

# RECORDS & TRADITIONS



## FIRST RUNNING

The first running of the Belmont Stakes in 1867 at Jerome Park took place on a Thursday. The race was 1 5/8 miles long and the conditions included “\$200 each; half forfeit, and \$1,500-added. The second to receive \$300, and an English racing saddle, made by Merry, of St. James Street, London, to be presented by Mr. Duncan.”

## OLDEST TRIPLE CROWN EVENT

The Belmont Stakes, first run in 1867, is the oldest of the Triple Crown events. It predates the Preakness Stakes (first run in 1873) by six years and the Kentucky Derby (first run in 1875) by eight. Aristides, the winner of the first Kentucky Derby, ran second in the 1875 Belmont behind winner Calvin.

## FOURTH OLDEST IN NORTH AMERICA

The Belmont Stakes, first run in 1867, is one of the oldest stakes races in North America. The Phoenix Stakes at Keeneland was first run in 1831, the Queens Plate in Canada had its inaugural in 1860, and the Travers started at Saratoga in 1864. However, the Belmont, which will be run for the 143rd time in 2011, is third to the Phoenix (159th running in 2011) and Queens Plate (152nd running in 2011) in total runnings. The Travers has had gaps in its history and its 142nd running will be in 2011.

## MOVED TO MORRIS PARK

In 1890, the Belmont, named for August Belmont I, was moved from Jerome Park to Morris Park, a 1 3/8-mile track once located a few miles east of what is now Van Cortlandt Park in The Bronx. The Belmont Stakes was run at Morris Park until Belmont Park opened in 1905.

## FIRST RUN COUNTER-CLOCKWISE IN 1921

The 1921 Belmont was the first to be run in the counter-clockwise direction; the 53rd running was a 1 3/8-mile race over the main course. Previous renewals had been run clockwise, in accordance with English custom, over a fish-hook course that included part of the training track and the main dirt oval.

## FIRST POST PARADE

The first post parade in this country came in the fifth running in 1871.

## LOWEST/HIGHEST PURSES

The purse for the first running of the Belmont was \$1,500-added with a total purse of \$2,500; the winner's share of \$1,850 was taken by the filly Ruthless. The lowest winner's share in the history of the Belmont Stakes was the \$1,825 earned by The Finn in the 1915 running. The 1992 edition of the Belmont was the richest running with a total purse of \$1,764,800; A.P. Indy won.

### SMALLEST WINNING MARGINS IN THE BELMONT STAKES SINCE 1905

Horse	Year	Margin	Horse	Year	Margin
Granville	1936	Nose	Pasteurized	1938	Neck
Jaipur	1962	Nose	Native Dancer	1953	Neck
Victory Gallop	1998	Nose	High Gun	1954	Neck
Colin	1908	Head	Needles	1956	Neck
Affirmed	1978	Head	Hail to All	1965	Neck
Hansel	1991	Head	Avatar	1975	Neck
Lemon Drop Kid	1999	Head	Bold Forbes	1976	Neck
Rags to Riches	2007	Head	Summing	1981	Neck

## LARGEST WINNING MARGINS IN THE BELMONT STAKES SINCE 1905

Horse	Year	Margin	Horse	Year	Margin
Secretariat	1973	31 lengths	Nashua	1955	9 lengths
Count Fleet	1943	25 lengths	Go and Go	1990	8 1/4 lengths
Man o' War	1920	20 lengths	Joe Madden	1909	8 lengths
Risen Star	1988	14 3/4 lengths	Luke McLuke	1914	8 lengths
Conquistador Cielo	1982	14 lengths	American Flag	1925	8 lengths
Bet Twice	1987	14 lengths	Citation	1948	8 lengths
Point Given	2001	12 1/2 lengths	Gallant Man	1957	8 lengths
Hourless	1917	10 lengths	Easy Goer	1989	8 lengths
Twenty Grand	1931	10 lengths			

### SMALLEST/LARGEST WINNING MARGINS

The closest finishes in the Belmont were by a nose: Granville beat Mr. Bones in 1936; Jaipur beat Admiral's Voyage in 1962; and Victory Gallop beat Real Quiet in 1998. There have been a number of head decisions including Ruthless' victory in the inaugural Belmont. Also, Ildrim beat Petruccio in 1900; Colin beat Fair Play in 1908 to remain undefeated; Affirmed beat Alydar in 1978; Hansel beat Strike the Gold in 1991; Lemon Drop Kid beat Vision and Verse in 1999 and, most recently, Rags to Riches defeated Curlin in 2007. The largest margin was Secretariat's 31-length victory in 1973. Count Fleet won by 25 lengths in 1943.

