

Uphill Battle notches 50th career win at Scioto

The 13-year-old pacer Uphill Battle scored his 50th career victory at Scioto Downs on Thursday night, winning by a half-length in 1:56.3. The gelded son of Bo Knows Jate has made 356 lifetime starts and earned \$497,015.

Driver Jack Daily gave the veteran pacer a perfect trip just off the lead, then the old warrior rallied in the stretch pace past pacesetter Bobbys On The Move and Mr Bigglesworth to notch his 50th win.

Uphill Battle is owned and trained by Paul Gillenwater of Fremont, Ohio. He has won a race every year since 1997 except for 2004 when he made only four starts. Gillenwater has owned him for the past three seasons.