

**Account of HESKET THOROUGHBREDS UNRESERVED REDUCTION
SALE, Melbourne, Vic.**

Lot 77 (100% GST)

RIVER DELTA

Bay mare

(Branded : CR nr sh; 8 over 0 off sh)

Foaled in 2010

Sire	Danehill	Danzig	Northern Dancer
AL MAHER		Razyana	His Majesty
2001	Show Dancing	Don't Say Halo	Halo
		Dancing Show	Nijinsky
Dam	Bellotto	Mr. Prospector	Raise a Native
RIVER CROSSING		Shelf Talker	Tatán
1995	Ride the Rapids	River Rough	Brigand
		Kilmarie	Bletchingly

AL MAHER (AUS) (2001). 5 wins-2 at 2, VRC Australian Guineas, Gr.1. Sire of 785 mrs, 518 wnrns, 41 SW, 5 G1 wnrns, inc. SW Delicacy, etc. Sire of the dams of 518 mrs, 297 wnrns, 13 SW, inc. SW Quick Thinker, Krone, Madam Rouge, Acquarello, Seasons, Sweet and Speedy, Sir Kingsford, Zouzarella, Ucalledit, Superlio, Ragged Rascal, Mizlecki, Leaves of Grass, SP Extragalactic, Ramp it Up, Annie Okay, Sengon Soloman, etc.

1st dam

River Crossing, by Bellotto. **2 wins** at 1000m, 1100m, \$124,550, VRC Eat Well-Live Well H., VATC Ascot H., 2d VRC Kensington S., **L.** Half-sister to **RIVER DOVE** (dam of **HEADWATER**), River Express (dam of **CROSS CURRENT**), River Serenade (dam of **FIRST COMMAND, ONEWORLD**). Dam of 7 foals, all raced, **5 winners-**

KULGRINDA (f by Exceed and Excel). **9 wins** 955m to 1100m, \$553,684, SAJC RN Irwin S., **Gr.3**, MRC Carlyon S., **L**, SAJC Lightning S., **L**, Manihi Classic, **L**, 2d SAJC DC McKay S., **Gr.3**, MRC WJ Adams H., **L**, SAJC Redelva S., **L**, 4th SAJC Robert Sangster S., **Gr.1**. Dam of 5 winners-

Poseidon's Pool - Luen on Poseidon (Mac.) (Pierro). **11 wins-2** at 2-1000m to 1800m, \$655,429, SAJC Medallion Homes 2YO H., 2d Macau Guineas, **L**, 3d MRC Vain S., **Gr.3**, Macau Sprint Trophy, **L**.

Along the River. **9 wins** 1000m to 1200m, \$525,440, to 2025-26, MVRC Inglis Digital Sale November H., MRC Tile Importer H.-3 times. Medgrinda. Unraced. Dam of 2 winners-

BAND OF BROTHERS (Omaha Beach). **4 wins-1** at 2-1100m to 1400m, \$477,950, to 2025-26, MRC Vain S., **Gr.3**, ATC Kia Ora H., 3d MRC Manfred S., **Gr.3**, 4th MRC HDF McNeil S., **Gr.3**.

RIVER DELTA (f by Al Maher). **4 wins**. See below.

River Pearl (f by Helmet). Unplaced. Dam of 3 winners-

RIVER NIGHT (Night of Thunder). **Winner** at 2 at 1000m, \$356,000, MRC Redoute's Choice S., **L**, 2d MRC Quezette S., **Gr.3**, VRC Very Special Kids P, **L**, MRC Showdown 2YO P, 3d MRC Merson Cooper S., **L**.

River Pebbles (f by Al Maher). Raced 3 times. Dam of 2 winners-

ACQUARELLO (Written Tycoon). **5 wins** 1200m to 1400m, \$248,585, to 2024-25, CJC Canterbury Breeders S., **Gr.3**, Auckland TR Co-Op Taxis H., 2d Matamata RC Lisa Chittick Champagne S., **L**.

Mailata. **2 wins** at 1000m, 1150m, \$184,800, to 2025-26, ATC Ranvet P.

Race Record : 4 wins-3 in succession-from only 8 starts at 1200m, 1400m, \$248,210, Geelong RC Black Pearl Classic, **L**, VRC Prudential P, MRC Geoff Murphy H., 3d MRC Sportcover Insures VAFA P.

Produce Record : Dam of three named foals, two to race.

2016 c. Delta Pete, by Pierro. Unraced.

2017 f. Thala, by More Than Ready. **Winner** at 1000m.

2018 f. Kaveri, by More Than Ready. Placed at 2.

2020 c. by Lonhro. Died.

2023 f. by Dirty Work.

2024 f. by Gold Standard.

Missed in 2019, 2021, 2022, 2025.

Served by Gold Standard (AUS). Last service: 11.12.2025.

Not in Foal