### SMALLEST/LARGEST FIELDS

There has never been a walkover in the Belmont. There have been five two-horse fields: 1887, 1888, 1892, 1910 and when Man o' War won in 1920. The largest field was 15 in 1983, when Caveat defeated Slew o' Gold. The second-largest fields were 14 in 1875, when Calvin beat his stablemate, Kentucky Derby winner Aristides, and in 1996, when Editor's Note won.

### HIGHEST/LOWEST PRICED WINNER

Sarava \$142.50 (2002)/Count Fleet \$2.10 (1943)

### FORMFUL RACE

Of the 142 previous runnings of the Belmont Stakes, 60 have been won by the betting favorite (42.2 percent).

### NO PLACE OR SHOW BETTING

Since the advent of mutuels in New York in 1940 there have been six occasions when no place or show betting was taken on the Belmont Stakes.

Most recently, there was no show wagering in the Belmont Stakes in 1978, when Affirmed and Alydar hooked up for their classic confrontation.

There was also no show betting in 1973 when Secretariat won the 105th running of the Belmont by 31 lengths; "Big Red" paid \$2.20 to win and \$2.40 to place.

Show betting was also eliminated in 1957 when Gallant Man and Bold Ruler hooked up in the 89th Belmont and Bill Shoemaker guided Gallant Man to an eight-length triumph.

The 1953 Belmont won by Native Dancer was also without show wagering.

The 1943 Belmont won by Count Fleet had neither place nor show wagering when the Triple Crown winner drew off by 25 lengths at \$.05-1.

When Whirlaway completed his sweep of the Triple Crown in the 1941 Belmont there was also no show betting.

### MINUS POOLS

A minus win pool took place in 1943 when Count Fleet completed his sweep of the Triple Crown with a smashing 25-length victory. The minus win pool on Count Fleet was \$15,912.02.

The 1969 running of the Belmont Stakes produced the first minus show pool in the history of the race when Arts and Letters won and created a minus show pool of \$5,782.98.

The 1979 Belmont, when Hawksworth Farm's Spectacular Bid finished third at odds of \$.30-1 to win, also resulted in an on-track minus show pool of \$19,500.81.

## LARGEST ATTENDANCE

A record crowd of 120,139 attended the 2004 Belmont Stakes. Longshot Birdstone won; Smarty Jones finished second by a length, failing to win the Triple Crown.

## ODDS-ON IN THE BELMONT STAKES

Since mutuels came to New York in 1940 there have been 33 horses listed at odds-on in the Belmont Stakes. In 1957, there were two at odds-on: Gallant Man won the race at 19-20 and Bold Ruler was third at 17-20. Of the 33 at odds-on, 12 have won. The complete list of odds-on in the Belmont Stakes and how they finished:

1941-Whirlaway at 1-4 WON	1956-Needles at 13-20 WON	1973-Secretariat at 1-9 WON
1942-Alsab at 2-5 was second	1957-Gallant Man at 19-20 WON	1976-Bold Forbes at 4-5 WON
1943-Count Fleet at 1-20 WON	1957-Bold Ruler at 17-20 was fourth	1977-Seattle Slew at 2-5 WON
1944-Pensive at 1-2 was second	1958-Tim Tam at 3-20 was second	1978-Affirmed at 3-5 WON
1947-Faultless at 3-4 was fifth	1960-Tompion at 17-20 was fourth	1979-Spectacular Bid at 1-5 was third
1948-Citation at 1-5 WON	1961-Carry Back at 9-20 was seventh	1981-Pleasant Colony at 4-5 was third
1949-Ponder at 4-5 was second	1963-Candy Spots at 1-2 was second	1987-Alysheba at 4-5 was fourth
1950-Hill Prince at 17-20 was seventh	1964-Northern Dancer at 4-5 was third	1989-Sunday Silence at 4-5 was second
1952-Blue Man at 1-2 was second	1966-Kauai King at 3-5 was fourth	1998-Real Quiet at 4-5 was second
1953-Native Dancer at 9-20 WON	1967-Damascus at 4-5 WON	2004-Smarty Jones at 2-5 was second
1955-Nashua at 3-20 WON	1971-Canonero II at 3-5 was fourth	2008-Big Brown at 3-10 DNF

