

BELMONT PARK - June 10, 2005 - Race 9

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$11,020 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE ON THE TURF IN 2005

OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR RESTRICTED OR

OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$100,000. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of \$45,000 At A Mile Or Over On The Turf In 2004

Allowed 2 lbs. \$45,000 In 2004-2005 or four races on the turf Allowed 4 lbs. Non-winners Of Three Races At A Mile Or Over On The

Turf Allowed 6 lbs. (Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Or State Bred Races Not Considered In Allowances) (Highweights Preferred). (If the

Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at One Mile and One Sixteenth on the main

track.) (C) **Claiming Price:** \$100,000

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Fortitude - 1:38.53 - September 6, 1997)


Purse: \$58,000

Available Money: \$58,000

Value of Race: \$58,000 1st \$34,800, 2nd \$11,600, 3rd \$5,800, 4th \$2,900, 5th \$1,740, 6th \$580, 7th \$580

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 5:19 **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
13May05 ⁸ BEL ³	9	L'Oiseau d'Argent (Migliore, Richard)	121 L	6	5	1 ⁵	1 ⁷	1 ^{5 1/2}	1 ⁸	1 ^{5 1/4}	2.25	bounded clear, driving
9Oct04 ⁸ BEL ⁶	3	Willard Straight (Velazquez, John)	121 L	2	1	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1.70*	rallied for place
28May05 ¹⁰ MTH ⁴	2	Big Booster (Smith, Mike) 	119 L b	1	6	6 ^{2 1/2}	5 ³	5 ⁷	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3 1/4}	6.40	good finish outside
30Oct04 ⁸ LS ⁶	5	Request for Parole (Castellano, Javier)	123 L	4	2	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ⁴	4.10	had no rally
10Apr05 ⁷ LRL ¹	8	Personal Touch (Arroyo, Jr., Norberto)	117 L b	5	3	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{Head}	5 ¹⁰	5 ^{5 3/4}	21.90	chased inside, tired
9Apr05 ³ KEE ⁴	1	Broadway View (Stevens, Gary)	123 L	3	4	5 ¹	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ³	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ¹	9.10	no response
20Apr05 ⁸ AQU ⁵	10	Country Be Gold (Espinoza, Jose)	121 L	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	56.50	outrun inside

Fractional Times: 24.64 47.44 1:10.77 1:33.62

Final Time: 1:39.52

Split Times: (22:80) (23:33) (22:85) (5:90)

Run-Up: 0 feet **Temporary Rail:** 9 feet

Winner: L'Oiseau d'Argent, Chestnut Gelding, by Silver Hawk out of Isla Del Rey, by Nureyev. Foaled Apr 10, 1999 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Gainsborough Farm LLC. **Winning Owner:** Sh Maktoum bin Rashid Al Maktoum

Scratched Horse(s): Bailero (ARG) (Main-Track-Only), Chilly Rooster (Trainer), Miesque's Approval (Trainer), Navesink (Trainer), Play Bingo (Main-Track-Only), Sir Walter Rahy (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$403,980

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	L'Oiseau d'Argent	6.50	3.30	2.70	\$2.00 Exacta	9-3	19.80	321,268
3	Willard Straight		3.30	2.70	\$2.00 Trifecta	9-3-2	73.50	245,420
2	Big Booster			3.20				

Past Performance Running Line Preview


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9	L'Oiseau d'Argent	5	1 ⁵	1 ⁷	1 ^{5 1/2}	1 ⁸	1 ^{5 1/4}
3	Willard Straight	1	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{10 1/2}	4 ⁶	2 ⁸	2 ^{5 1/4}
2	Big Booster	6	6 ¹⁰	5 ¹³	5 ^{8 1/2}	4 ¹⁰	3 ^{5 3/4}
5	Request for Parole	2	3 ⁶	3 ⁹	3 ^{5 1/2}	3 ^{9 1/2}	4 ⁹
8	Personal Touch	3	2 ⁵	2 ⁷	2 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{10 1/2}	5 ¹³
1	Broadway View	4	5 ⁹	6 ¹⁶	6 ^{15 1/2}	6 ^{20 1/2}	6 ^{18 3/4}
10	Country Be Gold	7	7 ^{12 1/2}	7 ^{19 1/2}	7 ^{18 1/2}	7 ²⁴	7 ^{19 3/4}

Trainers: 9 - McLaughlin, Kiaran; 3 - Pletcher, Todd; 2 - Kimmel, John; 5 - Hough, Stanley; 8 - Wallace, Bradley; 1 - Zito, Nicholas; 10 - Kappes, Steven

Owners: 9 - Sh Maktoum bin Rashid Al Maktoum; 3 - Lawrence Goichman; 2 - Broman, Sr., Chester and Mary; 5 - Knighton, Jeri and Sam; 8 - Robert J. Amendola; 1 - Live Oak Plantation; 10 - Richard Ribeiro;

Footnotes

L'OISEAU D'ARGENT bounded clear soon after the start, made the pace along the inside and remained well clear while being kept to the task to the wire. WILLARD STRAIGHT was outrun early, raced three wide and rallied to earn the place award. BIG BOOSTER was outrun early, came wide into the stretch and finished well outside. REQUEST FOR PAROLE had no rally. PERSONAL TOUCH chased the pace along the inside and tired. BROADWAY VIEW had no response when roused. COUNTRY BE GOLD was outrun along the inside.

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