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**ARLINGTON - August 24, 2012 - Race 7**

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD ILLINOIS REGISTERED, CONCEIVED AND/OR FOALED. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$15,000, For Each \$2,500 To \$10,000 1 lb. (S) **Claiming Price:** \$15,000 - \$10,000

Five And One Half Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Proscio - 1:03.02 - April 30, 2010)

**Purse:** \$17,500

**Plus:** \$150 Starters Bonus

**Available Money:** \$17,650

**Value of Race:** \$17,650 1st \$10,500, 2nd \$3,500, 3rd \$1,750, 4th \$875, 5th \$525, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100, 9th \$100, 10th \$100

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 5:55 **Start:** Good for all except 7

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Jul12 <sup>5</sup> AP <sup>2</sup>	1	State Park (Diego, Inosencio)	121	L b	1	2	2 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	1.80	shifted out, drove clr
28Jul12 <sup>5</sup> AP <sup>4</sup>	2	Snowkin' Gun (Homeister, Jr., Rosemary)	124	L bf	2	9	9 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>Head</sup>	17.50	angled 5w1/8, up 2nd
3Aug12 <sup>8</sup> AP <sup>2</sup>	9	Cool Thunder (Perez, Eduardo)	121	L b	9	5	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	1.40*	chased 3wd, no kick
3Aug12 <sup>8</sup> AP <sup>4</sup>	3	Pistol Persuasion (Meier, Brandon)	119	L	3	6	7 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	15.20	inside gain, evenly lt
3Aug12 <sup>8</sup> AP <sup>3</sup>	8	Family Six (Thornton, Timothy)	122	L b	8	8	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	11.70	tracked btw, shifted 4w
3Aug12 <sup>8</sup> AP <sup>5</sup>	4	Small Town Emperor (Torres, Francisco)	121	L b	4	1	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>4</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup> 1/4	4.80	hustled, dueled, empty
---	7	Bound to Gossip (Contreras, Alejandro)	114 <sup>5</sup>	L b	7	10	10	10	8 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup> 3/4	26.60	broke slowly
3Aug12 <sup>8</sup> AP <sup>7</sup>	10	Preston Can (Graham, James)	121	L	10	7	8 <sup>4</sup>	7 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>4</sup>	8 <sup>4</sup>	53.90	4wd early, no threat
8Jul12 <sup>5</sup> AP <sup>7</sup>	5	Xena's Xeke (Martinez, Seth)	121	L bf	5	3	4 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	9 <sup>7</sup> 1/2	48.80	2nd flight, faded early
3Aug12 <sup>8</sup> AP <sup>8</sup>	6	Valid Devil (Meza, Nicholas)	124	L b	6	4	5 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	9 <sup>1</sup>	10	10	63.90	roused early, faded 4w

**Fractional Times:** 23.07 46.87 59.22

**Final Time:** 1:05.79

**Split Times:** (23:80) (12:35) (6:57)

**Run-Up:** 36 feet

**Winner:** State Park, Chestnut Gelding, by Wiseman's Ferry out of Eden Park, by De Niro. Foaled Apr 20, 2009 in Illinois.

**Breeder:** John Cotton. **Winning Owner:** Sugar Daddy Stable

**Claiming Prices:** 1 - State Park: \$15,000; 2 - Snowkin' Gun: \$15,000; 9 - Cool Thunder: \$15,000; 3 - Pistol Persuasion: \$10,000; 8 - Family Six: \$10,000; 4 - Small Town Emperor: \$15,000; 7 - Bound to Gossip: \$10,000; 10 - Preston Can: \$15,000; 5 - Xena's Xeke: \$15,000; 6 - Valid Devil: \$15,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$106,359

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	State Park	5.60	3.80	2.60	\$2.00 Exacta	1-2	59.80	71,185
2	Snowkin' Gun		11.00	4.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-2-9	36.40	63,233
9	Cool Thunder			2.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	1-2-9-3	33.20	46,975
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6/10-8-1 (3 correct)	40.00	10,722
					\$2.00 Daily Double	8-1	20.20	7,978

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
1	State Park	2	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup> 3/4
2	Snowkin' Gun	9	9 <sup>13</sup> 3/4	8 <sup>11</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>8</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>3</sup> 3/4
9	Cool Thunder	5	3 <sup>5</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup> 3/4
3	Pistol Persuasion	6	7 <sup>9</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>4</sup> 3/4
8	Family Six	8	6 <sup>9</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>5</sup> 3/4
4	Small Town Emperor	1	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>7</sup> 1/4
7	Bound to Gossip	10	10 <sup>16</sup> 3/4	10 <sup>13</sup> 1/2	8 <sup>15</sup>	7 <sup>13</sup> 1/2
10	Preston Can	7	8 <sup>9</sup> 3/4	7 <sup>9</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>11</sup>	8 <sup>15</sup> 1/4
5	Xena's Xeke	3	4 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>7</sup> 1/2	9 <sup>20</sup>	9 <sup>19</sup> 1/4
6	Valid Devil	4	5 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	9 <sup>12</sup> 1/2	10 <sup>23</sup>	10 <sup>26</sup> 3/4

**Trainers:** 1 - Rodriguez, Leo; 2 - Ryan, Chris; 9 - Block, Chris; 3 - Lynn, Jeffery; 8 - Schwan, Emmagene; 4 - Mitchell, Paraskevas; 7 - Cristel, Mark; 10 - Kirby, Frank; 5 - Scherbenske, Percy; 6 - Hunkapiller, Louis

**Owners:** 1 - Sugar Daddy Stable; 2 - Guertler, Jim and Fran; 9 - Team Block; 3 - DLT Thoroughbreds LLC; 8 - Fink, Jerry, Harris, Michael and Schwan, Emmagene; 4 - Paraskevas G. Mitchell; 7 - Sedlacek, Robert and Pucci, Rita O.; 10 - Leverton, Gary and Beth; 5 - Lamont H. Nienast LLC; 6 - L and H Racing Stable (Lada and Hunkapiller);

**Footnotes**

STATE PARK, urged to secure a forward placing along the inside in the opening stages, shifted outside the pacesetter entering the bend while steadily moving to terms with that foe, pressed the issue to gain the advantage in upper stretch and was roused clear after switching to the correct lead midstretch. SNOWKIN' GUN settled out of striking distance along the inside in the opening stages, steadily gained position while angling out five wide nearing midstretch and prevailed for place honors on the wire. COOL THUNDER, urged along three deep chasing the first flight into the turn, moved to challenge in that path after a half but lacked the needed final bid while lasting for a share. PISTOL PERSUASION tracked off the second flight near the inside early, gained some position inside foes on the turn and continued evenly in late stages. FAMILY SIX tracked off the second flight between foes while angling nearer to the inside in the opening stages, shifted out four wide nearing upper stretch while being urged to advance but lacked the needed final kick. SMALL TOWN EMPEROR was hustled to the lead from the break, dueled for command racing a bit off the inside to upper stretch and gave way. BOUND TO GOSSIP broke slowly losing position to the field and never gained contention. PRESTON CAN tracked the leaders four deep off the second flight racing into the turn and never gained contention. XENA'S XEKE was a brief factor inside foes in the second flight, shifted off the inside on the turn and steadily faded nearing upper stretch. VALID DEVIL was roused to contend between foes in the second flight early, drifted out four wide racing through the turn and soon faded from contention.

