



BEACH GLASS

Bay Colt 3, Somebeachsomewhere – Im With Her – Bettor’s Delight

OWNERS: Schooner II Stable, Nova Scotia, Canada
BREEDER: Schooner II Stable [Brent MacGrath, James Bagnell, Rhonda M MacGrath, Mary Louise Pye, Stuart Rath]
SALE: Homebred
TRAINER: Brent MacGrath **DRIVER:** Yannick Gingras

YEAR	STARTS	1ST	2ND	3RD	EARNINGS	MARK
2022	4	2	2	0	\$233,750	1:48.1 M
2021	5	3	1	0	\$30,895	1:51.1 Wbsb
LIFETIME	9	5	3	0	\$264,645	1:48.1 M

- His Pace elimination win was a personal best of 1:48.1. He has post six in the final and is the morning line favorite at 7-5.
- “I didn’t know, but I thought he might be (ready for that type of performance), and I was hoping he was,” trainer Brent MacGrath said. “If you would have told me he would be parked in :25.2 and home in :26.1, I probably wouldn’t have went that stretch, but he’s good. We’re high on him. He’s just a really nice colt that’s green and he got woke up here tonight.
- “Once (Gingras) moved him back to the front, I was very comfortable. We wanted to put him in play and give him an opportunity, and he did, and he got the job done. Hopefully it will set up good for next week.”
- In his elimination Beach Glass, the 3-5 favorite, and driver Yannick Gingras hit three quarters in 1:22 before sprinting home in :26.1 to win by 5-1/4 lengths over Captain Cowboy. I Did It Myway finished third, followed by Early Action and Mad Max Hanover to all advance to the final.
- Won his North America Cup elimination in 1:50.3 beating fellow Pace contender I Did It Myway. He finished second in the final on June 18 behind Pebble Beach.
- He finished second by a head in his three year old debut in the Somebeachsomewhere.
- Beach Glass finished his 2 year old season with a second place finish in this Breeders Crown elimination and a sixth place dead heat finish in the Breeders Crown final.



- Beach Glass had just one qualifier in Truro, NS on Sept. 12 and went undefeated in his first three career overnight starts at Woodbine Mohawk Park. Despite having limited experience, MacGrath said Beach Glass acts like a 6-year-old that can be driven with two fingers.
- “He was a very late-developing colt and I just waited on him,” MacGrath said, explaining why Beach Glass first showed up in September.
- Yannick Gingras had another successful season in 2021 and was elected to the Harness Racing Hall of Fame. Gingras won 315 races and \$11,263,053, which ranked him third in earnings. He also finished second at the Meadowlands with 117 wins and \$3,468,499. Gingras drove the incomparable Atlanta to a world record of 1:49 in the Allerage Farms. He guided This Is The Plan to a world record of 1:47.3 in the Battle Of Lake Erie. The Yannick Gingras-Ron Burke combo also won their third Little Brown Jug in seven years with Lou’s Pearlman.
- In 2021, Gingras became only the sixth driver in history to pass \$200 million and on January 15, 2022 scored career win 8,000.
- Gingras’ second Pace win came in 2020 with Horse of the Year Tall Dark Stranger. His first Pace win came in 2012 with A Rocknroll Dance. His debut in the Pace came with the favorite Timesareachanging, who was second in 2004.
- Beach Glass is a homebred colt owned by Schooner II Stable. MacGrath and the Schooner partners [Rath, Bagnell & Pye] also campaigned Somebeachsomewhere, who won 20 of 21 career races, with his lone setback being a second-place finish by a neck to Art Official in the 2008 Meadowlands Pace. Somebeachsomewhere passed away in 2018.
- “I said to Yannick when he pulled up in the winner’s circle that I’ve been this far before,” MacGrath said with a smile. “We need to finish this off.
- “It’s almost surreal. It’s unbelievable that we would get another horse of this caliber, that we would get another horse in the Meadowlands Pace. To have a son of Beach’s last crop, one we bred, Hanover (Shoe Farms) raised him, it’s just unbelievable.”
- This is MacGrath’s second starter in the Meadowlands Pace, his first came in 2008 with second place finisher Somebeachsomewhere.
- MacGrath is the owner of several car and tire dealerships in the Maritimes, but has a lifetime of experience training a small stable of horses.



- His super sire Somebeachsomewhere suffered his only career loss in 21 starts in the epic 2008 Meadowlands Pace, upset by Art Official in a world record of 1:47. Somebeachsomewhere was named 2008 Horse of the Year. He sired 2013 Pace winner Captaintreacherous from his first crop and Huntsville the 2017 Pace winner.
- Dam Im With Her was specifically purchased to breed to Somebeachsomewhere, his untimely death pushed up the time table for MacGrath and partners.