

VEKOMA

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Entered Stud in 2021
Dosage (4-4-7-1-0); **DI**: 2.56; **CD**: 0.69

See gray pages—Polynesian

RACE AND (BLACK TYPE) RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	2	2(1)	0	0	\$151,250
3	3	1(1)	0	1(1)	\$637,600
4	3	3(3)	0	0	\$456,675
Totals	8	6(5)	0	1(1)	\$1,245,525

Won At 2
Nashua S (G3, \$200,000, 8f in 1:36.62, dftg. Network Effect, Call Paul, U S Navy Cross, Factor It In, Puttheglassdown).

A maiden special weight race at Bel (\$75,000, 6f in 1:08.93, dftg. Epic Dreamer, Mihos, Front Run the Fed, Motagally, U R Not So Bad, etc.).

Won At 3
Toyota Blue Grass S (G2, \$1,000,000, 9f in 1:50.93, by 3½, dftg. Win Win Win, Signalman, Somelikeithotbrown, Chess Chief, So Alive, Sir Winston, Admire, Moonster, Lucky Lee, Market King, Aquadini, Dream Maker, Parsimony).

3rd Xpressbet Fountain of Youth S (G2, 8.5f, to Code of Honor, Bourbon War, dftg. Hidden Scroll, Global Campaign, Union's Destiny, Signalman, Everfast, Epic Dreamer, Frosted Grace, Gladiator King).

Won At 4
Runhappy Metropolitan H (G1, \$500,000, 8f in 1:32.88, dftg. Network Effect, Code of Honor, Warrior's Charge, McKinzie, Mr Freeze, Endorsed, Hog Creek Hustle).

Runhappy Carter H (G1, \$250,000, 7f in 1:21.02, by 7¼, dftg. Network Effect, American Anthem, Firenze Fire, Nitrous, Mind Control, Bon Raison, Still Having Fun).

Sir Shackleton S (\$75,000, 7f in 1:21.92, by 3¾, dftg. Yorkton, He Hate Me, Bourbon Resolution, Home Base, Bourbon Calling, Garter and Tie, Last Judgment, Hy Riverside, Jackson).

SIRE LINE

VEKOMA is by **CANDY RIDE**, black-type stakes winner of 6 races, \$749,149, champion miler in Arg, Pacific Classic S (G1), Joaquin S de Anchorena (G1 in Arg), San Isidro (G1 in Arg), American H (G2T).

To November 5, 2023: Sired 16 crops, 1,765 foals, 1,300 mrs (74%), 922 wms (52%), 195 2yo wms (11%), 114 BTW (6%), 1.91 AEI, 1.66 CI, 839 sale yrlds, avg \$140,781, 2.82 TNA. In 2023: 79 2yos, 16 2yo mrs, 3 2yo wms, 9 BTW, 42 sale yrlds, avg \$192,036.

CANDY RIDE'S has sired **GUN RUNNER** (Horse of the Year and champion older dir'l male, Pegasus World Cup Invitational S, G1, Breeders' Cup Classic, G1, etc.), **SHARED BELIEF** (champion 2yo colt, Santa Anita H, G1, TVG Pacific Classic S, G1A, CashCall Futurity, G1A, etc.), **GAME WINNER** (champion 2yo colt, Sentient Jet Breeders' Cup Juvenile, G1, American Pharoah S, G1, Del Mar Futurity, G1, etc.), **DESERT RIDE** (champion 3yo filly in Can, Woodbine Oaks Presented by Budweiser, etc.), **MISREMEMBERED** (Santa Anita H, G1A, Indiana Derby, G2, Swaps S, G2A, Santana Mile S, etc.), **SIDNEY'S CANDY** (Santa Anita Derby, G1A, Fourstardave H, G2T, La Jolla H, G2T, San Felipe S, G2A, etc.), **GEAUX ROCKET RIDE** (TVG.com Haskell S, G1, Affirmed S, 2nd FanDuel Racing Pacific Classic S, G1, San Felipe S, G2, at 3, 2023), **LEOFRIC** (Clark H presented by Norton Healthcare, G1, Hagyard Fayette S, G2, West Virginia Governor's S, G3, 2nd Razorback H, G3, etc.), **SEPARATIONOFFPOWERS** (Longines Test S, G1, Frizette S, G1, Bed o' Roses Invitational S, G3, 3rd Spinaway S, G1, etc.), **TWIRLING CANDY** (Malibu S, G1, Del Mar Derby, G2T, Strub S, G2, Californian S, G2A, etc.), **OLLIE'S CANDY** (Clement L. Hirsch S, G1, Summertime Oaks, G2, 2nd Apple Blossom H, G1, Juddmonte Spinster S, G1, etc.), **ASCEND** (Woodford Reserve Manhattan S, G1T, **CONFIDENCE GAME** (Rebel S, G2, 3rd Lecomte S, G3, to 3, 2023),), **CAPT. CANDYMAN CAN** (NetJets King's Bishop S, G1, Hutcheson S, G2, Bay Shore S, G3, Iroquois S, G3, etc.), **EL BRUJO** (Pat O'Brien S, G1A, Perryville S, G3A, Kentucky Cup Sprint S, G3A, **ROCK YOUR WORLD**

