

Smalltownthrowdown, The Royal Harry win NYSS at Monticello

from Monticello Raceway

Monticello, NY---Smalltownthrowdown and The Royal Harry won the two New York Sire Stakes divisions held Monday afternoon (Aug. 22) at Monticello Raceway.



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Smalltownthrowdown and trainer-driver Dan Daley won the first NYSS division in 1:56.2.

Smalltownthrowdown took advantage of the short five-horse field to cut out a wire-to-wire performance in 1:56.2 in the first division, racing for \$58,000. The [Cash Hall](#) – Ann’s Promise colt won by eight lengths, trotting his last stanza in 28.1 for winning owners Daley, Crawford, Brenner and Lombardo.

His earnings thus far this year are \$157,000. This was his third win in the elite Sire Stakes division this season, with a slate of 12-5-2-1 and lifetime earnings of \$280,000. He is trained and driven by Dan Daley, who was also celebrating his birthday today.

The Royal Harry and Ake Svanstedt, who were making their first start since the Hambletonian, made the most of the drop in class to score in 1:59.4 in the second division, racing for \$59,100.

Winning owners Michael and William Pozefsky were on hand in the winner's circle. The [RC Royalty](#) – Wilsonator colt returned a paltry \$2.70 to his backers. This was his second Sire Stakes victory of the year.