Sire of 2YOs in 2016-17, 2017-18, 2019-20. Leading Aust. Sire (worldwide earnings) in 2017-18, 2018-19. Leading Aust. Sire of 3YOs in 2016-17, 2017-18. Leading Aust. Sire by Winners 2016-17, 2017-18. Sire of the winners of over \$222 million, 134 stakes winners, 119 stakes placegetters, inc-

**TRAPEZE ARTIST** (*Domesday; Bletchingly*). Champion 3YO Colt in Australia in 2017-18. 7 wins, \$5,568,750, ATC TJ Smith S-G1, Golden Rose S-G1, Canterbury S-G1, All Aged S-G1, 3d ATC Randwick Guineas-G1.

**REDZEL** (*Rubiton; Millionaire*). Champion Sprinter & Older Horse in Australia in 2017-18. 15 wins, \$16,444,000, VRC (Victoria Racing Club S) Darley Classic-G1, BRC (BTC Cup) Doomben Ten Thousand S-G1.

**RUSSIAN REVOLUTION** (*Stravinsky; Miswaki*). 7 wins, \$1,284,225, ATC Galaxy H-G1, MRC Oakleigh P-G1, ATC Roman Consul S-G2, MVRC Ian McEwen S-G2.

**SHAMUS AWARD** (*Success Express; Lushin Star*). Champion 3YO Colt in Australia in 2013-14. 2 wins, \$2,473,500, MVRC WS Cox P-G1, VRC Australian Guineas-G1, 2d VRC Sires Produce S-G2.

**SNITZERLAND** (*Fraar; Zephyr Bay*). 8 wins, \$1,974,500, VRC Lightning S-G1, ATC Challenge S-G2, VRC Danehill S-G2, 2d ATC Golden Slipper S-G1, Galaxy H-G1.

**HOT SNITZEL** (*Blushing Groom; Balidar*). 8 wins, \$1,334,850, BRC BTC Cup-G1, ATC Royal Sovereign S-G2, BRC Sires Produce S-G2, 2d BRC TJ Smith S-G1.

**SWEET IDEA** (*Timber Country; First Norman*). 8 wins, \$2,415,350, ATC Galaxy H-G1, 2d ATC (TAD Kennedy S) Coolmore Classic-G1, VRC Myer Classic-G1.

**SIZZLING** (*General Nediym; Alzao*). 7 wins, \$1,332,375, BRC TJ Smith S-G1, Champagne Classic-G2.

**SWORD OF STATE** (*Encosta de Lago; Danzero*). Champion 2YO in NZ in 2020-21. 6 wins, \$313,787, ARC (Eilerslie Sires Produce) Diamond S-.

**WILD RULER** (*Daaher; Indian Charlie*). 6 wins, \$2,618,125, MVRC AJ Moir S-G1, ATC Roman Consul S-G2, (Royal Sovereign S) Arrowfield 3YO Sprint S-G2.

**I AM EXCITED** (*General Nediym; Nashwan*). 7 wins, \$1,231,075, ATC Galaxy H-G1, VRC (Baguette S) Gilgai S-G2, BRC Victory S-G2, 3d BRC Victory S-G2.

**IN THE CONGO** (*Var; Qui Danzig*). 3 wins, \$1,769,075, ATC Golden Rose S-G1, San Domenico S-G3, 2d ATC Run to the Rose-G2, Arrowfield 3YO Sprint S-G2.

**WANDJINA** (*Last Tycoon; Lunchtime*). 3 wins, \$653,064, VRC Australian Guineas-G1, (The Debonair) CS Hayes S-G3, 2d ATC All Aged S-G1.

**ESTIJAAB** (*Charge Forward; Match Winner*). Champion 2YO in Australia in 2017-18. 3 wins, \$2,540,825, ATC Golden Slipper S-G1, Reislung S-G2.

**SHINZO** (*More Than Ready; Secret Savings*). 2 wins, \$3,018,250, ATC Golden Slipper S-G1, Pago Pago S-G3, 2d ATC Skyline S-G2, 3d ATC Canonbury S-G2.