STUD ANALYSIS

Vekoma entered stud in 2021. His first foals will be 2-year-olds of 2024.

Candy Ride, b, 1999 6s, BTW, \$749,149 1,765 f, 114 BTW, 1.91 AEI 7.12 AWD	Ride the Rails, 1991 14s, BTW, \$255,096 756 f, 22 BTW, 1.28 AEI	Cryptoclearance, 1984 44s, BTW, \$3,376,327 1,197 f, 40 BTW, 1.13 AEI	Fappiano, by Mr. Prospector
		Herbalesian, 1969 Unraced 12 f, 9 r, 8 w, 3 BTW	Naval Orange, by Hoist the Flag
Candy Girl, 1990 Unraced 12 f, 11 r, 10 w, 3 BTW		Candy Stripes, 1982 6s, wnr, \$47,357 1,001 f, 58 BTW, 1.81 AEI	Herbager, by Vandale
		City Girl, 1982 Unraced 12 f, 7 r, 6 w, 2 BTW	Alanesian, by Polynesian
Mona de Momma, b, 2006 13s, BTW, \$384,399 3 f, 2 r, 2 w, 1 BTW 7.05 AWD	Speightstown, 1998 16s, BTW, \$1,258,256 1,413 f, 138 BTW, 1.96 AEI	Gone West, 1984 17s, BTW, \$682,251 1,263 f, 94 BTW, 1.79 AEI	Blushing Groom, by Red God
		Silken Cat, 1993 4s, BTW, \$102,120 10 f, 7 r, 3 w, 2 BTW	Bubble Company, by Lyphard
Society Gal, 1990 2s, unpl, 12 f, 10 r, 5 w, 1 BTW		Linkage, 1979 18s, BTW, \$410,013 350 f, 9 BTW, 1.23 AEI	Farnesio, by Good Manners
		Long Legend, 1978 6s, wnr, \$24,293 16 f, 14 r, 8 w, 2 BTW	Cithara, by Utopico
Inbreeding: 5SX4D Mr. Prospector; 5sX4D Hoist the Flag.			Mr. Prospector , by Raise a Native
			Secrettame, by Secretariat
			Storm Cat, by Storm Bird
			Silken Doll, by Chieftain
			Hoist the Flag , by Tom Rolfe
			Unity Hall, by Cyane
			Reviewer, by Bold Ruler
			Lianga, by Dancer's Image

