

By Jeff Rizzo

The best square-gaiters in Western New York went at it in the featured \$9,000 Preferred trot, Friday night, at Batavia Downs Casino and for the second time this season it was Heaven and Hall who took home the honors.

Put right on the lead by Ray Fisher Jr., Heaven and Hall, set fractions of :29.2, :59.3, and 1:29.4, respectively. He showed the way by 2 lengths at the top of heartbreak lane and was able to from off last week's winner, Hello Carlo and Jack Flanigen, by a ¼ length in 1:59.1. Queen Creek (Ron Beback Jr.) who pressured Heaven and Hall for the lead past the opening quarter finished third.



Heaven and Hall, a well bred 7-year-old gelding by Angus Hall notched his fifth win of the 2010 campaign and raised his seasonal earnings to over \$60,000.. He is trained by Steven Weaver and owned by Mark Ford of Campbell Hall, NY. The winning price for tonight's feature event was \$7.80.

Kevin Cummings celebrated his birthday in a fine way guiding home 5 winners while Ray Fisher Jr. had a four-bagger on the 12-race program.

Live Racing will continue Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon. Post time for Saturday is set for 6:40 PM.

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