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Welcome

A unique and revolutionary way to purchase greyhounds.

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About

GREYHOUNDBID was born from a conceptual idea by a seasoned professional trainer with a comprehensive understanding of the greyhound racing industry. Appreciating the needs of both owners and breeders allowed for a relatively simple idea relating to the buying and selling of dogs, to be put into practice.

The official information supplied by breeders will provide interested parties sufficient details to make choices that would ordinarily involve contacting the breeder directly or attending schooling and qualifying trials.

BALLYMAC STUD

LIAM DOWLING -

“I SEE THIS SITE AS OPENING UP THE BUYING MARKET FOR BALLYMAC DOGS TO THE WORLD!”



About Ballymac Stud

The Gap of Dunloe, County Kerry provides a picturesque backdrop to one of the most successful breeding operations in the history of greyhound racing - the world famous 'Ballymac Kennels' of Liam Dowling.

A potent blend of supreme bloodlines and high quality rearing has enable Dowling and his team to continuously produce top class pups for over 20 years, some of whom rose to the very top within the sport of greyhound racing.

Modern day greats such Ballymac Eske and Ballymac Vic are just two of the many track superstars to have been brought through the exceptional rearing and schooling process - signified by the 'Ballymac' prefix they carried on the track.

Since the turn of the year, it's a prefix that has won numerous top competitions including Ballymac Mossjoe's powerful display in winning the Sussex Cup and Ballymac Bonnie's incredible TV Trophy success when becoming the first ever Irish-trained winner of the prestigious marathon prize.

With a wide base of proven brood bitches at their disposal and their expert handling, Liam Dowling and his experienced team comfortably rank amongst some of the most successful breeders in history of the sport and look set to continue achieving that success at the highest level for years to come.

VAN ESCALADE SIRE

Sire- US Superstar Vans Escalade, who has already produced bundles of big race winners such as Monmore Gold Cup winner Viking Jack and East Anglian Derby hero Swift Keith. Very much a top class sire and a noted transmitter of early pace, which saw him record his very first Derby finalist this year in Peter Cronin's Tynwald Bish. The 2009 Palm Beech Classic winner was the only sire with more than one survivor at the semi-final stage of the £250,000 Derby. Pace and power are the most common attributes of his offspring, highlighted last year in Baliff Cairo (ex Ballymac Cairo) - this Liam Dowling-bred sprinter won the Scurry Cup at Belle Vue and was voted into 2nd for the 2014 Sprinter of the Year.



Colour	Brindle
Sex	Female
Weight	29 kg
Date of Birth	2nd January 2006
Land of Birth	Ireland
Land of Standing	Ireland
Racing Owner	Mr Liam Dowling

2007 Harolds Cross Puppy Derby finalist (28.81sec - fastest heat winner in the first round)

2008 Gain Feeds Irish Cesarewitch finalist

2008 €60,000 Ladbrokes 600 runner-up to College Causeway (beaten a short-neck)

Colour	Brindle
Sex	Male
Weight	33kg
Date of Birth	30th September 2005
Land of Birth	USA
Land of Standing	Ireland
Racing Owner	Mr Michael Dunne

Winner 2009 Palm Beach He's My Man Classic.
2nd 2008 Palm Beach Grand Classic. 3rd 2009 Palm Beach Night of Stars.

2008 T.L. Weaver Memorial finalist.

BALLYMAC PENSKE DAM



Dam - Out of Liam Dowling's talented Ballymac Penske, who excelled on the track - including running the great College Causeway all the way to the line in the €60,000 Ladbrokes 600 final in 2008. She is ranked as one of the best bitches ever to be trained by the infamous Ballymac Kennels, and is superbly bred - sharing a damline with Irish superstar Moyne Rebel, who broke five tracks records in one year back in 2008. Since retirement, Ballymac Penske has transferred much of her ability to her progeny, and continues to produced top class performers - most notably one the modern day greats Ballymac Eske. Barrie Draper's Ballymac Eske broke track records at Nottingham (480m), Monmore (480m) and Sheffield (660m) in a career littered with competition success. He won the Puppy Classic, Betfred Eclipse, Racing Post Juvenile and Scottish Derby - all before stepping up in trip for the final of the Three Steps to Victory at Sheffield, where he shattered the long standing track record in his first ever race over six bends.



