

# Opus Forty Two

<b>Opus Forty Two</b> .. Dark bay/br. filly; foaled 2020	{	Mendelssohn . . . . .	{	Scat Daddy . . . . .	{	Johannesburg
				Leslie's Lady . . . . .	{	Love Style
		(2013)	{	Lemon Drop Kid . . . . .	{	Tricky Creek
				Country Cafe . . . . .	{	Crystal Lady
				{	Kingmambo	
				{	Charming Lassie	
				{	Lion Heart	
				{	Pretty 'n Smart	

**By MENDELSSOHN (2015), \$2,542,137, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf [G1], UAE Derby [G2], etc. Sire of 3 crops, including 2-year-olds of 2024, 232 wnrns, 18 black type wnrns, \$17,126,162, including Dia de Otono [G1], Delight (\$256,520, Jessamine S. [G2]), Wings of Song [G3] (\$303,542), Mendelssohn Bay [G3], Soy Invencible [G3], Amanda's Folly (\$437,040).**

### 1st dam

**LAQUESTA**, by Lemon Drop Kid. 2 wins at 3, \$74,090. Dam of 4 foals of racing age, including a 2-year-old of 2024, two to race, both winners--

**OPUS FORTY TWO** (f. by Mendelssohn). Black type winner, see below.

Balta (c. by Munnings). 2 wins in 4 starts at 2, \$144,840.

### 2nd dam

**COUNTRY CAFE**, by Lion Heart. Unraced. Sister to **HEART ASHLEY**. Dam of 6 foals to race, 5 winners, including--

**Glacial** (c. by Frosted). Winner at 2, \$91,820, 3rd Bashford Manor S. [G3] || (CD, \$14,250).

Unsaid Vow. 4 wins at 3 and 4, 62,400,000 yen in Japan. Total: \$553,735.

### 3rd dam

**Pretty 'n Smart**, by Beau Genius. 2 wins at 3, \$77,840, 3rd Railbird S. [G2], etc. Dam of 10 foals to race, all winners, including--

**CUPID**. 6 wins at 3 and 4, \$1,701,873, Gold Cup at Santa Anita S. [G1] (SA, \$300,000), Rebel S. [G2] (OP, \$540,000), West Virginia Derby [G2] (MNR, \$446,250), Indiana Derby [G2] (IND, \$285,696), Harry F. Brubaker S. (DMR, \$47,070). Sire.

**HEART ASHLEY**. 6 wins in 10 starts, 2 to 4, \$395,896, Cicada S. [G3] (AQU, \$64,380), Miss Preakness S. [G3] (PIM, \$60,000), My Juliet S. [L] (PHA, \$150,000). Dam of 7 foals to race, all winners, including--

**FIANO ROMANO**. 7 wins, 3 to 6, 202,318,000 yen in Japan, Keihan Hai [G3], Lord Derby Challenge Trophy [G3], 2nd Hanshin Cup [G2], Hankyu Hai [G3]. Total: \$1,854,318.

**Ameristralia (AUS)**. 4 wins at 4, \$136,620 (AUS) in Australia, 3rd Bellmaine S. [G3]. Total: \$103,115. Dam of **AIN'T EASY** [G2] \$238,380.

Other black type winners: **ASHLEY'S KITTY** [G3]; **INDIANAPOLIS**.

Skipper Tale. 3 wins at 4, \$100,805. Dam of **Quaver** (dam of **KATHLEEN O.**, to 5, 2024, \$585,635, Gulfstream Park Oaks [G2], etc.). Granddam of **V V'S DREAM** (to 3, 2024, \$479,105, Pocahontas S. [G3], etc.).

### 4th dam

**CHARGE D'AFFAIRES**, by Vice Regent. Placed at 3. Dam of 9 winners, including **HOSTESS** (Orchid H. [G3], Glens Falls H. [G3]-ncr, etc., Total: \$383,918, dam of **Giant Zinger** [G2], \$181,187), **Pretty 'n Smart** (above).

**Race Record:** At 2, one win, twice 2nd; at 3, two wins (Gasparilla S., TAM, \$30,000), twice 2nd (Delaware Oaks [G3], DEL, \$55,000, Thirty Eight Go Go S., LRL, \$20,000); at 4, 2024, one win (Wayward Lass S., TAM, \$30,000) in 2 starts. Totals: 4 wins, 4 times 2nd, earned \$231,050.

**Breeders' Cup nominated.**

**KTDF.**

**Racing/broodmare prospect.**