

BELMONT PARK - June 10, 2011 - Race 9

STAKES Poker S. Grade 3 - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward
 One Mile On The Turf **Track Record:** (Elusive Quality - 1:31.63 - July 4, 1998)

Purse: \$100,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$100,000

Value of Race: \$98,000 1st \$60,000, 2nd \$20,000, 3rd \$10,000, 4th \$5,000, 5th \$3,000

Weather: Clear **Track:** Good

Off at: 5:13 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
9Oct10 ¹⁰ KEE ³	1	Courageous Cat (Lezcano, Jose)	116	L	1	1	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ²	¹ Head	1 ² 1/4	0.80*	vigorous hand ride
10Oct10 ⁹ BEL ⁶	6	Yield Bogey (Prado, Edgar)	116	L	5	2	1 ⁶	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	2 ³	2 ¹	20.90	sped off on own, game
12May11 ⁴ BEL ¹	2	Right One (FR) (Maragh, Rajiv)	116	L	2	3	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ⁶	2.00	4w upper, no match
12May11 ⁴ BEL ²	3	Beau Choix (Garcia, Alan)	116	L	3	5	5	5	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ^{3/4}	6.40	driven 5w into lane
7May11 ⁹ BEL ⁵	5	Riviera Cocktail (Velazquez, John)	116	L	b	4	4	3 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	5	5	6.50	3 wide turn, tired

Fractional Times: 24.63 49.77 1:13.43

Final Time: 1:36.69

Split Times: (25:14) (23:66) (23:26)

Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: Courageous Cat, Bay Horse, by Storm Cat out of Tranquility Lake, by Rahy. Foaled Apr 14, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Pam and Martin Wygod. **Winning Owner:** Wygod, Pam and Martin

Scratched Horse(s): Court Vision (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$369,875

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Courageous Cat	3.60	3.00	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	1-6	51.50	262,119
6	Yield Bogey		11.60	2.90	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-6-2	112.00	145,569
2	Right One (FR)			2.30	\$2.00 Pick 3	5-6-1 (3 correct)	1,627.00	40,685
					\$2.00 Grand Slam	5/7/8-2/4/5-5/6/11-1 (4 correct)	547.00	18,511
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-1	10.40	64,095

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Courageous Cat	1	2 ⁶	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	¹ Head	1 ² 1/4
6	Yield Bogey	2	1 ⁶	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	² Head	2 ² 1/4
2	Right One (FR)	3	4 ⁸	4 ⁴	3 ³	3 ³	3 ³ 1/4
3	Beau Choix	5	5 ⁸ 1/2	5 ⁵	4 ³ 1/2	4 ⁵	4 ⁹ 1/4
5	Riviera Cocktail	4	3 ⁷	3 ² 1/2	5 ⁴	5 ⁶	5 ¹⁰

Trainers: 1 - Mott, William; 6 - Kelly, Patrick; 2 - Clement, Christophe; 3 - Tagg, Barclay; 5 - McLaughlin, Kiaran

Owners: 1 - Wygod, Pam and Martin; 6 - Fox Ridge Farm, Inc.; 2 - Ghislaine Head; 3 - Belle Meadows Farm and Lael Stable; 5 - Allen Stable, Inc.;

Footnotes

COURAGEOUS CAT off alertly, chose not to go with the runner up early, stalked that opponent from afar during the opening stages, gradually closed the gap from the outside departing the three-quarters pole, sat perched just off the pacesetter's hind quarters by the seven-sixteenths pole, bided time, keeping within good striking distance for the remainder of the run around the far turn, was asked for a response and bid in earnest turning into upper stretch, poked a head in front by the eighth pole, edged away under a vigorous hand ride. YIELD BOGEY well out in the course traversing down the elbow chute, sped off to a lengthy early advantage under his own power, had the rider sit chilly atop as that lead gradually dwindled down, turned for home, still the clear leader, but with the top one starting to crank up the pressure, was asked for a response, offered good resistance during the ensuing furlong, relinquished at the eighth pole, but continued on with good courage to garner place honors. RIGHT ONE (FR) stalked the leader from the outside for the opening six furlongs, commenced his rally four wide at the head of the stretch, proved no match for the top twosome. BEAU CHOIX put to a prolonged drive, spun from the five path into the stretch, the widest of all, lacked the necessary response. RIVIERA COCKTAIL three wide around the turn, tired.