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PAUL FITZPATRICK INDUCTED AS THE LAST HAROLD PARK LIVING LEGEND

PAUL FITZPATRICK IS NOW A 'LEGEND' AFTER BEING INDUCTED INTO THE EXCLUSIVE HAROLD PARK LIVING LEGENDS CLUB.

The Harold Park Living Legends was first introduced in the year 2000 to recognise the outstanding achievements of harness racing champions whilst they were still alive to enjoy the adulation of the public, the admiration of their peers and the respect of the New South Wales Harness Racing Club Directors, Management and Members.

Paul joins a very select group of master horsemen as a Living Legend. In 2000 the quartet of AD (Tony) Turnbull, KB (Kevin) Newman, BP (Brian) Hancock and VW (Victor) Frost were all inducted.

There was then a lapse before LC (Les) Chant and KJ (Kevin) Robinson were inducted as a Living Legends however Kevin Robinson has since passed away.

In making the announcement tonight the Club Chairman Rex Horne stated it was a pleasure to announce Fitzpatrick's induction.

Naturally Paul Fitzpatrick was overwhelmed at joining such a select group of his peers.

With the closure of Harold Park on December 17 the Club has decided that there will be no further inductions to the Living Legends.

FOR THE RECORD:

PRJ (PAUL) FITZPATRICK

- First Licensed in 1967
- First winner as a trainer was Johnny Be Good at Wyong in 1969.
- Since 1984 he has trained 1721 winners.
- First Harold Park winner as a trainer was John Herbert in 1984.
- Harold Park Premierships from 2003/4 through to this past season.
- Seven Premierships. (Same number as Living Legend Brian Hancock but still 2 less than another Living Legend Kevin Newman)
- Best season was 2006/7 when he trained 120 winners.

BEST HORSES:

- Lombo Pocket Watch (Australian Horse of the Year as a 2YO)
- Rohan Home (Queensland Pacing Championship)
- Make Me Smile (NSW Derby)
- Lady Lexus (Multiple Cup winner)
- Dance of Life (Victorian Oaks)

NSW SIRES STAKES CHAMPIONS:

- Duel Prince
- Deductible
- Rectitude
- Vin Cere
- Shuffle

OTHER HORSES INCLUDE:

- Smooth Cruza
- Emmas Only
- Ima Spicy Lombo
- Lonestar Legend



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