

DELTA DOWNS - December 5, 2012 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

Claiming Price \$5,000. (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Heitai - 1:18.04 - November 1, 2013)

Purse: \$10,000

Includes: \$5,400 Other Sources

Plus: \$4,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$14,000

Value of Race: \$13,560 1st \$8,400, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,100, 4th \$840, 5th \$420

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Good

Off at: 6:13 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7Nov12 ¹⁰ DED ³	6	Riding the Gate (Patin, Jr., Joseph)	119	L b	6	3	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ³	1.70*	set pace, drew off
7Nov12 ⁴ DED ²	9	Blades of Fire (Menard, Brandon)	114 ⁵	L b	9	5	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 3/4}	3.80	chased, 2w, no match
7Nov12 ⁴ DED ⁵	8	Magic Wagon (Smith, Kevin)	122	L b	8	6	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	3 ^{2 1/2}	5.40	settle, 3w, no menace
3Nov12 ¹⁰ DED ⁷	2	Awayfromitall (Saenz, Diego)	119	L b	2	1	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	6.50	settled, 3w, no threat
3Nov12 ¹⁰ DED ⁴	3	Buliminella Gold (Puello, Nathaniel)	120	L	3	4	7 ^{1/2}	7 ²	7 ⁴	5 ^{Head}	27.30	settle inside, no bid
3Nov12 ¹⁰ DED ³	4	Magical Cascade (Patin, Billy)	120	L f	4	9	6 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	8.10	settle, evenly, no bid
3Nov12 ¹⁰ DED ⁵	1	Wildcat's Tune (LeBlanc, Kirk)	120	L	1	2	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	5 ¹	7 ^{9 1/2}	4.90	chased inside faltered
30Aug12 ⁴ EVD ¹⁰	7	Night Mask (Guerra, Rodolfo)	120	L bf	7	7	9	9	8 ⁵	8 ⁶	60.00	outrun
26Jul12 ⁸ RD ⁶	5	Four Star Player (Guynes, Donald)	124	f	5	8	8 ²	8 ^{Head}	9	9	89.70	outrun

Fractional Times: 23.92 48.05 1:13.51

Final Time: 1:20.28

Split Times: (24:13) (25:46) (6:77)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Riding the Gate, Chestnut Gelding, by Lydgate out of Shimmy's Prospect, by Excavate. Foaled Apr 09, 2009 in Louisiana.

Breeder: J. Weldon Granger. **Winning Owner:** Raymond S. Nealy

Claiming Prices: 6 - Riding the Gate: \$5,000; 9 - Blades of Fire: \$5,000; 8 - Magic Wagon: \$5,000; 2 - Awayfromitall: \$5,000; 3 - Buliminella Gold: \$5,000; 4 - Magical Cascade: \$5,000; 1 - Wildcat's Tune: \$5,000; 7 - Night Mask: \$5,000; 5 - Four Star Player: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Bon Ton Roulet (Also-Eligible), Gallopin Gator (Also-Eligible), Sundownrocket (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$42,536

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Riding the Gate	5.40	3.20	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	6-9	21.80	39,251
9	Blades of Fire		4.20	2.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-9-8	79.60	31,670
8	Magic Wagon			3.80	\$2.00 Superfecta	6-9-8-2	315.60	25,781
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-6	15.80	11,313

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Riding the Gate	3	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ³
9	Blades of Fire	5	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ³
8	Magic Wagon	6	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{4 3/4}
2	Awayfromitall	1	4 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ⁴	4 ^{7 1/4}
3	Buliminella Gold	4	7 ⁵	7 ⁵	7 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{10 3/4}
4	Magical Cascade	9	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁴	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{10 3/4}
1	Wildcat's Tune	2	3 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{11 1/4}
7	Night Mask	7	9 ^{7 1/2}	9 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{10 1/2}	8 ^{20 3/4}
5	Four Star Player	8	8 ^{5 1/2}	8 ⁷	9 ^{15 1/2}	9 ^{26 3/4}

Trainers: 6 - Bourgeois, Keith; 9 - Bernis, Kenward; 8 - Dixon, Tim; 2 - Averett, Ronnie; 3 - Vance, Terry; 4 - Begnaud, Charles; 1 - Thomas, Lee; 7 - DeRousselle, Peter; 5 - Griffiths, Lenny

Owners: 6 -Raymond S. Nealy; 9 -George A. Farber, Sr.; 8 -Bobby Lynn Lentz; 2 -Gerald L. Averett, Jr.; 3 -Stafford Champagne; 4 -John Arceneaux; 1 - Elite Thoroughbred Racing, LLC and Lanasa, Richard; 7 -Carroll Boudreaux; 5 -Lenny Griffiths;

Footnotes

RIDING THE GATE set the early pace while being well handled, drew off on the far turn and led throughout. BLADES OF FIRE chased the early pace while two wide on the far turn then made a bid but was no match for the winner. MAGIC WAGON was allowed to settle in the early going then raced three wide on the far turn, was gaining some ground but was no menace. AWAYFROMITALL was allowed to settle while racing three wide on the backstretch then failed to threaten in the stretch. BULIMINELLA GOLD was allowed to settle then raced on the inside on the far turn then was no menace in the stretch. MAGICAL CASCADE was allowed to settle while inside on the inside on the backstretch, raced evenly in the stretch. WILDCAT'S TUNE chased the pace while racing on the inside, saved ground on the far turn then faltered in the stretch. NIGHT MASK was outrun. FOUR STAR PLAYER was outrun.