

Kooringal Stud Newsletter

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FUBU IN GOOD FORM

Fubu has had several promising horses winning of late. His latest star is the three year old gelding Mighty Obvious whose only two starts have resulted in wins at Gosford and Newcastle. He is out of the Umatilla mare Self Evident whose three foals to race have all won including Mighty Obvious' full sister Bettagetawriggleon.

Fubu's other recent winners include Apparel Prince, Paris In Me, Eight Dragon, Fu Who, Navaho Trail, Fabview, Madam Fu and Fuyung.

Bureaucracy has also had some good winners with his best performer being five year old mare Country Kate who has scored three impressive wins of late. She is from the Dalmacia mare Wangaratta and trained by long time Kooringal Stud client Neil Osborne.

Other Bureaucracy recent winners include Orange Gold, Bureaucratic, Run For Office, Wynawack, Grey Mist, Rubezah and Murray Cod.

BRANDING & VACCINATIONS

During February, foals at Kooringal Stud will receive a routine course of Strangles and Tetanus vaccinations. The course consists of three vaccinations, each injection being given two weeks apart. Freeze branding will take place in the second half of the month to allow for the brands to set as permanent white hairs prior to the DNA sampling process. Foals at Kooringal are branded and vaccinated prior to weaning, and are then Microchipped and DNA tested as weanlings at the end of April.

These routine processes are low-stress for the foals as their thorough handling and education from Control-A-Foal use and routine drenches and foot trims continually proves to be a success. The foals are all proving to be co-operative and calm in all aspects of handling and we are all looking forward to the weanling handling in Autumn.

SEMINARS AT KOORINGAL

Tim Forster will be running a series of seminars at Kooringal Stud over the coming months. Seminars will cover all aspects of horse education from handling the newborn foal through weaning and yearling education and breaking in the young horse.

The seminars will focus on principles of educating horses of all disciplines. Watch out for more information on the Kooringal Stud website www.kooringalstud.com.au and on future newsletters for more information, dates and times.

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