

### **Broadview Dark Horse LP**

An investment partnership managed by Ewing Morris & Co. Investment Partners Ltd.

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# Guiding Principle

"Our goal is to build an investment firm of which we would want to be clients."

John Ewing & Darcy Morris



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# Ewing Morris Overview

#### Who We Are

- Value-driven Canadian boutique investment firm
  - \$339 million of assets under management
  - 6 investment professionals
- Broadview Dark Horse LP (the "Fund") launched in 2009
  - 10.6% annualized net return to limited partners since inception<sup>(1)</sup>
  - Co-PMs Anthony Hammill and Lee Matheson
  - Merged with Ewing Morris in 2017

### Strategy Overview

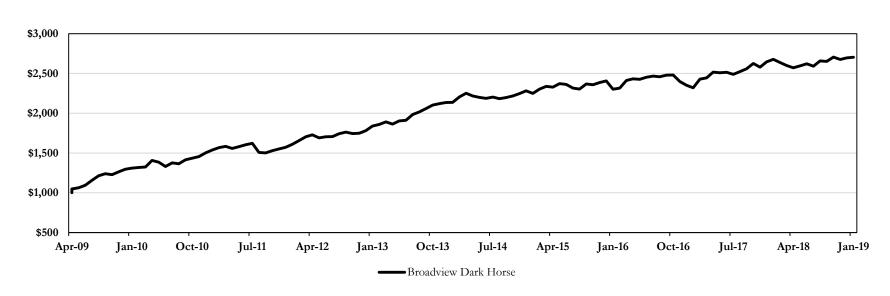
- North American long /short strategy
- ► Capital structure agnostic seeking "equity like" returns
- ► Heavy due diligence and continued involvement in companies
- ► Focus on small capitalization companies



<sup>(1)</sup> As of January 31, 2019. Fund inception was April 3, 2009. Past returns are not indicative of future performance. Returns and AUM are estimates until NAV is finalized.

## Track Record

Broadview Dark Horse LP cumulative return on \$1,000,000



Barrel in Dual Hear	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019(3)	Cumulative Since Inception <sup>(2)</sup>	Annualized Since Inception
Broadview Dark Horse LP <sup>(1)</sup>	15.8%	4.7%	13.4%	19.9%	6.9%	5.4%	-2.2%	12.5%	1.9%	0.3	170.4%	10.6%

<sup>(1)</sup> Fund returns are net of all fees and expenses. Past returns are not indicative of future performance. Returns are estimates until NAV is finalized.



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# Experienced Team

### **Investment Team**

Investment Partner	Background	Industry Experience	Investment Partner	Background	Industry Experience
John Ewing	Burgundy	12 years	Randy Steuart	Norrep, Marret	13 years
Darcy Morris	Burgundy	12 years	Alex Ryzhikov	Burgundy	9 years
Lee Matheson	Broadview, AIC	16 years	Anthony Hammill	Broadview, AIC	20 years

### **Advisory Board**

Martin Connell, O.C.	Former CEO & Chair of Conwest Energy, Co- Founder of Ace Bakery	Rosamond Ivey	Head of JRS Investments	Harry Rosen, O.C.	Founder of Harry Rosen, Inc.
Ira Gluskin	Co-Founder of Gluskin Sheff	John MacIntyre	Founder & Principal of Birch Hill Private Equity	Bill Stedman	Former CEO of Pembina Pipeline, former CEO of ENTx Capital
Linda Haynes, O.C.	Co-Founder of Ace Bakery	David Peterson, O.ONT.	Chair of Cassels Brock, former Premier of Ontario	David Wilson	Former Vice-Chairman of Scotiabank, former Head of Ontario Securities Commission

For full biographies, please visit: https://www.ewingmorris.com/team/



### **Broadview Dark Horse LP Overview**

# Security Selection

### Long/short fund; Alpha longs, Alpha shorts and index hedges

- ► Competitive advantage we can do what others cannot or will not
- ► Look for structural, nuanced or temporal inefficiencies
  - We are value investors and content to look very different from peers
- ► Heavy due diligence and continued involvement in virtually all files
  - "Activist" involvement as back-up plan



# Underwriting Process

#### Idea Generation

- Identify situations with likely mispricing
  - o Distress, disinterest, complication

#### Expertise

- Focus on businesses we understand well and can properly handicap
  - o Strong preference for recurring, contractual cash flow streams

#### Private Value

- Determine value through the lens of Private Market Value
  - What would a sophisticated, arm's length buyer with full data pay?

