

BELMONT PARK - September 14, 2008 - Race 9

STAKES Step Nicely S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS WHICH HAVE NOT WON A GRADED SWEEPSTAKES IN 2008. No nomination fee. \$1,000 to enter, starters to receive a \$750 rebate. A supplemental nomination fee of \$200 may be made at time of entry. The added money and all fees to be divided 60% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among the remaining finishers. Weight 122. Non-winners of a sweepstakes in 2008 allowed 2 lbs. Three races, 4 lbs. (Maiden, claiming, starter and restricted allowance races not considered in allowances). A presentation will be made to the winning owner. Closed Wednesday, September 10, 2008 with 17 Nominations. (C)

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Najran - 1:32.24 - May 7, 2003)

Purse: \$75,000 Added

Available Money: \$77,500

Value of Race: \$77,500 1st \$46,500, 2nd \$15,500, 3rd \$7,750, 4th \$3,875, 5th \$2,325, 6th \$1,550

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:16 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23Aug08 ⁸ MTH ¹	2	Famous Patriot (Castellano, Javier)	118	L	1	5	4 ¹	5 ⁴	3 ^{1/2}	2 ²	1 ^{Neck}	8.60	4w mid turn, prevailed
20Aug08 ⁹ SAR ¹	5	Tin Cup Chalice (Rodriguez, Pedro)	122	L	4	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2.10	set pace, determined
1Dec07 ¹⁰ CRC ¹	3	Check It Twice (Velazquez, John)	118	L	2	6	5 ⁴	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ³	1.75*	3 wide, willingly
14Aug08 ³ SAR ²	7	Law Enforcement (Prado, Edgar)	118	L	6	1	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	3 ¹	4 ^{3 1/4}	7.40	stalked, weakened
12Jul08 ⁹ MTH ¹	6	Truth Rules (Maragh, Rajiv)	122	L bc	5	4	6	6	6	6	5 ¹	10.30	never in contention
17Aug08 ³ SAR ³	4	Mucho Macho (Coa, Eibar)	118	L bf	3	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	5 ⁴	5 ²	6	4.40	inside, tired

Fractional Times: 22.99 46.29 1:10.27

Final Time: 1:35.45

Split Times: (23:30) (23:98) (25:18)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Famous Patriot, Bay Colt, by Repent out of Agnes Rose, by Beau Genius. Foaled Jan 10, 2005 in Florida.

Breeder: Brent Fernung.

Winning Owner: Patriot Stable

Scratched Horse(s): National Pride (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$352,659

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Famous Patriot	19.20	7.00	4.00	\$2.00 Exacta	2-5	72.00	236,457
5	Tin Cup Chalice		3.50	2.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-5-3	201.00	193,755
3	Check It Twice			2.80	\$2.00 Pick 3	9-5-2 (3 correct)	228.00	49,323
					\$2.00 Grand Slam	2,5,6-3,5,9-4,5,9-2 (4 correct)	610.00	25,179
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-2	50.00	74,927

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Famous Patriot	5	4 ²	5 ⁴	3 ²	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}
5	Tin Cup Chalice	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}
3	Check It Twice	6	5 ³	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	3 ^{3/4}
7	Law Enforcement	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	3 ²	4 ^{3 3/4}
6	Truth Rules	4	6 ⁷	6 ⁸	6 ⁷	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ⁷
4	Mucho Macho	2	2 ¹	3 ²	5 ³	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁸

Trainers: 2 - Hills, Timothy; 5 - LeCesse, Michael; 3 - Pletcher, Todd; 7 - Hennig, Mark; 6 - Zito, Nicholas; 4 - Jerkens, James

Owners: 2 - Patriot Stable; 5 - LeCesse, Michael A. and Van Laer, Scott; 3 -Sanford H. Robbins; 7 -Camelia J. Casby; 6 -Robert V. LaPenta; 4 - Moore, Susan and M and M Thoroughbred Partners;

Footnotes

FAMOUS PATRIOT saved ground until being eased out to the four path midway on the turn, was kept on hold until approaching the top of the stretch, took off the leader after straightening away in upper stretch, reached even terms with the leader at the eighth pole and prevailed under good handling. TIN CUP CHALICE away in good order, set the pace, dug in when the top one made his presence at the furlong ground, fought determinedly during the final furlong. CHECK IT TWICE raced three wide and came home willingly. LAW ENFORCEMENT stalked the leader for three quarters and weakened. TRUTH RULES was never in contention. MUCHO MACHO always inside, tired.

Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate