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ARLINGTON - July 3, 2011 - Race 5

STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$30,000 OR LESS IN 2010-2011. Weight, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 3 Allowed 3 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$20,000 Or Less Not Considered). Lane 1. (If the management considers it inadvisable to run this race on the Turf Course, it will be run on the main track at One Mile and One Sixteenth). **Claiming Price:** \$30,000 - \$0

One Mile On The Turf **Track Record:** (Gee Can He Dance - 1:34.50 - September 4, 1995)

Purse: \$23,000

Plus: \$12,558 IOA - Illinois Registered Owner Award

Available Money: \$35,558

Value of Race: \$23,000 1st \$13,800, 2nd \$4,600, 3rd \$2,530, 4th \$1,380, 5th \$690

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Firm

Off at: 3:10 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Jun11 ⁷ AP ¹	9	Top Surprise (Alvarado, Junior)	122	L b	8	7	7 ³ 1/2	6 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	2 ³	1 ¹ 1/4	2.20	steady bid, prevailed 4w
15Jun11 ⁶ IND ⁵	8	Live in Joy (Geroux, Florent)	119	L b	7	4	5 ¹	4 ^{Head}	1 1/2	1 1 1/2	2 ⁴	1.60*	bit wide 7/8, brief lead
7May11 ⁸ AP ⁶	6	Meldrick (Nakatani, Corey)	119	L b	5	8	8	8	7 1/2	5 ² 1/2	3 ⁴	7.80	bumped brk, swung 4wd
4Jun11 ⁷ AP ⁷	4	Champion Kid (Sanchez, Diego)	119	L b	3	1	1 ^{Head}	2 ²	3 ²	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 1/2	25.00	dueled btw, gave way
4Jun11 ⁷ AP ⁵	3	Vouch for Victory (Bridgmohan, Jermaine)	119	L	2	2	2 ²	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 1/2	5 ^{Neck}	14.00	dueled rail, gave way
1Jun11 ⁵ IND ⁶	1	Rafe (Razo, Jr., Eusebio)	119	L b	1	6	6 1/2	7 ¹ 1/2	8	8	6 ^{Neck}	7.00	inside trip, blk'd str
1Jun11 ⁵ AP ¹	7	Stouts Creek (Thornton, Timothy)	119	L f	6	5	4 ¹	5 ² 1/2	6 ²	6 ¹	7 ^{Neck}	14.00	bumpd brk, inside, empty
12Jun11 ³ MNR ¹	5	Legendary King (Jimenez, Alex)	119	L	4	3	3 ³ 1/2	3 ²	5 1/2	7 ¹	8	7.60	close up 3wd, faded

Fractional Times: 23.06 47.81 1:12.56 N/A

Final Time: 1:35.91

Split Times: (24:75) (24:75) (23:35)

Run-Up: 44 feet **Temporary Rail:** 10 feet

Winner: Top Surprise, Bay Ridgling, by Pure Prize out of Well At the Top (IRE), by Sadler's Wells. Foaled Apr 29, 2008 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Palides Investments N.V., Inc..

Winning Owner: Richard Ravin

Scratched Horse(s): Sharp Won (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$139,797

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Top Surprise	6.40	3.00	2.60	\$2.00 Exacta	9-8	12.20	88,854
8	Live in Joy		3.00	2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-8-6	16.75	72,152
6	Meldrick			4.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-8-6-4	28.64	39,474
					\$1.00 Pick 4	5-7-1/8-9 (4 correct)	2,320.10	21,655
					\$2.00 Daily Double	1-9	18.80	9,749
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-1/8-9 (3 correct)	165.90	13,742
					\$2.00 Quinella	8-9	5.60	5,407

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Top Surprise	7	7 ⁸	6 ⁷ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/4
8	Live in Joy	4	5 ⁶ 1/2	4 ⁵	1 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/4
6	Meldrick	8	8 ¹¹ 1/2	8 ⁹ 1/2	7 ⁶ 1/2	5 ⁵	3 ⁵ 1/4
4	Champion Kid	1	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 1/2	4 ⁵	4 ⁹ 1/4
3	Vouch for Victory	2	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 1/2	3 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁹ 3/4
1	Rafe	6	6 ⁷ 1/2	7 ⁸	8 ⁷	8 ⁹ 1/2	6 ¹⁰
7	Stouts Creek	5	4 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁵	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁷ 1/2	7 ¹⁰ 1/4
5	Legendary King	3	3 ²	3 ³	5 ⁴	7 ⁸ 1/2	8 ¹⁰ 1/2

Trainers: 9 - Rivelli, Larry; 8 - Catalano, Wayne; 6 - Robertson, Hugh; 4 - Darjean, Paul; 3 - Swearingen, Thomas; 1 - Granitz, Anthony; 7 - Kirby, Frank; 5 - Dorochenko, Gennadi

Owners: 9 -Richard Ravin; 8 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 6 - Robertson, Hugh H. and Butzow, Barry; 4 -Elias Lubbat; 3 -Ben Wessels; 1 - World Thoroughbreds Racing, Inc.; 7 - Iron County Farms, Inc.; 5 -Vladimir Kazakov;

Footnotes

TOP SURPRIZE was settled in hand outside a rival in the opening stages, made steady progress entering the far turn when given his cue to advance to striking distance racing three deep, shifted out four wide in upper stretch to challenge LIVE IN JOY nearing midstretch and edged clear of that foe late under a few left handed taps and steady handling. The latter caught five deep while pulling his way to a forward placing in the opening furlong, was taken in hand while being guided to a position just outside a rival in the second flight racing through the first turn, steadily moved to striking distance shifting out three deep entering the second bend, moved away to a clear advantage entering upper stretch while not being asked for his best, then was roused to repel the winner's challenge through the last furlong but proved no match. MELDRICK broke outwards bumping STOUTS CREEK, was settled along the inside for five furlongs, swung out four wide racing into upper stretch and made an effort to improve his placing while gaining a share. CHAMPION KID joined the pace between foes from the break, attended a rival's tempo racing through the backstretch, forced the issue between foes racing into the far turn and gave way nearing midstretch. VOUCH FOR VICTORY, urged to terms with a rival on the pace along the inside in the opening stages, dueled for command into the far turn and gave way nearing midstretch. RAFE, reserved along the inside racing just off the second flight in the opening half, awaited an opening nearing upper stretch, then was shuffled in traffic when blocked racing through the stretch. STOUTS CREEK, bumped at the start, recovered quickly to gain terms with the first flight racing four deep in the opening stages, was guided to the rail with a sharp move midway through the first turn, tracked the leaders through the backstretch but couldn't produce the needed closing bid. LEGENDARY KING, prominent three deep between foes in the opening stages, was held up just off the first flight in that path racing to the backstretch but steadily faded from striking distance racing into the far turn.