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Betchaiwill captures \$75,000 Loyalty Stakes

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Betchaiwill didn't disappoint his backers on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 22 in the \$75,000 Loyalty Stakes, romping to a three length triumph in the six-furlong sprint for Ohio-Accredited 2-year-olds at Belterra Park.

Reined to victory by jockey John McKee for trainer James K. Chapman and owner Marcus Yagour, the bay colt by William's Kitten-War Queen, by War Chant easily defeated eight rivals in a time of 1:13.41 over the Cincinnati dirt.

Sweetnesscharm (Luis Rivera) was second, with **Authentic Cowntown** (Ricardo Feliciano) third and **Dr. Zarnett** (Christian Pilaes) fourth. The field had been whittled down from 12 to nine when three of the contenders were scratched.

Betchaiwill's best start prior to his Loyalty Stakes victory was a second-place finish in the \$75,000 Hoover Stakes on July 6 and his maiden win on June 8—both at Belterra.

Bred by the Eyes Of A Child Stable, Betchaiwill upped his career earnings to \$77,980 with his second lifetime win in four starts. He also has one second and one third place finish to his credit.

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