

SENSATION REX 12021

Sensation Rex was a chestnut stallion foaled in 1931, owned and bred by Hugh Lawson. Sired by Rex Firefly, a good son of Rex Peavine, and out of Hall of Fame Broodmare Ware's Sensation by King Phelps, a son of Bourbon King, Sensation Rex possessed great bloodlines and began his career in stud as a 3 year old. Successful from the start, he sired WC Golden Sensation, WC Grassview Sensation, CH Wonderland Sensation in his first few foal crops. Breeding stallions Mighty Sensation and Old Mill Bourbon also came from his early seasons at stud.

Sold in the fall of 1939 to Leatherwood Farm, he sold again in early 1940 to James K Robinson Jr of Crebilly Farm in West Chester Pennsylvania, which would be his last home. Surrounded by such great Hall of Fame Broodmares as May Genius, Sweet Emma, Kalarama Lorelei, Kate Peavine, WGC CH Meadow Vanity and Wild Wind, Sensation Rex gained a reputation for siring fine show horses, as well as great breeding sons and daughters.

While at Crebilly Farm he sired the following:

- WC CH Crebilly's Precision, shown as Fair Warning, 5 Gaited Ladies Stake winner in 1961-62
- WC CH Crebilly's Sweetheart of Devon, 3 Gaited Ladies stake winner from 1957 to 1962
- CH Glenmarie, 3 Gaited Champion at 1947 Pennsylvania National
- CH Crebilly's Wild Sensation
- RWGC Crebilly's Daring Sensation, Reserve in the 1956 Fine Harness World's Championship
- WCC As Beauty Does, 1950 5 Gaited Junior Champion
- WC Kathleen of Crebilly, 1949 5 Gaited Junior Champion

Sensation Rex' daughters included Crebilly's Mimi, the dam of RWGC CH Arturo's Cara Mia, the 1967 Reserve 3 Gaited World's Champion who was later shown by Nancy Leigh Fisher. Another Sensation Rex daughter, Crebilly's Whirlwind BHF produced Crebilly's Gust of Fortune, the dam of WGC Valerie Emerald. Crebilly's Whirlwind also produced her daughter Crebilly's Plumb Beautiful BHF who was the dam of WGC CH Supreme Airs BHF and Supreme Fascination BHF. Descendants from Crebilly's Whirlwind include WC Harlem Globetrotter, WC Supreme Heir, Putting on Airs BHF, WC Yorkshire Pudding BHF, WGC CH Foxfire's Prophet, WC Castle Bravo, RWC Deep Blue, Reedann's Top Gun and WGC Marc of Charm.

Sensation Rex sired Vanity's Sensation of Crebilly, who sired many show horses while standing at stud for Dodge Stables. Best known is his daughter WGC CH Lover's Sensation, 3 Gaited World's Champion in 1970. Sensation Rex' sire line is still intact today through South African lines including (SA) Tomcat, Tango's Parting Kiss and (SA) Calif First Night Out.

On October 8th, 1954 at Crebilly Farm, 23 year old Sensation Rex was euthanized along with 27 year old Wild Wind BHF. Together, they had produced offspring WCC As Beauty Does, CH Crebilly's Wild Sensation and Crebilly's Whirlwind BHF. Their combined legacy continues to this day.



Sire
REX FIREFLY
10683

SENSATION REX
12021

Dam
WARE'S SENSATION (BHF)
17948

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 REX PEAVINE
 1796

 GOLDEN FIREFLY (BHF)
 9268

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 KING PHELPS
 4270

 REXIE MADISON
 21566

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 REX MCDONALD
 833

 DAISY 2D (BHF)
 2229

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 GUIDED BY LOVE
 2641

 PRINCESS IRENE
 4962

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 BOURBON KING
 1788

 MISS MADISON (BHF)
 4685

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 REX PEAVINE
 1796

 MISS MADISON (BHF)
 4685

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 REX DENMARK
 840
 LUCY MACK (BHF)
 2459
 PEAVINE
 85
 MOLLIE 2D
 902970

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 KING LEE ROSE
 853
 MAUD CULLEN
 3687
 KENTUCKY DIAMOND
 911539
 PATSY
 911540

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 BOURBON CHIEF
 976
 ANNIE C. (BHF)
 3025

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 CHESTER DARE
 10
 DAUGHTER OF PEAVINE
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 REX MCDONALD
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 DAISY 2D (BHF)
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