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DELTA DOWNS - October 27, 2012 - Race 8

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$5,000 OR LESS IN 2011-2012

OR CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since September 27, 2012

Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000 (Claiming Races For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating Allowances). **Claiming**

Price: \$5,000

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

Purse: \$18,500

Includes: \$13,900 Other Sources

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

Available Money: \$26,500

Value of Race: \$25,780 1st \$15,900, 2nd \$5,300, 3rd \$2,915, 4th \$1,110, 5th \$555

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 9:12 **Start:** Good for all except 5

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Sep12 ⁴ EVD ²	11	Cupid's Hit (LeBlanc, Kirk)	117	L f	10	4	3 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ³	1 ⁷	1.20*	outside, ridden out
21Sep12 ² LAD ¹	8	Storm Half (Riquelme, Jose)	117	L bf	7	9	10	10	7 ¹ / ₂	2 ^{Neck}	4.80	6w 3/16, up place
4Sep12 ⁵ EVD ¹	2	Easy Jazz (Lozada, Carlos)	117	L b	2	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ / ₂	2 ² / ₁ / ₂	3 ¹ / ₄	3.90	vied inside, caught 2nd
5Sep12 ⁴ EVD ³	4	Drifting Wind (Melancon, Gerard)	120	L bf	4	6	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	4 ¹ / ₂	4 ¹ / ₂	10.90	moved out, modest bid
5Sep12 ⁴ EVD ⁴	9	Goldzar (McMahon, C.J.)	120	L	8	3	4 ² / ₁ / ₂	4 ¹ / ₂	5 ¹ / ₂	5 ^{Neck}	9.30	lacked closing kick
28Jun12 ⁴ EVD ⁵	5	Tyme for Willard (Guerra, Rodolfo)	112 ⁵	L	5	10	8 ¹ / ₂	8 ¹ / ₂	6 ^{Head}	6 ¹	36.30	stumbled start, 5w 3/16
5Sep12 ⁹ EVD ³	1	Gut Check (Aguilar, Trey)	120	L f	1	7	9 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹	8 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹	15.50	inside, traffic 1/16
30Aug12 ⁹ EVD ⁶	6	Tide Rising (Menard, Brandon)	115 ⁵	L bf	6	5	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	9 ³	8 ^{Neck}	22.00	traffic, steadied 1/16
8Sep12 ⁹ EVD ⁴	3	Nun Like Me (Toups, Randall)	120	L b	3	1	2 ¹ / ₂	3 ²	3 ^{Head}	9 ²	27.80	vied off rail, gave way
24Aug12 ² EVD ⁴	10	Valid Stripes (Patin, Billy)	120	L	9	8	7 ²	7 ^{Head}	10	10	20.30	4w turn, tired

Fractional Times: 22.33 45.78

Final Time: 58.31

Split Times: (23:45) (12:53)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Cupid's Hit, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by High Cascade out of Justifiably So, by Roman Reasoning. Foaled Feb 14, 2007 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Michael Munna.

Winning Owner: H and H Ranch

1 Claimed Horse(s): Cupid's Hit

New Trainer: Billy B. Allen

New Owner: Wallace Dowden

Claiming Prices: 11 - Cupid's Hit: \$10,000; 9 - Goldzar: \$10,000; 5 - Tyme for Willard: \$10,000; 10 - Valid Stripes: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Sparkling Keat (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$26,357

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
11	Cupid's Hit	4.40	3.20	2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	11-8	21.80	20,145
8	Storm Half		4.20	2.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	11-8-2	81.80	14,243
2	Easy Jazz			2.80	\$2.00 Superfecta	11-8-2-4	336.00	8,836
					\$2.00 Pick 3	9-1-11 (3 correct)	389.20	3,374

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
11	Cupid's Hit	4	3 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ³	1 ⁷
8	Storm Half	9	10 ⁸ / ₃ / ₄	10 ⁶ / ₁ / ₄	7 ⁷ / ₃ / ₄	2 ⁷
2	Easy Jazz	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ / ₂	2 ³	3 ⁷ / ₁ / ₄
4	Drifting Wind	6	5 ⁴ / ₁ / ₂	5 ⁴ / ₁ / ₂	4 ⁵ / ₁ / ₂	4 ⁸ / ₁ / ₂
9	Goldzar	3	4 ²	4 ³	5 ⁷	5 ¹⁰
5	Tyme for Willard	10	8 ⁶ / ₃ / ₄	8 ⁴ / ₃ / ₄	6 ⁷ / ₁ / ₂	6 ¹⁰ / ₁ / ₄
1	Gut Check	7	9 ⁷ / ₁ / ₄	9 ⁵ / ₁ / ₄	8 ⁸ / ₁ / ₄	7 ¹¹ / ₁ / ₄
6	Tide Rising	5	6 ⁴ / ₃ / ₄	6 ⁴ / ₁ / ₂	9 ⁸ / ₃ / ₄	8 ¹² / ₁ / ₄
3	Nun Like Me	1	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ⁵ / ₁ / ₂	9 ¹² / ₁ / ₂
10	Valid Stripes	8	7 ⁴ / ₃ / ₄	7 ⁴ / ₃ / ₄	10 ¹¹ / ₃ / ₄	10 ¹⁴ / ₁ / ₂

Trainers: 11 - Faucheux, Ron; 8 - Williams, C.; 2 - Deville, Carl; 4 - Henry, Mike; 9 - Granger, Randy; 5 - Toups, Brent; 1 - Landry, Allen; 6 - Rockwell, Robert; 3 - Delahoussaye, Brent; 10 - Laborde, Amos

Owners: 11 - H and H Ranch; 8 -David Korkames; 2 - Pegasus Stables LLC (Joseph and Patsy Rink); 4 -Eric J. Henry; 9 -Kenny D. Desormeaux; 5 - Toups, Chad and Toups, Paul; 1 -Nathan Granger; 6 -Robert J. Rockwell; 3 - Delahoussaye, Brent and Miller, Marcus; 10 -Donald W. Erickson;

Footnotes

CUPID'S HIT close up out of the chute on the outside, vied three wide into the turn, disposed of the other speed late in the bend, drew off through the lane to win ridden out. STORM HALF void of speed in trailing for three furlongs, came six wide out of the turn, late run while widest for the place, no match for the winner. EASY JAZZ vied up front closest to the inside, chased the winner into the lane, caught late for the place while continuing inside. DRIFTING WIND off the pace along the inside, moved out a bit for room when straightened for home, modest bid. GOLDZAR within striking distance off the inside, lacked a closing kick. TYME FOR WILLARD stumbled badly at the start, raced back early as a result, came five wide out of the turn, finished up evenly. GUT CHECK lacked speed, saved ground, traffic midstretch, little late gain when clear. TIDE RISING raced in mid pack, steadied in tight quarters a sixteenth out. NUN LIKE ME vied up front off the inside, gave way in the turn. VALID STRIPES off the pace, four wide through the turn, tired.