# **HAYDON PALERMO-**HSH

Brown, light muzzle, 2 white hinds ASHS: R258903

15.1 ½ HH

H = 5/0

Foaled 22/12/2020

JEWEL FAMILY Stallion

Haydon Palermo has truly top international bloodlines, with his close relations on both sides of his pedigree, having all played in the pinnacle of world polo, the Argentine Open at Palermo, after which he is named. His mother's full sister Haydon Angel Jewel by Drawn won the Triple Crown there. His half-sister Haydon Victoriana played the Open there as did his sire Ruski's dam Cruiser. La Luna dominated there and hundreds of her descendants continue to be played there. Many by Norman Pentaquad have excelled there.



ELLERSTON RUSKI-HSH R254300

ELLERSTON CAVALIER

ELLERSTON CRUISER

LADY REBECCA
ELMWOOD PUNCHLINE

BLUE ASH 21782

SOLAR-ARG 14529

NORMAN PENTAQUAD- RIVERMAN

CINCINATTI AZIZA ASH 52587 OPTIMUM -TB

LA LUNA-ARG 16005 LONGBOAT

TOUCH OF PINK (PINKY)
STAR OF HEAVEN

STAR SHOWER SHOW

PENNY DRAW IDOMENEO LONG DRAW

HAYDON NEVER NEVER IN DOUBT - FS
DOUBT MYSTIC BOSE

OUBT MYSTIC ROSE REDIGO

HAYDON TRINKET
HAYDON JEWEL

HAYDON PALERMO-HSH 2020

**HAYDON TOURMALINE-HSH 137015** 



HAYDON EMERALD

HAYDON DRAWN

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Haydon Palermo as a two year old



Haydon Tourmaline with Crystalline as a foal

His dam the Drawn mare Haydon Tourmaline is a full sister to renowned Hall of Fame, international polo mare Haydon Angel Jewel, rated as Adolfo Cambiaso's best mare outside Argentina, winning every major tournament in the world.

Haydon Tourmaline has been an exceptional broodmare producing Haydon Victoriana who played the Argentine Open, Haydon Dunkirk Champion polocrosse gelding, Haydon Sky Jewel one of the top mares when playing here and renowned for her pace, Haydon Pandora a top polo mare scoring 3 goals in one chukka at Ellerston on several occasions and used in the stud's ET programme, Haydon Crystalline played top

polo and **Haydon Jubilee** who was top of her age group and retained as a broodmare. Her colts-**Haydon Oracle** was exported to the UK as a sire, **Haydon Spartacus** retained as a sire and her last foal is stallion **Haydon Palermo**.

His half-brother **Haydon Oracle** was selected to be the first ASHS sire to stand in the UK. He exhibited great trainability traits demonstrated by following and hitting a polo ball using no reins in his first month of riding as a two-year-old.



**Haydon Oracle-October 2017** 



Haydon Oracle in his first month of riding as a twoyear-old hitting a polo ball using no reins while his rider is on his mobile



Haydon Dunkirk an outstanding polocrosse horse, winner of awards and played right up to representative level



Haydon Victoriana playing here in the Ellerston final before going overseas and playing the 2010 Argentine Open



Haydon Sky Jewel by Solar wide open at Ellerston



Haydon Pandora on her way to scoring 3 goals in one chukka at Ellerston 2016



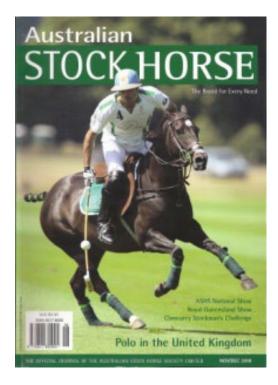
**Haydon Pandora on the sidelines** 



Haydon Crystalline playing in 2016



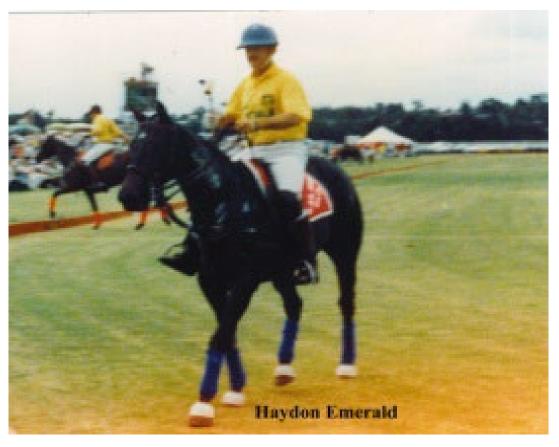
Haydon Spartacus by Maximus retained as a sire



