

# Louis The King

bay, 2010 • height 16.1 hh

## RACE RECORD

7 wins, 1400-2450m at 3 and 4, for stakes of R5 million

### Won SA Triple Crown

Rated MR 109 at 3, MR 116 at 4

At 3 **WON Gr1** SA Classic (1800m)

**WON Gr1** SA Derby (2450m)

**WON Gr2** Gauteng Guineas (1600m)

**WON** Sea Cottage S.-(L) (1800m)

2nd Secretariat S.-(L) (1400m)

3rd **Gr1** Daily News (2000m)

At 4 **WON Gr1** Summer Cup (2000m)

2nd **Gr1** Queen's Plate (1600m)

3rd **Gr2** Charity Mile (1600m)

## SIRE LINE

**BLACK MINNALOUSHE** – 4 wins, 1200-1600m, Gr1 Irish 2000 Guineas, Gr1 St James Palace S.; 3rd Gr1 Sussex S.; rated Timeform 123; sire of Gr1 winners in NZ, USA, CAN, SAF; sire of Champions; sire-of-sires.

Notable progeny includes **Joker's Wild** (03c – Rory's Jester, Rancher) (*Champion 2yo NZ*); **Dancing In Silks** (05c – Royal And Regal, Candy Spots) (*Breeder's Cup Sprint USA*); **Louis The King** (10c – Rich Man's Gold, National Emblem) (*Triple Crown SAF*); **Black Mamba** (03c – Grosvenor, Sound Reason); **Hollinger** (07c – Dynaformer, Corwyn Bay) (*Champion 2yo CAN*); **Kochka** (10c – Elliodor, Bally Game) (*Champion 2yo SAF*); **Arabian Beat** (12c – Al Mufti, Lord Henham); **Gold Onyx** (07c – Kaapstad, Sound Reason); **Ash Cloud** (10f – Foveros, Mariache); **Malt Or Mash** (04c – Family Doctor, Run Dusty Run); **Felix The Cat** (08f – Spectrum, Night Shift); **Black Toga** (09c – Royal Academy, Rory's Jester); **Cat And The Moon** (11f – Indigo Magic, Ernani); **Skippyjon Jones** (09c – Caesour, Mexico II); **Mathematician** (12c – Elliodor, Do Battle); **Splendid Garden** (11c – Giant's Causeway, Seattle Slew); **Indian Hawk** (08c – Al Mufti, Savonarola); **Stream Cat** (03c – Irish River, Reneged); **She's Cheeky** (05f – Saint Ballado, Forty Niner); **Black Astor** (04c – Sunshine Forever, Diesis); **Black Charmer** (03c – Robellino, The Minstrel); etc.

**KIN-BREEDING:** Black Minnaloushe is kinbred 3x4 South Ocean x Flaming Page (2x3 Storm Bird x Nijinsky (Green Dancer)), and 5x5 First Rose x Flaring Top, and 3x4 Crimson Saint x Sly Pola.

His dam is kinbred 4x2 Vieux Manoir x Coraline (the latter 3x3x3 Tarentella x Badruddin x Brantome, and kin-related to Donatello/Alycidon).

Black Minnaloushe (USA) 1998	Storm Cat 1983	Storm Bird	<b>NORTHERN DANCER</b> - Nearctic South Ocean - New Providence
		Terlingua	Secretariat - Bold Ruler Crimson Saint - Crimson Satan
Pamushana 2005	Coral Dance 1978	Green Dancer	Nijinsky - <b>NORTHERN DANCER</b> Green Valley - Val De Loir
		Carvinia	Diatome - Sicambre Coraline - Fine Top
	Rich Man's Gold 1992	Forty Niner	Mr Prospector - Raise A Native File - Tom Rolfe
		Honest Joy	Honest Pleasure - What A Pleasure Dimashq - Damascus
	Milden Magic 1997	National Emblem	National Assembly - Danzig Title Page - Welsh Harmony
		Easy Dancer	Piaffer - Nijinsky Easy Anglia - Magic Mirror

## Storm Bird line sires in South Africa:

Black Minnaloushe, Brave Tin Soldier, Mogok, Where's That Tiger (**Storm Cat**): Var (**Forest Wildcat**); Eightfold Path (**Giant's Causeway**); Louis The King (**Black Minnaloushe**); The Apache (**Mogok**)

## STUD ANALYSIS

First season at stud in 2016

## PEDIGREE

Louis the King is a female line descendant of the mare Pretty Polly, who with her full sister Miranda and their dam Admiration established an extraordinary stallion-producing dynasty. Pretty Polly was an English Triple Crown winner (1000 Guineas, Oaks, St Leger). Several of her female line descendants in the pedigree of Louis The King are inbred to Pretty Polly through the female lines of their sires – 7th dam Dutch Anne through her sire Donatello, 5th dam Anglice through her sire Sybil's Nephew, and grandam Milden Magic through her sire National Emblem who like Sybil's Nephew descends from Sister Sarah.

## SUITABLE LINES:

A sensible approach might be to continue adding female line descendants of Pretty Polly, of which there are many – notably Donatello & sons, Veronese, Concertino, Savonarola, National Emblem St Cuthbert, Fair Season, Nearctic, Abadan, Preamble, etc, etc. Combinations can be found in Jallad and Captain Al.

Another option could be female line descendants of the mare Flame (Royal Chalice, Port Wine). A third could be combinations involving any of the close kin-relatives Nijinsky, The Minstrel, Storm Cat (notably through Lecture).

## FEMALE LINE

### 1st dam

Pamushana (05f, Rich Man's Gold): ran twice; dam of one foal

**LOUIS THE KING** ('10c, Black Minnaloushe): - subject stallion

### 2nd dam

**MILDEN MAGIC** (97f, National Emblem): 6 wins, 1100-1200m, Gr3 Poinsettia S.; 2nd Gr3 Umzimkhulu Hcp.; dam of

**Silver Apples** (06f, Victory Moon): 3 wins, 1400-1600m; 3rd Gr3 Prix du Cap (2x)

Luno (07c, Victory Moon): 3 wins, 1600-2500m  
Magic Approach (09f, Right Approach): won, 1600m

Magic Trip (11c, Trippi): won, 1000m

Doctorow (12c, Trippi): won, 1600m

Pamushana (05f, Rich Man's Gold): see above

### 3rd dam

Easy Dancer (85f, Piaffer): 5 wins, 1300-1400m; dam of

**MILDEN MAGIC** (97f, National Emblem): 6 wins – see above

**EXTRAPOLATOR** (04c, Winter Romance): 3 wins, KZN Guineas Trial-(L)

Kee Danza (98c, Kefaah): 6 wins, 1200-1450m  
Flirt In A Skirt (02f, Winter Romance): 2 wins, 1600-2000m

Frosty Kiss (01f, Winter Romance): 2 wins, 2000m

### 4th dam

**East Anglia** (72f, Magic Mirror): 5 wins, 1200-1400m; 4th Gr1 Natal Fillies Guineas; dam of: Easy Dancer (85f, Piaffer): 5 wins – see above

**New England** (90c, Piaffer): 5 wins, 1300-1400m; 4th Gr2 John Skeaping Trophy

Annie Laurie (78f, Sweet Song): unraced; dam of

**Marching Melody** (83f, Imperial March): 2 wins; 2nd George Azzie Memorial Hcp

**Attribute** (89f, Bay Express): 3 wins, 1000-1400m; 3rd Province of KZN S.-(L)

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