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DELTA DOWNS - October 25, 2013 - Race 11

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000. **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Heitai - 56.69 - February 1, 2014)

Purse: \$17,000

Includes: \$12,200 Other Sources

Plus: \$8,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$25,000

Value of Race: \$25,000 1st \$15,000, 2nd \$5,000, 3rd \$2,750, 4th \$1,500, 5th \$750

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 10:47 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7Sep13 ⁵ EVD ⁵	9	My Pal Pidgeon (Melancon, Gerard)	117	L	7	1	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2.60	vied 2w, drew off,
29Aug13 ⁵ EVD ³	3	Zactly (Hernandez, Colby)	117	L	bf	3	5	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ¹	8.40	vied inside, weakened
14Sep13 ⁸ LAD ⁶	4	Dorcheat Venture (Simington, Donald)	117	L	4	2	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	1.20*	settled 4w, gaining
29Aug13 ⁵ EVD ²	7	Roy's Fast Ford (Rosier, Chris)	118	L	6	6	3 ¹	3 ²	3 ¹	4 ^{3/2}	5.80	vied 3w, gave way,
---	5	Pleasure Speaking (Smith, Kevin)	117	L	bf	5	3	5 ^{Head}	4 ¹	5 ^{2/2}	36.80	4w turn, no menace
---	1	Gunther (Patin, Jr., Joseph)	117	L	1	7	8	8	8	6 ^{3/4}	15.70	unhurried early,
12Oct13 ³ DED ⁶	12	Dead Man Walk (Meche, Donnie)	119	L	b	8	4	6 ¹	7 ⁶	7 ^{Head}	26.20	3w, used up, gave way
---	2	Strike for Gold (Bonnet, Chester)	120	L	b	2	8	7 ⁵	6 ^{Head}	7 ²	7.50	broke slowly,

Fractional Times: 22.75 46.96

Final Time: 1:00.28

Split Times: (24:21) (13:32)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: My Pal Pidgeon, Bay Gelding, by My Pal Charlie out of Passionate Pidgeon, by Flying Pidgeon. Foaled Apr 05, 2011 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Carrol Castille.

Winning Owner: Whispering Oaks Farm LLC

Claiming Prices: 9 - My Pal Pidgeon: \$20,000; 3 - Zactly: \$20,000; 4 - Dorcheat Venture: \$20,000; 7 - Roy's Fast Ford: \$20,000; 5 - Pleasure Speaking: \$20,000; 1 - Gunther: \$20,000; 12 - Dead Man Walk: \$20,000; 2 - Strike for Gold: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Contrarian Bet (Trainer), Ol' Bob (Also-Eligible), Smooth Vow (Veterinarian), Star So Far (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$32,014

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	My Pal Pidgeon	7.20	3.60	2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	9-3	72.80	22,987
3	Zactly		8.20	3.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	9-3-4	168.40	17,679
4	Dorcheat Venture			2.60	\$2.00 Superfecta	9-3-4-7	552.00	13,332
					\$2.00 Daily Double	9-9	91.00	9,238
					\$2.00 Pick 3	9-9-9 (3 correct)	314.80	9,123
					\$2.00 Pick 4	4-9-9-9 (4 correct)	5,760.60	21,130
					\$2.00 Pick 5	4-4-9-9-9 (4 correct)	1,531.20	9,190

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
9	My Pal Pidgeon	1	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}
3	Zactly	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}
4	Dorcheat Venture	2	4 ^{1/4}	5 ^{4/2}	4 ²	3 ^{2/2}
7	Roy's Fast Ford	6	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	4 ^{3/2}
5	Pleasure Speaking	3	5 ^{1/4}	4 ^{3/2}	5 ^{3/2}	5 ⁷
1	Gunther	7	8 ^{7/2}	8 ¹²	8 ^{8/2}	6 ^{8/3/4}
12	Dead Man Walk	4	6 ^{1/2}	7 ⁶	6 ⁶	7 ¹²
2	Strike for Gold	8	7 ^{2/2}	6 ⁶	7 ^{6/2}	8 ¹²

Trainers: 9 - Flint, Steven; 3 - LeBlanc, Melvin; 4 - Cart, Jerry; 7 - Bernis, Kenward; 5 - Hebert, Doris; 1 - Woodley, Carl; 12 - Laborde, Amos; 2 - Gelner, Scott

Owners: 9 - Whispering Oaks Farm LLC; 3 - Napoleon Noel; 4 - Ed Blakey; 7 - Mike Dimore; 5 - Doris Hebert; 1 - Gallineau, Dwayne and Landry, III, Pierre V.; 12 - Amos Laborde; 2 - Gus King;

Footnotes

MY PAL PIDGEON vied for the lead while two wide, was in a long drive then drew off in late stretch to be best in the end. ZACTLY vied for the lead while inside, was in a long drive but weakened in late stretch. DORCHEAT VENTURE was allowed to settled then rallied on the turn while four wide, was gaining ground in late stretch but was no menace. ROY'S FAST FORD vied for the lead while three wide, was used up then gave way. PLEASURE SPEAKING raced four wide on the turn then failed to menace in the stretch. GUNTHER was unhurried early and no threat. DEAD MAN WALK raced three wide in the early going, was used up and gave way. STRIKE FOR GOLD broke slowly and was no factor.