



# \$250,000 Breeders Crown

## Mare Trot

Exotic Destination	
<b>Breeding</b>	4, b, m, by Dream Vacation – Tahitian Tasha – Sierra Kosmos
<b>Breeder(s)</b>	Perretti Farms, Cream Ridge, NJ
<b>Owner(s)</b>	JML Stable, Heathrow, FL, Sholty Stable Inc, Lexington, KY
<b>Sales Info</b>	\$23,000 yearling 2005 NJ Classic
<b>Trainer</b>	George "Buzzy" Sholty
<b>Driver</b>	Mike Saftic

Year	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earnings	Mark
2008	13	2	1	2	\$59,068	1:54 Chst
2007	18	8	2	4	\$178,178	1:52.2 DuQ
<b>Lifetime</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>\$237,246</b>	<b>1:52.2 DuQ</b>

Stakes Summary					
Date	Purse	Stakes	Finish	Time	Track
8/23/08	\$42,572	Breeders Crown Elim	5 <sup>th</sup>	1:55.0	Moh
8/07/08	\$35,000	Conditioned Mare Trot	1 <sup>st</sup>	1:54.0	Chst
7/12/08	\$105,000	Matchmaker Final	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1:54.0	M
7/02/08	\$21,000	Conditioned Mare Trot	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1:55.2	Chst

### Quotes & Notes

- Exotic Destination raced evenly in her Breeders Crown elimination, finishing fifth. "We made the final but, I'm not real happy with the way that she raced," said trainer and co-owner **Buzzy Sholty**. "She could be the best mare in the country. We are very happy to be here. We are glad to be a part of everything and we would love to have a big group standing out there getting our picture taken in the winner's circle.
- "We have had some difficulty with the filly all year. She has made 3 breaks in her life and they were in the three highest purse races that she was ever in. - It's almost like she can read a program- She made a break in the final of the big race in the Meadowlands going a mile and a 1/16 (the Classic Oaks) she spotted them four seconds and ended up getting beat by three seconds. She came home as fast as the winner did, and got nothing. Is she capable of winning? Yes, will she? Probably not, but she is very capable of earning money in that race, if he [driver Mike Saftic] drives her right.
- "I am very happy with her post position though. She has been in every type of race and usually ends up getting money. In these races, the big money is always on the inside of her. She does have gate speed, but when you see the four or five horses on the inside of her (the race lines) the driver usually has no choice but to take back. So this week we think that it will be different than that. We don't think that she will have to race from off the pace. We are very happy with Mike Saftic driving her. Mike groomed horses for my father [Hall of Famer George Sholty] a million years ago, in Florida. We have been friends for 20 years, so I am very happy that we can put Mike up on a horse in the Breeders Crown. I had the choice of four different drivers, and I picked Mike because of our friendship."



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- “The filly is fairly sound and we are utilizing the ice machine that is there - I think they call it a cryo machine- At the race track, she has always needed a little help with her feet and knees. And I’ve used that machine in the past, and I like it. So we are hoping that it will help keep her in good form for Saturday night”
- “She trained on Tuesday morning, and my second trainer, Dale Smith, has reported that she trained well.”
- “I can’t say, with any certainty, that we are going to win – probably not- but we should get money. It is what it is. She has beaten all of those fillies – she beat Falls For You as a 2 & 3 year old. - on more than one occasion. My mare is not as good as Falls For You and in my opinion Falls For You is the best that she has ever been. (Falls For You) she has bloomed into what they hoped for when they paid \$700,000 for her. This mare, I bought for \$60,000.(Spring Meadowlands Sale) there is a different expectation, when you pay those kind of numbers. And my mare was not eligible to anything. The only big races that she has been able to race in are the ones that you can supplement into. We supplemented her into the Zweig and she won it. We supplemented her into the World Trotting Derby and she took the track record at DuQuoin. She set a track record at Tioga. She can go with them.”

Stable Record	Horses	Starters	Events	Champions	Earnings	Sts W-P-S
Sholty, George	3	3	3	1	\$281,500	2-1-0-0

- Buzzy Sholty won the 2007 Breeders Crown 3-year-old pace in a shocking upset with Artist’s View after Tell All and Always A Virgin tortured each other to a half in :53.2. Artist’s View paid \$87.20 for the win.
- This is the first Breeders Crown start as owners for JML Stable [Michael Lewis] and Sholty Stable [Buzzy].
- Perretti Farms is the largest horse farm in New Jersey specializing in the breeding and racing of standardbred horses. Founded in the late 1980s by noted automotive dealer and restaurateur William J. Perretti. Perretti Farms is located on Route 526 in the heart of New Jersey’s famed horse country in Cream Ridge. Perretti Farms is a full service standardbred nursery, standing six outstanding stallions.

Breeder Record	Horses	Starters	Events	Champions	Earnings	Sts W-P-S
Perretti Farms/ Wm. Perretti	61	81	66	4 (3)	\$2,749,461	51-5-9-2