



GANTON BELTAINE

Dark Bay/Black 16.2 hands National Hunt 15/16 Thoroughbred 2000
 Licensed Weatherby's NTR
 Sire – Suluk Dam – Fair Splash (Monsuiere Edouarde)
 Stud Fee: £300 NFFR
 Covering Certificates Weatherby's NTR

This impressive almost black son of **Suluk** is an outstanding horse with a beautiful head, expressive paces and a huge careful jump. He has a fantastic temperament, a very kind eye and excellent bloodlines linking him to some of the top racehorses of all time. His pedigree has been carefully chosen since 1939 to produce an outstanding performance sire for eventing, show jumping and all round competition horses.

As a three year old he was placed 3rd and 4th in the Scottish Loose Jumping Young Horse Series narrowly missing out on qualifying for the finals. The judges commented on his fabulous attitude scoring 8.5 for his technique, scope and suitability. His classic careful technique over a big fence is the type you would only normally find in a warm blood but having hunted as a youngster he can also gallop across country with the best of them being bold and brave into water etc. He was jumping consistent double clears, and working at elementary level dressage but has had to retire on vets advice from competition due to a ham string injury. The immediate family to this lovely stallion are out and out performers being out of the same mare as Grade A showjumper/Eventer and graded sports horse stallion **Ganton Rufus**, and full brother to intermediate Eventer **Rubric 50** British Eventing points 2007 competing CCI * level and Eventer/Showjumper **Right Boy**.



He has produced some beautifully marked coloured foals to coloured mares, with the ability to produce quality stock with exceptional temperaments and exquisite heads, he adds quality, length of leg and rein to heavier types of mares. He is very experienced with his mares a perfect gentleman when covering carrying a predominant bay gene and has so far never thrown chestnut.

Beltaine has the ability to consistently produce fabulous stock and to inject quality and blood into all types of mares the beautiful head was inherited from his mother and is passed on to all his foals.

We also consider him to be an excellent cross to pony mares to produce working hunters, small hunters and welsh partbreds.

Arctic Prince Of Belair Reserve Champion Foal at North of England Show 2003, overall Champion Youngstock 2006 and consistently winning in hand. Sire of show hack stallion **Prince of Belair**. **Whistling Sands Night Fever** and Welsh Partbred Stallion **Whistling Sands The Man** 4 shows 3 Firsts, 1st Championship and a WPCS Medal & Reserve Champion - now showjumping with Ellen Whitaker. **Beltainesrio** - 2nd Competition Horse Show 2007, 3rd Otley Agricultural Show 2007. **Mallendyke Miss Notreve** – Winter Foal Welsh Medal Show Champion foal placed small hack breeding Royal Lancs, Royal Welsh, PUK Summer Champs. **Budding Star** – Eventer with British Dressage points. **Shakira Reign** Champion Yearling, 1st Premium BEF Futurity Evaluations 2009, 1st Sports Horse & Riding Horse Royal Lancs. 09.



Progeny out of Weatherby's GSB and NTR mares are eligible to race under rules:

Suluk xx	Lypheor	Lyphard	Northern Dancer
			Goofed
	Cheerful Heart	Kalizia	Sing Sing
			Klania
		Petingo	Petition
			Alcazar
	Doc Nan	Francis S	
		Betty	
Fair Splash	Monsuiere Edouards	Sahib	Sir Gaylord
			Hideout
	Fair Margaret	Fernhill Melody	Golden Cloud
			Jungle Music
		Quality Fair	Hook Money
			Fairy Flower
	Peggy's Royal	Specific	
		Princess's Last	

Suluk – ‘ King of the all weather ‘ at Southwell. Won 26 races. On the flat 8 wins & 12 places. Over hurdles 27 runs, 18 wins & 4 places. First crop; **Lucky Melody** (won abroad and placed on flat GB). Suluk described by Race Form “ *looked well* “, “ *stayed on strongly* “, “ *made virtually all* “. Won at Phoenix Park Ireland, Yorkshire Television Handicap at Thirsk, Carlisle City Handicap, Nicholas Nickleby Handicap at Southwell, Shakespeare Handicap Novice Hurdle and the Charles Elsey Memorial Challenge Trophy at Beverley. Winnings of £61,500.

Lypheor – Stakes winner of 5 races in France. Stood at stud in Ireland, Japan and Kentucky. Sire of Group 1 winners **Royal Heroine** and **Tolomeo**. Also sire of Champion sprinter in Japan **Nippo Teio** and **Heart of Joy** who was second to **Salsabil** in the Group 1 1000 Guineas 1990. **Lyphard** – Group 1 winner. Sire of **Dancing Brave** winner of the L’Arc De Triomphe, Group 1 Longchamps (record time) and second in the Ever Ready Derby at Epsom.

Northern Dancer – Champion 3 yr old USA. Sire of 365 winners. Sire of 146 Stakes winners including **Saddlers Wells**, **Shareef Dancer**, **Nijinsky**, **The Minstrel** and **El Gran Senor**.

Fair Splash – Dam of Grade A showjumper and eventer **Ganton Rufus** (Champion Welsh part bred stallion), **Ganton Redstart**, **Ganton Rumour** both showjumpers and eventers, **Rubric**, **Remus** and **Right Boy** full brothers to Ganton Beltaine have started successful showjumping, eventing and dressage careers.

Monsuiere Edouarde—3rd in the Scottish National, 3rd in the Beechers Chase, completed the Grand National, sire of **Mister Ed**, **Tom Taylor** and **Edouarde Fox**. **Mister Ed** won 9 races over jumps, was 4th in the Midlands National and 4th in the grand National. **Tom Taylor** won over jumps and on the flat. **Edouarde Fox** won over jumps.

Sahib—won four races (Gr. 3) and listed race over jumps at the Curragh.

Fernhill Melody – Won on the flat and was the dam of three winners. **Quality Fair** – Sire of countless Show Horses, intermediate eventer **Crown Gold**, Supreme Champion broodmare **Crown Aqua Marine** and advanced dressage horse **Indian Summer**. **Princess's Last** – By **Perion** who was a champion racehorse by the legendary **Hyperion**. Dam of Point to Point winners **Beltane II**, **Just King**, **Copper King** and **Dark Velvet** who completed early Badminton. **Princess Charming**— The original foundation broodmare and dam of Princess's last. The mare was thoroughbred but due to the war her pedigree was unrecorded though she was by **Prince Thorpe xx** by **Deers Cap xx** & unfairly given a Weatherby's NTR Passport.

Ganton Beltaine bred by the late George Coombe. His foundation mare **Princess Charming** was bought for £15 in 1939, this mare produced his top winning Point to Pointer by Alarm Bell-Bellane II. By using top TB bloodlines over the next 60 years we come to his name sake Ganton Beltaine.

“ An immensely talented horse with a fabulous attitude and a huge scopey jump, a definite top competition prospect, this horse has real class “ **Allan Birch**