## BELMONT FAVORITES

Year	Horse	Odds	Finish
1877	Rifle	2-1	4th
1878	Duke of Magenta	3-5	1st
1879	Spendthrift	Even	1st
1880	Grenada	1-2	1st
1881	Saunterer	5-2	1st
1882	Forester	.20	1st
1883	George Kinney	.08	1st
1884	Panique	1.10	1st
1885	Tyrant	.60	1st
1886	Inspector B.	Even	1st
1887	Hanover	.05	1st
1888	Sir Dixon	.36	1st
1889	Diablo	.80	2nd
1890	Padishah	4-1	3rd
1891	Montana	.80	2nd
	(1892-94, no odds recorded)		
1895	Counter Tenor	.80	2nd
	(1896, no odds recorded)		
1897	Octagon	*Even	3rd
1898	Hamburg	Even	3rd
1899	Jean Beraud	1-2	1st
1900	Missionary	1-2	3rd
1901	Commando	7-10	1st
1902	King Hanover	2-1	3rd
1903	Africander	3-5	1st
1904	Delhi	3-2	1st
1905	Tanya	11-5	1st
1906	Burgomaster	*2-5	1st
1907	Peter Pan	*7-10	1st
1908	Colin	1-2	1st
1909	Fayette	9-5	5th
1910	Sweep	1-10	1st
1913	Rock View	7-10	2nd
1914	Gainer	8-5	2nd
1915	Pebbles	3-5	3rd
1916	Spur	Even	2nd
1917	Hourless	1-4	1st
1918	War Cloud	Even	2nd
1919	Sir Barton	7-20	1st
1920	Man o' War	1-25	1st
1921	Sporting Blood	9-5	2nd
1922	Snob II	1-3	2nd
1923	Zev	4-5	1st

Year	Horse	Odds	Finish
1924	Mad Play	* 2-1	1st
1925	American Flag	9-20	1st
1926	Crusader	7-10	1st
1927	Chance Shot	2-7	1st
1928	Victorian	9-20	5th
1929	Blue Larkspur	13-10	1st
1930	Whichone	7-10	2nd
1931	Twenty Grand	4-5	1st
1932	Flag Pole	6-5	3rd
1933	Nimbus	* 13-5	2nd
1934	High Quest	* 11-5	2nd
1935	Omaha	* 7-10	1st
1936	Brevity	4-5	5th
1937	War Admiral	9-10	1st
1938	Dauber	1-3	2nd
1939	Johnstown	* 1-8	1st
1940	Bimelech	1.35	1st
1941	Whirlaway	.25	1st
1942	Alsab	.40	2nd
1943	Count Fleet	.05	1st
1944	Pensive	.50	2nd
1945	Jeep	1.35	3rd
1946	Lord Boswell	1.35	5th
1947	Faultless	.75	5th
1948	Citation	.20	1st
1949	Ponder	.80	2nd
1950	Hill Prince	.85	7th
1951	Battlefield	1.85	2nd
1952	Blue Man	.50	2nd
1953	Native Dancer	.45	1st
1954	Correlation	1.70	5th
1955	Nashua	.15	1st
1956	Needles	.65	1st
1957	Bold Ruler	.85	3rd
1958	Tim Tam	.15	2nd
1959	Sword Dancer	1.65	1st
1960	Tompion	.85	4th
1961	Carry Back	.45	7th
1962	Jaipur	2.85	1st
1963	Candy Spots	.50	2nd
1964	Northern Dancer	.80	3rd
1965	Dapper Dan	*1.75	4th
1966	Kauai King	.60	4th

\*Coupled in the wagering.

