

# El Cohete

<b>El Cohete</b>		Dk. b or b. g. 3 (Mar) CANSEP21 \$27,745		Life 4 1 1 1 \$59,101 79		D.Fst 0 0 0 0 \$0 -	
Own: Anniecchini and D'Alimonte Holdings Inc		Sire: Society's Chairman (Not Impossible)*Ire) \$7,500		2023 4 1 1 1 \$59,101 79		Wet(313) 0 0 0 0 \$0 -	
		Dam: Diannecantretire (Tale of the Cat)		2022 0 M 0 0 \$0 -		Synth(337) \$0	
		Br: FrostFire Thoroughbreds (Ont-C)		Wo 3 0 1 1 \$19,561 79		Turf(316) 1 1 0 0 \$39,540 72	
		Tr: De Paulo Michael P(27 4 4 5 .15) 2023:(64 8 .12)				Dst(303*) 0 0 0 0 \$0 -	
30Jly23-12WO fst 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ 251 :50 1:15 1:45 3+ OC 40k/n2L-N		76 5/9 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ 11 11 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ Hernandez R M L119		3.75 74-19 Twowaycrossing <sup>nk</sup> Enjoythesilent $1\frac{1}{4}$ El Cohete <sup>1</sup>		Off rail, outkicked	
Previously trained by Armata R Jr 2023 (as of 7/7): (75 9 7 12 0.12)							
7Jly23-8WO fst 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ 251 :51 1:14 1:45 3+ OC 40k/c-N		79 7/8 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ 11 11 2 <sup>no</sup> Hernandez R M L118		8.75 75-29 Nonno's Little Boy <sup>no</sup> ElCohete $\frac{3}{4}$ Enjoythesilent $2\frac{1}{2}$ Soon led, just caught			
15Jun23-2WO gd 6 $\frac{1}{16}$ 232 :47 1:10 1:17 3+ Moc 40000N		72 3/9 1 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ 3 <sup>nk</sup> 11 11 Hernandez R M L119		3.80 80-20 El Cohete <sup>1</sup> Fighting Irish $2\frac{1}{2}$ Crumlin Lad <sup>nk</sup> 3w turn,clear,held			
13May23-5WO fst 6 $\frac{1}{16}$ 224 :45 1:03 1:10 3+ Mid Sp Wt 75k		62 1/7 6 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ 5 $\frac{6}{8}$ Hernandez R M L119		5.35 78-12 Scoot Daddy <sup>3</sup> Kid Marvelous $\frac{3}{4}$ Take Charge Souzi $\frac{1}{2}$ Led, yielded last1/8			
<b>WORKS:</b> ●Aug13 WO 5f fst :58 B 1/76 Jly23 WO 5f fst :59 <sup>4</sup> B 4/41 ●Jun29 WO 5f fst :58 <sup>2</sup> B 1/12 ●Jun9 WO tr.t 5f fst 1:00 <sup>1</sup> B 1/7 Jun2 WO tr.t 4f fm :48 B(d) 7/16							
<b>TRAINER:</b> Routes(142.14 \$1.57) Stakes(17.00 \$0.00)							

- El Cohete (“The Rocket”) has reached the podium in three of his four starts, including a maiden-breaking effort over 6 ½ furlongs on the E.P. Taylor Turf on June 15.
- Trained by Mike De Paulo, who will also be represented in the Plate by Cool Kiss and Stanley House, El Cohete, a son of Society’s Chairman–Diannecantretire, was unraced at two, and made his debut, a fifth-place finish, on May 13. “I ran him in open allowance, but I was a little disappointed in the result,” De Paulo. “But we put him on the grass, and he won, which was a really nice effort. Then the owners wanted to try him going two turns, to see if he was a Plate horse. He ran dynamite, finishing second, beaten a nose.”
- In his most recent outing, the dark bay was third in a 1 1/16-mile Tapeta race on July 30, a race won by fellow Plate starter Twowaycrossing. “I don’t know if he bounced a little, but I was a little disappointed with that race.”
- “He can get a little pumped up,” said De Paulo. “He’s a good-feeling horse. He’s always been a good work horse. We had a little shin trouble with him last year, but he’s been okay this year. We always thought he could run. Hopefully, he shows that again on Sunday.”

## Rocco D'Alimonte and Frank Anniecchini

**Rocco D'Alimonte** and **Frank Anniecchini** have enjoyed several big moments in their ownership career. Anniecchini owns 2001 Audio/Video in the Toronto area, while D'Alimonte founded Centre HiFi in Montreal. In the beginning, Anniecchini owned lower-level claimers and D'Alimonte was a skilled handicapper, who applied business strategies to betting races. Top horses over the years include Shot Gun Ela, Mr. Foricos Two U, Fashion Jenny, and True Jean. They are one win away from 100 as an ownership group.

## Trainer – Mike De Paulo (see Cool Kiss bio)

## Jockey – Eswan Flores

Eswan Flores’ family moved to the United States from Mexico in 2001, and his father found work as a groom at Santa Anita. The younger Flores’ first win came on July 4, 2011, at Hollywood Park. A lifetime winner of over 460 races, he recorded a career-best 86 wins and \$3,010,177 in earnings in 2012. He has 13 career stakes victories, including a win with Secret Reserve in the Bold Venture (G3) in 2022. This year, he teamed with Souper Sunday to win the Georgian Bay Stakes.

## Groom – Tylonn Green

**Jockey:**  
**Eswan Flores – 0**

**Trainer:**  
**Mike De Paulo – 9**

2019 – Rising Star (9<sup>th</sup>)  
2019 – Moon Swings (13<sup>th</sup>)  
2014 – Athenian Guard (10<sup>th</sup>)  
2011 – Pender Harbour (3<sup>rd</sup>)  
2008 – Deputiformer (4<sup>th</sup>)  
2006 – Shillelagh Slew (5<sup>th</sup>)  
1999 – Festive Knight (5<sup>th</sup>)  
1996 – Lorries Mane Man (11<sup>th</sup>)  
1995 – Desert Falcon (14<sup>th</sup>)



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