

**BELMONT PARK - October 16, 1999 - Race 9**

STAKES Forest Hills H. Grade 2 - Thoroughbred

(Up To \$38,500 NYSBFOA) A handicap for three year olds and upward. By subscription of \$250 each, which should accompany the nomination; \$1,250 to pass the entry box and \$1,250 to start. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. Closed Saturday, October 2 with 21 nominations.

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 \$27,500, 4th \$15,000, 5th \$7,500**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 5:11 **Start:** Good for all**EQUIBASE**  
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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25Sep99 <sup>9</sup> BEL <sup>1</sup>	1	Artax (Chavez, Jorge)	120	L f	1	2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	1.85*	sharp speed, ridden out
6Sep99 <sup>9</sup> SAR <sup>8</sup>	2	Good and Tough (Sellers, Shane)	118	L f	2	6	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5.90	good finish on rail
25Sep99 <sup>9</sup> BEL <sup>4</sup>	7	Intidab (Davis, Robbie)	116	L b	7	7	7	7	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Neck</sup>	4.90	3 wide, no punch
18Sep99 <sup>8</sup> MED <sup>1</sup>	4	Diamond (Castillo, Jr., Heberto)	114	L	4	5	5 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Neck</sup>	31.00	between rivals, no bid
25Sep99 <sup>9</sup> BEL <sup>2</sup>	5	Stormin Fever (Smith, Mike)	117	L bf	5	3	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>3/4</sup>	3.80	chased 3 wide, no rally
31Jan99 <sup>8</sup> GP <sup>1</sup>	6	Bet Me Best (Bailey, Jerry)	114	L	6	4	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3.15	tried winner 1/4 pole
18Sep99 <sup>6</sup> BEL <sup>1</sup>	3	Puncher (Velazquez, John)	111	L	3	1	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	7	7	26.25	chased inside, tired

**Fractional Times:** 22.22 44.65 55.98**Final Time:** 1:07.66**Split Times:** (22:43) (11:33) (11:68)**Run-Up:** 0 feet**Winner:** Artax, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Marquetry out of Raging Apalachee, by Apalachee. Foaled Mar 29, 1995 in Kentucky.**Breeder:** Vinery & Carondelet Farm. **Winning Owner:** Paraneck Stable**Total WPS Pool:** \$636,636

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Artax	5.70	3.30	2.70	\$2.00 Exacta	1-2	32.00	484,063
2	Good and Tough		5.30	4.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-2-7	115.00	347,050
7	Intidab			3.40	\$2.00 Pick 3	6-7-1 (3 correct)	2,417.00	127,312

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Artax	2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
2	Good and Tough	6	6 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
7	Intidab	7	7 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>8</sup>
4	Diamond	5	5 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>6 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>8 1/4</sup>
5	Stormin Fever	3	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>8 1/2</sup>
6	Bet Me Best	4	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>9 1/4</sup>
3	Puncher	1	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>11 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 1 - Albertrani, Louis; 2 - Alexander, Frank; 7 - McLaughlin, Kiaran; 4 - McGaughey III, Claude; 5 - Hennig, Mark; 6 - Walden, W.; 3 - Johnson, Philip**Owners:** 1 - Paraneck Stable; 2 - David P. Reynolds; 7 - Shadwell Stable; 4 - Ogden Mills Phipps; 5 - Edward P. Evans; 6 - Casner, Bill, Collins, D. and Preston, J. and A.; 3 - Sullimar Stable;**Footnotes**

ARTAX came away in good order, quickly showed in front, set a strong pace, drew away when shown the whip in upper stretch and was ridden out to a sharp score. GOOD AND TOUGH, unhurried inside early on, raced on the rail and finished well. INTIDAB raced three wide and lacked a solid finishing kick. DIAMOND, between rivals early on, raced inside through the stretch. STORMIN FEVER chased the pace while three wide and lacked a rally. BET ME BEST raced close up from the start, tried the winner entering the stretch but could not handle that rival and faded in the drive. PUNCHER chased the pace along the inside and tired in the stretch.