Year	Horse	Odds	Finish
1967	Damascus	.80	1st
1968	Forward Pass	1.00	2nd
1969	Majestic Prince	1.30	2nd
1970	My Dad George	1.30	5th
1971	Canonero II	.70	4th
1972	Riva Ridge	1.60	1st
1973	Secretariat	.10	1st
1974	Little Current	1.50	1st
1975	Foolish Pleasure	1.30	2nd
1976	Bold Forbes	.90	1st
1977	Seattle Slew	.40	1st
1978	Affirmed	.60	1st
1979	Spectacular Bid	.30	3rd
1980	Codex	1.60	7th
1981	Pleasant Colony	.80	3rd
1982	Linkage	2.20	4th
1983	Slew o' Gold	2.50	2nd
1984	Swale	1.50	1st
1985	Chief's Crown	2.00	3rd
1986	Rampage	2.80	7th
1987	Alysheba	.80	4th
1988	Risen Star	2.10	1st
1989	Sunday Silence	.90	2nd
1990	Unbridled	Even	4th
1991	Strike the Gold	2.20	2nd
1992	A. P. Indy	1.10	1st
1993	Prairie Bayou	2.70	DNF
1994	Strodes Creek	1.30	3rd
1995	Thunder Gulch	1.50	1st
1996	Cavonnier	3.00	DNF
1997	Silver Charm	1.05	2nd
1998	Real Quiet	.80	2nd
1999	Charismatic	1.60	3rd
2000	Aptitude	1.75	2nd
2001	Point Given	1.35	1st
2002	War Emblem	1.25	8th
2003	Funny Cide	1.00	3rd
2004	Smarty Jones	.35	2nd
2005	Afleet Alex	1.15	1st
2006	Bob and John	4.70	8th
2007	Curlin	1.10	2nd
2008	Big Brown	.30	DNF
2009	Mine That Bird	1.25	3rd
2010	Ice Box	1.85	9th+

+ Placed 9th via DQ of Uptoncharlybrown

**ON-TRACK BELMONT DAY HANDLE & ATTENDANCE, 1985-2010**  
**WAGERING ON NYRA RACES ONLY (DOES NOT INCLUDE SIMULCAST WAGERING ON NON-NYRA RACES)**

Year	Winner	On-Track Handle	Attendance	Total Handle	Year	Winner	On-Track Handle	Attendance
2010	Drosselmeyer	\$7,598,840*	45,243	\$74,613,144	1995	Thunder Gulch	\$7,385,655	37,171
2009	Summer Bird	8,998,630*	52,186	89,705,885	1994	Tabasco Cat	7,588,803	42,695
2008	Da' Tara	13,256,019*	94,476	100,192,405	1993	Colonial Affair	8,441,380	45,037
2007	Rags to Riches	8,843,720	46,870	75,587,892	1992	A. P. Indy	8,013,028	50,204
2006	Jazil	8,958,323	61,168	81,347,970	1991	Hansel	8,947,444	51,766
2005	Afleet Alex	9,463,840	62,274	84,581,949	1990	Go and Go	7,918,964	50,123
2004	Birdstone	14,461,402	120,139	110,994,390	1989	Easy Goer	8,687,018	64,959
2003	Empire Maker	12,973,555	101,864	93,115,083	1988	Risen Star	8,065,395	56,223
2002	Sarava	12,045,114	103,222	95,443,037	1987	Bet Twice	9,266,120	64,772
2001	Point Given	10,581,093	73,857	68,323,601	1986	Danzig Connection	7,049,282	42,555
2000	Commendable	8,379,055	67,810	54,198,334	1985	Creme Fraiche	7,761,340	43,446
1999	Lemon Drop Kid	10,035,906	85,818	74,133,188				
1998	Victory Gallop	9,351,731	80,162	55,613,482				
1997	Touch Gold	9,215,728	70,682	51,275,236				
1996	Editor's Note	6,869,916	40,797	38,712,984				

\*Includes wagering on the Brooklyn/Belmont DD  
Denotes year in which a Triple Crown was on the line

