



THURSDEN VALLYE RAPHAEL

The Heir Apparent

Bay 14 hands (143cm) 2003 British Riding Pony Licensed NPS
Registered Part-Bred Arab (14.6%)
Sire – Aimbry Chester
Dam - Berry Rose Dawn Chorus
(Yealand Nightowl)
Stud Fee On Application

In his career he has conquered the far corners of the United Kingdom taking championships from Scotland, Wales, and as far as the South Coast - Unbelievable !!

Thursden Vallye Raphael a striking son of Graded Sports Pony Stallion **Aimbry Chester** out of a classically bred SPSS graded **Yealand Nightowl** mare. This elegant pony has an exquisite head, fabulous athletic paces and superb temperament. He has very correct conformation with a fabulous front, length of rein and the ability to inject quality into all types of mares, continually producing his own stamp over and over again. He does not carry the red gene so therefore has never produced a chestnut foal even to chestnut mares. This attractive talented pony stallion shows a careful jump over poles, loose jumping up to 1.15m and is bold and brave across country, water, ditches, banks etc hacking out alone and in company. He has been fully vetted and licensed with the National Pony Society. He was easily backed and ridden away during Autumn 2005 by a small child and is still proving to be calm and sensible, regularly ridden and handled by children. This must surely be testament to his outstanding manners and temperament, he is the perfect Childs pony – the type mothers dreams are made of.



Raphael has taken all the qualities from his father's influential warm blood breeding which includes Advanced Dressage Stallion **Wadacre Chicko**, top international show jumping stallions **Ramiro Z, Lady Killer, Rastell and Raimondo**, as well as his mothers top class riding pony breeding which includes **Yealand Nightowl, Bottingelle Swansong, Bwlch Valentino, Oakley Bubbling Spring and Blue Print. Berry Rose Dawn Chorus** was a winning Riding Pony Broodmare, when she graded with The Sports Pony Studbook Society in 2003, Raphael was described by both judges as an outstanding foal with excellent conformation, temperament and charisma.



In 2010 as well as continuing a top level in hand and ridden showing career he will be produced by International Dressage rider Lisa Marriott as a Dressage pony, with the aim to be selected with a junior rider for BYRDS pony teams. He is already working at medium level & won first time out at Novice level scoring 69.5% he currently has 20 British Dressage points. In the winter of 2009 he will begin his showjumping training with international junior showjumper Lara Whiteway who is a member of the Junior British Team. Autumn 2009 he competed at the Cherif Championships carrying a side saddle something he took to after only a weeks training. His long term career plans are to be produced as potential JA and FEI event pony as well as an outstanding ridden show pony, his career potential is unlimited.

We consider him to be a superb choice to breed top class children's competition ponies including show hunter ponies, working hunter ponies, dressage, and jumping ponies. As well as the ability to down size to breed fabulous Hacks, Ridden Part Bred Arabs and Intermediates from larger mares. His youngstock and foals are proving to be exquisite with fantastic temperaments and conformation and that incredible “look at me” factor. Raphael is a top class multi champion performance pony stallion with an outstanding competition record. He surely must be the best performance pony stallion standing in Lancashire and probably without a rival in the North West of England.

Frozen Semen is also available in Australia, South Africa, Northern Ireland and the European Union.



Aimbry Chester	Wadacre Chicko	Atlantus
		Rum Moss
Berry Rose Dawn Chorus	Annika	Rastell
		Lorina
	Yealand Night Owl	Cilwych Frantic
		Yealand Dreams
	Yealand Vanessa	Botingelle Swansong
		Yealand Replica

Progeny includes: **Bathleyhills Sea Swift** - 1st & Champion winning NPS Silver Medal Rosette, Show Hunter Pony - Ashby De La Zouch Show. Champion Show Hunter Pony In Hand NCPA Leics & Rutland Show. Silver Horse Show, Supreme Champion, Graded SPSS broodmare achieving a SPSS first Premium at The SPSS Open Youngstock Show at The Heart Of England Equestrian Centre 2008 scoring 9/10 for temperament 9/10 for walk and 9/10 for trot, 2009 BEF Broodmare Premium. **Bathleyhills Chocolate Dream** 2nd PBW British National Foal Show. 1st SPSS Open Youngstock show achieving a SPSS first Premium scoring 9/10 for temperament and general impression, 9.5/10 for head/neck and 9/10 for walk. BEF Futurity first premium & SPSS first Premium 2009. **Songbird Of The Skie** Champions of the future 1st Sports Horse Foal 2009 1st Part Bred Arab Youngstock. In 2008 he sired the champion pony foal of Ireland at the Cavan Championships. Champions of the future 1st Sports Horse Foal, 1st PBA 2/3 yr old Best Of British 2009. First crop of exquisite foals born in Italy this year.



"The Topspec Supreme In Hand Champion was Thursden Vallye Raphael, who was also our Roseberry overall Champion and the Spring Show Supreme- there is something in his stud advert that states " he walks on water" he has certainly lived up to that at Area 4 shows this season"

NPS Area 4 Autumn 2008 News Letter.



