

BELMONT PARK - September 12, 2013 - Race 2

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$9,310 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$65,000. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at One Mile on the main track.) **Claiming Price:** \$65,000

One Mile On The Turf **Track Record:** (Elusive Quality - 1:31.63 - July 4, 1998)

Purse: \$49,000

Available Money: \$49,000

Value of Race: \$49,000 1st \$29,400, 2nd \$9,800, 3rd \$4,900, 4th \$2,450, 5th \$1,470, 6th \$327, 7th \$327, 8th \$326

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 1:36 **Start:** Good for all except 4



[Video Race Replay](#)

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-------------------------------------|------------------|-----|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| 11Aug13 ⁴ SAR ³ | 7 | Frogman Mel (Castellano, Javier) | 120 | L | 7 | 3 | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ² | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ^{3/4} | 1.20* | 2p, bump 1/8, game |
| 11Aug13 ⁶ SAR ⁸ | 3 | All Tied Up (Bravo, Joe) | 120 | L b | 2 | 4 | 6 ⁶ | 4 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{3 1/2} | 3 ¹ | 2 ^{Neck} | 8.30 | btwn foes turn, gd kick |
| --- | 6 | Rumblefortheroses (Velazquez, John) | 120 | L | 5 | 1 | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ^{2 1/2} | 3 ^{3/4} | 4.50 | vied inside, bump 1/8 |
| 31Aug13 ⁷ MTH ³ | 1A | Nauset Beach (Franco, Manuel) | 115 ⁵ | L | 6 | 2 | 4 ^{Head} | 6 ¹ | 6 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ⁵ | 4 ^{3 3/4} | 4.70 | alter course, late foot |
| 12Jul13 ² BEL ⁶ | 2 | Rolloncat (Prado, Edgar) | 120 | L | 1 | 5 | 5 ^{1/2} | 5 ⁴ | 3 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ⁹ | 21.40 | cut corner driving |
| --- | 4 | Go Zone (Lezcano, Abel) | 120 | L f | 3 | 8 | 7 ^{1 1/2} | 7 ^{1/2} | 7 ² | 7 ² | 6 ¹ | 24.00 | dwelt at the start |
| --- | 8 | Sea Hunt (Saez, Luis) | 120 | L b | 8 | 6 | 3 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{Head} | 5 ^{Head} | 6 ^{Head} | 7 ² | 8.90 | 3w chute & turn, tired |
| --- | 5 | Third Avenue Cello (Maragh, Rajiv) | 120 | L | 4 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 9.50 | svd ground past 5/16pl |

Fractional Times: 24.07 48.08 1:12.52

Final Time: 1:36.85

Split Times: (24:01) (24:44) (24:33)

Run-Up: 52 feet

Winner: Frogman Mel, Chestnut Gelding, by Stormy Atlantic out of Stolen Humor, by Distorted Humor. Foaled Mar 23, 2011 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Bortolazzo Stable LLC. **Winning Owner:** Dubb, Michael, Bethlehem Stables LLC and Aisquith, Gary

Claiming Prices: 7 - Frogman Mel: \$65,000; 3 - All Tied Up: \$65,000; 6 - Rumblefortheroses: \$65,000; 1A - Nauset Beach: \$65,000; 2 - Rolloncat: \$65,000; 4 - Go Zone: \$65,000; 8 - Sea Hunt: \$65,000; 5 - Third Avenue Cello: \$65,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Gabriel's Flame (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$140,208

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-------------------|------|-------|------|---------------------|-----------------|--------|---------|
| 7 | Frogman Mel | 4.40 | 2.80 | 2.30 | \$2.00 Exacta | 7-3 | 27.20 | 132,657 |
| 3 | All Tied Up | | 5.10 | 3.70 | \$2.00 Quinella | 3-7 | 18.40 | 11,843 |
| 6 | Rumblefortheroses | | | 3.10 | \$2.00 Trifecta | 7-3-6 | 78.00 | 73,834 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Daily Double | 6-7 | 17.20 | 99,429 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Superfecta | 7-3-6-1 | 204.00 | 34,277 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|--------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 7 | Frogman Mel | 3 | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ^{3/4} |
| 3 | All Tied Up | 4 | 6 ^{2 1/2} | 4 ^{1 3/4} | 4 ^{2 1/2} | 3 ^{2 1/2} | 2 ^{3/4} |
| 6 | Rumblefortheroses | 1 | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ^{Head} | 3 ¹ |
| 1A | Nauset Beach | 2 | 4 ² | 6 ^{6 1/4} | 6 ^{6 1/4} | 5 ⁵ | 4 ^{1 3/4} |
| 2 | Rolloncat | 5 | 5 ² | 5 ^{2 1/4} | 3 ² | 4 ^{3 1/2} | 5 ^{5 1/2} |
| 4 | Go Zone | 8 | 7 ^{8 1/2} | 7 ^{7 1/4} | 7 ^{7 3/4} | 7 ^{10 1/4} | 6 ^{14 1/2} |
| 8 | Sea Hunt | 6 | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ⁶ | 6 ¹⁰ | 7 ^{15 1/2} |
| 5 | Third Avenue Cello | 7 | 8 ¹⁰ | 8 ^{7 3/4} | 8 ^{9 3/4} | 8 ^{12 1/4} | 8 ^{17 1/2} |

Trainers: 7 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 3 - Pletcher, Todd; 6 - Pletcher, Todd; 1A - Alexander, Bruce; 2 - Badgett, Jr., William; 4 - Abreu, Reynaldo; 8 - Goldberg, Alan; 5 - Contessa, Gary

Owners: 7 - Dubb, Michael, Bethlehem Stables LLC and Aisquith, Gary; 3 - Dogwood Stable; 6 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 1a-Patricia A. Generazio; 2 -Steve Martin; 4 -James Covello; 8 -Richard Santulli; 5 - Wounded Warrior Stables;

Footnotes

FROGMAN MEL joined up with RUMBLEFORTHROSES before departing the chute, contested for the lead, kept to the mildest of hand urging to maintain interest, fell back by the slimmest of margins as the twosome spun into the stretch, got called upon about a jump after the nemesis did, appeared to re claim the advantage after completing the run through the furlong grounds, but not before bumping with that opponent, sparred on even terms for another sixteenth before slowly but surely edging away. ALL TIED UP sat within range from the two path and from between rivals for much of the opening six furlongs, was put to some encouragement commencing the stretch three wide, mustered up a good kick to procure the place. RUMBLEFORTHROSES broke on top, had the runner up latch on shortly afterwards, vied for command while racing towards the inside, was put to a drive just before cutting the corner into the stretch, battled hard and with good determination, making contact in the vicinity of the eighth pole, before getting successfully off with a sixteenth to go. NAUSET BEACH forwardly placed during the initial stages, dropped back under his own volition, was put to some urging leaving the backstretch, failed to pick up any interest, got guided over to the inside past the five-sixteenths pole, cut the corner under much strong handling than before and gradually began to pick up the pace, altered course back to the outside in midstretch and came home with good late energy. ROLLONCAT tracked the front runners from the inside, cut the corner having been put to a drive, came up empty. GO ZONE fractious during the warm ups, proceeded to dwelt at the start, was given some stick work in the area of the right shoulder to get motivated, rejoined the pack, got tipped into the three path midpoint on the turn, failed to reach a contending position throughout the running. SEA HUNT three wide on the chute and the full turn, tired. THIRD AVENUE CELLO saved ground until past the five-sixteenths pole while trailing. There was a Stewards' Inquiry focusing on the start of the race before the event was declared official.