

**BELMONT PARK - July 11, 2010 - Race 6**

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$9,500 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 118 lbs. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at Six Furlongs on the main track.)

Six Furlongs On The Turf **Track Record:** (Pure Sensation - 1:06.76 - June 11, 2016)

**Purse:** \$50,000

**Available Money:** \$50,000

**Value of Race:** \$50,000 1st \$30,000, 2nd \$10,000, 3rd \$5,000, 4th \$2,500, 5th \$1,500, 6th \$500, 7th \$500

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Firm

**Off at:** 3:42 **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	
10Jun10 <sup>2</sup> BEL <sup>3</sup>	7	Pluck (Velazquez, John)	118	L	6	6	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	1.85*	3-4 wide turn, driving	
29May10 <sup>3</sup> DEL <sup>6</sup>	3	I'm Steppin' It Up (Cohen, David)	118	L	b	2	4	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	17.30	cut pace, stubborn	
---	6	Favorite Hour (Castellano, Javier)	118	L	b	5	5	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	8.10	svd ground until 3/16p	
---	1	William's Prayer (Velasquez, Cornelio)	118	--		3	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	3.15	chased, backed off
---	2	Uncle Joe (Maragh, Rajiv)	118	L		1	7	7	6 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	6.10	svd ground throughout	
---	1A	Deciphering Dreams (Dominguez, Ramon)	118	--		4	3	6 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3.15	3 wide around turn
18Jun10 <sup>2</sup> BEL <sup>4</sup>	8	Pretend and Extend (Garcia, Alan)	118	L		7	1	4 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	7	7	2.35	came in upper lane, trd

**Fractional Times:** 23.24 46.27 57.76

**Final Time:** 1:09.68

**Split Times:** (23:03) (11:49) (11:92)

**Run-Up:** 146 feet **Temporary Rail:** 18 feet

**Winner:** Pluck, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by More Than Ready out of Secret Heart (SAF), by Fort Wood. Foaled Mar 04, 2008 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Team Valor. **Winning Owner:** Team Valor International

**Scratched Horse(s):** For Wes (Trainer), Love That Dude (Trainer)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$330,772

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Pluck	5.70	3.80	2.90	\$2.00 Exacta	7-3	69.50	263,289
3	I'm Steppin' It Up		11.40	7.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	7-3-6	359.50	187,746
6	Favorite Hour			4.40	\$2.00 Pick 3	3-5-7 (3 correct)	35.60	56,587
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-7	16.60	46,179

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Pluck	6	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
3	I'm Steppin' It Up	4	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
6	Favorite Hour	5	5 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>5 1/2</sup>
1	William's Prayer	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>
2	Uncle Joe	7	7 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>9 1/4</sup>
1A	Deciphering Dreams	3	6 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup>	5 <sup>8</sup>	6 <sup>9 1/2</sup>
8	Pretend and Extend	1	4 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>11</sup>

**Trainers:** 7 - Pletcher, Todd; 3 - Pecoraro, Anthony; 6 - Trombetta, Michael; 1 - Dutrow, Jr., Richard; 2 - Penna, Jr., Angel; 1A - Dutrow, Jr., Richard; 8 - Violette, Jr., Richard

**Owners:** 7 - Team Valor International; 3 - Roman Hill Farm; 6 - Meyerhoff, Harry C. and Tom O.; 1 - Poston, Bill and Vicki; 2 - Reeves Thoroughbred Racing; 1a- Winter Park Partners; 8 - Klaravich Stables, Inc. and Lawrence, William H.;

**Footnotes**

PLUCK entered the turn from the four path, moved one path closer to the inside during the early portion of the run around the bend, sat reserved until turning for home, responded well once asked, fought his way to a narrow edge upon reaching the eighth pole, battled on nearly even terms with the runner up during the ensuing sixteenth, before gradually drawing clear, driving. I'M STEPPIN' IT UP established command soon after leaving the starting gate, cut the pace from the inside, met pressure for the initial time approaching the quarter pole, was put to encouragement, dug in when the top one drew abreast, offered good resistance before being displaced with a furlong to go, then proved a stubborn foe until the sixteenth pole. FAVORITE HOUR lightly coaxed along taking the inside route, angled outward at the three-sixteenths, rallied willingly en route for the show. WILLIAM'S PRAYER chased the leader from the outside for a half and backed off. UNCLE JOE always inside, steadied slightly in upper stretch when PRETEND AND EXTEND came over. DECIPHERING DREAMS three wide around the turn, tired. PRETEND AND EXTEND broke on top but was out sprinted by a pair of rivals for the early lead, chased the pacesetter from the outside for nearly a half, veered in several paths in upper stretch, making things a bit edgy for UNCLE JOE, then tired steadily thereafter.

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