

DELAWARE PARK - May 20, 2009 - Race 9

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO 50% Other Sources) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR CLAIMING PRICE \$17,500. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since March 20 2009 Allowed 4 lbs. (NW1 X) **Claiming Price:** \$17,500
Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Pisgah - 1:07.92 - April 25, 2006)

Purse: \$39,000

Plus: \$700 Starters Bonus

Plus: \$1,072 Other Sources

Available Money: \$40,772

Value of Race: \$40,772 1st \$23,400, 2nd \$7,800, 3rd \$5,362, 4th \$2,340, 5th \$1,170, 6th \$350, 7th \$350

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:05 **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 |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-------------------------------------|-----|------|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|--------------------|
| 2May09 ⁶ DEL ⁵ | 5 | Political Nonsense (Potts, Clinton) | 119 | LA | 4 | 3 | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 1 ² | 1 ² | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 9.70 | fast pace, lasted |
| 18Apr09 ⁸ CT ⁹ | 2 | Gallatin Forest (Cohen, David) | 118 | LA b | 1 | 7 | 3 ^{Head} | 2 ² 1/2 | 2 ³ | 2 ¹ 1/4 | 5.60 | angled o,slow gain |
| 13Mar09 ⁹ FG ¹ | 7 | Smiley Pete (Saez, Gabriel) | 115 | LA | 7 | 4 | 4 ¹ 1/2 | 4 ¹ 1/2 | 3 ² | 3 ² 1/2 | 1.80* | mid m, slow gain |
| 2May09 ⁶ DEL ² | 6 | Cudjo (Rose, Jeremy) | 123 | LA f | 5 | 5 | 7 | 6 ¹ 1/2 | 4 ¹ | 4 ⁴ 1/4 | 2.00 | mid m, mild rally |
| 15Jun08 ² DEL ² | 1A | Messiah (Napravnik, Rosie) | 114 | LA f | 6 | 6 | 6 ² 1/2 | 7 | 6 ⁵ | 5 ² 3/4 | 5.10 | failed to menace |
| 16Jan09 ⁸ OP ⁹ | 3 | Malibu Maverick (Shepherd, Justin) | 116 | LA | 2 | 2 | 5 ² | 5 ¹ | 5 ¹ 1/2 | 6 ⁹ 3/4 | 17.00 | showed little |
| 16Aug08 ⁶ DEL ⁷ | 4 | Warrior of Dubai (Caraballo, Jose) | 119 | LA | 3 | 1 | 2 ¹ 1/2 | 3 ^{Head} | 7 | 7 | 14.30 | through after half |

Fractional Times: 22.02 44.77 57.44

Final Time: 1:10.98

Split Times: (22:75) (12:67) (13:54)

Run-Up: 56 feet

Winner: Political Nonsense, Bay Colt, by Deputy Minister out of Antics, by Unbridled. Foaled Apr 13, 2005 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Alexander-Groves Thoroughbreds. **Winning Owner:** Lael Stables

Scratched Horse(s): Chapel of Love (Veterinarian), Wadi Suki (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$92,506

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|--------------------|-------|-------|------|---------------------|--------------------|--------|--------|
| 5 | Political Nonsense | 21.40 | 7.40 | 5.60 | \$2.00 Exacta | 5-2 | 111.40 | 65,303 |
| 2 | Gallatin Forest | | 5.80 | 3.60 | \$2.00 Trifecta | 5-2-7 | 482.20 | 54,060 |
| 7 | Smiley Pete | | | 3.80 | \$1.00 Superfecta | 5-2-7-6 | 756.60 | 25,340 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Daily Double | 10-5 | 51.60 | 6,343 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Pick 3 | 9-10-5 (3 correct) | 101.80 | 10,350 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin |
|-----|--------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 5 | Political Nonsense | 3 | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 1 ² | 1 ² | 1 ¹ 1/2 |
| 2 | Gallatin Forest | 7 | 3 ² | 2 ² | 2 ² | 2 ¹ 1/2 |
| 7 | Smiley Pete | 4 | 4 ² | 4 ⁴ 1/2 | 3 ⁵ | 3 ¹ 3/4 |
| 6 | Cudjo | 5 | 7 ⁷ | 6 ⁶ | 4 ⁷ | 4 ⁴ 1/4 |
| 1A | Messiah | 6 | 6 ⁴ 1/2 | 7 ⁶ 1/2 | 6 ⁹ 1/2 | 5 ⁸ 1/2 |
| 3 | Malibu Maverick | 2 | 5 ² 1/2 | 5 ⁵ | 5 ⁸ | 6 ¹¹ 1/4 |
| 4 | Warrior of Dubai | 1 | 2 ¹ 1/2 | 3 ⁴ 1/2 | 7 ¹⁴ 1/2 | 7 ²¹ |

Trainers: 5 - Matz, Michael; 2 - Autrey, Cody; 7 - Jones, J.; 6 - Shuman, Mark; 1A - Klesaris, Steve; 3 - Werner, Ronny; 4 - Ritchey, Timothy

Owners: 5 - Lael Stables; 2 - Heflin and Driver Racing, GP; 7 - Fox Hill Farms, Inc.; 6 - Circle Z Stable, Masone, Joseph and Petrillo, Albert; 1a- Puglisi Racing, LLC; 3 - Kuehl, John and David, Hogan, Dennis P. and Richland Hills, Inc.; 4 - CJZ Racing Stable and Ritchey, Timothy F.;

Footnotes

POLITICAL NONSENSE broke sharp, set a very fast pace for a half, drew off a bit leaving the turn then lasted late under strong handling. GALLATIN FOREST angled outside in the turn then was slowly gaining outside the winner late. SMILEY PETE made a three wide middle move then was slowly gaining outside late. CUDJO made a middle move then lodged a mild rally late. MESSIAH failed to menace. MALIBU MAVERICK showed little. WARRIOR OF DUBAI was through after a half.

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