

1 1/2 MILES. (1,581) STAKES. Purse \$750,000 *JOCKEY CLUB GOLD CUP S. (GRADE I) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD.* By invitation only with no subscription fees. 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. Weight for age. Three year olds, 122 lbs., older, 126 lbs. The New York Racing Association will select a field of (14) invitees by Saturday, September 13. The owner and/or trainer of these (14) selected horses will be required to notify NYRA of their intentions to participate in the Jockey Club Gold Cup no later than Saturday, September 20. A list of alternates will be published on Sunday, September 21. The New York Racing Association will present a Gold Cup to the winning owner and trophies to the winning trainer and jockey. (Showery 70)

**TENTH RACE**  
**Belmont Park**  
**September 27th, 2008**

Value of Race: \$750,000 Winner \$450,000; second \$150,000; third \$75,000; fourth \$37,500; fifth \$22,500; sixth \$5,000; seventh \$5,000; eighth \$5,000. Mutuel Pool \$1,187,330 Pick 3 Pool \$206,952 Pick 4 Pool \$455,186 Daily Double Pool \$123,381 Exacta Pool \$610,814 Superfecta Pool \$261,923 Trifecta Pool \$515,375

Last Raced	#	Horse	M/Eqt.	A/S	Wt	PP	¼	½	¾	1m	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$
30Aug08	10Sar1	5 Curlin	L c	4C	126	4	5 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>½</sup>	4 <sup>1½</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	1hd	1 <sup>¾</sup>	Albarado R	0.40
30Aug08	10Sar3	4 Wanderin Boy	L c	7H	126	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1½</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1½</sup>	2 <sup>3¼</sup>	Garcia A	7.40
07Sep08	4Bel1	2 Merchant Marine	L c	4G	126	2	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>½</sup>	3 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>7¼</sup>	Velasquez C H	16.80
23Aug08	11Sar2	9 Mambo in Seattle	L	3C	122	8	6 <sup>1½</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	3hd	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1½</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	Prado E S	4.30
13Aug08	3Sar4	1 Ravel	L	4C	126	1	4 <sup>1½</sup>	3hd	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1½</sup>	6 <sup>8</sup>	5 <sup>2½</sup>	Bejarano R	32.25
01Sep08	10Pha4	8 Stones River	L c	3C	122	7	8	7 <sup>½</sup>	7 <sup>4½</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>14</sup>	Saez G	27.75
30Aug08	10Sar4	7 A. P. Arrow	L	6H	126	6	3hd	4 <sup>½</sup>	6 <sup>½</sup>	7 <sup>4</sup>	7 <sup>7</sup>	7 <sup>21¼</sup>	Dominguez R A	23.10
09Aug08	10Sar2	6 Angliana	L f	6H	126	5	7 <sup>1</sup>	8	8	8	8	8	Maragh R	62.75

**OFF AT 5: Start Good For All But Good . Won driving. Track Sloppy (sealed).**

**TIME :243, :483, 1:13, 1:363, 2:014 (:24.67, :48.79, 1:13.08, 1:36.70, 2:01.93)**

**\$2 Mutuel Prices:**

5- CURLIN .....	2.80	2.10	2.10
4- WANDERIN BOY .....		4.20	3.70
2- MERCHANT MARINE .....			5.70

**\$2 EXACTA 5-4 PAID \$9.40 \$2 SUPERFACTA 5-4-2-9 PAID \$120.00**

**\$2 TRIFECTA 5-4-2 PAID \$49.20**

Chestnut Colt, (Mar), by Smart Strike - Sherriff's Deputy by Deputy Minister. Trainer Asmussen M. Steven. Bred by Fares Farm Inc(KY).

CURLIN was unhurried for a half while racing off the inside, split rivals down the backstretch to advance into contention while still not being asked for his best, was eased out to the three path approaching the far turn, continued his advancement towards the leader on his courage, took off with sudden acceleration after being hand roused turning for home, worked his way to a slim advantage by the time he hit the furlong marker, then held sway while remaining under hand encouragement. WANDERIN BOY left the gate quickly to take command early, was well rated, racing towards the inside, while setting the fractions, was asked for a bit more after being tested nearing the quarter pole, offered resistance to the top one before surrendering the lead with a furlong remaining, then finished with determination to be clearly second best. MERCHANT MARINE content to stalk the pacesetter for six furlongs, issued his bid for command after entering the far turn, proved to be no mach for the top pair, but held well to secure the show. MAMBO IN SEATTLE lacked the necessary stretch response. RAVEL raced three wide and tired. STONES RIVER was never in contention. A. P. ARROW gave way after going three quarters. ANGLIANA displayed brief foot.

**Owners-** 5, Stonestreet Stables LLC; 4, Stone Farm; 2, Peachtree Stable; 9, Farish, William S. and Kilroy, Mrs. W. S.; 1, Tabor, Michael B. and Smith, Derrick; 8, Squires, James, D., Bromagen, Glenn, S., Woods, Frank, A.; 7, Allen E. Paulson Living Trust; 6, Winning Move Stable, Sanford H. Robbins LLC, Seidman Stables LLC, et al

**Trainers-** 5, Asmussen Steven M.; 4, Zito Nicholas P.; 2, Jerkens H. Allen; 9, Howard Neil J.; 1, Pletcher Todd A.; 8, Jones J. Larry; 7, Pletcher Todd A.; 6, Contessa Gary C.

**Breeders-** 5, Fares Farm Inc (KY); 4, Arthur B. Hancock III (KY); 2, Pollock Farms (KY); 9, W. S. Farish & Kilroy Thoroughbred Partnership (KY); 1, G. Watts Humphrey & Louise I. Humphrey (KY); 8, J. D. Squires (KY); 7, Allen E. Paulson Living Trust (KY); 6, Alvin Haynes (KY)

**Scratched-** Timber Reserve(29Aug08 8Sar1)

**\$2 Daily Double (6-5) Paid \$12.40; Daily Double Pool \$123,381.**

**\$2 Pick Three (7-6-5) Paid \$357.00; Pick Three Pool \$206,952.**

**\$2 Pick Four (3-7-2/6-3/5) Paid \$2,136.00; Pick Four Pool \$455,186.**

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