Hall of Fame mare Haydon Angel Jewel by Drawn played by the world's best player Adolfo Cambiaso to win every major tournament in the world. The Triple Crown in Argentina and Spain, the Gold Cups in the UK and US and the US Open three times.

Grand-dam **Haydon Emerald** as well as being a top producing mare played right up to Test level and was an exceptional ability mare. Her dam **Haydon Trinket** was one of the great producing mares of the breed with 17 progeny including **Haydon Emerald** who played to Test level, her full-sister Champion polo mare **Haydon Pearl** and **Haydon Necklace** Champion mare at the 1986 Polocrosse Nationals played by Les Fraser.

This family traces back to **Countess** by **Planet**, Bernard Haydon's top mare in the 1880's and has established itself as one of the best old Studbook and Bloomfield families.



Haydon Emerald played by Australian Captain Jim MacGinley in the Test Match against Argentina



Haydon Necklace Champion at the Nationals played by Les Fraser. She was also known for her mouth and headset.

## **Gallery:**





Palermo 4 days old

Palermo 2 months old



Palermo Oct 2022



Palermo 2 years old



Palermo cantering in the arena as a 2 years old



Palermo June 2024







### **SIRE: ELLERSTON RUSKI- HSH**

Grey, star, two white hinds

ASHS: R-254300 Foaled: 10/11/2014 Z 41/4 15.2 HH

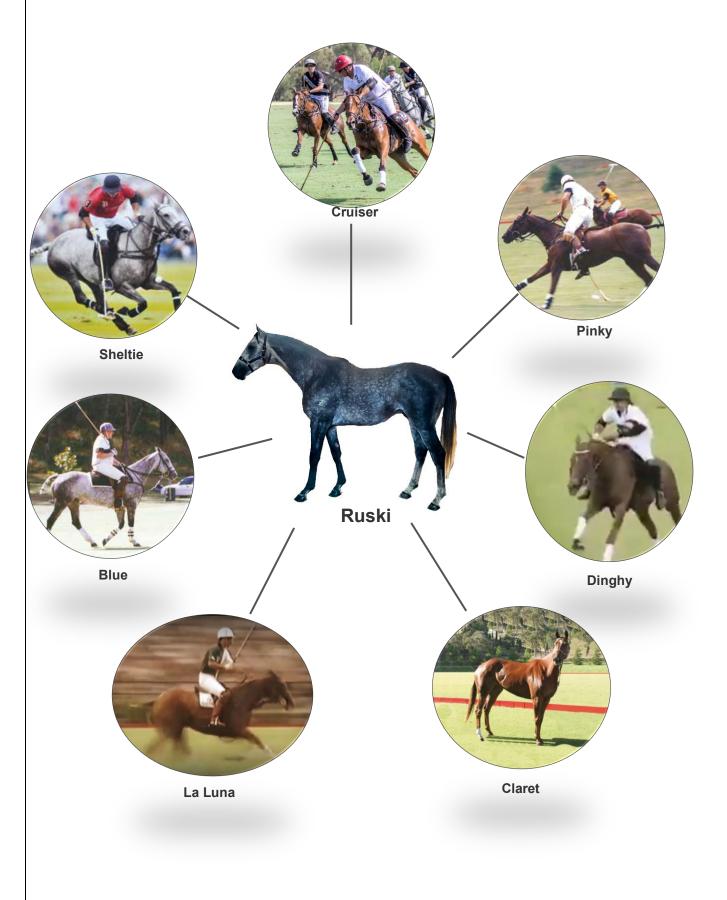
PINKY FAMILY Stallion

Ruski is from the renowned Norman Pentaquad sire line and from the family of Hall of Fame mare Pinky. His dam is the great Solar mare Cruiser and he is by top Ellerston sire Cavalier, renowned mare Sheltie's full brother. His dam, grandam and great grandam were all played by top 10 goal players. His full sister has won five BPP awards.

