

BELMONT PARK - July 3, 2004 - Race 8

STAKES Prioress S. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

(Up To \$37,500 NYSBFOA) FOR FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD. By subscription of \$250 each, which should accompany the nomination; \$1,250 to pass the entry box; \$1,250 to start. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among remaining finishers. 121 lbs. Non-winners of \$60,000 twice allowed 2 lbs.; \$60,000; or \$45,000 in 2004, 4 lbs.; \$30,000, or two races, 6 lbs. (Maiden, claiming, starter, restricted and restricted stake races not considered in allowances.) Closed Saturday, June 19, 2004 with 24 Nominations. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey.

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Artax - 1:07.66 - October 16, 1999)







Purse: \$250,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$250,000

Value of Race: \$250,000 1st \$150,000, 2nd \$50,000, 3rd \$25,000, 4th \$12,500, 5th \$7,500, 6th \$1,250, 7th \$1,250, 8th \$1,250, 9th \$1,250

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:53 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Jun04 ¹⁰ BEL ³	9	Friendly Michelle (Nakatani, Corey) 	119 L b	8	6	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/4}	1.85*	3 wide move, driving
12Jun04 ⁸ BEL ²	5	Feline Story (Castellano, Javier) 	121 L	3	3	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Nose}	26.75	game finish outside
6Jun04 ⁹ MTH ¹	4	Forest Music (Bridgmohan, Shaun) 	119 L	2	2	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{3/4}	5.60	set pace, weakened
10Jun04 ⁸ BEL ³	6	Why You (Chavez, Jorge)	115 cf	4	9	9	9	7 ^{Head}	4 ^{3/4}	5.50	off slowly, rallied
12Jun04 ⁸ BEL ¹	8	She's a Mugs (Bejarano, Rafael) 	117 L c	7	7	8 ^{3 1/2}	8 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	26.00	good finish inside
5Jun04 ⁶ BEL ³	1A	Aspen Gal (Gryder, Aaron) 	117 L b	5	5	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	8 ³	6 ^{1/2}	14.00	chased 4 wide, tired
4Jun04 ¹⁰ BEL ⁴	3	Bending Strings (Bailey, Jerry)	119 L c	1	1	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	7 ^{2 1/4}	3.95	inside, no response
4Jun04 ¹⁰ BEL ⁷	2B	Bohemian Lady (Velazquez, John) 	119 L	9	8	7 ^{2 1/2}	7 ¹	9	8 ^{1 3/4}	5.90	wide throughout, tired
30May04 ⁸ HOL ²	7	Very Vegas (Santos, Jose)	119 L	6	4	2 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{Head}	9	31.75	tired after a half

Fractional Times: 21.82 44.43 56.34

Final Time: 1:09.09

Split Times: (22:61) (11:91) (12:75)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Friendly Michelle, Chestnut Filly, by Artax out of Valiant Jewel, by Buckley Boy. Foaled May 11, 2001 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Ronald Fein. **Winning Owner:** Ed Friendly

Scratched Horse(s): Frenchglen (Trainer), Reforest (Trainer), Rodeo Licious (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$760,442

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Friendly Michelle	5.70	3.40	2.80	\$2.00 Exacta	9-5	87.50	563,251
5	Feline Story		14.00	8.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	9-5-4	435.00	459,809
4	Forest Music			5.20				

Past Performance Running Line Preview


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9	Friendly Michelle	6	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/4}
5	Feline Story	3	4 ³	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/4}
4	Forest Music	2	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{2 1/4}
6	Why You	9	9 ¹¹	9 ⁷	7 ^{6 1/4}	4 ³
8	She's a Mugs	7	8 ^{7 1/2}	8 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{3 3/4}
1A	Aspen Gal	5	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁴	8 ^{6 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}
3	Bending Strings	1	6 ^{4 1/2}	5 ⁴	4 ⁵	7 ⁶
2B	Bohemian Lady	8	7 ⁵	7 ^{4 1/2}	9 ^{9 1/4}	8 ^{8 1/4}
7	Very Vegas	4	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	6 ⁶	9 ¹⁰

Trainers: 9 - Baffert, Bob; 5 - Hough, Stanley; 4 - Shuman, Mark; 6 - Jerkens, H.; 8 - Zito, Nicholas; 1A - Frankel, Robert; 3 - McLaughlin, Kiaran; 2B - Pletcher, Todd; 7 - Polanco, Marcelo

Owners: 9 -Ed Friendly; 5 - E. Paul Robsham Stables LLC; 4 -Michael J. Gill; 6 - Bohemia Stable; 8 - Lucky Shamrock Stable; 1a-Edmund A. Gann; 3 -John D. Gunther; 2b- Padua Stables; 7 -Jeffrey L. Nielsen;

Footnotes

FRIENDLY MICHELLE raced close up outside while in hand, rallied three wide nearing the stretch, responded when roused, reached the front approaching the eighth pole and drew clear late under a drive. FELINE STORY was urged along early on, came wide into the stretch and finished gamely outside to earn the place award. FOREST MUSIC quickly opened a clear lead, set the pace while in hand and weakened in the final furlong. WHY YOU broke slowly, was outrun early, came wide entering the stretch and was going late. SHE'S A MUGS was outrun early, raced inside, rallied nearing the stretch and finished well. ASPEN GAL was hustled along outside, chased the pace while four wide and weakened in the stretch. BENDING STRINGS raced inside and had no response when roused. BOHEMIAN LADY raced wide throughout and tired. VERY VEGAS chased the pace along the inside and tired after a half mile.

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