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Eyesa Wagon Maker Wins \$133,525 Mystic Lake Northlands Futurity

Trainer Stacy Charette-Hill's horses run 1-2-3 in Canterbury's richest quarter horse race

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Shakopee, MN -- Trainer Stacy Charette-Hill had four of the nine starters in Friday's \$133,525 Mystic Lake Northlands Futurity at Canterbury Park and finished first, second, third, and fifth in the richest quarter horse race in the Shakopee, MN track's 27-season history. Eyesa Wagon Maker, who paid \$75.80 to win, prevailed by a neck over Mighty Coronas First. Little Pyc was third and wagering favorite High Ace finished fifth. Final time for the 350-yard race was 17.763 seconds.

Stormy Smith, who won this race in 2011 and 2012, was aboard Eyesa Wagon Maker.

"The five horse (Little PYC) was leaning on us just a little and when Omar (Reyes) went to the stick he moved out and my horse took off," said Smith.

The 2-year-old gelding is owned by the trainer and her husband Randy L. Hill. Charette-Hill has now won with 10 of 16 starters at the Canterbury meet.

"I didn't think this horse could win it," Charette-Hill said. "I really didn't. He was born on our place and he's just close to our heart."

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In June of last year, Canterbury Park and the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community, which owns and operates Mystic Lake Casino Hotel, entered into a cooperative purse enhancement and marketing agreement that will inject \$75 million into the horsemen purse fund over the agreement's 10-year span. The purse for the Mystic Lake Northlands Futurity was guaranteed at \$100,000 in February which included money from the Mystic Lake Purse Enhancement Fund. When nominating and sustaining payments made by horsemen interested in running more than covered the \$100,000 guarantee, management combined those payments with the enhancement fund dollars creating a record quarter horse purse at Canterbury.

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