

NEWS UPDATE



Muscle Hill

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Mission Brief set new Breeders Crown record

Champion **Muscle Hill** filly **Mission Brief** hoisted a new stakes record of 1:51.8 in the \$500,000 Breeders Crown for two-year-old trotting fillies at The Meadowlands last Friday (November 21).

After being sent to the top before reaching the half in 55.6, **Mission Brief** never looked back, scoring by 4-3/4 lengths on the line.

Her time bettered the previous stakes record by two seconds.

“She could have gone in (1):50 tonight here just as easy as she went in 1:51.8. I showed her the whip around the last turn and she got in to another gear and she had more than that,” driver Yannick Gingras said.

“The talent this filly has is unbelievable. As long as she stays sound, and she wants to do what we want to do with her, she’s going to do amazing things.”

Mission Brief, the fastest two-year-old trotter in harness racing history with a mark of 1:50.6, has won nine of her 13 starts to date for \$591,070.

Her win and the second place finish of **Muscle Diamond** in the \$500,000 Breeders Crown colt’s division vaulted **Muscle Hill** to the head of the 2YO Trotting Sires premiership.

The dual Breeders Crown champion, whose frozen semen is available in Australia and New Zealand through Stallions Australasia, is ranked third on the 3YO list following **E L Titan’s** close second in the \$500,000 Breeders Crown for three-year-old trotting males.

Muscle Hill has a full book of mares in NZ this year.