

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - January 3, 2013 - Race 9

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE AUGUST 3, 2012 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Weight, 120 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 3 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000, if for \$4,500, allowed 1 lb. (W VA races not considered in eligibility)(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight And Eligibility). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000 - \$4,500

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (My Sister Pearl - 1:43.83 - January 4, 2001)

Purse: \$11,000

Plus: \$400 Other Sources

Available Money: \$11,400

Value of Race: \$11,400 1st \$6,600, 2nd \$2,200, 3rd \$1,100, 4th \$550, 5th \$330, 6th \$220, 7th \$100, 8th \$100, 9th \$100, 10th \$100

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 10:53 **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
12Oct12 ³ CT ²	2	Blank Check (Lopez, Antonio)	119	LA f	1	1	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ²	1 ¹ 1/4	2.20*	pace inside, held well
20Dec12 ⁹ CT ³	6	Strategic Hope (Montano, Jose)	119	LA b	5	3	4 ¹	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ³	2.50	in tight past 5/8
22Dec12 ⁴ CT ³	9	Rutledge Lion (Houghton, T.)	117	LA bf	9	6	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ³	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	6.10	carried 5wd into lane
20Dec12 ⁹ CT ⁸	3	Younique Cat (Whittaker, Dale)	119	L b	2	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	30.50	off rail, miss nod 3rd
20Dec12 ⁹ CT ⁷	4	King Harry (Milford, Nicolas)	114 ⁵	LA bf	3	5	6 ¹ 1/2	7 ¹ 1/2	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Neck}	9.80	even finish near rail
6Dec12 ³ CT ⁷	7	Enable (McGowan, Mathew)	118	LA b	6	7	8 ¹ 1/2	8 ³	8 ² 1/2	7 ²	6 ⁴	36.30	mild bid, flattened 4wd
11Dec12 ⁴ CT ⁸	8	Asylum (Larrosa, Gustavo)	118	LA b	8	4	5 ¹	5 ²	5 ¹	6 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	46.50	pinched back rail 5/8
20Dec12 ⁹ CT ⁹	10	Firstie (Crews, Katie)	119	LA b	10	10	10	9 ^{Head}	9 ^{1/2}	9 ^{1/2}	8 ²	25.40	never factored
24Nov12 ⁵ CT ⁸	1	Mighty Fenian (Dunkelberger, Travis)	117	LA f	7	9	9 ^{Head}	10	10	8 ^{Head}	9 ^{Neck}	5.30	never factored
1Dec12 ⁹ MNR ¹	5	Borrego Road (Johnson, Kirk)	119	LA b	4	8	7 ² 1/2	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	10	10	7.90	shuffled back start

Fractional Times: 24.18 49.01 1:15.05 1:43.08

Final Time: 1:50.43

Split Times: (24:83) (26:04) (28:03) (7:35)

Run-Up: 80 feet

Winner: Blank Check, Dark Bay or Brown Horse, by Awesome Again out of Jostlin Kate, by Fit to Fight. Foaled Apr 03, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Nellie Cox & Dapple Bloodstock. **Winning Owner:** Capellini, John A. and Capell, Greg

Claiming Prices: 2 - Blank Check: \$4,500; 6 - Strategic Hope: \$4,500; 9 - Rutledge Lion: \$4,500; 3 - Younique Cat: \$4,500; 4 - King Harry: \$4,500; 7 - Enable: \$5,000; 8 - Asylum: \$5,000; 10 - Firstie: \$4,500; 1 - Mighty Fenian: \$4,500; 5 - Borrego Road: \$4,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Wild Captain Bob (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$35,747

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Blank Check	6.40	3.80	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	2-6	20.00	35,639
6	Strategic Hope		3.20	2.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-6-9	79.00	27,333
9	Rutledge Lion			3.80	\$2.00 Superfecta	2-6-9-3	861.20	12,522
					\$2.00 Pick 3	9-3-2 (3 correct)	413.80	6,907
					\$2.00 Pick 4	2-9-3-2 (4 correct)	1,889.40	15,140
					\$2.00 Daily Double	3-2	18.20	7,563

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Blank Check	1	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ²	1 ¹ 1/4
6	Strategic Hope	3	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ²	3 ²	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/4
9	Rutledge Lion	6	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ²	4 ² 1/2	4 ⁵	3 ⁴ 1/4
3	Younique Cat	2	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ²	3 ³ 1/2	4 ⁴ 1/4
4	King Harry	5	6 ³ 1/2	7 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁶ 1/2	5 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁵ 1/4
7	Enable	7	8 ⁷ 1/2	8 ⁷	8 ⁶ 3/4	7 ⁵ 3/4	6 ⁵ 1/2
8	Asylum	4	5 ² 1/2	5 ³	5 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁵ 1/2	7 ⁹ 1/2
10	Firstie	10	10 ⁹ 1/4	9 ¹⁰	9 ⁹ 1/4	9 ⁷ 3/4	8 ¹⁰
1	Mighty Fenian	9	9 ⁹	10 ¹⁰ 1/4	10 ⁹ 3/4	8 ⁷ 3/4	9 ¹²
5	Borrego Road	8	7 ⁵	6 ⁵	7 ⁶ 3/4	10 ⁸ 1/4	10 ¹² 1/4

Trainers: 2 - Capellini, John; 6 - Runco, Jeff; 9 - Brown, Ronney; 3 - Pledge, Robert; 4 - Chinn, Fred; 7 - Davis, Russell; 8 - McClure, Diana; 10 - Myers, Larry; 1 - Viands, Stacey; 5 - Robillard, Julie

Owners: 2 - Capellini, John A. and Capell, Greg; 6 - Smart Angle; 9 - Law Legacy Stables LLC; 3 - Robert M. Pledge; 4 - Diana L. Chinn; 7 - Russell E. Davis; 8 - Diana L. McClure; 10 - Starzano LLC; 1 - Adam L. Ingram; 5 - Jane Cross;

Footnotes

BLANK CHECK rated a short lead inside, was pressured leaving the five sixteenths pole and held well with steady stretch encouragement. STRATEGIC HOPE rated close off the rail, was in tight while between horses past the five eighths pole, started a bid at the three eighths and finished well to chase the winner home. RUTLEDGE LION rated close about the three path, bid nearing the three eighths pole, was carried five wide entering the lane and dug in from there to win the nod for show. YOUNIQUE CAT stalked the pace off the rail, picked up the chase leaving the half mile pole then missed show by the nod of the head. KING HARRY rated back inside, bid from the five sixteenths pole and finished evenly near the rail. ENABLE, well back outside, made a mild bid approaching the five sixteenths pole then leveled off four wide on the final turn. ASYLUM rated close to the early pace inside, was pinched back from the rail past the five eighths pole, gave chase down the backstretch but weakened on the final turn. FIRSTIE and MIGHTY FENIAN were not factors. BORREGO ROAD, shuffled back at the start, was kept off the pace toward mid track, lacked significant response through the backstretch and faded on the final turn.