

CHURCHILL DOWNS - July 2, 2011 - Race 5

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$7,500 TWICE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of \$22,200 Twice At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since May 2 Allowed 2 lbs. \$21,600 At A Mile Or Over Since Then Allowed 4 lbs. (Races where entered for \$40,000 or less not considered in allowances). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at One and One Sixteenth mile.). (NW2\$ X)

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Wise River - 1:39.83 - April 26, 2009)

Purse: \$65,200

Includes: \$9,500 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$65,200

Value of Race: \$62,649 1st \$39,120, 2nd \$11,140, 3rd \$6,520, 4th \$3,260, 5th \$1,956, 6th \$279, 7th \$374

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Firm

Off at: 2:51 **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
19Jun11 ⁹ CD ³	2	Sporty (Borel, Calvin)	120	LA	b	2 6	7	7	7	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3.20	swung out, just up
30May11 ³ AP ⁶	5	Meezaan (IRE) (Castanon, Jesus)	120	LA		5 1	3 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	1 ¹	2 ¹	9.20	just failed
29May11 ⁸ CD ¹	4	King's Command (Albarado, Robby)	122	L		4 3	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁶	3 ¹ 2	2 ³	3 ² 1/2	4.00	couldn't sustain bid
20May11 ⁹ CD ⁴	3	William's Kitten (Mena, Miguel)	120	LA	b	3 7	6 ² 1/2	6 ²	6 ²	5 ^{Head}	4 ³	7.80	not enough late
10Jun11 ¹ AP ³	1	Falling Knife (Goncalves, Leandro)	120	L	b	1 4	2 ¹ 2	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 2	5 ¹	6.10	hedge, no response
3Jun11 ⁷ CD ¹	6	Almoradi (IRE) (Lanerie, Corey)	122	LA		6 2	4 ¹ 2	4 ¹ 2	5 ⁵	7	6 ³ 4	1.70*	4 wide, no menace
18May11 ⁸ IND ²	7	Finding Paradise (Wilkinson, Erin)	111	LA	b	7 5	1 ⁴ 1/2	1 ⁹ 1/2	1 ³	6 ¹ 2	7	24.80	nothing left

Fractional Times: 23.19 46.11 1:10.57 1:35.27

Final Time: 1:41.58

Split Times: (22:92) (24:46) (24:70) (6:31)

Run-Up: 34 feet

Winner: Sporty, Bay Gelding, by Smarty Jones out of Byzantine, by Quiet American. Foaled Mar 18, 2007 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Nursery Place. **Winning Owner:** Jim Tafel LLC

Total WPS Pool: \$227,399

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Sporty	8.40	4.80	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	2-5	78.40	154,957
5	Meezaan (IRE)		10.80	5.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-5-4	361.20	111,375
4	King's Command			3.00	\$2.00 Pick 3	1-1-2 (3 correct)	78.80	26,957
					\$2.00 Daily Double	1-2	26.00	12,856
					\$2.00 Superfecta	2-5-4-3	1,612.40	52,185

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Sporty	6	7 ¹³ 1/2	7 ¹⁹ 1/2	7 ¹¹ 1/2	3 ⁴	1 ^{Head}
5	Meezaan (IRE)	1	3 ⁵	2 ⁹ 1/2	2 ³	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}
4	King's Command	3	5 ⁶ 1/2	5 ¹¹ 1/2	3 ⁴	2 ¹	3 ¹
3	William's Kitten	7	6 ¹¹	6 ¹⁷ 1/2	6 ⁹ 1/2	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2
1	Falling Knife	4	2 ⁴ 1/2	3 ¹¹	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁴	5 ⁶ 1/2
6	Almoradi (IRE)	2	4 ⁶	4 ¹¹	5 ⁴ 1/2	7 ⁵ 1/4	6 ⁷ 1/2
7	Finding Paradise	5	1 ⁴ 1/2	1 ⁹ 1/2	1 ³	6 ⁴ 3/4	7 ⁸ 1/4

Trainers: 2 - Nafzger, Carl; 5 - Peitz, Daniel; 4 - Howard, Neil; 3 - Maker, Michael; 1 - Amoss, Thomas; 6 - Kenneally, Eddie; 7 - Bindner, Jr., Walter

Owners: 2 - Jim Tafel LLC; 5 - Shadwell Stable; 4 - Woodford Racing LLC and Westrock Stables LLC; 3 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 1 - Klaravich Stables, Inc. and Lawrence, William H.; 6 - H B O Racing Stable and Kenneally, Eddie; 7 - Crazy Eight Stable (Walter M. Bindner, Jr.);

Footnotes

SPORTY outrun for six furlongs, began advancing around the far turn, swung out for the stretch run, then finished full of run to be just up at the wire. MEEZAAN (IRE) stalked the pace off the hedge, eased out for the stretch run, rallied to gain the lead nearing the eighth pole, then just failed to last. KING'S COMMAND allowed to settle, raced three wide around the far turn, rallied to loom a threat in the stretch but couldn't sustain his bid. WILLIAM'S KITTEN unhurried early, rallied to reach contention in the stretch but didn't do enough late. FALLING KNIFE tracked the pace along the hedge into the stretch but had no response when asked. ALMORADI (IRE) raced four wide and failed to menace. FINDING PARADISE rushed up to gain the lead racing into the first turn, sprinted to a long lead around that turn and into the backstretch, made the pace off the hedge into the stretch, then had nothing left.

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