**BELMONT PARK - October 1, 2011 - Race 10**
STAKES Jockey Club Gold Cup S. Grade 1 - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward
One And One Fourth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (In Excess (IRE) - 1:58.33 - July 4, 1991)
**Purse:** $750,000 Guaranteed
**Available Money:** $750,000
**Value of Race:** $750,000 1st $450,000, 2nd $150,000, 3rd $75,000, 4th $37,500, 5th $22,500, 6th $7,500, 7th $7,500
**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)
**Off at:** 5:46 **Start:** Good for all

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| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 1m | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3Sep11 $^{10}$SAR$^{2}$ | 1 | Flat Out (Solis, Alex) | 126 | L | 6 | $4^{5}$ | $4^{4\ 1/2}$ | $3^{1\ 1/2}$ | $1^{Head}$ | $1^{1}$ | $1^{2\ 1/4}$ | 1.40 | 3w to 5/16, kept busy |
| 13Aug11 $^{10}$SAR$^{7}$ | 5 | Drosselmeyer (Lezcano, Jose) | 126 | L a | 4 | $5^{4\ 1/2}$ | $5^{7}$ | $5^{10}$ | $5^{6}$ | $5^{2}$ | $2^{1/2}$ | 8.70 | angled out upper,rally |
| 27Aug11 $^{12}$SAR$^{1}$ | 4 | Stay Thirsty (Castellano, Javier) | 122 | L | 3 | $3^{1}$ | $3^{1/2}$ | $4^{4}$ | $4^{4}$ | $3^{1/2}$ | $3^{1/2}$ | 1.30* | outside, long drive |
| 6Aug11 $^{10}$SAR$^{8}$ | 3 | Rodman (Maragh, Rajiv) | 126 | L | 2 | $1^{2}$ | $1^{1\ 1/2}$ | $1^{1\ 1/2}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1\ 1/2}$ | $4^{Head}$ | 11.10 | rated near ins to 1/4 |
| 16Jul11 $^{8}$PRX$^{8}$ | 6 | A. U. Miner (Borel, Calvin) | 126 | L f | 5 | $6^{6}$ | $6^{7}$ | $6^{8}$ | $6^{2\ 1/2}$ | $6^{3\ 1/2}$ | $5^{2\ 1/4}$ | 12.20 | driven 5w into stretch |
| 16Jul11 $^{8}$PRX$^{1}$ | 1A | Birdrun (Velazquez, John) | 126 | L a | 7 | $2^{1}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{1}$ | $3^{1/2}$ | $4^{2}$ | $6^{6\ 1/4}$ | 1.40 | outside, flattened out |
| 3Sep11 $^{10}$SAR$^{6}$ | 2 | Ice Box (Nakatani, Corey) | 126 | L | 1 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 10.40 | sluggish, saved ground |

**Fractional Times:** 24.17 48.56 1:12.66 1:37.29 **Final Time:** 2:03.17
**Split Times:** (24:39) (24:10) (24:63) (25:88)
**Run-Up:** 24 feet

**Winner:** Flat Out, Bay Horse, by Flatter out of Cresta Lil, by Cresta Rider. Foaled Mar 21, 2006 in Florida.
**Breeder:** Nikolaus Bock. **Winning Owner:** Preston Stables LLC

**Total WPS Pool:** $750,127

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Flat Out | 4.80 | 2.80 | 2.10 | $2.00 Exacta | 1-5 | 35.40 | 492,241 |
| 5 | Drosselmeyer | | 6.20 | 3.70 | $2.00 Trifecta | 1-5-4 | 60.00 | 351,825 |
| 4 | Stay Thirsty | | | 2.20 | $2.00 Daily Double | 5-1 | 6.90 | 114,780 |
| | | | | | $2.00 Pick 3 | 3-5-1 (3 correct) | 11.20 | 269,713 |
| | | | | | $2.00 Pick 4 | 5-3/5-5-1 (4 correct) | 257.50 | 670,446 |

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

| Pgm | Horse Name | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 1m | Str | Fin |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Flat Out | $4^{4}$ | $4^{3}$ | $3^{2\ 1/2}$ | $1^{Head}$ | $1^{1}$ | $1^{2\ 1/4}$ |
| 5 | Drosselmeyer | $5^{9}$ | $5^{7\ 1/2}$ | $5^{8}$ | $5^{6\ 1/2}$ | $5^{5}$ | $2^{2\ 1/4}$ |
| 4 | Stay Thirsty | $3^{3}$ | $3^{2\ 1/2}$ | $4^{4}$ | $4^{2\ 1/2}$ | $3^{2\ 1/2}$ | $3^{2\ 3/4}$ |
| 3 | Rodman | $1^{2}$ | $1^{1\ 1/2}$ | $1^{1\ 1/2}$ | $2^{Head}$ | $2^{1}$ | $4^{3\ 1/4}$ |
| 6 | A. U. Miner | $6^{13\ 1/2}$ | $6^{14\ 1/2}$ | $6^{18}$ | $6^{12\ 1/2}$ | $6^{7}$ | $5^{3\ 1/4}$ |
| 1A | Birdrun | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1\ 1/2}$ | $2^{1\ 1/2}$ | $3^{2}$ | $4^{3}$ | $6^{5\ 1/2}$ |
| 2 | Ice Box | $7^{19\ 1/2}$ | $7^{21\ 1/2}$ | $7^{26}$ | $7^{15}$ | $7^{10\ 1/2}$ | $7^{11\ 3/4}$ |

**Trainers:** 1 - Dickey, Charles; 5 - Mott, William; 4 - Pletcher, Todd; 3 - Hushion, Michael; 6 - Hanna, Clark; 1A - Mott, William; 2 - Zito, Nicholas

**Owners:** 1 - Preston Stables LLC; 5 - WinStar Farm LLC; 4 - Repole Stable; 3 -Barry K. Schwartz; 6 -Don L. Benge; 1a- Preston Stables LLC; 2 -Robert V. LaPenta;

**Footnotes**
FLAT OUT away in good order, sat within range, three wide until the five-sixteenths pole, picked up interest when asked for a response midway on the turn, closed the gap from the front runner and poked a head in front coming to the quarter pole edged away steadily throughout the stretch drive, kept busy to the end. DROSSELMEYER lagged behind, being one-paced while making his way down the backstretch, was let out a notch and went on to pick up the pace, angled outward for the stretch drive, rallied with good courage to garner place honors. STAY THIRSTY broke near the top but was allowed to ease back, stalked the pacesetter, under a good hold from off the inside, was three wide by three-eighths pole, got called upon but failed to draft behind the winner,was outfinished by the two pair. RODMAN off to an alert beginning, found himself loose on the lead once STAY THIRSTY dropped back early, carved the pace, placed at a slight distance from off the inside, felt some pressure late on the turn and was released from a good hold in response, yielded when unable to keep pace with the eventual winner, tired steadily thereafter. A. U. MINER well back during the opening stages, was under the whip spinning five wide into the lane, rallied mildly to improve position. BIRDRUN was rated prompting the pacesetter from the outside, kept up under encouragement during the run around the bend, stayed a prominent factor until the furlong marker, before flattening out. ICE BOX sluggish down the backstretch, saved ground until the quarter pole and was outrun.

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