

Westpoint Quickfire



A true athlete reflected in his close breeding to Nick Skelton's Olympic gold medallist ride Big Star – sharing the same internationally acclaimed sire Quickstar. On his dam side he is also paternally related to Norbert Koof's World Champion jumper Fire.

What is needed by a modern day top jumper:

- sharp, balanced reactions
- trainable temperament, and
- elasticity

Which are attributes Westpoint Quickfire possess and passes on to his progeny.

Rowland Ferneyhough, has bred numerous progeny by him- for example Calcout Quicktime ridden by Helen Tredwell. He can be quoted as saying 'Westpoint Quickfire progeny possess - in a positive respect, his sharp reactions with a trainable, willing temperament and impressive elasticity through the back'.

These attributes would also suit the breeding of top eventers, in particular elasticity in gaits - crucial for gaining best dressage scores, in order to win championships nowadays.

To date Westpoint Quickfire has not been extensively marketed and his owner's biggest regret has been not to of produced him under saddle. However, in the future it is hoped he will now attract more proven mares in both show jumping and eventing.