

MASTER

One of the Top Ten Dressage Breeding Stallions in the World!

Master is now one of the World's Top Ten Dressage Sires! The fantastic results of his offspring in the show ring has made the FEI World Breeding Ranking for Dressage Horses rank him this prominently (as published by the "Horse International", No. 2 2007).

News 2007:

Max and Kyra Kyrklund have continued to place at the World Cup Qualifiers in Neumünster (6th), Gothenburg (2nd) and S'Hertogenbusch (4th). But Max will not be the only Master son at the WC Final in Las Vegas, Tip Top and Leslie Morse from the United States will be there as well.

The latest addition to Master's internationally successful offspring is Vivo, 9th in the World Cup qualifier in Gothenburg.

Master has had another son, Impuls, licensed as a breeding stallion in Sweden.

You can read more about Master and his offspring on www.kyrak.com – including video clips.



Photo: Martin Larsson



Master 6 years old
Photo: Krister Lindb

BREEDING

Master's blood-lines are impressive. His sire, Ceylon, graded "Elite" was the sire of many excellent dressage horses. One of the most well-known internationally is Ann Kathrin Linsenhoff's Courage, individual silver and bronze medallist in the Europeans and two times Olympic Team gold medal winner. Ceylon's sire, Jovial, also sired the Olympic Dressage bronze team medallist Ajax and the Olympic Eventing bronze medallist Sarajevo.

Master's dam, the "Elite" graded Bellis, has produced a number of very high quality offspring and is related to many top dressage horses including Gauguin de Lully, Chapman and Chirac through her grandsire Chagall.

PERFORMANCE

Master was set to be the shining star as a dressage horse. With Kyra he won the Swedish championships both as a 5 and 6 year old. He was unbeaten both nationally and internationally at all levels up to and including Intermediare I. The victory succession was crowned with the win in the World Cup qualifier in Aarhus, Denmark 1997. Aarhus was, by the way, Master's first Grand Prix ever! In 1998, Kyra and Master were 6th in the World Cup final in Gothenburg. In 1998 Master was injured while covering and the so promising dressage career came to an end.

Ceylon 454	Jovial 369	Bohème xx - Mascotte
	Judit 560	Jago - Valborg
Bellis 14015	Iran 533	Chagall - Irja
	Peso 8323	Sombrero - Plaisir

PROGENY

Master is now continuing his very successful career as a breeding stallion. Based on his young offspring's performances he has been in the top of the Swedish dressage BLUP-index for many years. Master has four sons approved in Sweden and one in the US.

Master passes on his elastic gaits. The following horses have won national championships for young horses: Maistro, Mary, Tip Top, Broadway and Impuls in Sweden, Maggie in Denmark, Max in the UK, Hagels Marquis won and Mauser was second in Finland 2005. In 2002 Maggie was 10th in the World Championships for young horses. With Kyra Tip Top won the Swedish championships 3 times (as a 4, 5 and 6 year old) and became the first horse to win the Young Horse Million.

The older offspring now shows that Master also passes on his exceptional talent for collection. Emanuel, Maistro and Vivo have placings in national Grand Prix. Tip Top has won international Grand Prix with his new owner Leslie Morse. In 2006 they represented the US in the World Cup final and were in the medal winning US team at the World Equestrian Games.

Max, Kyra's latest dressage star, was second in the Grand Prix, GP Special and GP Kür in CDIO Aachen 2006. A fantastic result, especially bearing in mind that it was his tenth international show ever! They then went on to be 7th in the World Equestrian Games Kür final. During the autumn Max was second in the World Cup qualifier in Arhus, won both the Grand Prix and the Grand Prix Kür in Stuttgart and was 3rd in the World Cup qualifier at Olympia.

Both Max and Tip Top played a large part in the Swedish Warmblood's success in achieving the 4th place in the World Breeding Ranking in 2006. Master himself is one of the Top Ten Dressage Sires in the World based on the FEI World Breeding Rankings for Dressage Horses 2006 (*published in Horse International March 2007*).



"Like Father Like Son"
Max in Aachen 2006

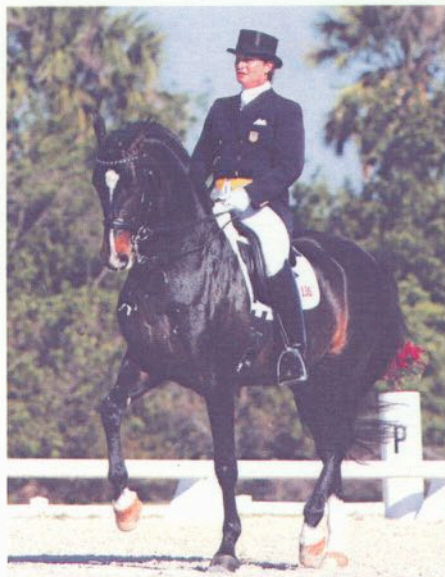
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KYRA SAYS:

"Master passes on his stunning elastic gaits and an exceptional talent for collection. Together these qualities make his offspring particularly sought after dressage horses.

I am always on the look-out for new Master talent to bring to my stable. Last year I bought a 4 year old called Money who is showing great potential. At shows Master's offspring have all shown the same "look at me" attitude that Master had. I have the feeling that Money will be the same, focused and cooperative in the big competition arenas."



Tip Top by Master, PhelpsPhotos



Photo: Jan Gyllenstein

Master 850

Swedish Warmblood born 1988, 16.1hh.

Approved "Elite" in Sweden, approved in Denmark and Finland. Graded "Approved Elite" by the Anglo European Studbook in 2007.

Breeder: Paul-Erik Lang

Owners: Kyra Kyrklund, Birgitta Kjellin Horse AB
Availability: Master is standing in the UK this year and is available with transported chilled semen and frozen semen in the EU. Frozen semen is available for the US, Australia and New Zealand.

Stud fee in the US: \$2,000 (up to 3 doses).

\$1,200 will be refunded if the mare is certified not in foal on October 1, 2007.

Last year Master had an amazing 97% pregnancy rate in Finland, 61 of 63 mares were in foal!

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