

ALBUQUERQUE - November 4, 2012 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

Claiming Price \$6,250, For Each \$3,750 Higher In Claiming Price An Additional 1 lb. (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000 - \$6,250

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Curve Ball - 1:35.57 - April 27, 2003)

Purse: \$6,200

Available Money: \$6,361

Value of Race: \$6,361 1st \$3,720, 2nd \$1,240, 3rd \$781, 4th \$310, 5th \$186, 6th \$124

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:33 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Oct12 ⁵ ALB ⁴	3	Stormy Pal (Rochabrun, John)	120	L b	3	9	9	8 ¹	7 ⁵	5 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	5.90	6wd into strch,in time
6Oct12 ⁶ ALB ²	1	Claude H (Shepherd, Dusty)	123	L	1	7	6 ¹	7 ³	5 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1 1/4}	1.90*	bid 4wd,vied,outfinshd
24Oct12 ⁸ ALB ⁵	7	Red Tapper (Garcia, Enrique)	120	L b	7	6	7 ¹	6 ¹	6 ²	4 ¹	3 ^{Nose}	9.40	5wd 1/4,vied late,hung
20Oct12 ⁶ ALB ²	6	First Classnthesky (Torres, Jose)	123	L b	6	2	5 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{Nose}	7.80	3w 1/4,weknd insd late
24Oct12 ⁸ ALB ³	2	Western Sheriff (Maldonado, John)	123	L bk	2	8	8 ⁴	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ²	5 ⁸	2.00	bid 4wd,dueled,weekend
20Oct12 ⁶ ALB ²	9	Ron's Alibi (Cordova, Oscar)	120	L f	9	5	3 ¹	2 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	6 ³	6 ^{5 3/4}	9.40	2 wide 1/4, flattened
26Oct12 ³ ALB ¹	5	Nitetraintonowhere (Ramos, Adrian)	122	L b	5	3	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	4 ¹	7 ⁸	7 ^{13 1/4}	14.30	inside 1/4, gave way
20Oct12 ⁶ ALB ⁵	4	First Journey (French, Don)	120	L b	4	4	4 ²	9	8 ^{Head}	8 ²	8 ^{6 1/4}	26.80	inside, thru early
24Oct12 ³ ALB ⁵	8	Ragged Descent (Barajas, Jose)	120	b	8	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	9	9	9	50.00	inside, thru early

Fractional Times: 25.44 49.25 1:13.62 N/A

Final Time: 1:40.36

Split Times: (23:81) (24:37) (26:74)

Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Stormy Pal, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Stormy Jack out of Phacelia, by Flying Paster. Foaled Apr 30, 2009 in California.

Breeder: Donald Valpredo. **Winning Owner:** Pablo Hernandez

Claiming Prices: 3 - Stormy Pal: \$6,250; 1 - Claude H: \$6,250; 7 - Red Tapper: \$10,000; 6 - First Classnthesky: \$6,250; 2 - Western Sheriff: \$6,250; 9 - Ron's Alibi: \$10,000; 5 - Nitetraintonowhere: \$10,000; 4 - First Journey: \$10,000; 8 - Ragged Descent: \$6,250;

Total WPS Pool: \$4,756

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Stormy Pal	13.80	5.80	4.00	\$2.00 Exacta	3-1	31.40	3,895
1	Claude H		4.20	3.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-1-7	183.00	4,274
7	Red Tapper			5.20	\$2.00 Superfecta	3-1-7-6	1,337.80	2,497

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Stormy Pal	9	9 ¹¹	8 ^{8 1/4}	7 ⁶	5 ⁴	1 ^{1 1/4}
1	Claude H	7	6 ⁵	7 ^{5 1/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{1 1/4}
7	Red Tapper	6	7 ⁶	6 ^{4 1/4}	6 ⁴	4 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}
6	First Classnthesky	2	5 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/4}	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}
2	Western Sheriff	8	8 ⁷	3 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	5 ^{2 1/2}
9	Ron's Alibi	5	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3 ²	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}
5	Nitetraintonowhere	3	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{9 1/2}	7 ^{16 1/4}
4	First Journey	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	9 ^{9 1/4}	8 ¹¹	8 ^{17 1/2}	8 ^{29 1/2}
8	Ragged Descent	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/4}	9 ¹¹	9 ^{19 1/2}	9 ^{35 3/4}

Trainers: 3 - Hernandez, Pablo; 1 - Rounseville, Frenda; 7 - Blea, III, Tony; 6 - Rounseville, Frenda; 2 - Trujillo, Jeffrey; 9 - Gonzales, Thomas; 5 - Ford, Jesse; 4 - Trujillo, Jeffrey; 8 - Bennett, Leland

Owners: 3 -Pablo Hernandez; 1 -Frenda D. Rounseville; 7 -Anthony R. Blea III; 6 -Matthew L. Rounseville; 2 -Jeffrey J. Trujillo; 9 -Carl Pacheco; 5 -Richard E. Ford; 4 -Martha J. Rodriguez; 8 - Bennett, Leland and Richards, Donna;

Footnotes

STORMY PAL jostled early, was settled, picked up his pace on the backstretch, progressed three wide on the second turn, swung out widest for the drive, rallied under a drive and got up in time. CLAUDE H rated just off the inside, commenced his bid on the second turn, swung out behind WESTERN SHERIFF into the lane, gained a clear path approaching the eighth pole, dueled on even terms inside the final sixteenth but could only begin to move clear for the place in the waning yards. RED TAPPER advanced to contention from outside on the backstretch, lost ground five wide through the turn, gradually closed the gap through the lane, battled on the front end between horses deep stretch but hung in the waning yards. FIRST CLASSNTHESKY progressed toward the outside on the backstretch, moved ahead for the lead three wide on the second turn, lugged in upper stretch, was challenged, tired hard but did not have enough left nearing the wire. WESTERN SHERIFF jostled shortly after the break, was steadied, advanced between horses, found himself boxed in entering the turn, was steadied, altered out four wide, lugged in some upper stretch, also dueled for the lead most of the way to the wire but did not have enough left in the waning yards. RON'S ALIBI prominent toward the outside, shared the lead on the backstretch but began to tire two wide leaving the second turn. NITETRAINTONOWHERE moved up between horses to vie for the lead on the backstretch, gained the rail into the second turn and also tired the last quarter mile. FIRST JOURNEY lugged in some to bumped STORMY PAL shortly after the break, was a brief factor but began to fade along the rail once on the backstretch. RAGGED DESCENT broke alertly, was quickly clear and soon gained the inside, could not sustain his speed nearing the halfway point and had little left the final three furlongs.