### Deep Diligence

• Business operations, industry structure, creditors/credit environment, shareholders, board of directors/management

### Scenario Analysis

- Determine fair value range using spectrum of scenarios
  - o Acquire at meaningful discount to probability weighted fair value
  - o Payoff asymmetry & liquidity help determine position sizing



# Risk Management

#### Framework

- Asset/Liability matching framework
  - o Prevent against over-investing in illiquid securities

### **Exposure Limit**

- Exposure limits
  - o Will not go over 100% gross long or 100% gross short

#### **Sector Limit**

- Sector Limits<sup>(1)</sup>
  - o Will not exceed 20% gross long

#### **Position Limit**

- Position Limits
  - Will not exceed 8% long exposure to any single issuer
  - Will not exceed 4% short exposure to any single issuer



<sup>(1)</sup> Sector classifications may differ from commonly used classifications such as GICS.

## The Dark Horse vs. Indices

		Dark Horse	TSX Composite	TSX Small Cap
	1 Month	0.3%	8.7%	7.66%
	Most Recent Quarter	0.3%	8.7%	7.66%
Return	1 Year (LTM)	1.0%	0.5%	-10.0%
	3 Year Annualized	5.5%	9.8%	9.3%
	5 Year Annualized	4.8%	5.6%	0.9%
Return	Since Inception Total Return	170.4%	128.4%	105.91%
Return	Total Return Annualized	10.6%	8.8%	7.6%
Risk	3 Year Std. Deviation	6.0%	9.2%	13.8%
KISK	Std. Deviation Annualized	7.0%	10.4%	15.7%
Sharpe Ratio	Excess Return Per Unit of Risk	1.3	0.7	0.4
Correlation	Since Inception Correlation		0.1	0.1
Max Drawdown		7.4%	16.5%	31.5%



<sup>\*</sup>As of January 31, 2019. The used indices are representative of widely known and followed investment alternatives.

## The Dark Horse

82 Up Months vs. 35 Down Months

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD	S&P TSX
2019	0.33													
2018	1.22	-1.52	-1.48	-1.02	0.91	1.04	-1.18	2.53	-0.20	2.07	-1.13	0.70	1.85	-8.89
2017	-1.42	4.75	0.66	2.93	-0.35	0.27	-1.00	1.30	1.45	2.58	-1.74	2.60	12.48	9.10
2016	-4.33	0.67	4.12	0.85	-0.22	1.03	0.55	-0.31	0.84	0.05	-3.31	-1.90	-2.21	21.08
2015	-1.44	2.46	1.50	-0.46	1.89	-0.41	-1.98	-0.49	2.79	-0.45	1.17	0.84	5.42	-8.32
2014	0.03	3.23	2.07	-1.46	-0.82	-0.57	0.77	-0.94	0.60	0.95	1.36	1.53	6.85	-10.55
2013	3.18	1.09	1.78	-1.52	2.23	0.42	3.80	1.60	2.06	2.20	0.81	0.70	19.85	12.99
2012	2.46	2.84	2.94	1.37	-2.16	0.85	0.05	2.11	1.18	-0.96	0.20	1.87	13.37	7.19
2011	2.45	1.93	1.03	-1.58	1.36	1.51	1.17	-7.13	-0.30	1.86	1.46	1.24	4.71	-8.71
2010	1.07	0.62	0.50	6.23	-1.59	-3.90	3.44	-0.86	3.65	1.42	1.37	3.20	15.80	17.61
2009				4.79	1.47	3.02	5.66	4.87	2.08	-0.87	2.83	2.61	29.60	28.49

Master series performance. Performance numbers reported net of all fees in CAD 2019 numbers are unaudited

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## Appendix

# Summary of Key Terms

**Alignment of interests** Over 25% insider assets are invested in the Fund

Fees Class A: 1.65% annual fee + performance fee, 30-day redemption notice period

Class B: Available to certain institutional investors at the discretion of the Manager

**High Water Mark** Perpetual; performance fee does not start accruing until after the previous losses have

been recouped + hurdle rate

**Performance Fee** 20% of profits over a hurdle rate equal to the higher of 3% or the 1-year Bank of

Canada Treasury Rate

Lockup provision None

**Liquidity** Monthly (2% early redemption fee payable to LP)

**Reporting** Monthly investment statements and pricing

Quarterly commentary

Annual Limited Partners Meeting

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# Disclaimer

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