His pedigree includes the famous mares La Luna, Pinky, Dinghy, Cruiser, Sheltie and Blue with close relations Claret, Skiff, Spinnaker, Yacht and Clarity. He combines the two legendary mares La Luna, regarded as the greatest playing and producing mare in Argentina and similarly for Pinky in Australia. Ruski started well in young horse chukkas in 2016 with his first foals being born in 2018 and are showing great promise. His progeny have good temperaments and are just naturals to get going.



# The seven great mares in Ruski's Pedigree:



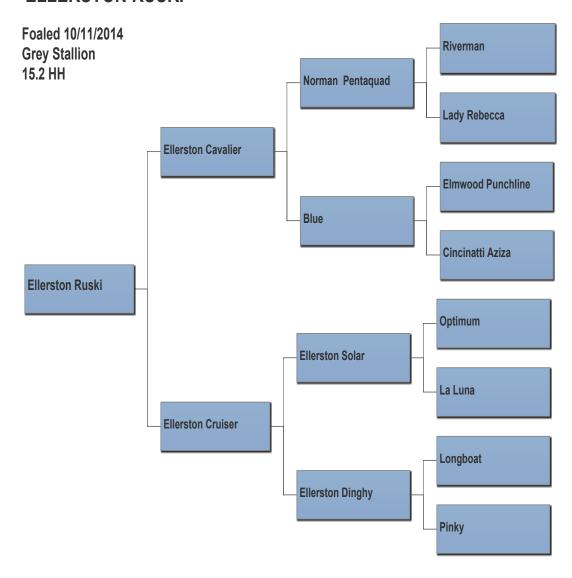
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• <u>Cruiser</u> - his dam rated as one of the best Ellerston mares, doing everything so easily at pace. In 2018 won BPP on debut in UK and then the Argentine Open played by world's number one player Adolfo Cambiaso.

- <u>Sheltie</u> his sire Cavalier's full sister played by 10 goaler Facundo Pieres for 16 years winning awards in both the English and US high goal.
- <u>Pinky</u> played by the top players and a Hall of Fame mare and his third dam.
- <u>Dinghy</u> his granddam rated by Facundo Pieres as one of the best, dominating in Australia, England and Argentina for 12 years. Renowned for her extreme pace and incredible stop.
- <u>Claret</u> extraordinary mare won Argentine Triple Crown and BPP in English Gold Cup final.
- <u>Blue</u> his sire's dam became famous when played by 10 goaler Horacio Heguy and later by Kerry Packer.
- La Luna legendary Argentine mare and dam of Solar.

#### **ELLERSION RUSKI**



### **Dam 1: Ellerston Cruiser**



Cruiser by Ellerston Solar was known for her pace, handle, brain and mouth, doing everything at top pace with such ease. Rated by Jim and Glen Gilmore as the best mare at Ellerston in 2015-16. She won Champion at Scone in 2015. She won a lot of higher goal games played by Australian captain Glen Gilmore and Mat Grimes. In 2018 she made a stunning debut in the UK winning BPP in her first tournament played by Adolfo Cambiasoin before going onto to be in his winning Argentine Open team. Her full brother Skiff is a top horse playing in the UK high goal and won the same BPP as Cruiser the following year.

Cruiser was used in the Ellerston ET programme before playing overseas in 2018.

Cruiser 2018



Cruiser playing the Argentine Open at Palermo with the world's best player 10 goaler Adolfo Cambiaso



**Cruiser and Mat Grimes** 



Cruiser wins BPP in the UK played by Adolfo Cambiaso



Cruiser played by Australian Captain Glen Gilmore

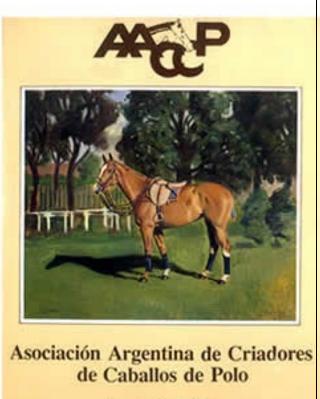
Cruiser was by Ellerston Solar, who was imported from Argentina a son of the legendary polo mare La Luna. Luna started playing in the Argentine Open as a four-year-old and later the high goal in England played by 10 goaler Gonzalo Pieres, playing for Ellerston. She played her last Open in 1995 aged 18 years. She was a great temperament mare that was equally at home in either high goal or low goal polo, ridden by adults or children. She has had a major impact as a broodmare with hundreds of her descendants playing in the Open. Her full brothers El Sol and Gaucho were prolific sires of top polo horses in Argentina as was her sire Top Secret.