**SIMULCAST WAGERING TOTALS ON BELMONT STAKES, 1981-2010**

1981 - \$465,950	1989 - \$12,269,211	1997 - \$22,546,860	2005 - \$47,991,128
1982 - \$2,488,107	1990 - \$8,985,594	1998 - \$28,354,418	2006 - \$41,257,695
1983 - \$2,961,256	1991 - \$12,877,258	1999 - \$40,839,558	2007 - \$37,838,319
1984 - \$4,080,482	1992 - \$12,581,848	2000 - \$25,675,701	2008 - \$56,236,238
1985 - \$4,518,679	1993 - \$17,472,438	2001 - \$34,959,635	2009 - \$51,148,543
1986 - \$5,869,281	1994 - \$13,848,321	2002 - \$54,503,406	2010 - \$43,088,403
1987 - \$8,242,290	1995 - \$15,310,597	2003 - \$48,082,199	
1988 - \$8,685,408	1996 - \$18,714,712	2004 - \$63,682,895	

**HIGHEST ON-TRACK MUTUEL HANDLE ON BELMONT STAKES**

A record total of \$4,331,463 was wagered on track by the record crowd of 120,139 on the 2004 Belmont Stakes. In 2008, \$4,260,273 was wagered on the Belmont Stakes on track, the second-highest total.

**THE FASTEST BELMONT S**

Secretariat set a world record for 1 1/2 miles on the dirt when he won the 1973 Belmont in 2:24. Secretariat also holds the fastest 1/2 mile, 3/4 mile, 1 mile and 1 1/4-mile fractions in Belmont history. The fractional times for the five fastest runnings (all on fast tracks) follows:

	1973 SECRETARIAT	1989 EASY GOER	1992 A. P. INDY	2001 POINT GIVEN	1988 RISEN STAR	1978 AFFIRMED
1/4 M.	:23 3/5	:23 1/5	:23 1/5	:23 4/5	:23 2/5	:25
1/2 M.	:46 1/5	:47	:47	:48	:47 1/5	:50
3/4 M.	1:09 4/5	1:11 1/5	1:11 4/5	1:11 3/5	1:11 4/5	1:14
MILE	1:34 1/5	1:35 4/5	1:36 1/5	1:35 2/5	1:36 2/5	1:37 2/5
1 1/4 M.	1:59	2:00 4/5	2:01 1/5	2:00 3/5	2:01 3/5	2:01 3/5
1 1/2 M.	2:24	2:26	2:26	2:26 2/5	2:26 2/5	2:26 4/5

Fastest first quarter - :23 by Another Review in 1991 (Hansel won), :23.02 by Bob and John in 2006 (Jazil won)

**FASTEST BELMONT AT THE BIG A**

Quadrangle (1964) and Hail to All (1965) won the Belmont at Aqueduct in 2:28 2/5.

## LARGEST BELMONT CROWDS

Date	Winner	Attendance	Date	Winner	Attendance
June 5, 2004	Birdstone	120,139	June 5, 1999	Lemon Drop Kid	85,818
June 8, 2002	Sarava	103,222	June 5, 1971	Pass Catcher	82,694
June 7, 2003	Empire Maker	101,864	June 6, 1998	Victory Gallop	80,162
June 7, 2008	Da' Tara	94,476	June 9, 2001	Point Given	73,857

## WINNING POST POSITIONS (SINCE 1905)

1 - (23)	3 - (13)	5 - (14)	7 - (13)	9 - (4)	11 - (2)
2 - (11)	4 - (10)	6 - (7)	8 - (6)	10 - (2)	

## LETTERS OF WINNERS

“C” is the most popular first initial for winning Belmont runners. It has taken 20 runnings of the race.