Competition Results 2009

Overall Best Stallion Award Third Year in succession to Cherif Finals. Supreme Ridden Friday Royal London Show. 1st SHP Mixed. eight Open Royal London Show. 1st Reserve Champion Arabian of Great Britain Royal London Show. Reserve Champion Show Pony of Great Britain Royal London Show. Overall Champion Roseberry Show Hunter Pony National Pony Society Summer Championships. Overall Champion Silver Medal Bankswood Show Hunter Pony National Pony Society Summer Championships. Gold Medal Winner Show Hunter Pony National Pony Society Summer Championships. Overall Reserve Champion Show Hunter Pony Breeding National Pony Society Summer Championships. Champion Show Hunter Pony Breeding Scottish Horse Show. Final 5 in Cuddy Final Scottish Horse Show. Champion (3rd time in 4 years) Cedarwood Competition Horse / Pony Ponies UK Summer Championships. 1st Reserve Champion Competition Horse / Pony In Hand Ponies UK Summer Championships. 1st Hunter Pony Peek a Boo Finals Ponies UK Summer Championships. 1st Blue Chip Ridden Competition Pony Ponies UK Summer Championships. Reserve Champion Senior Part Bred Part Bred and Anglo National Championships. 1st 148cm PBA Ridden Part Bred and Anglo National Championships. 1st & Champion Ridden - Part & Pure Bred Arab - Royal Lancashire Horse Show – ridden by Amy Hunter – a fantastic result as Amy literally sat on him for the first time ever as the class began!! Overall fourth Whiteside & Knowles Supreme In Hand Championship. 1st Hunter Pony Stallion - Northern Horse Show. 1st & Reserve Supreme Riding Pony Breeding - Northern Horse Show (top five in Cuddy). 2nd Ridden Part Bred Arab - White Rose County. 1st & Champion – Ridden Part Bred – NPS Area 5 Winter Show. 2nd Ridden PBA Royal International Qualifier – BSPS Scotland. 2nd Ridden PBA Royal International Qualifier – North of England. Qualified Cherif Finals – North of England. Reserve Champion - Cedarwood Sports Horse / Pony In hand – West Midlands Show. 1st & Champion – Peek-a-Boo Hunter Pony In Hand – West Midlands Show. Qualified Ponies UK Summer Championship 2009. 1st & Reserve Champion – Part Bred & Anglo – North Staffs. Arab Horse Spring Show. Qualified Part Bred & Anglo Championships. 1st & Champion – Hunter Pony In Hand – NPS Area 4 Spring Show. Supreme In Hand – Qualified NPS British Isles Final, Whiteside & Knowles In Hand Final, Roseberry Hunter Pony Championship, NPS Silver Medal Finals (SHP), Roseberry Northern Breeders Finals. 1st & Champion Part Bred Arab In Hand Newark and Notts

Competition Results 2008

1st and Champion BSPS Scotland qualified RIHS. West Midlands Show. 1st and Champion Midas Show Hunter Pony in-hand. 1st and Reserve Champion Competition Horse/Pony in-hand. AHS North Wales Supreme Ridden Champion. NPS Area 4 Spring Show Overall Supreme In Hand qualifying for NPS /Universal packaging British Isles In Hand Final, & The Whiteside and Knowles In Hand Final. 1st & Champion Hunter Pony. Midland Counties 1st PBA Stallion In Hand Reserve Champion PBA Ridden , South of England Show 1st PBA in Hand Stallion .Royal Highland 1st Part Bred Arab. Northern Horse Show 1st & Reserve Champion SHP, Reserve Champion PBA, NPS Summer Championships 1st PBA In Hand Stallion 1st Equissage Bankswood Stud Hunter Pony Finals 1st Hunter Pony Stallion 3rd Universal Packaging British Isles In Hand Finals. Scottish Horse Show 1st & Reserve Champion SHP 1st & Champion Performance / Sports Pony. Ponies UK Summer Champs 1st & 1st Reserve Champion Riding Pony (over 4 years) Reserve Champion Sports Horse / Pony 1st & Champion DJ Risley over 4 years, Reserve Champion Overall DJ Risley Hacks / Riding Horses & Riding Ponies 1st & Champion Cedarwood Potential Dressage / Sports Horse / Pony 1st & Champion Midas Hunter Pony. NPS Area 4 Supreme Champion Topspec In Hand Championship Supreme Champion Roseberry Northern Breeders Final 1st & Champion Part Bred Arab In Hand 1st & Champion Sports Pony In Hand. Addington Manor - British Dressage Young Horse Championships 3rd Place Snuggy Hoods 5 year old Dressage Pony Championships. Cherif Finals 1st Under 148cm Finals Awarded the Fairlyn Gemini Trophy for Best Overall Stallion this was the 2nd consecutive year also he was 1st & Champion Concours D'Elegance and best junior rider was awarded to his rider Emma Dewhurst.

Competition Results 2007

1st and Reserve Champion BSPS 9B Hereford Marches qualified RIHS. AHS North Wales 1st and Supreme Ridden, Reserve Overall Supreme. Northern Horse Show Winner PBA Stallion. Addington Manor Reserve Champion Snuggy Hoods 4 year old Dressage Pony Championships, Highest Placed British Bred Pony in the whole Competition. NPS Summer Champs 1st SHP & RP Stallion, Scottish Horse Show 1st and Champion Show Hunter Pony In Hand. NPS area 4. Reserve Supreme overall Roseberry Northern Breeders In hand. NCPA Supreme champion ex. 4 yrs. In Hand, Champion SHP Stallion, Champion PBA Stallion. Cherif Ridden Champs 4th not ex. 148cm Overall Best Stallion of the Championships. Royal London Overall Champion Arabian of Great Britain. Reserve Supreme Champion Show Horse Of Great Britain. BEF Futurity Evaluation 1st Premium Diploma for Dressage & Top Pony 4 yrs and Special Premium Diploma.

For the full extensive list of Raphael's competition success since a 3 year old please see our website.