

Will Stand at Park Paddocks, Highflyer Paddock CC, Box 736

(WITH VAT)

SERIOUS CHALLENGE (IRE)

(2020)

A Chesnut Gelding

Fracas (IRE)	{	In The Wings	{	Sadler's Wells (USA)
		Klarifi		High Hawk
Dushlan (IRE) (2011)	{	New Approach (IRE)	{	Habitat
		Duaisbhanna (IRE)		Sorbus
				Galileo (IRE)
				Park Express
				Rock of Gibraltar (IRE)
				Ovazione (GB)

Serious Challenge (IRE), won 1 race at 2 years and £30,081 and placed 4 times including third in Martin Molony Stakes, Limerick, **L.**, also fourth in Golden Fleece Stakes, Leopardstown, **Gr.2**, Saval Beg Stakes, Leopardstown, **Gr.3**, Ballysax Stakes, Leopardstown, **Gr.3**, Yeats Stakes, Navan, **L.**, Lenebane Stakes, Roscommon, **L.** and Devoy Stakes, Naas, **L.**; Own brother to *SHEER BRAVADO (IRE)*.

IHRB Rating: High 102 (Flat); Latest 102 (Flat)

TURF 13 runs 1 win 4 pl £30,081 S 1m ½f

Last 3 starts (prior to compilation)17/05/24 4/6 Saval Beg S (**Gr.3**)20/04/24 9/10 Alleged S (**Gr.3**)24/03/24 4/7 Devoy S (**L.**)

Leopardstown	G	1m 6f
Curragh	HY	1m 2f
Naas	HY	1m 2½f

Most recent wins (excluding last 3 starts)

30/07/22 1/7 Class 4 (WFA Mdn) Galway S 1m ½f

1st Dam

DUSHLAN (IRE), unraced;

dam of **three winners** from 3 runners and 3 foals of racing age viz-

DAWN CHARGER (IRE) (2021 f. by Soldier's Call (GB)), won 3 races at 2 years, 2023 at home and in France and £101,503 including Prix Eclipse, Chantilly, **Gr.3**, placed 3 times including second in Critérium de Maisons-Laffitte, Chantilly, **Gr.2** and Prix d'Arenberg, ParisLongchamp, **Gr.3**, from only 7 starts.

Serious Challenge (IRE) (2020 g. by Fracas (IRE)), see above.

SHEER BRAVADO (IRE) (2017 g. by Fracas (IRE)), won 3 races at 3 years and £19,152 and placed 3 times; also won 1 race over hurdles at 6 years, 2023 and £5482.

She also has a 2023 filly by Verbal Dexterity (IRE).

2nd Dam*DUAISBHANNA (IRE)*, won 2 races at 2 and 3 years and £24,444 and placed once;

dam of **two winners** from 3 runners and 7 foals of racing age including-
VOCAL STUDIES (IRE), won 2 races at 3 and 5 years, 2024 and £18,393 and placed twice.
Deontas (IRE), placed 4 times at 3 years; dam of a winner.

FRATAS (IRE), 5 races at 3 years, 2023 and £41,380; also 1 race over hurdles.

3rd Dam*OVAZIONE (GB)*, placed once at 3 years;

dam of **three winners** from 5 runners and 7 foals of racing age including-
DUAISBHANNA (IRE), see above.

4th DamO' SLEWMOVA (USA), placed twice in U.S.A.; Own sister to **SEPTIEME CIEL (USA)**;dam of **four winners** from 8 runners and 10 foals of racing age including-

Seattle Special (USA), won 1 race at 2 years in France and placed third in Critérium des 2 Ans, Evry, **Gr.2** and Prix Eclipse, Deauville, **Gr.3**; dam of winners.

The next dam **MAXIMOVA (FR)**, won 7 races at 2 and 3 years in France including Prix de la Salamandre, ParisLongchamp, **Gr.1**, Prix de Seine-et-Oise, Maisons-Laffitte, **Gr.3**, Prix de Meautry, Deauville, **Gr.3**, Prix du Calvados, Deauville, **Gr.3**, Prix de Cabourg, Deauville, **L.**, placed second in Irish 1000 Guineas, Curragh, **Gr.1**, third in Poule d'Essai des Pouliches, ParisLongchamp, **Gr.1** and fourth in Prix Marcel Boussac, ParisLongchamp, **Gr.1**;

dam of **nine winners** from 11 runners and 12 living foals of racing age including-

SEPTIEME CIEL (USA), won 5 races at 2 and 3 years in France including Prix de la Forêt, ParisLongchamp, **Gr.1**, Critérium de Maisons-Laffitte, Maisons-Laffitte, **Gr.2**; sire.

MACOUMBA (USA), won 3 races at 2 and 3 years in France including Prix Marcel Boussac, ParisLongchamp, **Gr.1** and Prix Imprudence, Evry, **L.**; dam of winners.