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#### **OSARUS**

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# SAGEBURG AND SIYOUNI FILLIES TOP SECOND DAY

The second day of the eighth edition of the Osarus Yearling Sale at La Teste Racecourse saw Jean-Claude Rouget go to €68,000 for **Lot 146**, the first foal out of Gr.2-placed **Louve Rouge**, writes Sally Ann Grassick. This daughter of **Sageburg** was presented by Jedburgh Stud and Haras d'Ellon. Louve Rouge proved her precociousness when second in the Gr.2 Prix Robert Papin at two and Rouget commented afterwards, "Her dam had quality on the track and this is her first foal. Anything is possible with this filly. I have not bought her for anyone in particular."

Jedburgh Stud and Haras d'Ellon teamed up again to present **Lot 227**, a daughter of **Siyouni**, who was knocked down to

Deauville-based trainer Stephane Wattel, after seeing off underbidder Tony Forde, for €68,000. Wattel commented: "I have bought her for John Corbani and his associates. She is a good looking, well bred filly who was everything I was looking for; a little precocious but also a little classy. I like her maternal family a lot, which is that of **Molly Martine**, and I am happy to buy from these vendors who do a good job." This filly is out of the four-time winner **Shinabaa** (**Anabaa**), who is herself a daughter of Listed winner and Gr.3-placed **Shining Molly** (**Kris**).

Matt Coleman of Stroud Coleman Bloodstock went to €62,000 for Lot 152, a colt from the first crop of Harbour Watch. Presented by Haras du Buff, this colt is the first foal out of the winning mare Make Up (Kyllachy), who is herself a half-sister to Listed winner and Gr.2-placed Hoyam (Royal Applause). "I have bought this colt for the breeze-up sales in the UK next year," explained Coleman. "It was my last bid and he made exactly what I valued him at so I am happy with my purchase. Harbour Watch is producing nice horses and Kyllachy is proving a good broodmare sire. He looks a precocious sort and he has a speed pedigree. I think he is a readymade two-year-old." The aforementioned Hoyam was a breeze-up purchase at the Tattersalls Craven sale for 55,000gns.

Presented by HSV Agency – Haras de St Vincent, **Lot 195** was bought by Sylvain Vidal for €45,000. This daughter of **Loup Breton** is a half-sister to **Guajaraz** (**Rashbag**), a Listed winner in France and Listed-placed in Hong Kong. Vidal said, "I have bought

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#### **OSARUS LA TESTE YEARLING SALE – DAY TWO**

Lot	Sex	Sire – Dam	Vendor	Purchaser	Price (€)
146	f	SAGEBURG – Louve Rouge	Jedburgh Stud & Haras d'Ellon	Jean-Claude Rouget	68,000
227	f	SIYOUNI – Shinabaa	Jedburgh Stud & Haras d'Ellon	Stephane Wattel	68,000
152	С	HARBOUR WATCH – Make Up	Haras du Buff	Stroud Coleman Bloodstock	62,000
195	f	LOUP BRETON – Rahyna	HSV Agency – Haras de St Vincent	Sylvain Vidal	45,000
201	f	ELUSIVE CITY – Resquilleuse	La Motteraye Consignment	Meridian International	42,000
254	С	POWER – Touch Of Silk	Haras du Buff	Eoghan O'Neill	42,000

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her for Gerard Augustin-Normand. She looks like she has plenty of speed, which is what we are all looking for! She is a well bred filly and there is a lot of speed in her pedigree. I like **Rahy** a lot as a broodmare sire."

Ghislain Bozo of Meridian International went to €42,000 for Lot 201, an Elusive City filly from La Motteraye consignment. This filly is out of Resquilleuse (Dehere), making her a half-sister to multiple winners including Listed winner Flash Dance (Zamindar). "I have bought her for a partnership involving Frank

Walter and she will go into training with Pia Brandt. I like this family a lot and hopefully it is a page that will continue to improve in the future," explained Bozo.

**Lot 254**, a colt by **Power**, was bought for €42,000 by trainer Eoghan O'Neill, who was responsible for buying and training the best graduate of this sale to date **Suits You**, winner of this year's Listed Chesham Stakes at Royal Ascot. This colt is a half-brother to two winners and his dam **Touch Of Silk** (**Night Shift**) is a half-sister to Listed winner and Gr.2-placed **Arabic Song** (**Alhaarth**).

Jean-Claude Rouget also purchased **Lot 158**, a **Never On Sunday** colt from Haras de Grandcamp, for €40,000. This colt is the first foal out of the unraced **Masseria** (**Della Francesca**), but that did not pose a problem for Rouget for a very good reason; "I trained both the sire and the dam of this colt so it is a family that I know very well. Masseria was a magnificent filly who unfortunately had a knee problem and never raced. Never On Sunday's first crop are two-year-olds this year and I have a few of them in my yard."

Local trainer Christophe Ferland went to €40,000 for Lot 249, a son of Vertigineux from Haras des Granges. Ferland said, "I train the two-year-old half-sister to this colt Indecence Choisie [Kendargent], but this yearling is an even nicer type than she is. I have bought her for a new partnership between owners Guy Pariente and Gerard Laboureau." This filly is out of the two-time winner The Jostler (Dansili), who is a daughter of Listed-placed The Jotter (Night Shift).

**Lot 258**, a daughter of Harbour Watch from the family of Gr.1 Deutsches Derby winner and sire **Wiener Walzer** presented by Haras

du Logis, was knocked down to Haras du Saubouas for €40,000. Paul Basquin explained: "I like the progeny of Harbour Watch that I have seen so far; they seem precocious. This was one of the best fillies of the day for me. She looks very mature and should make an early two-year-old."

Emmanuel Viaud of Osarus said at the end of the sale: "Overall we are pleased with the figures for this sale. We are close to a total aggregate of  $\in$ 4 million. All of the figures have increased from last year apart from the percentage of horses sold."



# OVERALL STATISTICS EXCLUDING PRIVATE PURCHASES (€)

	2015	%	2014
Offered	247		266
Sold	181 (73%)		194 (73%)
Aggregate	3,810,000	+11	3,433,000
Average	21,050	+19	17,696
Median	18,000	+29	14,000

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## FIRST CROP YEARLING SIRES (€)

#### **CAMPANOLOGIST**

221 f ex Sentimental Union 5,000

#### **CASAMENTO**

178 c ex Ourika W/D

#### **DESERT BLANC**

239 c ex Swanson NS15,000

#### **HARBOUR WATCH**

152	C	ex Make Up	62,000
251	c	ex Tina Bull	NS30,000
258	f	ex Ulla	40,000

#### **NO RISK AT ALL**

184	f	ex Quellaffaire	NS8,000
263	f	ex Valleyrose	12,000

#### **POWER**

254 c ex Touch Of Silk 42,000

#### **RAJSAMAN**

141	f	ex Lit	17,000
175	c	ex Nostalchia	21,000
177	c	ex Operam	NS15,000
215	c	ex Salon Musique	28,000
247	f	ex Tengeline	20,000

#### **RIO DE LA PLATA**

205	C	ex Rosalita	30,000
231	f	ex Silk Gallery	20,000

#### **TIN HORSE**

208	f	ex Saayebah	12,000
226	f	ex She Say's	8,000
232	f	ex Silky Steps	12,000

### **LEADING VENDORS**

Vendor	No.	Aggregate (€)
La Motteraye Consignment	12	404,000
Haras des Loges	10	319,000
Haras de la Haie Neuve	10	255,000
Jedburgh Stud et Haras d'Ellon	9	239,000
Haras de Grandcamp	10	219,000