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COLONIAL DOWNS - June 28, 2012 - Race 8

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 117 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$20,000 In Last 5 Starts). (Rail at 13 feet).

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Inner turf **Track Record:** (Grass Roots (IRE) - 1:41.01 - October 8, 1999)

Purse: \$23,000

Plus: \$23,000 VBF - Virginia Breeders Fund

Available Money: \$46,000

Value of Race: \$27,600 1st \$13,340, 2nd \$9,200, 3rd \$2,300, 4th \$1,380, 5th \$345, 6th \$345, 7th \$345, 8th \$345

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 10:03 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	3	Top Striker (Monterrey, Richard)	117 L	3	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	4.80	3wd bid,repel foe,drvng
16Jun12 ¹⁰ CNL ²	6	Lawyer Dave (Karamanos, Horacio)	117 L b	6	5	4 ²	4 ²	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/4	2.70*	4wd move,lost whip
2Jun12 ¹⁰ BEL ⁴	8	Bundestag (GB) (Camacho, Eric)	124 L	8	8	8	7 ²	7 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{3/4}	3.80	wide late gain
16Jun12 ¹⁰ CNL ⁴	7	I Am American (Russell, Sheldon)	117 L b	7	6	6 ⁴	5 ^{1/2}	5 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 3/4	3.50	4wd 5/8,move btw 1/8
7Jun12 ² CRC ⁴	1	Drewnormous (Boyce, Forest)	117 L	1	7	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 1/2	6 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	5 ² 1/2	4.10	rail,angled,empty
10Jun12 ⁷ CNL ⁷	5	Danly's Dream (Sabol, Ivan)	115 ⁷ L b	5	4	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	4 ¹ 1/2	5 ³	6 ^{Head}	49.40	inside move,faded
16Jun12 ¹⁰ CNL ³	4	Mount Meron (Boucher, Richard)	124 L bf	4	3	7 ^{1/2}	8	8	8	7 ⁷ 1/4	18.00	reluctant load,inside
6Jun12 ⁵ PID ⁶	2	Begginforgiveness (Garcia, Geovany)	117 L bf	2	1	1 ²	1 ⁴	1 ¹	7 ²	8	10.40	pace,prssrd 2wd 1/4

Fractional Times: 24.22 48.27 1:12.51 1:38.33

Final Time: 1:44.91

Split Times: (24:05) (24:24) (25:82) (6:58)

Run-Up: 30 feet **Temporary Rail:** 13 feet

Winner: Top Striker, Bay Gelding, by Van Nistelrooy out of Two's Cozy, by Cozzene. Foaled Mar 22, 2009 in Maryland.

Breeder: Sycamore Hall Farm, LLC. **Winning Owner:** Richard L. Golden

Total WPS Pool: \$23,364

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Top Striker	11.60	9.20	3.40	\$1.00 Pick 3	10-6-3 (3 correct)	129.60	1,917
6	Lawyer Dave		4.20	2.60	\$2.00 Daily Double	6-3	40.40	1,295
8	Bundestag (GB)			2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	3-6	60.80	16,949
					\$1.00 Superfecta	3-6-8-7	246.80	6,371
					\$2.00 Trifecta	3-6-8	194.20	11,685

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Top Striker	2	2 ²	2 ⁴	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹
6	Lawyer Dave	5	4 ⁴	4 ⁵ 1/2	3 ² 1/2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹
8	Bundestag (GB)	8	8 ¹⁰ 1/2	7 ⁹ 1/2	7 ⁶ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	3 ² 1/4
7	I Am American	6	6 ⁶	5 ⁷ 1/2	5 ⁴	3 ²	4 ³
1	Drewnormous	7	5 ⁶	6 ⁸	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁸	5 ⁴ 3/4
5	Danly's Dream	4	3 ² 1/2	3 ⁴ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	5 ⁵	6 ⁷ 1/4
4	Mount Meron	3	7 ¹⁰	8 ¹¹ 1/2	8 ⁸	8 ¹⁰ 1/2	7 ⁷ 1/4
2	Begginforgiveness	1	1 ²	1 ⁴	1 ¹	7 ⁸ 1/2	8 ¹⁴ 1/2

Trainers: 3 - Jenkins, Rodney; 6 - Morgan, Carla; 8 - Day, James; 7 - Allen, III, A.; 1 - Silva, Butch; 5 - Kiely, Joyce; 4 - Proto, Patricia; 2 - Kiely, Joyce

Owners: 3 -Richard L. Golden; 6 - Lady Olivia Northcliff LLC; 8 -Michael A. Smith; 7 -John O'Meara; 1 -A. Clare Silva, Jr.; 5 -Daniel L. Joyce, Jr.; 4 -Patricia Ann Proto; 2 -Gayle Woods;

Footnotes

TOP STRIKER rated kindly off the lead, moved three wide to challenge mid way on the final turn, took over in upper stretch, repelled LAWYER DAVE and drew clear late under a drive. LAWYER DAVE , in range off the rail, rallied four wide into the stretch, threatened the winner in mid stretch, had his rider lose the whip around seventy yards from the wire then flattened out. BUNDESTAG (GB) , unhurried early, advanced off the rail leaving the three furlong pole and continued willingly to the finish. I AM AMERICAN , four wide early, made a run between foes in the drive, angled in and came up empty. DREWNORMOUS saved ground under rating, made a slight move into the turn, angled out for the drive but failed to threaten. DANLY'S DREAM saved ground, made a run to take aim near the quarter pole then faded. MOUNT MERON , reluctant to load, saved ground off the pace and failed to menace. BEGGINFORGIVENESS drew clear around the first turn, set the pace two wide, took pressure leaving the five sixteenths pole and tired.

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