

# Akihiro (JPN)

Bay Colt; Feb 21, 2014

Akihiro (JPN) Foaled in Japan	=Deep Impact (JPN), 02 b	Sunday Silence, 86 dk b/	Halo, 69 dk b/	
		Wind in Her Hair (IRE), 91 b	Wishing Well, 75 b	
	=Baahama (IRE), 07 b	Anabaa, 92 b	Alzao, 80 b	=Burghclere (GB), 77 b
		=Silver Rain (FR), 00 ch	Danzig, 77 b	Balbonella (FR), 84 b
		Rainbow Quest, 81 b	Riviere d'Argent, 84 b	

**By DEEP IMPACT (JPN)** (2002). Horse of the year twice in Japan, Triple Crown winner of \$12,825,285 USA, Tokyo Yushun-Japanese Derby, etc. Leading sire 3 times in Japan, sire of 7 crops of racing age, 927 foals, 826 starters, 87 stakes winners, 8 champions, 595 winners of 1551 races and earning \$336,432,416 USA, including Gentildonna (Horse of the year twice in Japan, \$18,468,392 USA, Yushun Himba-Japanese Oaks **[G1]**, etc.), Kizuna (Champion in Japan, \$5,203,585 USA, Tokyo Yushun-Japanese Derby **[G1]**, etc.), Shonan Pandora (Champion in Japan, \$5,173,527 USA, Japan Cup **[G1]**, etc.), Harp Star (Champion in Japan, \$3,487,027 USA, Oka Sho Japanese One Thousand Guineas **[G1]**, etc.), Mikki Queen (Champion in Japan, \$2,877,204 USA, Yushun Himba Japanese Oaks **[G1]**, etc.).

## 1st dam

**=BAAHAMA (IRE)**, by Anabaa. 3 wins at 2 and 3 in FR , \$123,775 (USA), Prix Charles Laffitte, 2nd Prix d'Aumale **[G3]**. Dam of 4 foals, 2 to race, 1 winner--

**AKIHIRO (JPN)** (c. by =Deep Impact (JPN)). Black type winner, see below.

=Last Gold (FR) (f. by Gold Away (IRE)). Placed at 3 in FR .

## 2nd dam

**=SILVER RAIN (FR)**, by Rainbow Quest. 4 wins at 3 and 4 in FR , \$80,442 (USA), Prix Joubert. Half-sister to **=SILVER FUN** (\$89,854 (USA), Prix de Malleret Japan Racing Association **[G2]**, etc.), **=LITTLE WASSL (GB)** (\$100,549 (USA), Grand Prix d'Aquitaine, etc.), **=Silwana** (\$35,834 (USA), 2nd Prix de la Seine). Dam of 5 winners--

**=BAAHAMA (IRE)** (f. by Anabaa). Black type winner, see above.

**=Opposite (IRE)** (g. by \$Dansili (GB)). 4 wins, 3 to 5 in AUS and FR , placed in 1 start at 4 in GER, \$190,357 (USA), 2nd Grosser Dallmayr-Preis-Bayerisches Zuchtrennen **[G1]**, 3rd Blackwoods Pacific Hoists Parramatta Cup, Prix de Boulogne.

=Star System (IRE) (c. by =Danehill Dancer (IRE)). 3 wins, 3 to 5, placed at 3 in FR , placed at 6, 2016 in GER, \$117,916 (USA).

=Diabolique (GB) (f. by =Danehill Dancer (IRE)). 2 wins at 3 in FR , \$49,797 (USA).

=Dasani (FR) (f. by \$Dansili (GB)). 2 wins at 3 in FR , \$18,849 (USA).

## 3rd dam

RIVIERE D'ARGENT, by Nijinsky II. Winner at 3 in FR , \$19,675 (USA). Half-sister to **RIVIERE D'OR** (\$301,111 (USA), Prix Saint-Alary **[G1]**, etc.), **CHERCHEUR D'OR** (\$81,193 (USA), Prix du Lys **[G3]**, etc., sire), **GOLDNEYEV** (\$125,980 (USA), Prix Yacowlef, etc., sire). Dam of 8 winners--

**=LITTLE WASSL (GB)** (g. by =Wassl (GB)). 4 wins, 3 to 7 in FR , \$100,549 (USA), Grand Prix d'Aquitaine, 2nd Grand Prix du Sud-Ouest Paris Turf.

**=SILVER FUN** (f. by \$Saumarez (GB)). Winner at 2 and 3 in FR , \$89,854 (USA), Prix de Malleret Japan Racing Association **[G2]**, 2nd Prix Cleopatre **[G3]**. Producer.

