

REQUINTO

In assessing his start to his stallion career, it is imperative to remember that Requito started at €5,000 and does not have the benefit of large numbers. His first crop totals only 53, his second only 27 and his third 49. In the circumstances he did very well to sire a high proportion of first-crop 2yo winners, including the useful Mojito and the Gr.2-placed Broken Stones. His second-crop juveniles include Requito Dawn (Brocklesby Stakes) and the four-time winner Demons Rock, while his third crop is headed by Great Scot, whose three wins include a Listed race. This augurs well for his 2017 crop, which is his largest. Yearlings from this crop have sold for €75,000, €65,000, €65,000 and €60,000.

Mares from Requito's family produced the Royal Ascot two-year-old Gr.3 winner Blue Dakota to **NAMID**, and Gr.2 winner Godfrey Street to **COMPTON PLACE**, another son of **INDIAN RIDGE**. Dansili has Group-winning daughters out of mares by **INDIAN RIDGE**, **INCHINOR** and **STATOBLEST**. This suggests mares with **AHONOORA** blood.

Dansili's son Zoffany owes much of his early success to mares from the **DANZIG** male line. His smart daughter Illuminate has a dam by **GREEN DESERT** and his Gr.2 winner Foundation has a dam by **POLISH PRECEDENT**. His Gr.1 sprinter Washington D C, is inbred 4x4. Two of Dansili's Gr.1-winning daughters, Giofra and Laughing, are inbred 3x4 to **DANZIG**. Zoffany and Bated Breath both have Gr.3 winners inbred 3x3 to **DANEHILL**.

Another precocious son of Dansili has sired a Gr.1 winner from a daughter of **GALILEO**, and Dansili's smart 2018 2yo Just Wonderful has a dam by **MONTJEU**. Zoffany's 2018 Gr.2 2yo winner Fleeting has a dam by Montjeu's son **MOTIVATOR**. Dansili sired the Arc winner Rail Link from a **THEATRICAL** mare and Gr.2 winner Shaweel from a **PEINTRE CELEBRE** mare. Dansili has a high proportion of Group winners out of **PIVOTAL** mares, including Gr.1 winner Winsili. Zoffany sired the classic-placed Architecture from a **FASLIYEV** mare. Requito's Group-placed son Broken Stones is out of a **FOOTSTEPSINTHESAND** mare. This suggests daughters of **GIANT'S CAUSEWAY** and **SHAMARDAL** could suit him very well.

As a very fast 2yo, Requito could be a good match for mares by **ACCLAMATION** and **DARK ANGEL**. **ACCLAMATION** sired the high-class Expert Eye from a daughter of Dansili. **BLUSHING GROOM** blood has done very well with some of the main elements in Requito's pedigree, including Dansili, Sadler's Wells and Darshaan. Dansili has six stakes winners from only nine foals out of **RAHY** mares.

Dansili has three Gr.1 winners out of grand-daughters of **MR PROSPECTOR**, so this is a potentially exciting area to explore. Requito sired the Listed winner Great Scot from a grand-daughter of **GONE WEST**, by **MR GREELEY**.

ZOFFANY sired his Gr.2 Norfolk Stakes winner Waterloo Bridge from a **DR FONG** mare. Daughters of other speedy members of the **ROBERTO** line could therefore suit Requito.