

## Gerald N Sam Wins Open Pace

Gerald N Sam won the fastest race of the season at Scioto Downs on Saturday night when the 4-year-old pacer clocked 1:53 for the mile in winning the Open Pace.

He prevailed by a neck after a stirring stretch duel with Idealic Life second. Red Silk Sails closed fast along the inside to get third.

Thunder Cruise led for most of the mile, but weakened in the homestretch.

Gerald N Sam is owned by Esther Crownover of McArthur, Ohio and was driven to victory by Justin Hall. It was the pacer's fourth win in five starts this season. Gerald N Sam had finished third in the same class last week after drawing a bad starting position.

The winner is a son of Nobleland Sam from Waverly Road by On The Road Again. Earl Ownings trains the winner.

Gerald N Sam paid \$16.60 to win.

Scioto Downs resumes racing on Wednesday with a 6:30 p.m. post time.