

Balnikhov (IRE)

Dark Bay or Brown Gelding; Feb 23, 2019

Balnikhov (IRE) Foaled in Ireland	=Adaay (IRE), 12 b	=Kodiac (GB), 01 b	Danehill, 86 b Rafha (GB), 87 b \$Royal Applause (GB), 93 b =Inventive (GB), 97 b Unbridled's Song, 93 gr/ro Honest Lady, 96 dk b/ Deputy Minister, 79 dk b/ Interim (GB), 91 b
	Leeward, 13 dk b/	=Lady Lucia (IRE), 01 b	
		First Defence, 04 b	
		Introducing, 00 b	

By ADAAY (IRE) (2012). Stakes winner of \$365,076 USA in England, Betfred Hungerford S. **[G2]**, etc. Sire of 5 crops of racing age, 289 foals, 213 starters, 8 stakes winners, 2 champions, 113 winners of 299 races and earning \$5,903,913 USA, including Ocean Star (Champion 4 times in Bahrain, to 5, 2023, \$118,835 USA), Light Blue Sky (Champion in Hungary, \$29,840 USA), Balnikhov (IRE) (to 5, 2024, \$987,843 USA, Dinner Party S. **[G3]** (PIM, \$300,000), etc.), Dacey Mo Chara (GB) (\$498,777 USA, San Gabriel S. **[G2]** (SA, \$120,000), etc.), Harry Three (\$159,537 USA, Prix Kistena [L]), Have A Good Day (IRE) (\$154,393 USA, Darley Prix de Cabourg **[G3]**, etc.), Adaay In Devon (to 3, 2024, \$137,662 USA, Whitsbury Manor Stud / British E.B.F. Lansdown S. [L], etc.), Honey Sweet (\$96,799 USA, Prix Zeddaan [L], etc.).

1st dam

Leeward, by First Defence. Winner at 3 in FR , \$17,310 (USA). Sister to **New Line**. Dam of 5 foals, 2 to race, 1 winner--

BALNIKHOV (IRE) (g. by =Adaay (IRE)). Black type winner, see below.

=L'Ardechoise (FR) (f. by El Kabair). Placed at 2 and 3, 2024 in FR , \$29,829 (USA).

2nd dam

Introducing, by Deputy Minister. Winner at 3 in ENG, \$15,020 (USA). Half-sister to **MIDSHIPS** (\$527,975 USA), Charles Whittingham Memorial H. **[G1]** (HOL, \$180,000), etc., sire), **PRINCIPAL ROLE** (\$238,766 USA), Swettenham Stud Fillies' Trial [L], etc.), **Staging Post** (\$193,187 USA), 2nd San Juan Capistrano Invitational H. **[G1]** (SA, \$80,000), etc.). Dam of 9 winners--

New Line (c. by First Defence). 10 wins, 3 to 5 in NA and KSA, \$235,681 (USA), 2nd Trippi S. (BEL, \$17,000). Sire.

Interject (f. by Empire Maker). 2 wins at 4 in NA , placed at 3 in ENG, \$150,570 (USA), 3rd Flaming Page S. (WO, \$11,000(CAN)). Producer.

Leeward (f. by First Defence). See above.

One Night Mike (g. by Golden Years). 4 wins at 3 and 4, 2023, \$127,028.

Input (c. by Empire Maker). Winner at 4, \$93,343.

Karner Blue (f. by Smoke Glacken). 4 wins, 4 to 7, \$40,015. Producer.

Heckler's Veto (g. by Tapiture). Winner at 2, \$34,161.

Aldrinaline (g. by Aldrin). Winner at 2 and 3, placed at 4, 2024, \$32,109.

Short Supply (f. by Point Given). 3 wins at 4 and 5 in ENG, \$13,335 (USA).

Real Man (g. by Yes It's True). Placed at 4, \$12,443.

New Experience (f. by Pleasant Tap). Placed at 4 in IRE.

