

The Sheik

bay, 1996 • height 16.1hh

RACE RECORD

In South Africa, 6 wins, 1200-2000m, at 2 to 5, for stakes of over R1 million (MR 108)

WON Gr1 Cape Derby (2000m)
Gr1 SA Guineas (1600m)
Gr2 Sharp Juvenile S. (1600m)
2nd Gr3 Selangor Cup (1600m)
3rd Gr1 Gold Challenge (wfa) (1600m)
Gr2 Merchants S. (1200m)
4th Gr1 SA Classic (1800m)
Gr1 Gold Challenge (wfa) (1600m)
Gr1 Queen's Plate (wfa) (1600m)

SIRE LINE

AL MUFTI - won 4 races in Europe and South Africa from 1200m to 2000m incl. Duke of Edinburgh S; 2nd Gr1 Rothmans July H, Gr2 Gerling-Preis; and other places Gr3 St Simon S. Predominante S Gr1 Mainstay Int. H. TFR 112

Notable Progeny incl. **Victory Moon** (99c - Dancing Champ, Royal Prerogative); sire; **Al Nitak** (97c - Del Sarto, Sun Monarch); **Captain Al** (96c - Complete Warrior, Jamaica); sire; **Elegant Al** (95c - Conquistador Cielo, Icecapade); **The Sheik** (96c - Del Sarto, Sun Monarch); sire; **Roman Charger** (98c - Complete Warrior, Northern Drive; 4x5 Busanda); **Cataloochee** (01c - Old Testament, Brigadier Gerard); **Lady Brompton** (95f - Gatecrasher, Regent Street); **Arabian Lass** (93f - Lord Henham, Pantheon); **Alastor** (98c - Mecca Road, Noble Chieftain); **Raining Roses** (98f - Northern Guest, Fit To Fight); **Philonikon** (95c - Green Dancer, Kennedy Road); **Princely Affair** (97c - Lord Henham, Pantheon); **Prairie Breeze** (94c - Lord Henham, Pantheon); **Al's Dancer** (93c - Dancing Champ, Ragtime); **Garb Of Guise** (91f - Top Security, Buffo); **Royal Approval** (01f - Fort Wood, Persian Wonder); **Al Karama** (95c - Russian Fox, Pedlar); **Kal Sufi** (93f - Waterville Lake, Fair Reward II); **Forest Ivory** (97f - Del Sarto, Trocadero); **Marquetta** (96f - Farnesio, Martinet); **Hawaiian Wahoo** (99f - Golden Thatch, Persian Wonder); **Casual Jewel** (00f - Golden Thatch, Averof); **Almah** (98f - Dancing Champ, Oligarchy); **Star Watch** (00f - Model Man, Jungle Cove)

KIN-BREEDING: Al Mufti is kinbred 3x3x4 Nothirdchance x Rarelea x Businesslike.

Hail To Reason sire-line in South Africa: Captain Al, The Sheik (**Al Mufti**); Admire Main (**Sunday Silence**); Traffic Guard, Philanthropist (**Kris S.**); Gimmethethegreenlight (**More Than Ready**).

PEDIGREE

The Sheik has a strong background of descendants of the mare Lavendula (Turn To, Ambiorix, Perfume/My Babu). His pedigree has no Northern Dancer, nor Mr Prospector. Mares from the latter's male line especially might suit The Sheik.

SUITABLE LINES may include Mr Prospector (Goldkeeper, West Man, Western Winter); Bold Reason (Sadler's Wells, Fairy King); Alycidon; Klarion; Joy II, My Babu, Ambiorix; Averof, Nearctic; Dancing Champ; Complete Warrior; Ribot' etc)

SALES ANALYSIS

BORN	colt avg	sold	SI	filly avg	sold	SI
'04	55,714	7	0.66	56,000	5	0.63
'05	49,286	7	0.42	48,000	5	0.50
'06	54,667	9	0.60	30,625	8	0.29
'07	35,000	8	0.53	45,000	5	0.50
'08	20,000	1	0.46	0		
'09	10,000	2	0.20	0		
'10	70,000	1	0.84	65,000	1	1.25
'11	81,667	3	0.69	0		

STUD ANALYSIS

Colts: SSI 0.55 (stamina 1416m) 0% SW; 2% BType; **Fillies:** SSI 0.58 (stamina 1599m) 2% SW; 8% BType.

