



## CRACKENTHORPE ATLANTIC STAR

### CHAMPION RIDING PONY:

Outstanding, quality, pony stallion with excellent temperament. A powerful mover with fantastic impulsion from behind and great freedom up front. His talent for jumping equally as impressive as his dressage. Shown under saddle twice as a four year old, was FIRST BOTH TIMES and CHAMPION on the second occasion. Sire of eventer 'WALLTHWAITE FIRECRACKER', qualified small hack 'ROYAL INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW 1997', also 'FAIRBANKS'.

First and Reserve Champion Hack Breeding – NCPA Cheshire; First and Champion Hack Breeding – Shropshire and West Midlands; First and Champion Hack Breeding and Reserve Supreme to 1996 Wembley Templeton in-hand Winner – NCPA Lancashire; and Qualified Hack Breeding RIHS. Super Solvitax Elementary Champion 'VICARAGE MR FINNEGAN' is another Crackenthorpe Atlantic Star son.

PENTAGON: The 'horse' blood in CRACKENTHORPE ATLANTIC STAR is, we think, very important as it consolidates his correct conformation and paces, which in turn are passed through to great advantage in his progeny. This has been proved to be a much stronger influence than height. We would expect a 2" height gain from a pony mare.

MERIDIAN was a 14hh Working Hunter / Show Hunter Pony. Shown once in a strong open working hunter class, won easily and beating a Peterborough Supreme Champion in the process. She was a beautiful, almost black mare with a sweet temperament, and the talent of a performance horse. Sadly she died after an accident at only five years old. Meridian's dam was a Thoroughbred X New Forest pony. ELMWICK DONCELLA 14hh, by Downland Dominie out of Catherston Fairy Nymph, sired show winners including Waxwing Primula – winner of The Spencer Trophy at Peterborough and the Champion Scottish Working Hunter numerous times. After an in-hand career Elmwick Doncella went on to combine stud duties and driving in FEI classes. A highly respected pony that is described as 'ahead of his time'.