

BELMONT PARK - September 7, 2019 - Race 10

STAKES Jockey Club Derby Invitational S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

AN INVITATIONAL FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS. In order to be eligible for entry into the Jockey Club Derby Invitational, horses accepting the invitation must make a pre-entry payment of \$7,500 (USD) no later than 1:00 PM (EDT) on Wednesday, August 28th. An entry fee of \$7,500 (USD) will be due at time of entry. The purse for the Jockey Club Derby Invitational shall be divided as follows: \$535,000 to the winner, \$185,000 to second, \$100,000 to third, \$65,000 to fourth, \$40,000 to fifth, \$30,000 to sixth, \$25,000 to seventh, and \$20,000 to eighth. Weights: Colts and Geldings, 122 lbs. Fillies, 119 lbs. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at One Mile and One Quarter on the Main Track.)

One And One Half Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Big Blue Kitten - 2:23.39 - September 26, 2015)

Purse: \$1,000,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$1,000,000

Value of Race: 1st \$535,000, 2nd \$185,000, 3rd \$100,000, 4th \$65,000, 5th \$40,000, 6th \$30,000, 7th \$25,000, 8th \$20,000



Weather: Clear **Track:** Good

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

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Aug19 GOO ³	9	Spanish Mission (Spencer, Jamie)	122	L	9	9	9	9	8 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{Nose}	2.10*	3w2d,duel fin1/16,game
19Jul19 VHY ¹	4	Pedro Cara (FR) (Piccone, Tony)	122	L	4	7 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ^{3/4}	38.25	3w2d,game,lost bob
4Aug19 DEA ¹	5	San Huberto (IRE) (Prat, Flavien)	122	L	5	5 ¹	5 ¹	7 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{3/4}	19.10	2w to 1/4,4w upr,rally
4Aug19 ⁹ SAR ¹	1	A Thread of Blue (Saez, Luis)	122	L	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{3/4}	3.10	pace inside,weakened
4Aug19 ⁹ SAR ⁵	3	Henley's Joy (Lezcano, Jose)	122	L b	3	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{3/4}	6.30	2w,ins2nd,2w upr,empty
18Aug19 ¹⁰ MTH ²	2	Current (Alvarado, Junior)	122	L	2	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	6 ^{3/4}	37.25	inside journey, empty
4Aug19 ⁹ SAR ⁷	7	Kadar (Franco, Manuel)	122	L b	7	8 ¹	8 ¹	8 ¹	9	8 ²	7 ^{2/4}	28.00	3w&unsettle1st,4w2nd
4Aug19 ⁹ SAR ²	8	Digital Age (IRE) (Castellano, Javier)	122	L	8	6 ¹	6 ¹	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	8 ⁸	2.50	3w turns,drive by 5/16
17Aug19 ¹⁰ WO ¹	6	Tone Broke (Velazquez, John)	122	L	6	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	5 ¹	9	9	12.10	3w1st,2w2nd,ask 5/16

Fractional Times: 25.23 50.77 1:16.17 1:40.01 2:03.88 **Final Time:** 2:27.58

Split Times: (25:54) (25:40) (23:84) (23:87) (23:70)

Run-Up: 63 feet

Winner: Spanish Mission, Bay Colt, by [Noble Mission \(GB\)](#) out of Limonar (IRE), by Street Cry (IRE). Foaled Apr 06, 2016 in Kentucky.

Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: St. Elias Stables, LLC.

