

AQUEDUCT - January 29, 2009 - Race 6

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
 INNER DIRT FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD FOALED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY. Weight, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000. (S) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000
 Six Furlongs On The Inner track **Track Record:** (Captain Red - 1:07.93 - February 26, 2003)

Purse: \$28,000

Available Money: \$28,000

Value of Race: \$28,000 1st \$16,800, 2nd \$5,600, 3rd \$2,800, 4th \$1,400, 5th \$840, 6th \$188, 7th \$186, 8th \$186

Weather: Clear **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)

Off at: 2:52 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
11Jan09 ⁶ AQU ⁵	4	Pals First Lady (Davis, Jacqueline)	113 ⁷	L	2	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 1/2}	1.00*	set pressured pace
13Dec08 ⁴ AQU ⁶	9	Driven by Seattle (Dominguez, Ramon)	120	L b	8	1	3 ²	2 ^{3 1/2}	2 ⁴	2 ⁵	2.40	pressed winner in hand
---	1A	Defarge (Luzzi, Michael)	120	L	5	7	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ³	3 ¹	3 ¹	5.70	checked break
11Dec08 ² AQU ⁴	8	Melody Queen (Maragh, Rajiv)	120	L	6	5	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	5.40	midpack, evenly
---	2	Refinery Fire (Sanchez, Jeffrey)	120	L	7	4	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	16.80	up close, tired
---	1	Eager for Action (Morales, Pablo)	120	L	3	6	7 ⁹	7 ³	7 ⁸	6 ^{1/2}	5.70	no factor
31Dec08 ² AQU ⁸	3	Ship of Fools (Thompson, Winston)	120	bf	1	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	7 ^{10 1/4}	72.50	pressed inside
---	7	In Spite Of (Napravnik, Rosie)	120	f	4	8	8	8	8	8	38.25	pinched back break

Fractional Times: 23.17 47.41 59.78

Final Time: 1:12.57

Split Times: (24:24) (12:37) (12:79)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Pals First Lady, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Judge T C out of Miss Bernstein, by Bernstein. Foaled Mar 13, 2006 in New York.

Breeder: Preferred Pals Breeding Co. of NY, LLC. **Winning Owner:** Preferred Pals Stable

Claiming Prices: 4 - Pals First Lady: \$50,000; 9 - Driven by Seattle: \$50,000; 1A - Defarge: \$50,000; 8 - Melody Queen: \$50,000; 2 - Refinery Fire: \$50,000; 1 - Eager for Action: \$50,000; 3 - Ship of Fools: \$50,000; 7 - In Spite Of: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Afleet Lib (Trainer), Dellsittlerunaway (Stewards), Flying Heat (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$190,404

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Pals First Lady	4.00	2.60	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	4-9	11.80	174,294
9	Driven by Seattle		3.20	2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-9-1	33.00	150,170
1A	Defarge			2.50	\$2.00 Daily Double	1-4	11.00	25,685
					\$2.00 Pick 3	1-1-4 (3 correct)	20.80	27,561

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Pals First Lady	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 1/2}
9	Driven by Seattle	1	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{3 1/2}
1A	Defarge	7	6 ⁷	6 ^{5 1/2}	3 ^{6 1/2}	3 ^{8 1/2}
8	Melody Queen	5	5 ^{6 1/2}	4 ⁵	4 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{9 1/2}
2	Refinery Fire	4	4 ³	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}	5 ¹⁵
1	Eager for Action	6	7 ^{10 1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}	7 ¹²	6 ¹⁵
3	Ship of Fools	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ⁴	5 ¹⁰	7 ^{15 1/2}
7	In Spite Of	8	8 ^{19 1/2}	8 ^{11 1/2}	8 ²⁰	8 ^{25 3/4}

Trainers: 4 - Iwinski, Allen; 9 - Levine, Bruce; 1A - Contessa, Gary; 8 - Persaud, Randi; 2 - Sciacca, Gary; 1 - Contessa, Gary; 3 - Chiari, Luis; 7 - Gyarmati, Leah

Owners: 4 - Preferred Pals Stable; 9 - Repole Stable; 1a-Ted Taylor; 8 - Ourbestpal Stable LLC and Bhigroog, Chetram; 2 -Michael Imperio; 1 - Sanford H. Robbins LLC; 3 -Riccardo Chiari; 7 - Gyarmati, Leah and Zamarota Racing Stables;

Footnotes

PALS FIRST LADY set the pace under pressure into upper stretch and drew off under steady urging. DRIVEN BY SEATTLE pressed the winner under a firm hold for a half, lodged a brief bid at the quarter pole, but was no match while clearly second best. DEFARGE steadied soon after the start, was unhurried for a half, launched a move three wide nearing the quarter pole but couldn't threaten the top pair. MELODY QUEEN raced evenly in the middle of the pack. REFINERY FIRE raced within striking distance to the turn and tired. EAGER FOR ACTION never reached contention. SHIP OF FOOLS pressed the winner early on the rail and gave way. IN SPITE OF trailed after being pinched back at the start.