



JEREMY NOSEDA

Born: Sept. 17, 1963 in London
Residence: Newmarket, England, where he operates Shalfleet yard
Family: Wife Sally, sister of trainers Richard and Rae Guest.

Jeremy Nosededa has become one of England's leading over the past several years, especially returning to his native England following a short stay in the United States, based in Southern California. He has saddled at least a dozen stakes winners, including Wilko, winner of the 2004 Breeders' Cup Juvenile and 2005 Kentucky Derby runner, and Awesome Act, on the Triple Crown trail this year.



Wilko was sent to trainer Craig Dollase in Southern California for his 3-year-old campaign, in which he finished sixth. This year, Nosededa has kept Awesome Act in his training grasp, even though the son of Awesome Again has been stabled in New York with a Nosededa team since before his victory in Aqueduct's Gotham Stakes.

Nosededa, who usually has in excess of 100 horses in training, is the first in his family to become involved in Thoroughbred training. He became smitten with the sport as a schoolboy and learned to ride at age 13. He spent school holidays in the stables of Brian Swift and Jeremy Tree before turning down a place at Cambridge University to further his racing education. He worked six years for trainer John Dunlop and then joined up with John Gosden as an assistant for five years, three in Southern California.

In 1993, Nosededa was asked by Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum to join the Godolphin Racing operation, His two years with Godolphin coincided with Lammtarra winning both the Epsom Derby and the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, as well as numerous victories worldwide in major races with the likes of Balanchine, Moonshell, Vettori, Halling and Classic Cliché.

In 1995, Sheikh Mohammed proposed that he set Nosededa up as a trainer in France, but the Briton turned the offer down in order to start training under his own name. With the sheikh's blessing, Nosededa returned to Southern California's Hollywood Park in January of 1996 with 15 horses. In spite of winning with his

first runner and three of his next four, Nosedata failed to attract new owners so returned to England at the end of 1997.

He had the opportunity at that point to buy Shalfleet Stables in Newmarket from the retiring Paul Kelleway. Nosedata has a staff of six assistants. His stable made an immediate impact when Wannabe Grand gave him his first Group I success by winning the Cheveley Park Stakes at Newmarket in October 1998 and finished second the following spring in the One Thousand Guineas.

In 2006, Nosedata captured three British Group I stakes, including his first Classic, the St. Leger, the Sixties Icon. Araafa provided the other two by winning the St. James's Palace Stakes and the Irish 2,000 Guineas. The trainer picked up two more Group I wins in 2007 with Soldiers Tale in the Golden Jubilee Stakes and Simply Perfect in the Falmouth Stakes.