**=SILVER RAIN (FR)** (f. by Rainbow Quest). Black type winner, see above.

**=Silwana** (f. by Nashwan). Winner at 2 in FR , \$35,834 (USA), 2nd Prix de la Seine. Dam of--

**=SALYDORA (FR)** (f. by Peintre Celebre). 2 wins at 3 in FR , \$46,488 (USA), Prix Casimir Delamarre, 3rd Prix Charles Laffitte Hermitage Barriere. Producer.

=Moonstruck (FR) (f. by =Shirley Heights (GB)). Winner at 3 in FR , \$15,965 (USA). Dam of--

=Danish Moon (AUS) (f. by Danehill). Winner at 4 in AUS, \$6,052 (USA). Dam of--

**=Viking Turf Belle (AUS)** (f. by Elusive Quality). 5 wins, 2 to 5 in AUS, \$168,329 (USA), 3rd Blazer Rose of Kingston S. **[G2]**, Sportingbet Penny Edition S. Producer.

**=Sayahailmary (AUS)** (f. by Keep The Faith (AUS)). Winner at 2 and 3 in AUS, \$124,084 (USA), 2nd BMW Angus Armanasco S. **[G2]**, Lindsay Park Morpherville Guineas. Dam of--

**=Mella Maria (AUS)** (f. by =Star Witness (AUS)). 2 wins at 2 in SAF, \$16,314 (USA), 2nd Hsh Princess Charlene Of Monaco Starling S. **[G3]**, 3rd Pretty Polly S. **[G3]**.

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=Miss Valley Road (AUS) (f. by Elusive Quality). Winner at 3 and 4 in AUS, \$23,001 (USA).  
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=**Valliano (AUS)** (g. by =Equiano (FR)). 2 wins at 2 in AUS, \$264,628 (USA), 2nd Inglis Banner, 3rd Inglis Debutant S.

=Top Snob (GB) (g. by Rainbow Quest). 4 wins, 3 to 8 in FR , \$89,337 (USA).

=Argentinsky (FR) (c. by Groom Dancer). Winner at 2 and 4 in FR , \$31,163 (USA).

=Brillante (GB) (f. by Sillery). Winner at 2 in FR , \$10,818 (USA). Producer.

=Louisinsky (GB) (c. by \$Saumarez (GB)). Placed, 3 to 7 in FR , \$23,286 (USA).

## 4th dam

**GOLD RIVER (FR)**, by Riverman. 7 wins in 14 starts at 3 and 4 in FR , \$765,632 (USA), Champion older mare in France, Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-**G1**, Prix Royal-Oak-French St. Leger-**G1**, Prix du Cadran-**G1**, Prix Jean Prat-**G2**, Prix de Pomone-**G3**, 2nd Prix de Royallieu-**G3**, Prix Fille de l'Air-**G3**, 3rd Prix Royal-Oak-French St. Leger-**G1**, etc. Dam of 4 winners, including--

**RIVIERE D'OR** (f. by Lyphard). 4 wins in 8 starts at 2 and 3 in FR , \$301,111 (USA), Prix Saint-Alary [**G1**], Prix Vanteaux [**G3**], Prix d'Aumale [**G3**], 2nd Prix de Diane Hermes-French Oaks [**G1**], Prix Marcel Boussac [**G1**].

**GOLD SPLASH** (f. by Blushing Groom (FR)). 3 wins, 2 to 4 in FR , NA and ENG, \$471,884 (USA), Prix Marcel Boussac Criterium des Pouliches [**G1**], Coronation S. [**G1**], Osunitas H.-R (DMR, \$46,500), 2nd Prix de la Grotte [**G3**], Prix Yacowlef, etc.

**GOLDNEYEV** (c. by Nureyev). Winner at 2 in FR , \$125,980 (USA), Prix Yacowlef, 2nd Dubai Poule d'Essai des Poulains-French Two Thousand Guineas [**G1**], 3rd Prix de Fontainebleau [**G3**], Prix des Chenes [**G3**], Prix La Rochette [**G3**]. Sire.

**CHERCHEUR D'OR** (c. by Northern Dancer). 4 wins, 2 to 4 in FR , \$81,193 (USA), Prix du Lys [**G3**], Prix de l'Avre, 3rd Grand Prix de Compiègne, 4th Prix Eugene Adam [**G2**], Prix Andre Baboin [**G3**]. Sire.

Riviere d'Argent (f. by Nijinsky II). See above.

RACE RECORD for Akihiro (JPN): In France. At 2, 2016, two wins (Prix des Chenes [**G3**]) in 2 starts. Earned 52,500 Euro (\$58,821 USA). Sent from Japan to United States in 2014.