(Runhappy Santa Anita Derby, G1, Pasadena S, 2nd Shared Belief S), **EVITA ARGENTINA** (La Brea S, G1A, A Gleam H, G2A, San Vicente S, G2A, Sorrento S, G3A, etc.), **MASTERY** (Los Alamitos Cash Call Futurity, G1, San Felipe S, G2, Bob Hope S, G3), **CANDIED** (Darley Alcibiades S, G1, at 2, 2023), **HOME SWEET ASPEN** (Santa Monica S, G1, Louis R. Rowan S, 2nd Eight Belles S, G3), **CLUBHOUSE RIDE** (Californian S, G2 twice, Barretts Juvenile S, 2nd Santa Anita H, G1, etc.), **CANDY BOY** (Robert B. Lewis S, G2, 2nd CashCall Futurity, G1A, West Virginia Derby, G2, Los Alamitos Derby, G2, etc.), **PAID UP SUBSCRIBER** (Fleur de Lis H, G2, Shuvee H, G3, 2nd Delaware H, G1, Ogdon Phipps S, G1, etc.), **CONFIDENCE GAME** (Rebel S, G2, 3rd Lecomte S, G3, to 3, 2023), **KETTLE CORN** (San Diego H, G2A, Native Diver H, G3A, 2nd TVG Pacific Classic S, G1A, Hollywood Gold Cup H, G1A, etc.), **GRAND TITO** (Mac Diarmida S, G2T, Miami Mile H, G3, Miesque's Approval S, Showing Up S, etc.), **CHOCOLATE RIDE** (Mervin H. Muniz Jr. H, G2T, Colonel E. R. Bradley H, G3T, Fair Grounds H, G3T twice, etc.), **ROYAL FLAG** (Beldame S, G2, Shuvee S, G3, Turnback the Alarm H, G3, 2nd Ruffian S, G2, Shuvee S, G3, etc.), **RIDE A COMET** (Del Mar Derby, G2T, Kennedy Road S, G2A, Tropical Turf S, G3T, etc.), **CHEWING GUM** (Joe Hernandez S, G2T, 2nd Jackpocket Jaipur S, G1T, Belmont Turf Sprint Invitational S, G3T, 3rd Belmont Turf Sprint Invitational S, G3T, etc., to 8, 2023), **CANDY SUGAR LADY** (champion older female in Pan), **LOLO FOREVER** (champion miller twice in Peru), New York Blue (champion 3yo filly in Korea), Cami Runner (champion 3yo filly in Dom, to 4, 2023), etc.

CANDY RIDE'S 2023 black-type stakes winners are **CANDIED** (G1), **GEAUX ROCKET RIDE** (G1), **CONFIDENCE GAME** (G2), **HEAVENLY SUNDAY** (G2T), **CANDY MAN ROCKET** (G3), **HIT SHOW** (G3), **TOUCH'N RIDE** (G3A), **LOVELY RIDE**, **SALUTE THE STARS**.

CANDY RIDE'S other sons as stallions include **GUN RUNNER** (322 foals, 24 BTW, 3.09 AEI), **SLOANE AVENUE** (130 foals, 2 BTW, 1.73 AEI), **TWIRLING CANDY** (845 foals, 45 BTW, 1.49 AEI), **CLUBHOUSE RIDE** (183 foals, 5 BTW, 1.31 AEI), **SIDNEY'S CANDY**, etc.

	Weanlings # sold—Avg	Yearlings # sold—Avg	Cover Sire # sold—Avg
2023	1—\$100,000	114—\$96,825	6—\$72,833
2022	27—\$92,222	—	14—\$36,286
Lifetime	28—\$92,500	114—\$96,825	39—\$56,667

*to November 5, 2023

FAMILY

1st dam
MONA DE MOMMA. 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$384,399, Humana Distaff S (G1), Las Flores H (G3A). Dam of 3 foals, including—
VEKOMA (Subject stallion).

2nd dam

SOCIETY GAL. Dam of 12 foals, including—
Treasure Hunt. 9 wins, 3 to 8, \$250,922, 2nd Pirate's Bounty H.
Jigadee. 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$193,226, 2nd Sapling S (G3), Miller Genuine Draft Cradle S, 3rd Sanford S (G3).
Henry the King. 4 wins, 2 to 5, \$135,470, 3rd Frank Whiteley Jr. Stakes.