LOT 1

BALLYMAC WALTER

Colour	Brindle
Sex	Male
Weight	29.9 kg
Date of Birth	27th June 2015
Land of Birth	Ireland
Breeder	Ballymac Stud
Official Track Trial	
Track	Tralee
Distance	525 yards
Time	30.08 Seconds



LOT 2

BALLYMAC VERDI

Colour	Brindle
Sex	Male
Weight	29.9 kg
Date of Birth	14th June 2015
Land of Birth	Ireland
Breeder	Ballymac Stud
Official Track Trial	
Track	Tralee
Distance	525 yards
Time	30.18 Seconds



LOT 3

BALLYMAC PAULINE

Colour	Brindle
Sex	Female
Weight	24.9 kg
Date of Birth	14th June 2015
Land of Birth	Ireland
Breeder	Ballymac Stud
Official Track Trial	
Track	Tralee
Distance	525 yards
Time	30.05 Seconds

BALLYMAC BULL SIRE

Sire - By one of the elite stud dogs currently standing at Liam Dowling's Ballymac Kennels - Ballymac Bull - who landed the prestigious Kingdom Derby at Tralee before being considered good enough by his experienced handler Dowling to travel over to England and contest the greyhound derby. Injury sadly marred his campaign and curtailed his racing career, but success has struck in the breeding paddocks for this half-brother to superstar bitch Ballymac Penske, despite serving only a small number of bitches thus far. Norah McEllistrim's Ballymac Marine went unbeaten through all three rounds the £8,000 Puppy Cup at Romford in emphatic style, routing rivals in the final clocking 24.05sec (-20) propelling him into reckoning for the 2014 Derby.

Colour	Black
Sex	Female
Weight	
Date of Birth	2nd January 2010
Land of Birth	Ireland
Land of Standing	Ireland
Racing Owner	Mr Liam Dowling



Colour	Black and White
Sex	Male
Weight	34.5 kg
Date of Birth	13th October 2006
Land of Birth	Ireland
Land of Standing	Ireland
Racing Owner	Mr Shane Dowling

Group 1 Kingdom Derby 525y 28.15 (rec 28.14)

MOYAR KITE DAM



Dam - This is only the second litter Liam Dowling has produced out of Moyar Kite, who was a top class bitch on the track and purchased by Dowling with an eye to using her as a brood. She is wonderfully bred as a litter sister to Irish champion Sparta Maestro (Crash x Tinrah Kewell), who won over €60,000 in career prize-money securing the Harolds Cross Puppy Derby and Night Of Stars 600yds, as well as breaking the track record over 600yds at Shelbourne Park. Moyar Kite is well regarded by her handler Liam Dowling as a brood bitch, echoed by the fact she was one of the first bitches he kennels to be served by the superstar - a litter which produced Seamus Cahill's Gymcrack and Monmore Puppy Derby finalist Ballymac Manix.



BALLYMAC LYSTER

Colour	Black
Sex	Male
Weight	29.9 kg
Date of Birth	3rd June 2014
Land of Birth	Ireland
Breeder	Ballymac Stud
Official Track Trial	
Track	Tralee
Distance	525 yards
Time	29.49 Seconds

BALLYMAC MAGDA

Colour	White and Black
Sex	Female
Weight	25.8 kg
Date of Birth	3rd June 2014
Land of Birth	Ireland
Breeder	Ballymac Stud
Official Track Trial	
Track	Tralee
Distance	525 yards
Time	29.47 Seconds



TYRUR BIG MIKE SIRE

Sire- Tyrur Big Mike is widely regarded as one of the fastest ever greyhounds to grace the sand at Shelbourne Park, having finished runner-up to Makeshift in the €20,000 Champion Stakes in 2012, before landing the prestigious €25,000 Easter Cup in the same year. During a glittering career, this son of legendary Australian tracker Brett Lee accrued well over €60,000 in prize-money, with the highlight undoubtedly being running litter brother Tyrur McGuigan to three lengths back in second in the 2012 Irish Derby, Current Irish Derby favourite Ballymac Matt flies the flag for Tyrur Big Mike as a sire having clocked the fastest heat time in the first two rounds at Shelbourne Park this year, and he continues to produce top class performers.



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Colour	Black
Sex	Male
Weight	33.5kg
Date of Birth	16th April 2008
Land of Birth	Ireland
Land of Standing	Ireland
Racing Owner	Mr P J Fahy

2012 GROUP 1 EASTER CUP WINNER (29.73); Ladbrokes.com Irish Derby runner up 2010 second to his litter brother Tyrur McGuigan - Favourite after sensational 29.28 in semifinal!!!

