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NZ bred favourite for US Breeders Crown 2YO Pace

Foreclosure is the solo flag bearer for New Zealand, in the upcoming US Breeders Crown. Bred by the Platinum Breeding Syndicate, Foreclosure left our shores for the bright lights of America as a yearling in 2009.

Foreclosure is by Rocknroll Hanover out of Australian-bred mare Pleasing Package. His dam was no stranger to the USA, she earned over \$300,000US and paced a scintillating mile rate of 1.50.4.

Pleasing Package was imported to New Zealand in 2006 and has bred two foals. Foreclosure being the first and a filly born in 2008 'Glenferrie Diva'. Pleasing Package is now in foal again to Rocknroll Hanover, the foal will be due January 2011.

Foreclosure was bred for the Northern Hemisphere season therefore is still eligible to race as a two-year-old. As such, he goes in favourite for the two-year-old colt or gelding pace finals. This illustrious race is being run for \$600,000US – equivalent of nearly \$800,000NZ.

Now owned by Canadian Peter Heffering, Foreclosure has never been out of the money since his US career began in July 2010. Going into the final he sits on five wins, one second and one third from eight starts.

The US Breeders Crown is being shown live on Trackside this Sunday (9th October 2010) see schedule below:

Race 1 10:00 AM - Breeders Crown Mare Trot

Race 2 10:27 AM - Breeders Crown Open Trot

Race 3 10:55 AM - Breeders Crown 2 year old Filly Trot

Race 4 11:23 AM - Breeders Crown 3 year old Colt Trot

Race 5 11:51 AM - Breeders Crown 2 year old Filly Pace

Race 6 12:18 PM - Breeders Crown 2 year old Colt Trot

Race 7 12:46 PM - Invitational Pace

Race 8 1:14 PM - Breeders Crown 2 year old Colt Pace

Race 9 1.42 PM - Breeders Crown 3 year old Filly Trot

Race 10 2:09 PM - Breeders Crown Mare Pace

Race 11 2:37 PM - Breeders Crown 3 year old Filly Pace

Race 12 3:05 PM - Breeders Crown Open Pace

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