3rd dam

INTERIM (GB), by Sadler's Wells. 5 wins at 3 and 4 in ENG and NA , \$347,261 (USA), La Prevoyante H. **[G2]**, River Cities Budweiser Breeders' Cup S. **[G3]**, Waya H. [L] (HOL, \$35,250), Ballymacoll Stud S. [L], 2nd Lancashire Oaks **[G3]**, Matching H. [L] (DMR, \$15,000), 3rd Vodafone Group Trial S. [L]. Half-sister to **=INTERVAL (IRE)** (\$100,443 USA), Prix Maurice de Gheest **[G2]**, etc.), **=HOLD YOUR FIRE (GB)** (\$212,524 USA), Queen Elizabeth II Cup [L], etc.), **=Interplay** (\$35,674 USA), 3rd Prix Omnium II [L]). Dam of 7 winners--

MIDSHIPS (c. by Mizzen Mast). 5 wins, 2 to 4 in ENG and NA , \$527,975 (USA), Charles Whittingham Memorial H. **[G1]** (HOL, \$180,000), San Juan Capistrano Invitational H. **[G2]** (SA, \$120,000), San Luis Rey H. **[G2]** (SA, \$90,000), 3rd Hollywood Derby **[G1]** (HOL, \$60,000). Sire.

PRINCIPAL ROLE (f. by Empire Maker). 5 wins, 2 to 4 in ENG, placed at 5 in NA , \$238,766 (USA), Swettenham Stud Fillies' Trial [L], E.B.F. Kheleyf Hoppings S. [L], Irish E.B.F. At the Races John Musker Fillies' S. [L], TRM Severals S. [L], 2nd Betfred Goals Galore E.B.F. Sir Percy Gillies Fillies' S. [L], 3rd Markel Insurance Nassau S. **[G1]**, Sheepshead Bay S. **[G2]** (BEL, \$20,000), Beaugay S. **[G3]** (BEL, \$15,000), etc. Dam of--

=FLIGHT LEADER (GB) (c. by =Frankel (GB)). 3 wins, 2 to 4, 2024 in FR , \$77,463 (USA), Prix

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Noailles [G3].

Staging Post (c. by Pleasant Colony). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in ENG and NA , \$193,187 (USA), 2nd San Juan Capistrano Invitational H. [G1] (SA, \$80,000), Bowling Green H. [G2] (BEL, \$30,000).

Interim Payment (f. by Red Ransom). 2 wins at 3 in ENG, \$21,837 (USA). Dam of--

=**TEMIDA (IRE)** (f. by Oratorio (IRE)). 4 wins, 2 to 4 in GER and ITY, \$305,775 (USA), Wettkontor Munchen-Grosser Preis von Bayern [G1], Premio Verziere [G3], Grosser Preis der Mercedes-Benz Niederlassung Hamburg Hanshin Cup [L], 2nd Grosser Preis von Berlin [G1], Premio E.B.F. Terme di Merano [L], etc. Dam of--

=**TABERA (GB)** (f. by Gleneagles (IRE)). 5 wins in 10 starts, 2 to 4 in GER, \$102,634 (USA), Hwt. older mare at 4 on German Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Preis der Sparkassen Finanzgruppe [G3], Preis der Deutschen Einheit [G3], BBAG Diana Trial [L], Grosser Metallbau Burckhardt Stuten Preis [L], 3rd Preis der Winterkonigin [G3].

=Meanwhile (IRE) (f. by =Haafhd (GB)). Winner at 2 in ENG, \$3,478 (USA). Dam of--

=**Power of Now (IRE)** (g. by =Camacho (GB)). Winner at 2 in IRE, placed at 4 in HK , \$38,322 (USA), 3rd Beresford S. [G2].

Introducing (f. by Deputy Minister). See above.

Indemnity (c. by Kris S.). 3 wins, 3 to 5 in FR and IRE, \$35,572 (USA).

Focus Group (c. by Kris S.). Winner at 3 and 4 in ENG, \$34,610 (USA).

Meantime (c. by Point Given). Placed at 2 in ENG, \$3,307 (USA).

4th dam

=**INTERMISSION (GB)**, by Stage Door Johnny. 3 wins in 6 starts at 3 in ENG, \$38,240 (USA), Irish Sweeps Cambridgeshire H. Half-sister to **QUIET FLING** (\$92,998 (USA), Coronation Cup-G1, etc., sire), **ARMISTICE DAY (GB)** (\$274,608 (USA), Prix Exbury-G3, etc., Leading broodmare sire in Slovak Republic), **PEACETIME** (\$85,098 (USA), Guardian Classic Trial S.-G3, etc., sire), **/PEACEFUL=IRE** (\$59,198 (USA), Bessborough H., etc.), **Balabina** (\$16,852 (USA), 3rd Sir Charles Clore Memorial S. [L], etc.). Dam of 6 winners, including--

INTERIM (GB) (f. by Sadler's Wells). Black type winner, see above.

=**HOLD YOUR FIRE (GB)** (c. by Dancing Brave). 6 wins, 3 to 4 in FR , MAL and SIN, \$212,524 (USA), Queen Elizabeth II Cup [L], Singapore Gold Cup [L], 3rd Piala Emas Sultan Selangor [L].