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LOT 6 & 7



BID TO OWN A DOG OR BITCH FROM ONE OF THE MOST EXCITING LITTERS TO COME OUT OF LIAM DOWLING'S WORLD FAMOUS BALLYMAC KENNELS.

THIS IS THE LATEST LITTER OUT OF SUPERSTAR BROOD BITCH, BALLYMAC PENSKE, WHO HAS ALREADY PRODUCED MODERN GREAT BALLYMAC ESKE AS WELL AS OTHER SPEEDSTERS SUCH AS VULTURI AND BALLYMAC BEST.

TYRUR BIG MIKE IS WIDELY REGARDED AS ONE OF THE FASTEST EVER TO RACE AT SHELBOURNE, DURING A GLITTERING CAREER, IN WHICH HE EARNED IN EXCESS OF €60,000, HE WON THE PRESTIGIOUS EASTER CUP AND FINISHED SECOND TO LITTER BROTHER TYRUR MCGUIGAN IN THE IRISH DERBY.

HE IS A SIRE LIAM DOWLING HAS GREAT SUCCESS WITH OF LATE, MOST NOTABLY IN CURRENT SUPERSTAR AND IRISH DERBY FAVOURITE BALLYMAC MATT - WHO WAS BRED AND REARED BY DOWLING, THIS IS THE OPPORTUNITY TO LAND THE NEXT IN THE LINE OF SUPERSTARS PRODUCED BY THE MASTER BREEDER.

DROOPYS SCOLARI SIRE

Sire-Droopys Scolari has cemented himself as one of the top sires in recent generations producing numerous big race winners and some of the fastest track stars seen in years. Litter brother to twice Irish Derby runner-up Droopys Maldini, this son of the legendary Droopys Kewell - who also produced Derby winner Blonde Snapper and Scottish Derby winner Droopys Marco - has already sired three times Category One winner Loughteen Blanco, two times Category One winner Shaneboy Spencer as well as numerous other big race winners such as Derby Plate winner Droopys Norris and Golden Sprint winner Farloe Barracuda. Noted for supplying electric early speed, amongst his offspring is one the quickest sprinters in recent years, Rotar Wing, who registered four track records at four different tracks in the UK - two of which still stand to this day.



Colour
Sex
Weight
Date of Birth
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Land of Standing
Racing Owner

Blue
Female
April 2011
Ireland
Ireland

Colour
Sex
Weight
Date of Birth
Land of Birth
Land of Standing
Racing Owner

Blue
Male
32.5kg
4th April 2003
Ireland
Ireland
Mr Laurence Blunt

COOLAVANNY ANGIE DAM



Dam - This is just the second litter out of the Liam Dowling-bred bitch Coolavanny Angie (ex Ballymac Becky), the first providing plenty of success already. She was a Juvenile Classic finalist as a pup and a top open class bitch herself, with her progeny proving to be just as talented and include winner of this year's high quality Ladbroke's Summer Festival Puppies Coolavanny Rebel and 2015 Irish Oaks finalist Coolavanny Slip - who also recently made the final of the £10,000 Lowther Stakes at Towcester. Served by such a prolific sire, her latest crop look destined to go all the way to the top.

LOT 8 & 9



BID TO OWN A DOG OR BITCH FROM COOLAVANNY ANGIE'S SECOND EVER LITTER PRODUCED BY LIAM DOWLING'S WORLD FAMOUS BALLYMAC KENNELS!

HER FIRST WERE A REVELATION, PRODUCING LADBROKES SUMMER FESTIVAL PUPPIES COOLAVANNY REBEL AND 2015 IRISH OAKS FINALIST COOLAVANNY SLIP - WHO ALSO RECENTLY MADE THE FINAL OF THE £10,000 LOWTHER STAKES AT TOWCESTER.

THE LATE DROOPYS SCOLARI HAS PROVEN HIMSELF TO BE ONE OF THE GREATEST EVER TRACK SIRES, EMITTING TREMENDOUS EARLY SPEED TO MUCH OF HIS PROGENY SUCH AS TRIPLE CATEGORY ONE WINNER LOUGHTEEN BLANCO.

HE HAS CONTINUED TO EXCEL IN THE BREEDING PADDOCKS FOR MANY YEARS, WITH HIS OFFSPRING PERFORMING AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL - AND CURRENTLY RANKS THIRD IN THE SIRE STANDINGS SO FAR IN 2015 AND THIS CLASSY BLEND IS SURE TO PRODUCE YET ANOTHER CHAMPION.

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