A - 10	D - 6	G - 8	J - 7	M - 4	P - 11	S - 18	V - 2	Y - 0
B - 10	E - 4	H - 10	K - 1	N - 3	Q - 1	T - 8	W - 2	Z - 1
C - 20	F - 4	I - 2	L - 3	O - 3	R - 4	U - 0	X - 0	

## COLORS OF BELMONT WINNERS

Bay - 53	Black - 3
Chestnut - 53	Gray - 2
Dark Bay or Brown - 30	Roan - 1

## BELMONT STAKES NOMINATIONS

There were 11 nominations to the first Belmont Stakes run on June 19, 1867. In 1890, Belmont nominations topped 100 for the first time when 136 were named for the Classic. In 1904 the number exceeded 200 and in 1981 it passed 300. Since 1986, the three Triple Crown races have had common nominations; that year produced a record 451. The following is a listing of the number of nominations since 1959:

1959 - 130	1965 - 129	1971 - 166	1977 - 238	1983 - 335	1989 - 394	1995 - 324	2001 - 447	2007 - 450
1960 - 143	1966 - 127	1972 - 184	1978 - 268	1984 - 296	1990 - 348	1996 - 361	2002 - 405	2008 - 448
1961 - 124	1967 - 122	1973 - 187	1979 - 260	1985 - 277	1991 - 377	1997 - 388	2003 - 454	2009 - 401
1962 - 133	1968 - 152	1974 - 217	1980 - 247	1986 - 451	1992 - 389	1998 - 390	2004 - 448	2010 - 366
1963 - 117	1969 - 153	1975 - 211	1981 - 343	1987 - 422	1993 - 342	1999 - 407	2005 - 372	2011 - 364
1964 - 146	1970 - 160	1976 - 210	1982 - 332	1988 - 401	1994 - 354	2000 - 400	2006 - 427	

## “OFF” TRACKS

Of the 142 previous editions of the Belmont, 36 (25.3 percent) have been run on “off” tracks. The most recent was in 2003 when Empire Maker won on a “sloppy” track.

## THE PERMANENT TROPHY

The August Belmont Memorial Cup is a solid silver bowl and cover made by Tiffany & Co. It is 18 inches tall, 15 inches across and 14 inches at the base. Atop the cover is a silver figure of 1869 Belmont winner Fenian. The bowl is supported by three horses - Herod, Eclipse and Matchem - who represent the respective superior male-line descendants of the three foundation sires of thoroughbreds: the Byerly Turk, the Darley Arabian and the Godolphin Barb. Of these, the Eclipse lineage is predominant in the modern thoroughbred.

The trophy was presented by the Belmont family as a perpetual award for the Belmont Stakes in 1926. It was the trophy August Belmont received when Fenian won the third running and it had since remained with the Belmont family. The winning owner may keep the trophy for a year until the next Belmont winner is crowned.

The winning owner, trainer, and jockey also receive a silver miniature of the August Belmont Memorial Cup.

## BELMONT SONGS

“New York, New York”, written by John Kander and Fred Ebb, was performed as the field for the Belmont Stakes made its way to the starting gate from 1997-2009. “Sidewalks of New York” was performed prior to 1997. In 2010, “Empire State of Mind” was performed.

## CARNATION BLANKET

The white carnation is the traditional flower of the Belmont Stakes. The blanket of carnations worn by the Belmont Stakes winner takes five hours to create on the day of the race. More than 700 select carnations from Colombia are glued by hand onto a green velveteen spread. A similar, smaller blanket is created to adorn the statue of Secretariat in the paddock.

### THE 11 TRIPLE CROWN WINNERS

Year	Horse	Owner	Jockey	Trainer
1919	Sir Barton	J.K.L. Ross	John Loftus	H. G. Bedwell
1930	Gallant Fox	Belair Stud	Earl Sande	J. E. Fitzsimmons
1935	Omaha	Belair Stud	William Saunders	J. E. Fitzsimmons
1937	War Admiral	Samuel D. Riddle	Chas. Kurtsinger	George Conway
1941	Whirlaway	Calumet Farm	Eddie Arcaro	Ben A. Jones
1943	Count Fleet	Mrs. J. D. Hertz	John Longden	Don Cameron
1946	Assault	King Ranch	Warren Mehrtens	Max Hirsch
1948	Citation	Calumet Farm	Eddie Arcaro	H. A. "Jimmy" Jones
1973	Secretariat	Meadow Stable	Ron Turcotte	Lucien Laurin
1977	Seattle Slew	Karen L. Taylor	Jean Cruguet	William Turner Jr.
1978	Affirmed	Harbor View Farm	Steve Cauthen	Lazaro Barrera

Owner and breeder William Woodward Sr. and trainer James Fitzsimmons have the rare distinction of having bred, owned and trained father-and-son winners of the Triple Crown: Gallant Fox in 1930 and Omaha in 1935.

