

## Summerwind Marchadors Press Release

Saturday, January 26, we received a shipment of frozen semen from Bahia, Brazil, that has been 3 to 5 years in the making. Thanks to the heroic efforts of all who worked to get new genetic material to North America, including Haras do AP, Haras Avena, Laura Patterson Rosa, Caroline Lisboa, Jerry Longworth, DVM and Summerwind Marchadors! The stallions are Violeiro do Riomar, a three-time national champion in Brazil from Haras do AP, and Carnaval Sao Lourenco who is recognized as one of the top three stallions in best of progeny - marcha picada gait - from Haras Avena.

Summerwind Marchadors and the SW Future Foal breeders now represent eleven Mangalarga Marchador stallions, most being imported frozen semen, with one of our own junior stallions, Jedi-Knight do Summerwind, black tobiano stallion, added in 2019 as a cooled semen option.

The Mangalarga Marchador is the ultimate Brazilian Saddle Horse, perfected in Brazil for over 200 years. Based on Iberian breeds, they are beautiful to look at, wonderful to be with and comfortable to ride; a perfect life partner, no matter what your age. There are only 300 or so in North America, but over 600,000 in Brazil.

Summerwind Marchadors is committed to improving the genetic diversity, numbers and quality of the breed here in North America, along with their breeding partners and investors. "Expect to be impressed"

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