

**HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - September 16, 2012 - Race 9**

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR ACCREDITED WEST VIRGINIA-BRED MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000, For Each \$1,000 To \$18,000 1 lb. (S) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000 - \$18,000

Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Immortal Eyes - 50.09 - April 16, 2011)

**Purse:** \$18,000

**Plus:** \$400 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$18,400

**Value of Race:** \$18,400 1st \$10,800, 2nd \$3,600, 3rd \$1,800, 4th \$900, 5th \$540, 6th \$360, 7th \$100, 8th \$100, 9th \$100, 10th \$100

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 4:37 **Start:** Good for all except 9



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Sep12 <sup>8</sup> CT <sup>2</sup>	3	Smiling Thistle (Almodovar, Gerald)	117	LA b	3	7	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	1.30*	pace,drew off driving
1Sep12 <sup>8</sup> CT <sup>3</sup>	6	Argentina Cowboys (Larrosa, Gustavo)	117	LA bf	6	5	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2.70	heels clipped 1/4
---	1	Forward Thinking (Ho, Wesley)	119	LA b	1	9	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	5.10	checked into turn
25Aug12 <sup>9</sup> CT <sup>5</sup>	8	Are You Happy Too (Schneider, Joseph)	119	LA b	8	3	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	6.60	bumped in start,7p tur
1Sep12 <sup>8</sup> CT <sup>9</sup>	4	Garden Tavern (Sanchez, Jesus)	119	LA	4	10	9 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>Nose</sup>	77.50	step slow,well back
9Aug12 <sup>1</sup> CT <sup>4</sup>	9	Midnight Bop (Lopez, Antonio)	120	LA b	9	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	12.80	bobbled,broke in
1Sep12 <sup>8</sup> CT <sup>5</sup>	10	Tsengeliin Manlai (Milford, Nicolas)	112 <sup>7</sup>	LA b	10	1	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>3</sup>	30.10	chased,steadied 1/4
---	5	Phun Kow Zah (Rivera, Javier)	119	bf	5	6	7 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>3/4</sup>	34.40	checked angling out1/4
25Aug12 <sup>9</sup> CT <sup>8</sup>	7	Mr. B. H. Tinkle (Ramirez, Erik)	120	LA f	7	4	10	9	9	14.50	bumped,pinched start
1Sep12 <sup>8</sup> CT <sup>6</sup>	2	Leaderofthevalley (Mayhew, Glenmore)	120	LA bf	2	8	5 <sup>1</sup>	---	---	42.20	clip heels,lost rider

**Fractional Times:** 22.38 46.26

**Final Time:** 52.65

**Split Times:** (23:88) (6:39)

**Run-Up:** 10 feet

**Winner:** Smiling Thistle, Chestnut Gelding, by Windsor Castle out of Available Doll, by Big Pistol. Foaled Apr 13, 2009 in West Virginia.

**Breeder:** Lisa Spunich Ashley.

**Winning Owner:** Diamond Oak Stable

**Claiming Prices:** 3 - Smiling Thistle: \$18,000; 6 - Argentina Cowboys: \$18,000; 1 - Forward Thinking: \$20,000; 8 - Are You Happy Too: \$20,000; 4 - Garden Tavern: \$18,000; 9 - Midnight Bop: \$18,000; 10 - Tsengeliin Manlai: \$20,000; 5 - Phun Kow Zah: \$20,000; 7 - Mr. B. H. Tinkle: \$18,000; 2 - Leaderofthevalley: \$18,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Cats Royal Wedding (Also-Eligible), Irongate Genius (Also-Eligible), Take Pride Please (Also-Eligible)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$12,964

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Smiling Thistle	4.60	2.60	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	3-6	15.80	13,762
6	Argentina Cowboys		4.20	3.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-6-1	52.40	9,708
1	Forward Thinking			3.20	\$2.00 Superfecta	3-6-1-8	161.80	5,664
					\$2.00 Pick 3	2-5-3 (3 correct)	154.40	1,786
					\$2.00 Pick 4	1-2-5-3/11/12/13 (4 correct)	365.60	5,393
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-3	34.60	2,806

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
3	Smiling Thistle	7	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
6	Argentina Cowboys	5	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
1	Forward Thinking	9	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>7 1/2</sup>
8	Are You Happy Too	3	8 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>8 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>9 1/4</sup>
4	Garden Tavern	10	9 <sup>5</sup>	5 <sup>8</sup>	5 <sup>10 1/2</sup>
9	Midnight Bop	2	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>10 1/2</sup>
10	Tsengeliin Manlai	1	6 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>8 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>11 1/2</sup>
5	Phun Kow Zah	6	7 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>14 1/2</sup>
7	Mr. B. H. Tinkle	4	10 <sup>11</sup>	9 <sup>12 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>15 1/4</sup>
2	Leaderofthevalley	8	5 <sup>2</sup>	---	---

**Trainers:** 3 - Patterson, Kevin; 6 - Larrosa, Analia; 1 - Brown, Ronney; 8 - Tobin, Edwin; 4 - Condon, Leslie; 9 - Wright, Timothy; 10 - Wilt, Ronald; 5 - Dillow, John; 7 - Boyd, Larry; 2 - Lucas, Anthony

**Owners:** 3 - Diamond Oak Stable; 6 -Analia R. Larrosa; 1 -Theresa R. Ho; 8 - Shotwell Farm; 4 -Luis F. Mendez; 9 -Brian K. Gordon; 10 -Battulga Gur; 5 - O'Sullivan Farms LLC; 7 -Larry H. Boyd; 2 - Clear Eyes Full Hearts;

**Footnotes**

SMILING THISTLE broke outward, rated a short lead off the rail, saved ground into the turn, was pressured past the quarter pole and drew off under steady stretch encouragement. ARGENTINA COWBOYS came out making contact with Mr. G. H. Tinkle at the start, gave chase about the five path through the backstretch, saved ground into the turn, had his heels clipped at that point and dueled for place in the upper stretch while no match for the winner. FORWARD THINKING chased the pace inside, was checked at the winner's heels into the turn, resumed his drive at the rail but leveled out through the stretch. ARE YOU HAPPY TOO was bumped inward and into Mr. B. H. Tinkle leaving the gate, gave distant chase outside, rounded the turn in the seven path and finished evenly. GARDEN TAVERN came away a step slow, gave chase from well back toward mid track then checked to avoid the mishap nearing the quarter pole. MIDNIGHT BOP bobbed breaking inward, stayed with the pace two deep down the backstretch, dropped back while continuing to give chase through the turn, weakened from the head of the lane then bumped late by Leaderofthevalley. TSENGELIIN MANLAI gave chase toward mid track then steadied to avoid the mishap near the quarter pole. PHUN KOW ZAH chased the leaders while off the rail then checked while angling outward near the quarter pole. MR. B. H. TINKLE was bumped and pinched back at the start. LEADEROF THEVALLEY chased the pace off the rail, was shut off checking, clipped the heels of Argentina Cowboys and lost his rider at the quarter pole. The stewards posted the inquiry to review the incident at the quarter pole then made no change.

