



*Auctav Winter Breeding Sale*

## **Persian King tops at €140,000 for Broadhurst Agency**

### **Broadhurst Agency secures Persian King for €140,000**

The Auctav Winter Breeding Sale concluded with Broadhurst Agency, represented by Laurent Benoit, taking the session's top lot with a €140,000 purchase of a share in the stallion **Persian King**. Already the sire of 16 winners from his first crop, Persian King's progeny has been well received, achieving prices up to 600,000 guineas in 2024. Standout performers **Cap Saint Martin** and **Yoga Master** are set to make their mark in 2025.

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### **Nirvana du Berlais appeals to B&R Consulting**

The son of Martaline, from a maternal line that includes emerging stallion **Nietzsche Has**, continues to enjoy strong popularity since his stud debut. With a first-crop winner-to-runner rate approaching 40%, **Nirvana du Berlais** was snapped up by B&R Consulting for €50,000.

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### **PB Bloodstock invests in Beaumec de Houelle share**

Pierre Boulard secured a share in **Beaumec de Houelle** for €31,000. This striking son of Martaline has gained attention through his daughters' recent performances in Europe, notably **Mamisuz de Houelle**, a Group 2 hurdle winner at Auteuil, as well as **La Marquise** and **La Pinsonnière**.

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### **Jessica Rainer acquires a share in The Grey Gatsby for €27,000**

Since entering stud in 2018, **The Grey Gatsby** has demonstrated his versatility as a sire. Last month alone, he produced black-type winner **Isis d'Inor** over hurdles at Auteuil, along with flat winners in England, Germany, the Czech Republic, and France.

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#### **Other notable sales**

- **Breeding Right Paradiso** – €17,000 – Thomas Maudet
- **Breeding Right Military Style** – €8,000 – AGP Bloodstock
- **Half-share in Lavello** – €6,000 – Thomas Maudet
- **Breeding Right Cloth of Stars** – €2,000 – Meridian International
- **Share in Spanish Moon** – €2,000 – Haras de Dodville