3rd dam

LONG LEGEND. 4 wins at 2 and 3 in Eng, \$24,293. Dam of 16 foals, including—
MR. GREELEY. 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$474,452, Lafayette S (G3), Swale S (G3), Spectacular Bid Breeders' Cup S (G3), 2nd Breeders' Cup Sprint (G1), Jerome H (G2), Hutcheson S (G2), Riva Ridge S (G3). Sire, 1.30 AEI.
MAJESTIC LEGEND. 7 wins, 3 to 5, \$200,853, Week of Fame Ladies H, 2nd Grassland H, Jenny Wiley S. Dam of **BINALEGEND** (\$288,245, Reluctant Guest S, Minneapolis H, 3rd Bryan Station S, Allen E. Paulson H). Granddam of **STREET SENSE** (\$4,383,200, champion 2yo colt, Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands, G1, Bessmer Trust Breeders' Cup Juvenile, G1, Travers S, G1, Jim Dandy S, G2, Tampa Bay Derby, G3, 2nd Preakness S, G1, Toyota Blue Grass S, G1A, Kentucky Cup Classic S, G2A, 3rd Lane's End Breeders' Futurity, G1A, Arlington-Washington Breeders' Cup Futurity, G3, sire), **ELUSIVE SPARKLE** (\$112,028, Prairie Rose S).
Talltalelady. 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$208,968, 2nd Alcibiades S (G2), Mazarine S (G3), Ontario Matron H, 3rd Natalma S, Ontario Debutante S. Dam of **TELL IT AS IT IS** (\$391,374, Maple Leaf S, Tatting S, 2nd Ontario Matron S, 3rd Falls City H, G2, Maple Leaf S). Granddam of **TOLIMAN** (\$171,059, Prix Montenica, in Fr, to 10, 2023).

Warfield. 2 wins at 3, \$65,125, 3rd Oceanside S. Sire.

EPISODE. Winner at 3. Dam of **VESTREY LADY** (\$490,754, Royal North S, G3T, Duchess S, La Lorgnette S, 2nd Lexus Raven Run S, G2A, Sweet Briar Too S). Granddam of **BATTLE STATION** (\$745,475, Lucky Coin S, Bertram F. Bongard S, etc., to 8, 2023), **OUR QUISTA** (\$266,380, Elge Raspberry S, Louisiana Champions Day Ladies S, etc.).

FRITZY RITZ. Unraced. Producer. Granddam of **DOCTOR CHIT** (\$196,589, Western Larla S, 2nd Amsterdam S, G2, sire).

UFORIA. Dam of **TAJAAWEED** (\$314,476, Arlington H, G3T, Addleshaw Goddard Dee S, G3 in Eng, etc., sire). Granddam of **PARADISE WOODS** (\$1,123,890, Santa Anita Oaks, G1, Zenyatta S, G1 twice, Santa Margarita S, G2, 2nd La Brea S, G1, Santa Maria S, G2, 3rd Longines Breeders' Cup Distaff, G1, Beholder Mile S, G1 twice), **FOREST CHATTER** (\$437,624, California Flag H, etc., to 12, 2023).



VEKOMA

Candy Ride – Mona de Momma, by Speightstown

CANDY RIDE'S FASTEST & BEST-BRED G1 SON

- First-crop yearlings in 2023 averaged \$98,432 – **nearly 5x the bred-on stud fee** – from 102 sold.
- Yearlings included: **\$775,000** colt – second highest of the session at KESEEP, \$400,000 filly, \$325,000 filly, \$280,000 colt, \$270,000 filly, \$250,000 colt, \$250,000 colt, \$250,000 filly, \$250,000 filly, etc; Second-crop weanlings sold up to \$235,000.
- **One of the most popular stallions in North America:** 222 mares bred in 2021 (4th highest among all stallions), 196 mares bred in 2022, and 212 mares bred in 2023 (top 10 in North America).
- Impressive gate-to-wire winner of the prestigious **MET MILE (G1)** in **1:32.88** – third fastest in a quarter century and **.15 off the track record**.
- Runaway 7 ¼-length winner of the **CARTER H. (G1)** in 1:21.02 for 7f – second fastest in the last 15 years.
- **-½ RAGOZIN** – only horse to run a negative number in 2020, and the fastest son of Candy Ride (Arg) – faster than Gun Runner (-¼); **110 BEYER** – fastest dirt miler of 2020.
- **Undefeated at 2:** Won on debut in a scorching **1:08.93** for 6f, stretched out to a mile to win the **NASHUA (G3)** at Aqueduct with a **97 Beyer** – tied with Game Winner as the second fastest juvenile in 2018.
- Classic contender at 3: Stretched his speed to 1 1/8 miles to win the \$1,000,000 **BLUE GRASS (G2)** going away by 3 ½ lengths with a 94 Beyer.
- Rarity at stud: **A multiple G1 winner, by a multiple G1 winner** – Candy Ride, **out of a G1 winner** – MONA DE MOMMA; hails from the immediate family of **MR. GREELEY**.
- First crop of 2-year-olds race in 2024.

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