La Luna and Gonzalo Pieres playing the Argentine Open



The Legend-La Luna



Anuario 1990

Ellerston Solar is by leading polo sire

influential sire in both polo and on the track. He has sired a lot of top Open horses and prize winners including; **Open Guillermina** BPP 2012 Argentine Open played by Nico Pieres; **Open Pandora** BPP 2009 Gold Cup and played Triple Crown 2010-14 by Facundo Pieres; **Ellerstina La Nona**, Triple Crown 2003, 04, 09,10 & 11, with G. Pieres and Pablo MacDonough, BPP France Open 2005, BPP Queen Cup 2007, BPP Coronation Cup 2008; **Dolfina Nina Bonita** played the Open 2003-08; **Ellerstina Medalla** 

by

Southern

Halo

**Optimum** 



played the Open 2005-09, Triple Crown 2010-11; Open Leyenda was Grand Champion 2000 Palermo Rural Exhibit, Triple Crown 2008-11; Open Tarantula BPP 2011 Hurlingham Open; Ellerstina Hummingbird, Picaflor, Chalina, Mensajera and Open Moon, Farandula, Milito, Divertida, Chimentero, etc. Sires including Dolfina Millonario sire of champions Dolfina Lufthanza and El Boeing, etc.

### Dam 2: Dinghy

Dinghy by Longboat has been rated by 10 goaler Facundo Pieres as one of the best he has ridden. He played her in two chukkas of the 2009 British Gold Cup final. Renowned for her extreme pace and incredible shut down. This mighty mare dominated polo in Australia, England and Argentina for over 12 years.

She is a half-sister of internationally renowned mare **Claret** who won the Argentine Triple Crown in 2009 and 2010 played by Facundo Pieres. Claret has had a huge influence on polo bloodlines worldwide.

#### Dinghy produced:

- -Open Dinamita and Open Dinamarquez in Argentina.
- -Spinnaker x Norman Pentaquad played by Facundo Pieres in the UK in 2008, 2009, 2010 & 2011. Played the British Gold Cup finals 2009 and 2010. Then Facundo Pieres played her in the Triple Crown in US in 2012, 2013, 2014, and 2015.
- **-Yacht** 2000 chestnut gelding x Norman Pentaquad, played for years in the UK high goal by English Captain
- James Biem & in the Westchester Test Match 2013.
- -Catamaran by Siesta and her daughter Catalonia dam of Catsy -Cruiser x Solar 2007, rated the top mare at Ellerston in 2015-16, BPP Scone 2015, played Argentine Open and her full brother BPP winner **Skiff.**

Her sire **Longboat** (Pirogue x Welsh Pageant) ran in 18 races for 9 wins and 3 seconds. He was "European Stayer of the Year" in 1986.



Dinghy rated one of the best by 10 goaler Facundo Pieres

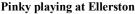


Longboat- European Stayer of the Year 1986

#### Dam 3: Pinky

Pinky was rated by Jim Gilmore as one of the best playing mare at Ellerston and then going onto be the best and very influential broodmare. She is recognised in the Australian Polo Hall of Fame. A New Zealand TB she was born in 1983 and registered as A Touch of Pink. Tony Devich played her before she was purchased by Ellerston in 1988. Pinky was regarded worldwide as one of the great polo playing mares, playing under the world's best when they played the Ellerston high goal. Her influence at stud has been felt extensively globally. As the backbone of the Ellerston ET breeding program, she has thrown countless champions including the brilliant Dinghy, the unbelievable mare Claret, the sire Hermitage, as well as Motor, Cabernet, Shiraz, Burgundy, Champagne, Sherry, Chianti, Sauvignon, Vinery, Vintage, Valencia, Merlot, and Sangria all of whom have played high goal polo overseas.