=**INTERVAL (IRE)** (f. by Habitat). 4 wins, 2 to 3 in ENG and FR , \$100,443 (USA), Prix Maurice de Gheest [G2], Hackwood S. [L], 2nd Lowther S. [G2], 3rd General Accident One Thousand Guineas [G1].

=**SHORT PAUSE (GB)** (c. by Sadler's Wells). 6 wins, 3 to 8 in AUS and FR , \$397,955 (USA), Prix d'Hedouville [G3], Prix de Reux [L], Prix de Boulogne [L], 2nd Prix d'Harcourt [G2], Prix Maurice de Nieuil [G2], etc.

CHEYENNE DREAM (GB) (f. by Dancing Brave). Winner at 2 and 3 in FR , \$76,702 (USA), Prix de Bagatelle [L], 2nd Prix des Chenes [G3], Prix Chloe [G3], 3rd Prix de la Cochere [L].

=**Interplay** (c. by Be My Guest). 5 wins, 3 to 9 in FR and ENG, \$35,674 (USA), 3rd Prix Omnium II [L].

=Twixt (f. by Kings Lake). 2 wins at 3 in FR , \$23,905 (USA).

BON POINT (GB) (c. by Soviet Star). 9 wins, 3 to 6 in NA and FR , \$581,068 (USA), Col. F. W. Koester H. [G2], Prix Quincey [G3], Grand Flotilla H. [L] (HOL, \$39,500), Prix de Tourgeville [L], Bo Derek S. -R (HOL, \$39,700), etc. Sire.

Refreshment (GB) (f. by Nonoalco). Placed at 3 in ENG.

=Interruption (GB) (f. by Zafonic). Unraced.

=**MUCH FASTER (IRE)** (f. by Fasliyev). 4 wins in 6 starts at 2 in FR , \$197,289 (USA), Prix Robert Papin [G2], Prix du Bois [G3], Prix La Fleche [L], 2nd Prix Morny Casinos Barriere [G1].

=**Tosen Archer (JPN)** (c. by \$Barathea (IRE)). 6 wins, 2 to 9 in JPN and KOR, \$1,040,321 (USA), 3rd Topaz S. [L].

=Welcome Break (GB) (f. by =Wollow (IRE)). Unraced.

INVITED GUEST (IRE) (f. by Be My Guest). 10 wins, 2 to 6 in ENG, NA and FR , \$623,820 (USA), San Gorgonio H. [G2], Hoover Mile [G2], Golden Poppy H. [G3], Dahlia H. [G3], Prix de Psyche [G3], etc.

=**Desert Plus (IRE)** (g. by =Desert King (IRE)). 8 wins, 2 to 9 in FR and ITY, \$315,732 (USA), 3rd Gran Premio d'Italia [L].

=**Fox Takuma (IRE)** (c. by =Old Vic (GB)). 4 wins, 3 to 4 in MAL and SIN, 2nd Perak Derby [L].

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=Polish Mission (GB) (f. by Polish Precedent). Unraced.

=**Miss Mission (IRE)** (f. by \$Second Empire (IRE)). 3 wins at 2 in FR , \$39,013 (USA), 3rd Grand Criterium de Bordeaux [L].

=Intercede (GB) (f. by =Pursuit of Love (GB)). Unraced.

RACE RECORD for Balnikhov (IRE): In France. At 2, three wins, once 2nd, twice 3rd. Earned 50,510 Euro (\$57,905 USA). In NA. At 3, two wins (Bryan Station S. **[G3]** (KEE, \$141,438), Oceanside S. [LR] (DMR, \$60,000)), 3 times 2nd (American Turf S. **[G2]** (CD, \$95,000), Santa Anita Mathis Mile S. **[G2]** (SA, \$40,000), Singletary S. (SA, \$20,000)); at 4, 2023, one win (San Francisco Mile S. **[G3]** (GG, \$150,000)), once 2nd (Eddie Read S. **[G2]** (DMR, \$50,000)), once 3rd (Seabiscuit H. **[G2]** (DMR, \$24,000)); at 5, 2024, one win (Dinner Party S. **[G3]** (PIM, \$300,000)), once 3rd (San Francisco Mile S. **[G3]** (GG, \$21,000)). Earned \$929,938. Grand Totals: 7 wins, 5 times 2nd, 4 times 3rd. Earned \$987,843(USA). Sent from France to United States in 2022.