First season at stud in 2003

colt													filly												
born	foals	nrns	wrns	w/r%	SW	SW/r%	BT	BT/r%	wins	SSI	AR	stamina	born	foals	nrns	wrns	w/r%	SW	SW/r%	BT	BT/r%	wins	SSI	AR	stamina
'04	13	11	3	27%	0	0%	0	0%	7	0.30	61	1583m	'04	8	7	4	57%	0	0%	0	0%	8	0.70	59	1513m
'05	11	8	4	50%	0	0%	0	0%	9	0.44	63	1540m	'05	9	7	5	71%	1	14%	2	29%	13	1.13	77	1810m
'06	35	27	13	48%	0	0%	1	4%	38	0.61	63	1596m	'06	27	23	14	61%	0	0%	3	13%	37	0.56	68	1361m
'07	30	27	12	44%	0	0%	1	4%	29	0.46	61	1450m	'07	20	14	6	43%	0	0%	0	0%	9	0.37	56	1633m
'08	7	5	3	60%	0	0%	0	0%	8	0.74	54	1400m	'08	7	6	4	67%	0	0%	0	0%	10	0.79	67	2075m
'09	8	8	5	63%	0	0%	0	0%	12	0.75	65	1340m	'09	3	2	1	50%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0.44	40	1200m
'10	2	2	1	50%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0.55	63	1000m	'10	4	4	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0.05	52	0m
'11	10	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0.00	0	0m	'11	1	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0.00	0	0m

Al Mufti (USA) 1985	Roberto 1985	Hail To Reason	TURN TO - Royal Charger
			Nothirdchance - Blue Sword
	Bramalea	Nashua - NASRULLAH	
			Rarelea - Bull Lea
	Lassie Dear 1974	Buckpasser	Tom Fool - Menow
			Busanda - War Admiral
Gay Missile		Sir Gaylord - TURN TO	
		Miss Baba - My Babu	
Jessamine 1990	Del Sarto 1977	Bold Bidder	Bold Ruler - NASRULLAH
			High Bid - To Market
	Queen Sucree	Ribot - Tenerani	
			Cosmah - Cosmic Bomb
	Try Your Best 1979	Sun Monarch	Shifnal - Star Kingdom
			Sunny Brea - Chatsworth
		Amacuti	Ambiopoise - Ambiorix

STAMINA

highest distance of individual winners, 3yo & up
800/1399m 14/1600m 16/1999m 20/2399m 2400m+
39% 12% 36% 5% 8%

NOTABLE PROGENY (*SW)

Coffee Sheik (07c - Royal Flo, Northern Guest; MR 103)
3rd Gr2 Merchants
Asian Affair (05f - Rakeen, Centaine; MR 96)
2nd Gr3 Umzimkhulu S (1400m)
Raga Muffin (06c - Western Winter, Northern Guest; MR 95)
Main Miracle (06f - Complete Warrior, Over the Air; MR 93)
2nd E-Cape Breeders Guineas (1600m)
Knight To Remember (06c - Model Man, Phantom Ear; MR 93)
3rd Gr1 Gold Cup (3200m), 3rd Gr2 Gold Vase (3000m)
Shahrezade (06f - Dancing Duel, Roland Gardens; MR 92)
3rd Milkwood S (1000m)
Sheiks Jewel (05f - Rambo Dancer, Northern Guest; MR 90)
Saffron Blue (06c - Northern Guest, Dolpour; MR 89)
One Shot (04c - Jallad, Bally Game; MR 89)
Floriana (04f - Badger Land, Lords; MR 89)
Silver Sheik (07c - Kilconnel, Russian Fox; MR 87)
Magnanimous (07c - Northern Guest, Auction Ring; MR 87)
Delightful Diva (06f - Sapieha, Jabal Tarik; MR 87)
Alif (06c - Sportsworld, Jungle Cove; MR 86)
The Madji (04c - Rambo Dancer, Northern Guest; MR 86)
Come On U (06f - Caesour, Lily; MR 85)
Lady Pizzazz (04f - Braashee, Sleek Gold; MR 85)
***Sheikilupbaby** (05f - Scuffleburg, Model Man; MR 84)
won Spook Express H. (L) 2600m
Kentucky Sheik (08c - Kentucky Slew, Anono; MR 83)
Carina Coleman (06f - Superlative, Cure The Blues; MR 82)
3rd Gr3 Pretty Polly S (1100m)
Song Flight (06f - Model Man, Dancing Champ; MR 82)
Shield The Sheik (06c - Concertino, Rollins; MR 81)
Rulerofthedesert (06c - Rambo Dancer, Northern Guest; MR 81)
Golden Sheik (08c - Exclusive Patriot, Rocky Marriage; MR 80)
Eloise (07f - Eliodor, The Eliminator; MR 80)

