

Living in between the provinces of Limburg and Antwerp, Guido Lookx of Tessenderlo succeeded to win the national victory from ARGENTON against 5.084 old birds.



The string of Pantani again won a national first prize:

1 Nat. Bourges 10.871 old birds¹⁹⁸ (The Pantani)

1 Nat. Bourges 14207 Yrl.¹⁰⁴ (The Prinses) granddaughter of the Pantani

1 Nat. Argenton 5084 old birds¹⁰⁶ (Rossini) as well on fathers- as on mothers side he's grandson of the Pantani !

Super breeder Pantani :

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Olympic cock Blackpool

1 Nat. Bourges

2 x 1 Prov. Bourges

1 I.Prov. Chateauroux

5 Nat. Ace Middle Distance KBDB

He really is a super bird! Luckily Guido never decided to sell his "Pantani" but he moved him to the breeding loft. This seemed to be an excellent idea because the descendants of this exceptional racer already brought him several provincial victories and this string is successful on other lofts too. One example: the Olympic pigeon of the late Vervoort, was a granddaughter of this famous Pantani !



Origines of the Pantani :

Sire: 6112215-93, "Father Pantani" Engels, Putte
 Gr.S. : 6237651-90 : 21 Nat. Argenton
 Gr.D. : 6615568-91 : string Witte x Dikke or 2 x 1 National

Dam: 6108593-94 "Mother Pantani" Daems & Son
 Gr.S. : 6291017-84 The Lichte Daems, father of the Orleans son of the basic couple Daems (Goede Lichte 146-75 (11x1) x Basic hen 228-83 (string Bourgesman Vervoort)
 Gr.D. : 6633006-89 The Good 6, Blue White Feather, old base Daems, mother of the Witzwing 160 : 1°, 2°, 3°; Š.

The bases of the colony

It all started at this address, Schoterheide in Tessenderlo at the end of the nineties with some pigeons of his father but later on he started to invest a lot. Only the very best got the opportunity to move to the Schoterheide. He began with a grandson of the Nixon of Van Hove Uytterhoeven. This cock is at the base of the whole colony. In 1991 he bought 9 little youngsters with Daems and Son from Bevel : 7 out of these 9 birds produced winners. Another super buy was a son of the Black Panther with Fons Slaets, which was coupled to a daughter of the famous Kadet of Karel Meulemans. In 94 and 95 he went to Van den Abeele where he bought out of the very best ; sons and daughters of the Wittebuik, Turbo, Braven Later on he bought also at the loft of Engels from Putte ; with these he succeeded too, . Super pigeons for the little long distance.

Only the very best is good enough for the large middle distance from 450 till 650 km. From Orleans till Limoges and Souillac.

Nowadays his dreams have become true with all these provincial victories but also Š 3 x 1 National. He became one of the best fanciers of our little country!

The loft

When Guido started to build his house, he first thought about his pigeons. The family lives on the groundfloor and the attic became one of the best and most beautiful lofts ever. Here the birds get a lot of air, sun and hereby it's very dry, so only the best for his feathered friends.

Guido also tried to minimise the care-taking because the quality of the pigeons comes first. He prefers the classical widowhood but he also succeeds with his little group of hens on widowhood, to win (The Prinses : 1 Nat; Bourges Yrl.)

The youngsters:

The section of the youngsters is in the garden where they get prepared for the middle distances and the national flights. Guido always has the choice on which middle distance flight he wants to participate with his young birds.

He can choose between the game of the middle distance in the "Tienverbond » or he can follow the program of the province of Limburg.

The most important is that the little ones get enough experience. They get played every weekend with wonderful results like the last season with his 1 Provincial Argenton and 3 Provincial Bourges.

The medical guidance

This aspect remains very simple within this colony. Before the season starts the birds get cured against canker and they regularly get some condition powder of the veterinary, which is mixed with the food. When the pigeons return back home from a flight, they receive some electrolytes.

The national winner from Argenton :

5221443-05 Rossini

It's a hen of 2005 which was trained till Soissons (215 km) in 2006. This year she won:

162 S/Nat. Montluçon 7381 old birds

73 Prov. Nanteuil 2187 old birds

Sire: 5231795-03 Son of the Lichte Pantani

Gr.S. : 6129404-97 Lichte Pantani, super racer with 1 I.Prov. Argenton 1 Crépy, 1 Crépy, 2 Prov. Argenton 2672 5 Prov. Argenton 2955 11 Prov. Chateauroux 4579 25 Prov. Argenton 2595, .

Lichte Pantani is son of Pantani x daughter of the basic couple

Gr.D. : 5197123-99 Zohra : 1 Prov. La Souterraine 6 Prov. La Souterraine, sister of the mother of the Prinses. Zohra is a daughter of the 485-96 (pure VdAbeelee) x 419-96 (pure VdAbeelee)
Dam: 5242949-03 daughter of the Vooruit Pantani
Gr.S. : 5197110-99 Vooruit Pantani : 5x1 : Sens 5 min advance against 1462 p Toury 10 min of advance against 1150 p, brother of the Panzani : 1 Prov. Bourges son of the Pantani x Zwarte Pol
Gr.D. : 6129469-97 Argentonneke : 1 Prov. Argenton'97 100% VdAbeelee exceptional breeding hen and granddaughter of the Wittenbuik VdAbeelee

Some results of 2007 :

10-06 Chateauroux 529 km - 2772 Yrl. Prov. : 2 (1/2)
- 8218 Yrl. C&E. : 3 (1/2)
261 old birds : 5, 15, 21, 24, .
9432 old birds C&E ; : 397, 737, ..
23-06 Montluçon 552 km 128 old birds: 1, 7, 9, 11, 17, .(12/33)
7381 old birds C&E. : 12, 119, 155, 162, 328, 367, 737,
227 Yrl. : 2, 3, 4, 13, 16, (12/27)
7776 Yrl. C&E. : 47, 62, 91, 283 ,312 ,.
28-07 Bourges 112 old birds: 1, 3, 5, 11, . (10/32)
1565 old birds Prov. : 2, 35, Š.
(he won 2^o Prov. with Luka, 5124107-05 national +/- 5^o/12503 old birds in 2006 this hen won: 1 Prov. Montluçon cross-breeding VdAbeelee x sister Pantani !)
NAT. :12503 old birds: +/- 5, 65
202 Yrl. : 1, 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15, 19, .. (21/51)
2193 Yrl. Prov. : 18, 27, 28, 47, 69, ..
NAT. : 15877 Yrl. : +/- 47, 64, 70
194 youngsters: 3, 11, 17, .
04-08 Nanteuil 266 km 2618 Yrl. Prov. : 7, 13, 69, 158, 211, ..
- 2187 old birds Prov. : 18, 62, 73,
- 12502 youngsters: 16, 17, 23
13-08 Argenton 558 km : 62 old birds: 1, 10, 14, Š. 1 Prov. 1 Nat. !!!!
87 Yrl. :1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 13, 17,
198 youngsters: 6, 7, 18, 21, 23, (9/25)

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