

AQUEDUCT - March 16, 2012 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

INNER DIRT (UP TO \$7,220 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR FOUR YEAR OLDS OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE SEPTEMBER 16, 2011. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since January 16 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$30,000, if for \$25,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races where entered for \$20,000 or less not considered). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$30,000 - \$25,000

One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Inner track **Track Record:** (Carry My Colors - 1:38.92 - February 5, 2000)

Purse: \$38,000

Available Money: \$38,000

Value of Race: \$38,000 1st \$22,800, 2nd \$7,600, 3rd \$3,800, 4th \$1,900, 5th \$1,140, 6th \$380, 7th \$380

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:53 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments		
15Feb12	5	AQU ³	6	Majestic Hope (Dominguez, Ramon)	120	L b	6	3	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1.55*	3w far turn, edged away
23Feb12	1	AQU ⁴	3	Irish Lion (Alvarado, Junior)	120	L bf	3	5	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ²	4 ⁴	2 ¹	4.70	alter to 3p 3/16, rally
18Feb12	1	AQU ²	5	Tom Cat Allie (Perez, Luis)	120	L b	5	6	5 ¹	5 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ⁴	5.40	long drv, loom 1/8, flat
24Feb12	6	AQU ⁷	2	Iscar (Smith, Ariel)	120	L	2	4	3 ²	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/4}	6.40	3w until 1/2p, tired
8Mar12	7	AQU ³	4	Tap Attack (Silvera, Ruben)	120	L b	4	7	7	7	7	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{8 1/2}	14.70	3w far turn, no factor
25Feb12	6	AQU ⁵	7	Most Happy Fella (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	120	L bf	7	1	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	6 ^{2 1/2}	5.60	vied inside, gave way
16Feb12	5	AQU ⁴	1	Magical Myth (Lopez, Charles)	120	L bf	1	2	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	6 ²	7	7	7.00	through after 3/4's

Fractional Times: 24.68 48.88 1:14.50 1:41.06

Final Time: 1:45.37

Split Times: (24:20) (25:62) (26:56) (4:31)

Run-Up: 64 feet

Winner: Majestic Hope, Bay Gelding, by Cherokee Run out of Martinique, by Pleasant Colony. Foaled Apr 23, 2008 in Kentucky.

Breeder: G. Watts Humphrey Jr.. **Winning Owner:** Chalk Stables LLC

Claiming Prices: 6 - Majestic Hope: \$30,000; 3 - Irish Lion: \$30,000; 5 - Tom Cat Allie: \$30,000; 2 - Iscar: \$30,000; 4 - Tap Attack: \$30,000; 7 - Most Happy Fella: \$30,000; 1 - Magical Myth: \$30,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$219,747

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Majestic Hope	5.10	3.20	2.70	\$2.00 Exacta	6-3	29.20	188,317
3	Irish Lion		5.60	3.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-3-5	114.50	104,987
5	Tom Cat Allie			3.20	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-6	27.00	36,925
					\$2.00 Pick 3	7-2-6 (3 correct)	118.00	34,628
					\$2.00 Pick 4	7-3/5/7-2-6 (4 correct)	300.00	122,364
					\$2.00 Superfecta	6-3-5-2	399.50	44,667

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Majestic Hope	3	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}
3	Irish Lion	5	6 ⁵	6 ⁶	5 ³	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}
5	Tom Cat Allie	6	5 ⁴	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}
2	Iscar	4	3 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ^{6 1/2}
4	Tap Attack	7	7 ⁵	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ⁷	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{7 3/4}
7	Most Happy Fella	1	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{16 1/4}
1	Magical Myth	2	4 ³	4 ³	6 ⁵	7 ⁷	7 ^{18 3/4}

Trainers: 6 - Brown, Bruce; 3 - Badgett, Jr., William; 5 - Imperio, Joseph; 2 - McLaughlin, Kiaran; 4 - Persaud, Randi; 7 - Quick, Patrick; 1 - Breen, Kelly

Owners: 6 - Chalk Stables LLC; 3 - Double C Stable LLC; 5 - Me You and Magoo Stable; 2 - South Elkhorn Stable; 4 - Fifty Five Village Racing; 7 - Thummps Racing Stable and Zuccherio Stables, LLC; 1 - Hall, George and Lori;

Footnotes

MAJESTIC HOPE secured a forward post after the start, pressed MOST HAPPY FELLA from the outside around the first turn and for a good portion down the backstretch, was allowed to ease back once ISCAR drew up to the pacesetter to take over the role of stalker, flip flopped paths with the previously mentioned rival coming to the half mile pole, kept within striking distance travelling three wide while making his way to the quarter pole, turned for home and was asked for run, challenged for command the widest of a trio at the eighth pole, with TOM CAT ALLIE doing likewise, but while making a rail run, and ISCAR between each foe, put away both of those opponents to take charge then dug in with good determination to fend off the runner up in the late stages. IRISH LION unhurried for the opening half, picked up the pace from midpoint on the far turn, entered the stretch under encouragement, was placed three wide at the three-sixteenths pole for better racing clearance, came home willingly to garner place honors. TOM CAT ALLIE along the outside, was put to a prolonged drive, ducked over to the inside prior to the quarter pole after clearing a now tiring MOST HAPPY FELLA, made a run from upper to midstretch to loom a bold threat with a furlong to go, but could not sustain the bid. ISCAR was forwardly placed three wide until the half mile pole, vied for the lead shortly after leaving the opening bend, tucked into the two path just reaching the end of the backstretch and soon took over the front, entered the stretch holding a slight advantage, came under heavy pressure from the inside and the outside during the later stages of the run through the furlong grounds, yielded to it and steadily tired. TAP ATTACK swung three wide into the backstretch, remained well off the inside thereafter and failed to reach a contending position. MOST HAPPY FELLA out sprinted the field and was guided over to the rail, set the opening splits under constant pressure, gave way after going six furlongs. MAGICAL MYTH was through after going three-quarters.