Winning Owner: Team Valor and Earle I. Mack LLC

Total WPS Pool: \$862,178

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Spanish Mission	6.20	4.60	3.50	\$1.00 Exacta	9-4	57.75	498,777
4	Pedro Cara (FR)		25.80	11.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-4-5	108.25	289,096
5	San Huberto (IRE)			7.30	\$1.00 Daily Double	1-9	7.70	135,330
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-1-9 (3 correct)	40.75	72,205
					\$0.10 Superfecta	9-4-5-1	152.60	163,049
					\$1.00 Grand Slam	4/5/9-1/4/7-1/6/7-9 (4 correct)	8.60	41,817

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin
9	Spanish Mission	9 ⁷	9 ⁷	9 ^{5 3/4}	8 ⁵	3 ¹	1 ^{Nose}
4	Pedro Cara (FR)	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ⁵	6 ^{3 1/2}	4 ³	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Nose}
5	San Huberto (IRE)	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ³	7 ^{3 3/4}	6 ⁴	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}
1	A Thread of Blue	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{4 1/4}
3	Henley's Joy	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	2 ²	4 ²	5 ⁵
2	Current	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	5 ³	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{4 3/4}	6 ^{5 3/4}
7	Kadar	8 ⁶	8 ⁶	8 ^{4 3/4}	9 ^{5 1/2}	8 ^{6 1/4}	7 ^{6 1/2}
8	Digital Age (IRE)	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁴	4 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{3 3/4}	8 ^{8 3/4}
6	Tone Broke	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	5 ³	9 ^{8 1/4}	9 ^{16 3/4}


Trainers: 9 - Simcock, David; 4 - Delcher, Mauricio; 5 - Chappet, Fabrice; 1 - McLaughlin, Kiaran; 3 - Maker, Michael; 2 - Pletcher, Todd; 7 - Maker, Michael; 8 - Brown, Chad; 6 - Asmussen, Steven

Owners: 9 - Team Valor and Earle I. Mack LLC; 4 - Cuadra Miranda SLU; 5 - OTI Racing; 1 -Leonard C. Green; 3 - Bloom Racing Stable LLC; 2 - Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners, LaPenta, Robert V. and Dixiana Farms LLC; 7 - Phoenix Thoroughbred III; 8 - Klaravich Stables, Inc.; 6 - L and N Racing LLC;

Footnotes

SPANISH MISSION off the inside throughout, swung three wide onto the backstretch, was in the same path heading onto the far turn, flashed interest ,narrowing in coming up to the quarter pole, maintained the momentum getting maneuvered into path five for entrance into the stretch, staightened away and kicked in willingly when given his cue a few strides later, loomed boldly upon completing the run through the furlong grounds, drew on even terms with the runner up approximately a sixteenth later, battled on with good courage, getting his head down in time at the wire to prove best. PEDRO CARA (FR) reserved taking up the chase from path two during the initial stages, tipped into the three path departing the backstretch, closed in on the front runners, challenged in earnest spinning onto the head of the stretch, forged his way to a slim lead during the ensuing furlong, felt the winner's presence shortly afterwards, had that opponent directly abreast beginning from the vicinity of the sixteenth pole, vied with vigour to the end but lost the bob. SAN HUBERTO (IRE) took up the chase from the two path to the quarter pole, angled four wide into the stretch, proceeded along a bit erratically late rallying for the show. A THREAD OF BLUE out with his initial step after losing his footing, was quickly corrected, established the top before arriving at the end of the homestretch, showed the way being rated along, felt an uptick in pressure stepping into the lane, was let out in response, got headed right around the eighth pole, steadily weakened. HENLEY'S JOY moved over to the hedge midway on the backstretch after having pursued the pace from the two path prior, went back into path two and when called upon at the head of the stretch, made no headway in the final furlong. CURRENT underwent a ground-saving journey, cut the corner

into the lane having been put to a drive, failed to fire appreciably. KADAR strung out three wide and unsettled at times on the first turn, travelled in the four path on turn two, fanned out into path five from upper to midstretch, lacked the needed response. DIGITAL AGE (IRE) raced three wide on both turns, was set down past the five-sixteenths pole, tipped into path four stepping onto the top of the turn, gave way. TONE BROKE hung out three wide on the first turn, was one path closer to the inside on the next one, got turned loose coming up to the five-sixteenths pole, went into the stretch and gave way.

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