Pinky taken outside the Ellerston stables



**Claret at Ellerston** 

Claret is Dinghy's half-sister by Monty an extraordinary Australian and International polo mare. Facundo Pieres played her in the Argentine Triple Crown in 2005. He then played her for three seasons in England where she was his best mare winning the Gold Cup in 2009 playing two chukkas in all matches. She was Best Mare in Argentine Triple Crown 2009 and won the Triple Crown in 2010. She produced; the top mares Clarity by Meterman, Clarita (Arg), Clarinet (Arg), Open Catena (Arg), Open Chardonnay (Arg), Open Trapiche (Arg), etc the stallions Clarin, Clarion (Arg), Clark (Arg), Clariet (Spain), Clarry (Aus), Classify (Arg,) Clarify (Arg), Open Cabernet (Arg), Fino Merlot (Arg), etc.

## **Sire: Ellerston Cavalier**

Ellerston Ruski is by Ellerston Cavalier by legendary sire Norman Pentaguad from Blue. Cavalier is a full brother to outstanding international mare Ellerston Sheltie. Played by Facundo Pieres for sixteen years she was rated one of the best mares in the England over six years before winning awards playing in the US, playing the US Triple Crown. Ellerston claim she is one of their best. Ellerston Keltie another full sister played well overseas.



Sheltie played by 10 goaler Facundo Pieres



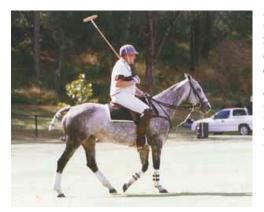




**Cavalier taken at Ellerston** 

**Norman Pentaquad** by Riverman was bred on the famous Nearco/Princequillo cross. He sired the 1995 Melbourne Cup winner Doriemus, Cavalier and just so many top international horses including Sheltie, Cube, Spinnaker, Yacht, Canada, Twiggy, Vinery, Chianti, Noumea, Wrinkle, Twilight, Jackie, Tory, Lizzie, Power, Puzzle, etc. His sire Riverman won two Group 1 races, was Champion Stallion siring two Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe winners Detroit and Gold River.

Blue the dam of Cavalier become famous throughout the polo world when played by 10 gaoler Horacio Heguy. She was then played by Kerry Packer for many years. She has produced many top horses including Sheltie, Cavalier, Keltie, Heeler, Corgi, Coyote, Irish and Husky.



Blue is by the well-known Neville Gilpin sire Elmwood Punchline so renowned in polocrosse. Her dam Aziza was by the Panzer horse Cairo, sire of Sinclair Hill's remarkable mare Terlings Jessica and Terlings Silvertop dam of Terlings Tremble and the sire Terlings Gold Finger. Cairo's full brother was the successful polo sire Berrico Matruh. Aziza is also dam of the sire Throwers Stud Wizard of Oz, the mare Witch of Oz and goes back to Rivoli and Dimray whose sire line is one of the most influential in the studbook.

Kerry Packer on Blue by renowned sire Punchline

Ellerston Cavalier has proved a dominant sire with his stock playing at all levels and winning so many BPP awards with progeny like Lily, Lillian, Antigua, Claire, Bindi, Sherry, Ante, Diva, Chevy, Flor, Prickle, Lucky, Lucca, Jezebel, Bindi, Senator, Cream, Eva, etc.

At Ellerston in 2022 James Harper rated **Lily by Cavalier** one of the best he has ever played, a big endorsement, before going onto win her first BPP award in the UK in 2024 played by 10 goaler Poroto

Cambiaso. Not far behind her is her full sister Lilian.

Claire wins a BPP at Ellerston



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Lilian played by Matt Grimes

In 2022 Ruski's full sister **Ellerston Onassis Skyy** in her debut higher season won three BPP awards in a month, at Australian Open, Ellerston and Garangula, winning a



Lily playing the 2024 UK high goal with 10 goaler Poroto Cambiaso

the

fourth and fifth playing for Ellerston White the following season. It was a case of daughter like mother the commentor described her as a "super star" and "how does this mare have so much pace and so much handle."



Adolfo Cambiaso 10 goals playing Skyy





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# Ellerston Ruski as a 2 yr old:



Ruski at young horse chukkas





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