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shine on NSWROA members



Bid Spotter (Ryan Wiggins) cruises away with the City Tattersalls Club Cup at Royal Randwick for owners [among others] Graeme Rogerson and Gerry Harvey

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Carnival time is always very special – it’s when the “stars come out and shine” and that is exactly what NSWROA members did in October.

It was a bumper month for members of the Association who recorded no fewer than fourteen black type wins for the month (up by one on our total for September).

Congratulations to all. Four of our members also recorded multiple black type wins – Dato Tan Chin Nam, Gerry Harvey, Sheikh Mohammed and Patinack Farm Racing Syndicate – a fantastic effort.

The fourteen black type wins included three at Group 1 level, three at Group 2 level, two at Group 3 level and six at Listed Race Level. Those wins are displayed in

the table that appears below.

When it comes to being a successful owner NSWROA member Dato Tan Chin Nam has few peers. He had the good fortune to win four Group races in October, three of which were at the highest level, with four different horses.

His first success was the Group 1 MRC Toorak Handicap with Allez Wonder. Allez Wonder (Redoute’s Choice-Luna Tudor) who is co-owned with Suez Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd Syndicate and Dr M Alexeeff, has recorded three wins and a third placing from her 16 career starts for \$507,513 in prizemoney.

The 2008 Melbourne Cup winner Viewed delivered

GROUP 1 		
MVRC W S Cox Plate	<i>So You Think (NZ)</i>	Dato Tan Chin Nam
MRC Caulfield Cup	<i>Viewed</i>	Dato Tan Chin Nam
MRC Toorak Handicap	<i>Allez Wonder</i>	Dato Tan Chin Nam
GROUP 2 		
MRC Caulfield Sprint	<i>First Command</i>	L Macri
VRC Wakeful Stakes	<i>Faint Perfume</i>	Dato Tan Chin Nam
VRC Gilgai Stakes	<i>All Silent</i>	N and Mrs Y Begg
GROUP 3		
MRC Betfair Stakes	<i>McClintock</i>	G Harvey
VRC Carbine Club Stakes	<i>Kidnapped</i>	Sheikh Mohammed
LISTED		
AJC Angst Stakes	<i>Illuminates</i>	G Harvey
AJC Breeders Plate	<i>Run for Wilson</i>	Patinack Farm Racing Syndicate
City Tattersalls Club Cup	<i>Bid Spotter</i>	G Rogerson and G Harvey
Brian Crowley Stakes	<i>Love Conquerors All</i>	N Moraitis, AM 
MRC Jayco Stakes	<i>Kidnapped</i>	Sheikh Mohammed
VRC Paris Lane Stakes	<i>Raheeb</i>	Patinack Farm Racing Syndicate

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the second Group 1 success for the month for Dato Tan Chin Nam when he scored in the MRC Caulfield Cup. The Caulfield Cup was a race that had previously eluded this very successful owner but what an incredible result this year was with another of his horses, Roman Emperor (co-owned with J B Cummings, Mrs J Standen and NSWROA members Wilf and Rosemary Mula), providing him with the Cup quinella.

Viewed (Scenic(IRE)-Lovers Knot), who incidentally was bred by another NSWROA member Ian Johnson, took his career earnings to \$5,883,530 from his 9 wins, 4 second placings and 3 third placings.

The third Group 1 win was in the MVRC W S Cox Plate with So You Think (NZ) (High Chaparral(IRE)-Triassic(NZ)), co-owned with Tunku Ahmad Yahaya. What an impressive young horse this is with only 2 preparations and 5 race starts under his belt.

This time in he has had four starts for 2 wins (a Group 1 and a Group 3), a second placing (Listed) and a fifth placing (Group 1) and has amassed \$2,075,850 in prizemoney to date.

Faint Perfume (Shamardal(USA)-Zona), co-owned with Dr A T and Mrs C M Jackson, gave Dato Tan Chin Nam further success when she saluted in the Group 2 VRC Wakeful Stakes at Flemington. This was the first black type win for Faint Perfume who has only faced the starter 6 times for 2 wins and a third placing.

NSWROA member Gerry Harvey also had multiple black type wins in October recording three successes. His first winner was Illuminates (Strategic-Dazzle Light) (co-owned with Mr K H Ely and Mrs C O'Brien) who scored in the Listed AJC Angst Stakes at Randwick on 3 October.

McClintock (King Cugat(USA)-She's Sweet) provided win number two when he saluted in the Group 3 Betfair Stakes (Moonga Stakes) at Caulfield on 17 October. His third black type win was provided by Bid Spotter (Redoute's Choice-Isolda(NZ)) (co-owned with fellow

NSWROA member Mr G Rogerson, R W James & Mrs P M James, M P and Mrs H Keegan, K T Nam, M A & Mrs J Tilyard & Echo Beach Bloodstock Syndicate) who won the Listed City Tattersalls Club Cup at Randwick on 17 October 2009.

Another NSWROA member to taste multiple black type success was Patinack Farm Racing Syndicate recording two Listed Race winners. Run For Wilson (Sharmadal(USA)-Ocean Bridge) scored most impressively on debut in the Listed AJC Breeders Plate on 3 October and Raheeb (Royal Academy(USA)-Gatana) also saluted on the same day in the Listed VRC Superstable Stakes (Paris Lane Stakes) at Flemington.

Sheikh Mohammed was the final NSWROA member to record multiple black type wins in October both with Kidnapped (Viscount-Youthful Presence), firstly in the Listed MRC Jayco Stakes (Gothic Stakes) at Caulfield and then in the Group 3 VRC Carbine Club Stakes at Flemington on 31 October.

Black type wins were also recorded during the month by Mr N & Mrs Y Begg (All Silent – Group 2 VRC Gllgai Stakes), Mr L Macri (First Command – Group 2 MRC Caulfield Sprint), Mr N Moraitis (Love Conquers All – Listed Brian Crowley Stakes) and Mr G Rogerson (Bid Spotter – Listed City Tattersalls Club Cup).

But it wasn't only in the black type arena that our members were having success. During October, NSWROA members also recorded wins in New South Wales at Armidale, Ballina (2), Bathurst, Broadmeadow (5), Canberra, Canterbury (7), Casino, Cessnock (2), Gosford (6), Goulburn (3), Gundagai (2), Hawkesbury (5), Inverell (2), Kembla (4), Mungery, Muswellbrook, Nowra, Port Macquarie (2), Quenabeyan, Quirindi, Randwick (9), Rosehill (9), Tamworth (2), Tumut, Wagga, Warwick Farm, Wyong (5) and Young.

Once again, congratulations to all members and indeed, all owners who recorded winners during the month.

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For further information, simply visit our website www.nswroa.com.au or telephone the NSWROA office on 9299 4299.

May I take this opportunity, on behalf of the President and Members of the NSWROA Committee, to wish all readers the compliments of the season and a happy, healthy and prosperous 2010. **RNSW**

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