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Ice Cream Cartel and Jessaprimadonna Take Princess Derby Trials



ICE CREAM CARTEL was greeted in the winner's circle by Justin Picov (second from left) and trainer Bob Broadstock. Ismael Mosquiera rode. Clive Cohen photo

AJAX DOWNS, JUNE 30, 2021 - Marie Broadstock and Picov Cattle Company's **ICE CREAM CARTEL** won the faster of two Trials for the upcoming \$50,000 Princess Derby at Ajax Downs on Wednesday, June 30, setting up an exciting final for the Derby on July 14.

Trained by Bob Broadstock of Nestleton, ON, Ice Cream Cartel, making her second start of the 2021 season, quickly assumed command out of the gate in the 350 yard sprint while heavily favoured Streakinlilwagon broke awkwardly and slowly. Under jockey Ismael Mosquiera, Ice Cream Cartel won by 1 1/2 lengths over Big Dog racing's Goodness Graceious who was a nose ahead of Streakinlilwagon. The time of :17.982 was good for an 89 speed index.

Broadstock purchased Ice Cream Cartel, a grey 3-year-old by Five Bar Cartel, from the 2019 Louisiana Quarter Horse Breeders' Mixed Sale in 2019 for \$9,000 (US). The filly won her career debut in 2020 in four races.

The first Princess Derby Trial went to **JESSAPRIMADONNA**, owned by Ridgeway's Craig Spada and Isaak Fehr of Taber, AB, who stumbled at the start but recovered to run down speedy Corrina Corrine to easily win by 1 1/4 lengths in :18.325 for a 79 speed index. Cory Spataro rode for trainer Spada who claimed the Louisiana bred for \$10,000 in December, 2020 from a second-place finish at Evangeline Downs. Jessaprimadonna finished fifth in her 250-yard season debut at Ajax before this win.



"She's a big, strong mare who looks like she is going to appreciate the longer distances," said Spada. "Anytime you can have one of your horses get into the final of a stakes race, it's all you can ask for and anything can happen in the final."

The 10 fastest times from the 3-year-old fillies in the two Trials advance to the final (see below).

Quarter Horse Racing continues **Wednesday, July 7** with a first race post time of 1:30 p.m. You can watch all the action on a live stream on the Ajax Downs' Facebook page and watch and wager on HPIBet.com/. Follow us on Twitter and Instagram @AjaxDowns. To find out more about owning a Quarter Horse or to join a syndicate, contact the Quarter Racing Owners of Ontario at www.qrooi.com.

Video- Livestream of June 30 Races at Ajax Downs

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xrrZDk1Jyyo&t=9084s>

Top Ten Qualifiers for \$50,000 Princess Derby Final - July 14

Horse Race PostPosition Time Finish Trainer Jockey Owner

1 Ice Cream Cartel	4 3	17.982	1	Broadstock	Mosqueira	Broadstock/Picov
2 Goodness Graceious	4 4	18.198	2	McIntyre	Isaacs	Big Dog
3 Streakinlilwagon	4 6	18.201	3	Pascoe	Vanek	GFR Equine
4 Jessaprimadonna	3 3	18.325	1	Spada	Spataro	Spada/Fehr
5 AH Candyland	4 1	18.337	4	Woodley	Walton	Wincikaby
6 Jessies Good Candy	4 2	18.348	5	Robertson	Castillo	Crispi
7 Rosie Perry	4 5	18.468	6	Spada	Spataro	Chrisman
8 Corrina Corrine	3 1	18.526	2	Woodley	Bell	Wincikaby
9 JLS Deans Dynasty	3 5	18.643	3	Broadstock	Phillips	Broadstock/Paiment
10 Checkered Flag	3 7	18.735	4	Pascoe	Mosqueira	Kwicien