

BELMONT PARK - October 5, 2012 - Race 5

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD FOALED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. (S)

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

Purse: \$52,000

Available Money: \$52,000

Value of Race: \$52,000 1st \$31,200, 2nd \$10,400, 3rd \$5,200, 4th \$2,600, 5th \$1,560, 6th \$520, 7th \$520

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:59 **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
---	7	Towering Moon (Lezcano, Jose)	120	L	6	7	5 ²	1 ^{Head}	1 ³	1 ^{6 1/4}	0.80*	5w 5/16, brisk hand rde
---	8	Cousin Michael (Luzzi, Michael)	120	--	7	3	3 ³	3 ⁴	3 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	11.50	4w pursuit, willingly
8Sep12 ⁷ BEL ⁴	2	Papa Tom (Garcia, Wilmer)	115 ⁵	L b	1	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 3/4}	4.40	2p, press by pair turn
15Jun12 ⁶ BEL ¹¹	4	M P Joe (Coa, Keiber)	118 ⁵	L	4	4	7	6 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/4}	32.75	pull off foe st, 5w top
21Jul12 ⁴ SAR ⁸	1	Bellamy (Alvarado, Junior)	120	L	2	1	2 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	6 ⁴	5 ^{Head}	5.10	3w 1/2pl, tired
---	5	Hidden Warrior (Velasquez, Cornelio)	120	L	5	5	4 ^{Head}	5 ¹	5 ¹	6 ^{16 1/2}	7.50	3w, btwn foes to 5/16
---	3	It'sahardrocklife (Rosario, Joel)	120	L	3	6	6 ^{4 1/2}	7	7	7	13.60	saved ground, faltered

Fractional Times: 22.79 46.07 57.97

Final Time: 1:10.53

Split Times: (23:28) (11:90) (12:56)

Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: Towering Moon, Chestnut Colt, by Malibu Moon out of Towering Escape, by Giant's Causeway. Foaled Feb 26, 2009 in New York.

Breeder: Albert Fried, Jr..

Winning Owner: Albert Fried, Jr.

Scratched Horse(s): Comstock Prize (Trainer), The Kenosha Kid (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$267,327

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Towering Moon	3.60	2.70	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	7-8	24.20	275,500
8	Cousin Michael		7.90	4.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	7-8-2	93.50	146,563
2	Papa Tom			2.80	\$2.00 Pick 3	4-3-7 (3 correct)	1,618.00	65,101
					\$2.00 Pick 4	5-4-3-6/7 (4 correct)	14,780.00	155,729
					\$2.00 Daily Double	3-7	486.00	45,949
					\$2.00 Superfecta	7-8-2-4	530.00	60,732

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Towering Moon	7	5 ^{3 3/4}	1 ^{Head}	1 ³	1 ^{6 1/4}
8	Cousin Michael	3	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{6 1/4}
2	Papa Tom	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ³	3 ^{6 3/4}
4	M P Joe	4	7 ^{10 1/4}	6 ⁷	4 ⁸	4 ^{9 1/2}
1	Bellamy	1	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁵	6 ^{10 1/2}	5 ^{15 3/4}
5	Hidden Warrior	5	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ⁶	5 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{15 3/4}
3	It'sahardrocklife	6	6 ^{5 3/4}	7 ⁸	7 ^{14 1/2}	7 ^{32 1/4}

Trainers: 7 - Brown, Bruce; 8 - Baker, Charlton; 2 - Ubillo, Rodrigo; 4 - Chin, Peter; 1 - Albertrani, Thomas; 5 - Rice, Linda; 3 - Levine, Bruce

Owners: 7 - Albert Fried, Jr.; 8 - Sugar Maple Farm and Rapaport, H. Lewis; 2 - T S P Enterprises; 4 - Peart, Milton and Peart, Jr., Milton; 1 - West Point Thoroughbreds; 5 - Whitehall Stable; 3 - Roddy J. Valente;

Footnotes

TOWERING MOON sat well reserved, placed at a considerable distance from off the inside for much of the opening half, got let out a notch in the form of very light hand urging and unleashed a strong sweeping move from the inner portion of the overland route at the five-sixteenths pole, led the field into the stretch by a slim margin and was given his cue, drew off down the lane, crossing the wire under a brisk hand ride. COUSIN MICHAEL a forward factor while undergoing a four wide pursuit, proved no match for the winner but came home willingly nonetheless to secure second. PAPA TOM sat entrenched in the two path, clung to a small lead while pressed by another pair, had the top one replace HIDDEN WARRIOR once that opponent began to back away, this occurring in the vicinity of the five-sixteenths pole, fell a head shy of TOWERING MOON despite being more energetically-handled than that rival was coming into the lane, engaged in a tussle with the runner up down the stretch for place honors and came up on the losing end of it. M P JOE out a bit at the start, was pulled off HIDDEN WARRIOR, with the rider of that foe likewise doing so but obviously from the opposite direction, raced along the outside, fanned outward heading for the stretch to be five wide by the conclusion of the maneuver, failed to have any impact. BELLAMY three wide entering the turn, tired. HIDDEN WARRIOR in the three path, disputed the pace from between rivals for almost a half and gave way. IT'SAHARDROCKLIFE quickly tucked along the inside, was the lone member of field to spend significant time along the rail, faltered.