**SUMMER PASSAGE** (*Encosta de Lago; Lure*). Top Male on The 2016-17 NZ 2YO Free H. 3 wins, \$423,606, ARC (Eilerslie Sires Produce) Diamond S-G1.

**HEAVENLY BLUE** (*El Prado; Theatrical*). 3 wins, \$187,061, Turffontein South African Classic-G1, 2d Turffontein Dingaans H-G2, Graham Beck S-G3.

**YEARNING** (*Ekraar; Postponed*). 2 wins, \$826,200, MRC Thousand Guineas-G1, 2d VRC Edward Manifold S-G2.

**INVADER** (*Encosta de Lago; Clay Hero*). Co-champion 2YO Colt in Australia in 2016-17. 2 wins, \$968,375, ATC Sires Produce S-G1, 2d ATC Champagne S-G1.

**AWAY GAME** (*Elusive Quality; Sir Tristram*). Champion 2YO Filly in Australia in 2019-20. 5 wins, \$3,750,225, ATC (Keith Mackay H) Percy Sykes S-G2.

**MR MOZART** (*Rip Van Winkle; Polish Precedent*). 5 wins, \$796,900, ATC Phar Lap S-G2, (Royal Parma S) Doncaster Prelude H-G3, Hawkesbury Guineas-G3.

**SPLINTEX** (*O'Reilly; Centaine*). 7 wins, \$1,187,900, ATC (Royal Sovereign S) Arrowfield 3YO Sprint S-G2, VRC Bobbie Lewis H-G2, ATC Hall Mark S-G3.

**SPILL THE BEANS** (*Falbrav; Ahonoora*). 5 wins, \$560,700, BRC QTC Cup-G2, ATC Eskimo Prince S-G3, Hawkesbury Guineas-G3.

**BEST OF BORDEAUX** (*High Chaparral; Last Tycoon*). Joint Champion 2YO Colt in Australia in 2021-22. 3 wins, \$1,469,750, ATC Silver Slipper S-G2, Roman Consul S-G2, 2d ATC Golden Slipper S-G1.

**FRENCH EMOTION** (Woodman; Copper Kingdom). 8 wins, \$886,390, VRC (Rose of Kingston S.) Blazer S.-G2.

**SHOWTIME** (Timber Country; First Norman). 3 wins, \$624,230, MRC (JL Liston S.) PB Lawrence S.-G2.

**LOFTY STRIKE** (Exceed and Excel; Snippets). 3 wins, \$1,042,040, MRC Rubiton S.-G2.

**TIME FOR WAR** (Zabeel; Mukaddamah). 3 wins, \$470,950, ATC Pago Pago S.-G2, BRC Sires Produce S.-G2.

**LETZBEGLAM** (Forestry; Batonnier). 3 wins, \$267,028, MRC Blue Diamond Prelude (f)-G2.

**FLYING SNITZEL** (Hula Town; The Expatriate). 3 wins, \$340,950, VRC AV Kewney S.-G2.

**FOUR MOVES AHEAD** (Mr. Greeley; Anabaa). 3 wins, \$554,950, ATC Sweet Embrace S.-G2, Tea Rose S.-G2.

**SNITTY KITTY** (Tale of the Cat; Zeditave). 6 wins, \$566,685, MRC Caulfield Sprint H.-G2.

**THRONUM** (Five Star Day; Danzig). 5 wins, \$441,750, MVRC (Stanley Wootton S.) Australia S.-G2.

**MENARI** (General Nediym; Whiskey Road). 3 wins, \$619,050, ATC Run to the Rose H.-G2, Rosebud H.-L.

**FARSON** (Gallo di Ferro; Damister). 5 wins, \$278,612, MRC Autumn Classic-G2, 3d MVRC Alister Clark S.-G2.

**CHANCE BYE** (Red Ransom; Lyphard). 3 wins, \$542,950, STC Silver Slipper S.-G2, 3d AJC Silver Shadow S.-G3.

**CASTLEREAGH KID** (Zabeel; Danehill). 3 wins, \$293,665, MRC Autumn Classic-G2.

**TANGLED** (Shinko King; Gleam Machine). 2 wins, \$688,150, BRC Champagne Classic-G2.

**PERIGNON** (Narita Brian; Rubiton). 2 wins, \$382,250, ATC Light Fingers S.-G2, 2d ATC Magic Night S.-G2.

His sons at stud include Shamus Award (21 SW), Russian Revolution (8SW), Wandjina, Time for War, etc.

Broodmare sire of the winners of over \$49 million - 23 stakes winners - 1 Group One winner inc **MOSSFUN**, **SUPER SMINK**, **NORTH STAR LASS**, **MARINE ONE**, **LA VISH GIRL**, **DAISIES**, **THE NOVELIST**, **CANNONBALL**, **SNOWDOME**, **PINSTRIPED**, etc

**Maternal Grandsire**

**VAR** - Group 1 winner, Joint Champion Older Male Sprinter in GB in 2004. 7 wins, £196,666, Longchamp Prix de l'Abbaye de Longchamp-G1, Goodwood Starlit S.-L. Leading Sire of 2YO in South Africa in 2016-17, 2017-18. Champion Sire of Winners in South Africa in 2018-19. Sire of the winners of over \$18 million, 57 stakes winners, 50 stakes placegetters. Broodmare sire of the winners of over \$6.5 million - 18 stakes winners - 5 Group One winners inc **THUNDERSTRUCK**, **ALESIAN CHIEF**, **IN THE CONGO**, **MASTER ARCHIE**, **TEMPTING FATE**, **SMORGASBORD**, **MONTREAL MIST**, etc.

**Female Line**

**Dam**

**VIA AFRICA**, by Var. Champion Sprinter in South Africa in 2013-14. 10 wins 1000-1200m, \$267,151, Kenilworth Cape Flying Championship-G1, Scottsville South African Fillies Sprint-G1-twice, Kenilworth Southern Cross S.-G2, Clairwood TC Kwazulu-Natal S.-L-twice, Safety Security Services P, Scottsville Soccer 10 H, All to Come P, 2d Kenilworth Cape Flying Championship-G1, Turffontein Computaform Sprint H.-G1-twice, 3d Kenilworth Southern Cross S.-G2. Half-sister to **Elusivenchantment**. Dam of three named foals, two to race, both winners, inc:-

**IN THE CONGO** (c. by Snitzel), see above.

**Pleasant Endeavor** (g. by Redoute's Choice). 5 wins 1000-1200m, \$879,418, to 2022-23, HKJC Mai Po H, Lugard H, Magazine Gap H, Parmigiani Fleurier Excellent H, Citi Private Bank H.

**2nd Dam**

**BUMP 'N GRIND**, by Qui Danzig. 3 wins 1000m in South Africa. Dam of 13 named foals, 12 to race, 11 winners, inc:-

**VIA AFRICA** (Var), see above.

**Elusivenchantment** (Elusive Fort). 7 wins 1000-1200m, \$108,475, Fairview Tab Telebet S, Scottsville Racing It's a Rush H, ANA Insurance Broker H, 2d Scottsville Kwazulu-Natal S.-L.

**Al Wahed**. 7 wins 1000m, \$104,845, 2d Durbanville Tab Telebet H, Kenilworth Play Soccer H, 3d Durbanville Racing It's a Rush H.

**Hey Boy**. 2 wins 1000-1200m, 2d Greyville Vital Distribution Solutions H.

**Swift Dancer**. Winner at 2 1200m, 3d Kenilworth Ridgmont Racing H. Dam of-

**Aztec Warrior** (Futura). Placed at 2 in 2021-22, 2d Scottsville Tabgold.co.za Juvenile P, 3d Scottsville Godolphin Barb S.-G3.

