

Bromac Lodge News

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TANABI BROMAC CRUISES IN VIN KNIGHT

Outstanding four year old **Tanabi Bromac** cruised to yet another victory in the **Mallia Builders Vin Knight Memorial** at Kilmore last night.

The **Live Or Die** gelding started a commanding favourite at the odds of \$1.30 and the public was so sure of his victory that no other horse started at single figure odds.

Drawing one behind the gate over the 2180m, **Tanabi Bromac** took the lead at the outset and after that the result was never really in doubt.

Hardly out of second gear throughout, **Tanabi Bromac** was allowed to cruise alone in the front and it wasn't until the last 800m that he started to put in some speed work with the last part of the race covered in 56.8 – the result of 28.5 and 28.3 final quarters respectively.

The final margin was almost 3 metres with trailer **Flamin Tact** (ex NZ) the only one to stay near him. Fellow **Live Or Die** gelding **Megasam** (ex NZ) flew home from well back in field to finish third, albeit more than 8 metres away.

Last week he was similarly impressive when returning from a three and a half month break to score easily at Moonee Valley in a 1:58.9 mile rate.

Last night's victory was **Tanabi Bromac**'s 15th win of his career and took his earnings to over \$240,000 to date.

He is the first foal of the Village Jasper mare **Tanabi** who was unraced but is already proving a success at stud with last season's Group 1 Victorian Derby winner **Tanabi Bromac** her first foal.