

BELMONT PARK - June 10, 2011 - Race 10

STAKES Brooklyn H. Grade 2 - Thoroughbred

A HANDICAP FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. No nomination fee. \$1,500 to pass the entry box. A supplemental nomination fee of \$2,000 in addition to the entry fee may be made at any time prior to the publication of weights. All starters to receive a \$1,000 rebate. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among the remaining finishers. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, May 28, 2011 with 17 Nominations.

One And One Half Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Secretariat - 2:24.00 - June 9, 1973)

Purse: \$150,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$150,000

Value of Race: \$147,000 1st \$90,000, 2nd \$30,000, 3rd \$15,000, 4th \$7,500, 5th \$4,500

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:47 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15May11 ⁹ BEL ²	4	Birdrun (Maragh, Rajiv)	118	L a	4	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 3/4}	2.65	rate to 3/8, brisk urge
15May11 ⁹ BEL ¹	2	Drosselmeyer (Lezcano, Jose)	119	L	2	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	1.25*	rated to 3/8, 2nd best
15May11 ⁹ BEL ⁴	5	Alma d'Oro (Velazquez, John)	116	L	5	4 ⁶	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	7.00	3 wide both turns
30Apr11 ⁶ ATL ¹	1	Eldaafer (Valdivia, Jr., Jose)	118	L b	1	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁸	4 ⁹	4 ⁵	4 ²	4 ¹	2.65	tracked ins, ask 3/8
15May11 ⁹ BEL ⁵	3	Afleet Again (Pennington, Frankie)	115	L	3	5	5	5	5	5	5	11.40	rank, drift 6w to upper

Fractional Times: 24.81 49.71 1:13.88 1:38.21 2:02.94 **Final Time:** 2:28.24

Split Times: (24:90) (24:17) (24:33) (24:73) (25:30)

Run-Up: 80 feet

Winner: Birdrun, Chestnut Horse, by Birdstone out of Run Like Martha, by Jolie's Halo. Foaled Apr 09, 2006 in Florida.

Breeder: Arthur I. Appleton. **Winning Owner:** Preston Stables LLC

Total WPS Pool: \$362,182

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
4	Birdrun	7.30	3.10	2.50	\$2.00 Exacta	4-2	16.60	259,572	
2	Drosselmeyer		2.70	2.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-2-5	46.20	153,905	
5	Alma d'Oro			3.00	\$2.00 Daily Double	1-4	17.00	168,588	
					\$2.00 Pick 3	6-1-4 (3 correct)	56.00	154,517	
					\$2.00 Pick 4	5-6/9/13/14-1/4-4 (4 correct)	8,267.00	301,780	
					\$2.00 Pick 6	5-7-5-6/9/13/14-1/4-4 (5 correct)	2,981.00	193,404	144,003

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin
4	Birdrun	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 3/4}
2	Drosselmeyer	3 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{3 3/4}
5	Alma d'Oro	4 ³	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ⁴	3 ^{6 1/4}
1	Eldaafer	2 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{6 3/4}
3	Afleet Again	5 ⁹	5 ^{10 1/2}	5 ¹²	5 ^{10 1/2}	5 ^{9 1/2}	5 ^{7 3/4}

Trainers: 4 - Mott, William; 2 - Mott, William; 5 - Pletcher, Todd; 1 - Morici, Diane; 3 - Reid, Jr., Robert

Owners: 4 - Preston Stables LLC; 2 - WinStar Farm LLC; 5 - Bourque Goldstein Thoroughbreds LLC; 1 - Alghuwayriyah Stable LLC; 3 - Cash is King LLC;

Footnotes

BIRD RUN away in good order, cleared the field under his own power to establish control, tucked to the inside about midway on the first turn, set the splits, well rated along the inside and being mildly pressed by the closest pursuer, continued along on the same scenario until the three-eighths pole, was asked for a bit more at that station, with all but the trailer, also being asked for a response as well, spurted away to a comfortable advantage during the run through the furlong grounds and safely maintained it, crossing the wire under a vigorous hand ride. DROSSELMEYER patiently stalked the pacesetter from the outside, with the rider applying a good hold on the rein, was released it from it almost simultaneously with the winner, failed to keep pace after turning for home and had to settle for being second best. ALMA D'ORO within striking distance three wide around each bend, lacked the necessary stretch response. ELDAAFER contently tracked the pacesetter while taking the inside route, failed to respond when let out a notch approaching the three-eighths pole. AFLEET AGAIN was rank under restraint during a good portion of the straightaway approach leading up to the first turn, entered the backstretch from the four path, remained well off the inside thereafter, drifted six wide into upper stretch and failed to fire.

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