**The Charleston**. 2 wins 1000-1200m in 2022-23, Kenilworth Bloodstock SA Sales Cup.

**3rd Dam**

**COLLEGE GIRL**, by Quick Turnover. 3 wins 1000m in South Africa. Dam of 8 foals, 7 to race, 6 winners, inc:-

**The Crying Game**. 10 wins 1000-1400m, \$103,667 in South Africa.

**4th Dam**

**BOMBSHELL**, by Lords. 2 wins in South Africa. Half-sister to **FAST ONE**. Dam of 1 foal-**College Girl**, see above.

**Nicks for Snitzel**

Damsire	N	R	W	GI	SW	A\$
	1717	1434	1116	19	134	222.3m
Rubiton (AUS)	3	3	3	1	1	16,662k
More Than Ready (USA)41	36	33	1	4	10,649k	
Encosta de Lago (AUS) 96	79	61	3	7	8,468k	
General Nediym (AUS) 33	30	24	2	4	6,831k	
Red Ransom (USA) 42	35	26	0	4	6,266k	
Domesday (AUS) 7	4	4	1	1	5,935k	
Elusive Quality (USA) 24	18	15	0	5	5,809k	
Zabeel (NZ) 59	51	37	0	6	5,119k	
Sunday Silence (USA) 17	17	15	0	1	4,709k	
Umatilla (NZ) 9	7	7	0	1	4,030k	
Charge Forward (AUS) 19	17	12	1	2	3,611k	
Timber Country (USA) 11	10	7	1	2	3,417k	
Shamardal (USA) 14	13	11	0	0	3,236k	
Success Express (USA) 7	6	5	1	1	2,931k	
Dehere (USA) 29	27	19	0	1	2,785k	
O'Reilly (NZ) 17	12	11	0	2	2,727k	
Fusaichi Pegasus (USA) 19	17	14	0	2	2,710k	
Fraar (USA) 10	9	8	1	2	2,686k	
Daaher (CAN) 2	2	1	1	1	2,629k	
High Chaparral (IRE) 12	8	5	0	2	2,388k	
Last Tycoon (IRE) 14	11	11	1	2	2,386k	
Sadler's Wells (USA) 11	9	8	0	0	2,377k	
Stravinsky (USA) 18	15	13	1	1	2,198k	
Tale of the Cat (USA) 16	14	11	0	2	2,098k	
Thunder Gulch (USA) 9	8	7	0	1	2,088k	
Street Cry (IRE) 17	12	10	0	4	1,945k	
French Deputy (USA) 9	8	6	0	3	1,931k	
Woodman (USA) 14	13	10	0	1	1,857k	
Savabeel (AUS) 19	15	9	0	0	1,845k	
Var (USA) 1	1	1	1	1	1,769k	

SNITZEL B 2002	Danehill (USA)	<b>Danzig</b>	1 Northern Dancer	2d	
			Pas de Nom	7a	
	Redoute's Choice		Razyana	His Majesty	4d
				1 Spring Adieu	2d
	Shantha's Choice		Canny Lad	Bletchingly	7a
				Jesmond Lass	14
	Snippets		Dancing Show (USA)	Nijinsky	8f
				Show Lady	8f
	Snippets' Lass		Lunchtime (GB)	Silly Season	1g
				Great Occasion	7f
Snow Finch (IRE)		Easy Date	Grand Chaudiere (CAN)	19b	
			Scampering	20a	
VIA AFRICA B 2009	Forest Wildcat	<b>Storm Bird</b>	1 Northern Dancer	2d	
			South Ocean	4j	
	Var		A Realgirl	In Reality	21a
				Secret Verdict	2c
	Loma Preata		Storm Cat	<b>Storm Bird</b>	4j
				Terlingua	8c
	College Girl		Victoria Beauty	Bold Native	13c
				Abifaith	1n
	Bump 'n Grind		Zilzal	Nureyev	5h
				French Charmer	8h
College Girl		Halley's Comeback	Key to the Kingdom	2n	
			Promised Princess	1l	
Bombshell		<b>Danzig</b>	1 Northern Dancer	2d	
			Pas de Nom	7a	
College Girl		Qui Danzig	Native Royalty	4k	
			Qui Blink	22d	
Bombshell		Quick Turnover	Buckpasser	1s	
			Bold Consort	5f	
Bombshell		Lords	Lords	5e	
			Swift Lady	2o	

**The highest Timeform rated 3YO by Snitzel in the last 5 years - higher than Russian Revolution**

**The fastest winner of the Group 1 Golden Rose in history**

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