## WINNING TRIPLE CROWN MARGINS IN BELMONT

Eleven thoroughbreds have won the Triple Crown. The margins of victory in the Belmont range from 31 lengths by Secretariat in 1973 to a head by Affirmed in 1978.

1919 - Sir Barton by 5 lengths over Sweep On.	1946 - Assault by 3 lengths over Natchez.
1930 - Gallant Fox by 3 lengths over Whichone.	1948 - Citation by 8 lengths over Better Self.
1935 - Omaha by 1 1/2 lengths over Firethorn.	1973 - Secretariat by 31 lengths over Twice A Prince.
1937 - War Admiral by 3 lengths over Sceneshifter.	1977 - Seattle Slew by 4 lengths over Run Dusty Run.
1941 - Whirlaway by 2 1/2 lengths over Robert Morris.	1978 - Affirmed by a head over Alydar.
1943 - Count Fleet by 25 lengths over Fairy Manhurst.	

### HORSES WHO HAVE COMPLETED THE DERBY-BELMONT DOUBLE

Year	Horse	Preakness	Year	Horse	Preakness	Year	Horse	Preakness
1923	Zev	12th	1950	Middleground	2nd	1976	Bold Forbes	3rd
1931	Twenty Grand	2nd	1956	Needles	2nd	1984	Swale	6th
1939	Johnstown	5th	1963	Chateaugay	2nd	1995	Thunder Gulch	3rd
1942	Shut Out	5th	1972	Riva Ridge	4th			

### HORSES WHO HAVE COMPLETED THE PREAKNESS-BELMONT DOUBLE

Year	Horse	Ky. Derby	Year	Horse	Ky. Derby	Year	Horse	Ky. Derby
1877	Cloverbrook	Did Not Run	1922	Pillory	Did Not Run	1974	Little Current	5th
1878	Duke Of Magenta	Did Not Run	1940	Bimelech	2nd	1988	Risen Star	3rd
1880	Grenada	Did Not Run	1949	Capot	2nd	1991	Hansel	10th
1881	Saunterer	Did Not Run	1953	Native Dancer	2nd	1994	Tabasco Cat	6th
1895	Belmar	Did Not Run	1955	Nashua	2nd	2001	Point Given	5th
1920	Man o' War	Did Not Run	1967	Damascus	3rd	2005	Aflect Alex	3rd

## BELMONT STAKES TRIPPED UP 19 WHO TRIED FOR THE TRIPLE CROWN

Thirty horses have been eligible to win the Triple Crown coming into the Belmont Stakes and 11 have succeeded. The following is a list of those who faltered in the Belmont:

Year	Horse	Owner	Winner	Year	Horse	Owner	Winner
1944	Pensive	Calumet Farm	Bounding Home	1987	Alysheba	Dorothy & Pamela Scharbauer	Bet Twice
1958	Tim Tam	Calumet Farm	Cavan	1989	Sunday Silence	Arthur Hancock III	Easy Goer
1961	Carry Back	Mrs. Katherine Price	Sherluck	1997	Silver Charm	Bob & Beverly Lewis	Touch Gold
1964	Northern Dancer	Windfields Farm	Quadrangle	1998	Real Quiet	Michael Pegram	Victory Gallop
1966	Kauai King	Michael Ford	Amberoid	1999	Charismatic	Bob & Beverly Lewis	Lemon Drop Kid
1968	Forward Pass	Calumet Farm	Stage Door Johnny	2002	War Emblem	Ahmed bin Salman	Sarava
1969	Majestic Prince	Frank McMahan	Arts And Letters	2003	Funny Gide	Sackatoga Stable	Empire Maker
1971	Canonero II	Edgard Caibett	Pass Catcher	2004	Smarty Jones	Someday Farm	Birdstone
1979	Spectacular Bid	Hawksworth Farm	Coastal	2008	Big Brown	IEAH Stables	Da' Tara
1981	Pleasant Colony	Buckland Farm	Summing				