# =Nature Strip (AUS)

Chestnut Gelding; Nov 16, 2014

			Danzig, 77 b
=Nature Strip (AUS) Foaled in Australia	=Nicconi (AUS), 05 b	Bianconi, 95 dk b/	Fall Aspen, 76 ch
			\$Scenic (IRE), 86 dk b/
		=Nicola Lass (AUS), 95 b	=Dubai Lass (AUS), 88 ch
	=Strikeline (AUS), 00 ch		Green Desert, 83 b
		Desert Sun (GB), 88 b	=Solar, 73 ch
		=Strike High (AUS), 89 b	Pre Emptive Strike, 82 ch
			=Flight Hostess (AUS), 77 b

By NICCONI (AUS) (2005). Stakes winner of \$820,726 USA in Australia, Coolmore VRC Lightning S. [G1], etc. Sire of 10 crops of racing age, 1075 foals, 683 starters, 23 stakes winners, 1 champion, 473 winners of 1404 races and earning \$51,542,091 USA, including Nature Strip (Horse of the year in Australia, to 8, 2022, \$13,381,867 USA, Furphy T J Smith S. [G1], etc.), Faatinah (\$972,023 USA, Ubet Yallambee Classic S. [G2], etc.), Niccanova (\$855,464 USA, Tab Victory S. [G2], etc.), Graceful Girl (to 4, 2021, \$643,851 USA, Crown Perth-Winterbottom S. [G1], etc.), Sircconi (\$460,986 USA, MSS Security Sires Produce S. [G2], etc.), William Thomas (\$403,763 USA, Neds Bel Esprit S. [L], etc.), Loved Up (\$372,323 USA, Inglis 3yo Guineas [LR]).

### 1st dam

**=STRIKELINE (AUS)**, by Desert Sun (GB). 6 wins, 3 to 5 in AUS, \$375,988 (USA), Seppelt Wines McEwen Trophy [G3], Back to Caulfield Cockram S. [L], Dubai International Racing Carnival S. [L], 2nd Essendon Mazda Carlyon S. [G2], Kevin Hayes S. [L], JRA S. [L], 3rd Dodo Sprint [G2], ATA/Bob Hoysted H. [L], etc. Dam of 8 foals, 6 to race, 3 winners--

**=NATURE STRIP (AUS)** (g. by =Nicconi (AUS)). Horse of the year, see below.

**=THE BARRISTER (AUS)** (g. by =Star Witness (AUS)). 6 wins, 2 to 7 in AUS and HK , \$839,172 (USA), Adina Apartment Hotels Fernhill H. [L].

=No Identity (AUS) (g. by =Fastnet Rock (AUS)). 4 wins at 4 and 5 in AUS, \$38,405 (USA). 2nd dam

- **=STRIKE HIGH (AUS)**, by Pre Emptive Strike. 3 wins at 4 and 5 in AUS, \$51,729 (USA), Hopetown H. [L], 2nd Toohey's Blue Seymour Cup [L], Japan Trophy Race [L], 3rd Cadbury St. Leger **[G3]**, Winfield Launceston Cup **[G3]**, Duke of Norfolk S. [L], Oaks Trial S. [L]. Dam of 5 winners--
  - =Bashboy (AUS) (g. by Perugino). 18 wins, 4 to 12 in AUS, \$1,001,440 (USA), Champion steeplechaser 3 times in Australia.
  - **=STRIKELINE (AUS)** (f. by Desert Sun (GB)). Black type winner, see above.
  - **=BASHFUL GIRL (AUS)** (f. by Perugino). 4 wins, 3 to 5 in AUS, \$259,089 (USA), Betfair Eclipse S. **[G3]**, 3rd Chubb A. V. Kewney S. **[G2]**, W. J. Bill Adams H. [L]. Producer.
  - =Celtic Heights (AUS) (f. by =Celtic Swing (GB)). Winner at 3 and 4 in AUS, \$13,079 (USA). Producer.
  - =Regal Heights (AUS) (f. by Regal Classic). Winner at 4 in AUS, \$3,546 (USA).

### 3rd dam

=Flight Hostess (AUS), by =Zamazaan (FR). Unraced in Australia. Dam of 2 winners--

=STRIKE HIGH (AUS) (f. by Pre Emptive Strike). Black type winner, see above.

=High Countess (AUS) (f. by =County (AUS)). 4 wins at 5 and 6 in AUS, \$9,870 (USA).

#### 4th dam

=Robins Flight (NZ), by =Round Robin (GB). Unraced in New Zealand. Half-sister to **\*Sandown (NZ)** (2nd Grassland Turf H.). Dam of--

=Flight Hostess (AUS) (f. by =Zamazaan (FR)). See above.

=On The Prowl (f. by =Zamazaan (FR)). Unraced.

=Gone (AUS) (f. by =Plush (NZ)). Placed at 2 in AUS, 2nd Talindert H. [L].

RACE RECORD for =Nature Strip (AUS): In Australia. At 2, unraced; at 3, seven wins (A.R. Creswick Series Final [L], Ubet Lightning S. [L]), twice 2nd in 10 starts; at 4, three wins (Ooh! Media Galaxy [G1], Mittys McEwen S. [G2], Schweppes Rubiton S. [G2]) in 6 starts; at 5, Horse of the year (2019), Champion male sprinter (2019), Champion turf male (2019), Champion older horse (2019), 4 wins (Darley Sprint Classic [G1], TAB T J Smith S. [G1], Charter Keck Cramer A. J. Moir S. [G1], Hyland Race Colours Challenge S. [G2]) in 7 starts; at 6, Champion male sprinter (2020), 2 wins (Heineken T J Smith S. [G1], Black Caviar Lightning [G1]), 3 times 2nd (Darley Sprint Classic Victoria Racing Club S. [G1], Hyland Race Colours Challenge S. [G2], Tab Concorde S. [G3]); at 7, 2021, four wins

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(Furphy T J Smith S. **[G1]**, Darley Sprint Classic **[G1]**, TAB Concorde S. **[G3]**), twice 2nd (Black Caviar Lightning **[G1]**, Bowermans Commercial Furniture Shorts **[G2]**), once 3rd (Hyland Race Colours Challenge S. **[G2]**) in 7 starts. Earned 17,949,785 AUS\$ (\$13,037,866 USA). In England. At 8, 2022, one win (Kings Stand S. **[G1]**) in 1 start. Earned 283,550 Pounds (\$344,001 USA). Grand Totals: 21 wins, 7 times 2nd, once 3rd in 38 starts. Earned \$13,381,867(USA).