

## ARLINGTON - June 15, 2011 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$8,800 THREE TIMES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2011 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$80,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since May 15 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$80,000 (Races Where Entered For \$62,500 Or Less Not Considered). (NW3X)

**Claiming Price:** \$80,000

Seven Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Lovango - 1:21.02 - August 11, 2007)

**Purse:** \$34,500

**Plus:** \$18,837 IOA - Illinois Registered Owner Award

**Available Money:** \$53,337

**Value of Race:** \$38,640 1st \$20,700, 2nd \$11,040, 3rd \$3,795, 4th \$2,070, 5th \$1,035

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 1:00 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

| Last Raced                            | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey)                 | Wgt | M/E  | PP | Start | 1/4                | 1/2                | Str               | Fin                | Odds  | Comments               |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-------------------------------------|-----|------|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 14May11 <sup>8</sup> WO <sup>5</sup>  | 3   | Hooch Why (Santana, Jozbin)         | 121 | L    | 3  | 4     | 4 <sup>2</sup>     | 4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2 | 1 <sup>Head</sup> | 1 <sup>Nose</sup>  | 1.10* | inside,split 1/4, held |
| 28May11 <sup>8</sup> AP <sup>3</sup>  | 7   | Home's the Best (Perez, Eduardo)    | 121 | L b  | 7  | 7     | 7                  | 7                  | 5 <sup>3</sup>    | 2 <sup>1</sup> 3/4 | 1.80  | split 1/8, bid inside  |
| 5Feb11 <sup>6</sup> FG <sup>3</sup>   | 4   | Cave Creeker (Bridgmohan, Jermaine) | 121 | L bf | 4  | 5     | 5 <sup>Head</sup>  | 6 <sup>3</sup>     | 4 <sup>1/2</sup>  | 3 <sup>4</sup> 1/2 | 17.40 | shifted 4wd, willingly |
| 28May11 <sup>7</sup> PRM <sup>6</sup> | 6   | W W American (Sukie, Danush)        | 121 | L b  | 6  | 6     | 6 <sup>4</sup>     | 5 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 7                 | 4 <sup>1</sup>     | 9.00  | 4wd turn,2nd effort It |
| 12Mar11 <sup>7</sup> FG <sup>3</sup>  | 5   | Fighter Wing (Baird, E.)            | 121 | L    | 5  | 1     | 3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2 | 3 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 6 <sup>Head</sup> | 5 <sup>2</sup> 1/2 | 11.80 | close up 3wd, faded    |
| 21May11 <sup>6</sup> CBY <sup>3</sup> | 1   | Chick Fight (Martinez, Seth)        | 121 | L    | 1  | 2     | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>  | 6 <sup>2</sup>     | 12.20 | pace,rail, emptied out |
| 7May11 <sup>5</sup> AP <sup>8</sup>   | 2   | Spanish Ambassador (Felix, Julio)   | 121 | L bf | 2  | 3     | 2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2 | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 3 <sup>1</sup>    | 7                  | 9.60  | pressed foe, gave way  |

**Fractional Times:** 22.47 46.18 1:11.99

**Final Time:** 1:25.73

**Split Times:** (23:71) (25:81) (13:74)

**Run-Up:** 34 feet

**Winner:** Hooch Why, Chestnut Mare, by Cloud Hopping out of Magic Merger, by Corporate Report. Foaled Feb 25, 2006 in Florida.

**Breeder:** Gail Gee. **Winning Owner:** Estate of Gail Gee, Hoffman, Mark and Trostrud, Jr. Earl

**Claiming Prices:** 6 - W W American: \$80,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$77,458

| Pgm | Horse           | Win  | Place | Show | Wager Type        | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool   |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|------|-------------------|-----------------|--------|--------|
| 3   | Hooch Why       | 4.20 | 2.40  | 2.20 | \$2.00 Exacta     | 3-7             | 11.40  | 62,588 |
| 7   | Home's the Best |      | 2.60  | 2.60 | \$0.50 Trifecta   | 3-7-4           | 18.00  | 46,814 |
| 4   | Cave Creeker    |      |       | 5.00 | \$0.10 Superfecta | 3-7-4-6         | 15.24  | 21,240 |

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name         | Start | 1/4                 | 1/2                | Str                | Fin                 |
|-----|--------------------|-------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 3   | Hooch Why          | 4     | 4 <sup>4</sup> 1/2  | 4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2 | 1 <sup>Head</sup>  | 1 <sup>Nose</sup>   |
| 7   | Home's the Best    | 7     | 7 <sup>10</sup> 1/2 | 7 <sup>6</sup> 1/2 | 5 <sup>2</sup>     | 2 <sup>Nose</sup>   |
| 4   | Cave Creeker       | 5     | 5 <sup>6</sup> 1/2  | 6 <sup>3</sup> 1/2 | 4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2 | 3 <sup>1</sup> 3/4  |
| 6   | W W American       | 6     | 6 <sup>6</sup> 1/2  | 5 <sup>3</sup>     | 7 <sup>5</sup> 1/4 | 4 <sup>6</sup> 1/4  |
| 5   | Fighter Wing       | 1     | 3 <sup>2</sup>      | 3 <sup>1</sup>     | 6 <sup>5</sup>     | 5 <sup>7</sup> 1/4  |
| 1   | Chick Fight        | 2     | 1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2  | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 2 <sup>Head</sup>  | 6 <sup>9</sup> 3/4  |
| 2   | Spanish Ambassador | 3     | 2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2  | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 3 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 7 <sup>11</sup> 3/4 |

**Trainers:** 3 - Reavis, Michael; 7 - Williamson, Brian; 4 - Roussel, III, Louie; 6 - Becker, Scott; 5 - Geier, Greg; 1 - Robertson, Hugh; 2 - McMullen, James

**Owners:** 3 - Estate of Gail Gee, Hoffman, Mark and Trostrud, Jr. Earl; 7 - Nancy A. Vanier; 4 - Hans Poetsch; 6 - William Stirtz; 5 - Jim Tafel LLC; 1 - Bleu Valley Farm, LLC; 2 - Voodoomoon Racing;

### Footnotes

HOOH WHY gained a position just off the first flight tracking those foes in hand along the inside racing to the bend, shifted out leaving the midway point of the turn to split foes three deep leaving the quarter mile marker, shifted out in upper stretch while moving to command between calls leaving the furlong marker and just held the challenge of HOME'S THE BEST in a strong drive. The latter settled well off the leaders in the opening stages, angled inwards nearing the turn while making steady progress, shifted out to split foes nearing the furlong marker, continued with a steady bid to challenge inside the pacesetter in the final sixteenth and just missed. CAVE CREEKER tracked the pacesetter between foes in the second flight racing to the turn, shifted out splitting foes four wide racing into upper stretch while moving to challenge and continued willingly for a share. W W AMERICAN tracked outside foes in the second flight early, was caught four wide racing through the turn while losing some position after five furlongs, shifted inwards in upper stretch and continued between foes to make a second effort to improve her placing. FIGHTER WING, close up three deep in the opening stages, steadily faded nearing upper stretch. CHICK FIGHT was urged to dictate the pace on a narrow margin along the rail racing to the turn, dueled for command into upper stretch and emptied out in late stages. SPANISH AMBASSADOR gained terms attending a rival's pace, pressed the issue racing into upper stretch and gave way.

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