FEMALE LINE

1st dam

JESSAMINE (90f, Del Sarto) - **Broodmare of the Year** 2003; 4 wins, 1600-2000m, Gr2 Gerald Rosenberg S., Gr3 Oaks Trial, 3rd Gr3 Tvl Bookmakers S.; dam of
THE SHEIK (96c, Al Mufti) - subject stallion
AL NITAK (97c, Al Mufti) - **Champion Sprinter** 2003; 12 wins, 1000-2000m, Gr1 Merchants, Gr1 Golden Horse Sprint, Gr3 Tommy Hotspur H., 2nd Gr3 Jo'burg Sprint H., Gr3 Senior Santa H., 3rd Gr1 Computaform Sprint, Gr2 Spring Sprint, Gr3 Lebelo H CT Brand H. (L)

2nd dam

TRY YOUR BEST (79f, Sun Monarch) - 6 wins, 1000-1400m, Laurel H., TR Lewis Mem., 2nd Strelitzia S., 3rd Pointsettia S.; dam of
First Guard (88c, Home Guard) - 11 wins, 1500-2400m, 2nd Administrator's Trophy (L), 3rd Gr3 Mainstay Trial, 4th Gr1 Mainstay Int.
JESSAMINE (90f, Sun Monarch) - see above
SHOE EXPRESS (91c, Shoe Danzig) - 7 wins, 1100-1200m, Gr1 Mercury Sprint, Gr3 Rupert Ellis Brown M., John Breval M. (L), 3rd Gr1 Golden Spur, 4th Gr1 Cape Flying Ch'ship
Top of the Range (94f, Northern Guest) - won, 1300m; dam of
TOP SELLER (07c, Al Mufti) - 3 wins, Gr1 Cape Derby; 2nd Gr1 SA Classic, Gr2 Selangor Cup

3rd dam

Amacuti (74f, Ambiopoise) - unraced; dam of
TRY YOUR BEST (79f, Sun Monarch) - see above
Greek Honey (80f, Taxiarchos) - 3 wins, 1400-1600m; dam of
WILD GREEK (88f, Wicked Will) - 4 wins, SW
Heart Stealer (82f, Jungle Cove) - unraced; dam of
BLUEBERRY FIELDS (86f, Northfields) - 4 wins, SW; dam of
Berry Boy (96c, Qui Danzig) - 4 wins, 2nd Gr3 BP Guineas, Gr3 Moneygram Guineas
Gooseberry Fields (95f, Sunny North, Plugged Nickle) - unraced; dam of
Sunberry (95f, Sunny North) - 4 wins, 4th Gr2 Gosforth Park Fillies Guineas
ART de VIVRE (88c, Concertino) - 9 wins, 1900-3200m, Gr2 Chairman's H., Gr2 Gold Vase, 2nd Gr2 Allen Snijman S., 3rd Gr1 Gold Cup, Gr1 Schweppes Challenge

4th dam

Sweet Turn (70f, Turn-To) - unraced; half sister to Horse of the Year **POLITICIAN**; dam of
Amacuti (74f, Ambiopoise) - see above
Coconut Ice (77f, Jungle Cove) - won 1200m; dam of
Fandango Flyer (87c, Gay Fandango) - 3 wins, 3rd African Breeders S.
TOM and JERRY (88c, Comedy Star) - 7 wins, Tony Ruffel H., SP
Catch Twenty Two (89f, Imperial Dilemma) - 4 wins, 2nd Gr2 SA Oaks, 4th Gr1 Natal Oaks
BIANCONI (99c, Rambo Dancer) - 8 wins, 1200-1600m, Gr2 Golden Horseshoe, 3rd Gr1 Horse Chestnut S., Gr1 Champion S.



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