

CHURCHILL DOWNS - July 3, 2006 - Race 9

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED IN 2006 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$100,000. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since April 1 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since October 1 Allowed 4 lbs. (Races where entered for \$80,000 or less not considered). (C) **Claiming**

Price: \$100,000

Seven And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Greater Good - 1:27.97 - July 3, 2006)

Purse: \$66,000

Includes: \$14,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$66,000

Value of Race: \$62,500 1st \$41,340, 2nd \$10,400, 3rd \$6,600, 4th \$2,600, 5th \$1,560

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:27 **Start:** Good for all except 4

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
16Jun06 ¹⁰ CD ⁴	6	Greater Good (McKee, John)	120 L b	6	4	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ^{2 1/4}	12.10	forced pace,drv
14Jun06 ⁸ CD ³	2	Esprit Du Roi (CHI) (Toups, Randall)	117 ⁵ L	2	2	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	22.60	rail, angled 3w late
10Jun06 ⁹ MNR ²	3	Go Now (Borel, Calvin) 	120 L	3	3	5 ^{1/2}	6	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Nose}	14.10	5w,no final response
3Jun06 ¹⁰ CD ⁵	5	Exciting Metro (Guidry, Mark)	124 L b	5	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	2.50	grudgingly weakened
1Oct05 ⁹ HOO ¹	1	Don't Get Mad (Bejarano, Rafael)	120 --	1	5	6	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{8 1/4}	0.60*	6w lane,no late bid
30Sep04 ⁷ SA ⁴	4	Buddy Gil (Albarado, Robby)	120 L	4	6	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	6	6	6.80	stumble start,4w,tired

Fractional Times: 23.16 45.78 1:09.70

Final Time: 1:27.97

Split Times: (22:62) (23:92) (18:27)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Greater Good, Bay Colt, by Intidab out of Gather The Clan (IRE), by General Assembly. Foaled Apr 01, 2002 in Kentucky.

Breeder: A. Lakin & Sons, Inc.. **Winning Owner:** Lewis G. Lakin

Claiming Prices: 2 - Esprit Du Roi (CHI): \$100,000; 5 - Exciting Metro: \$100,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$199,643

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Greater Good	26.20	12.00	7.00	\$2.00 Exacta	6-2	279.00	151,180
2	Esprit Du Roi (CHI)		19.40	8.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-2-3	1,496.80	120,672
3	Go Now			5.40	\$2.00 Superfecta	6-2-3-5	4,056.20	47,274
					\$2.00 Pick 3	8-3-6 (3 correct)	594.40	17,948

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Greater Good	4	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ^{2 1/4}
2	Esprit Du Roi (CHI)	2	3 ²	3 ²	4 ⁴	2 ^{2 1/4}
3	Go Now	3	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/4}
5	Exciting Metro	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}
1	Don't Get Mad	5	6 ⁵	5 ⁴	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁵
4	Buddy Gil	6	4 ³	4 ^{2 1/2}	6 ⁷	6 ^{13 1/4}

Trainers: 6 - Holthus, Robert; 2 - Parisi, Horacio; 3 - Moquett, Ron; 5 - Romans, Dale; 1 - McGee, Paul; 4 - Mott, William

Owners: 6 -Lewis G. Lakin; 2 -Horacio Parisi; 3 - Bowman Couch Racing LLC; 5 -Frank L. Jones, Jr.; 1 -B. Wayne Hughes; 4 - Desperado Stables, Inc.;

Footnotes

GREATER GOOD pressed front-running EXCITING METRO from early on while four wide, inched to the front entering the turn, raced that one into submission in the upper stretch, then was ridden hard in the drive to prevail in track record time. ESPRIT DU ROI (CHI), well placed inside from early on, saved ground into the final furlong, maneuvered three wide in the late going and gamely earned the place. GO NOW, in hand while following the leaders five wide, loomed prominently for the final furlong but couldn't muster the needed response. EXCITING METRO broke in front, made the pace two wide, lost the advantage to the winner entering the turn, the grudgingly weakened. DON'T GET MAD settled near the inside early, moved three wide on the turn, angled six wide into the stretch but lacked a late response. BUDDY GIL stumbled at the start, recovered to race in hand four wide to the stretch, was empty in the drive and wasn't abused at the end.

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate