

BELMONT PARK - June 16, 2013 - Race 4

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$15,010 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR RESTRICTED OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING

PRICE OF \$62,500. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of \$47,000 At A Mile Or Over Since April 16, 2013

Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$62,500 (Races where entered for \$50,000 or less not considered). (NW2 X) **Claiming Price:** \$62,500One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Najran - 1:32.24 - May 7, 2003)**Purse:** \$79,000**Available Money:** \$79,000**Value of Race:** \$75,050 1st \$47,400, 2nd \$15,800, 3rd \$7,900, 4th \$3,950**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 2:38 **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
1Jun13 ⁷ DEL ⁶	1	Don Dulce (Saez, Luis)	122	L b	1	4	4	4	4	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	3.25	forced way thru 2p 1/4
27May13 ² BEL ¹	2	This Hard Land (Lezcano, Jose)	122	L	2	3	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	1 1/2	2 ¹	2 ² 1/2	3.55	2p, btwn foes 1/4pl
9May13 ³ BEL ³	4	Romancing the Gold (Prado, Edgar)	122	L	3	2	3 ¹	3 ¹ /2	2 ^{Head}	3 ² 1/2	3 ⁷ 1/2	5.60	3w bid 1/4, outkicked
25May13 ³ BEL ³	7	Colizeo (Rosario, Joel)	122	L bf	4	1	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4	4	0.70*	ins,test,bump 1/4pl

Fractional Times: 22.62 45.13 1:09.91**Final Time:** 1:35.44**Split Times:** (22:51) (24:78) (25:53)**Run-Up:** 40 feet**Winner:** Don Dulce, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Maria's Mon out of Sweet Eloise, by Sky Classic. Foaled Apr 19, 2008 in Kentucky.**Breeder:** Pin Oak Stud, LLC. **Winning Owner:** Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.**Claiming Prices:** 1 - Don Dulce: \$62,500; 4 - Romancing the Gold: \$62,500; 7 - Colizeo: \$62,500;**Scratched Horse(s):** Jimanator (Veterinarian), Praetereo (Veterinarian), St Liams Halo (Veterinarian)**Total WPS Pool:** \$210,279

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Don Dulce	8.50	3.60	\$2.00 Exacta	1-2	24.80	161,469
2	This Hard Land		3.80	\$2.00 Daily Double	1-1	75.00	43,932
4	Romancing the Gold			\$2.00 Pick 3	8-1-1 (3 correct)	195.00	30,163
				\$2.00 Quinella	1-2	11.40	8,159
				\$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	8-1-5 (3 correct)	54.00	0
				\$2.00 Consolation	1-5	16.40	0
				Double			

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Don Dulce	4	4 ³	4 ²	4 ³ /4	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2
2	This Hard Land	3	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 1/2	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2
4	Romancing the Gold	2	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	2 1/2	3 ²	3 ⁴
7	Colizeo	1	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	3 1/2	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ¹¹ 1/2

Trainers: 1 - Ness, Jamie; 2 - Ubillo, Rodrigo; 4 - Galluscio, Dominic; 7 - Rodriguez, Rudy**Owners:** 1 - Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.; 2 - Lake Star Stable; 4 - Bob Petersons Stables, LLC; 7 - Speranza, Steven and Silver Streak Stables;**Footnotes**

DON DULCE well reserved down the backstretch, settled on the two path as the one to take around the bend, was lightly coaxed bidding time behind the front runners from the five-sixteenths pole to the remainder of the run on the bend, was given his cue and forced his way through a seam between rivals turning for home, making light contact with COLIZEO and leading the rider of that opponent to take hold, took charge during the run through the furlong grounds and edged away, kept busy to the end. THIS HARD LAND along the inside during the opening stages, swapped paths with COLIZEO midway down the backstretch, patiently prompted that rival, had ROMANCING THE GOLD increase his presence coming to the quarter pole at the same time the winner was making his own decisive move, got called upon, failed to keep up with the top one, but finished willingly nevertheless to secure second. ROMANCING THE GOLD parked out in the three path for six furlongs, issued an abbreviated bid at the quarter pole, got outkicked. COLIZEO tucked along the rail midpoint down the backstretch, was rated along vying to keep control, came under intensified pressure prior to the third split being set down, appeared to be in the first stages of backing away when bumped slightly as the winner was initiating his own solid bid, angled outward soon afterwards but showed no interest thereafter.

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