

TOUCHE

2002 PINTO New Zealand Sport Horse – 16hh



Sire <u>MANDINGO</u>		
Thoroughbred/Pinto		
Dam <u>PIRATE QUEEN (IRE)</u> Thoroughbred		

Touche is by Mandingo, who is ½ Thoroughbred, ½ Stationbred, and originated from Houhora in the far north. He was the foundation sire at Weiti Station, Auckland, who are well known for their coloured sporthorses. Touche's dam, Pirate Queen is an Irish Thoroughbred by Smuggler, thus making Touche ¾ Thoroughbred, which explains his refined bone. Touche is 5 years old and stands 16hh (162cm). He has 3 progeny on the ground, 2 coloured, 1 chestnut, all from non-coloured mares, and has 7 foals due this spring. Broken in last winter, we have brought him on quietly, often hacking him either alone or in company, more often than not as the lead horse for newly broken ones. He always proves to be sensible, reliable and hassle free. Touché oozes self confidence and is a pleasure to ride. We have just started jumping him and he is showing natural ability and technique while proving to be readily trainable. Jill looks forward to hunting him this coming season. Considering his presence, easy movement, conformation and fantastic temperament, he is an ideal sire for your dream pleasure horse.

Stud fee \$1,000 + gst. LFG

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