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DELAWARE PARK - June 27, 2009 - Race 5

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 50% Other Sources) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000, For Each \$5,000 To \$40,000 3 lbs. (Rail at 25 feet). **Claiming Price:** \$50,000 - \$40,000

About One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Turf **Track Record:** (Tactical Weapon - 1:40.08 - July 13, 2009)

Purse: \$28,000

Plus: \$1,400 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$29,400

Value of Race: \$29,400 1st \$16,800, 2nd \$5,600, 3rd \$3,080, 4th \$1,680, 5th \$840, 6th \$350, 7th \$350, 8th \$350, 9th \$350

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 3:02 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Jun09 ⁵ BEL ²	2	Spartan King (Napravnik, Rosie)	118 LA	2	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²	0.80*	shook clr, held sway
16May09 ³ PIM ⁶	4	Mythical Hero (Castellano, Jr., Abel)	118 L	4	1	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	13.40	pressd,wknd,bestd rest
---	7	Avenging (Caraballo, Jose)	119 LA	7	9	9	8 ^{1/2}	8 ¹⁰	5 ^{Head}	3 ¹	13.40	belated rally
2Jun09 ⁶ DEL ⁴	3	Today's Man (Rosendo, Irwin)	118 LA b	3	7	4 ^{1/2}	5 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{Nose}	9.00	lacked late response
5Jun09 ¹¹ CD ⁸	5	Orogenic (Cohen, David)	118 LA b	5	8	6 ¹	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	11.60	evenly
27May09 ¹ DEL ³	1	Irish Blarney (Potts, Clinton)	118 LA	1	5	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	7.50	chased, faded
2Jun09 ⁶ DEL ³	9	Supreme Day (Rocco, Jr., Joseph)	118 LA	8	3	7 ¹	7 ²	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{6 1/4}	24.00	no factor
9Jun09 ⁴ DEL ³	6	Steel Drums (Rocco, Joseph)	118 L	6	6	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	8 ¹⁰	8 ^{10 1/4}	4.60	chased uncovered,faded
---	11	No Colleen (Shepherd, Dusty)	112 ⁷ LA b	9	4	8 ¹	9	9	9	9	43.00	showed little

Fractional Times: 25.65 50.69 1:15.47 1:40.59 **Final Time:** 1:44.27

Split Times: (25:04) (24:78) (25:12) (3:68)

Run-Up: 72 feet **Temporary Rail:** 25 feet

Winner: Spartan King, Gray or Roan Colt, by El Prado (IRE) out of Willa On the Move, by Two Punch. Foaled Apr 17, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Marathon Farms, Inc.. **Winning Owner:** Marathon Farms, Inc.

Claiming Prices: 2 - Spartan King: \$50,000; 4 - Mythical Hero: \$40,000; 7 - Avenging: \$50,000; 3 - Today's Man: \$50,000; 5 - Orogenic: \$50,000; 1 - Irish Blarney: \$50,000; 9 - Supreme Day: \$50,000; 6 - Steel Drums: \$50,000; 11 - No Colleen: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Beatrippi (Re-entered), Ten Six (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$56,987

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Spartan King	3.60	2.80	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	2-4	44.80	53,380
4	Mythical Hero		8.40	4.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-4-7	323.20	34,867
7	Avenging			7.00	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-2	10.80	3,291
					\$2.00 Pick 3	1-2-2 (3 correct)	72.60	2,663
					\$1.00 Superfecta	2-4-7-3	1,081.60	16,024

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Spartan King	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²
4	Mythical Hero	1	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²
7	Avenging	9	9 ⁶	8 ^{5 3/4}	8 ⁴	5 ⁶	3 ⁴
3	Today's Man	7	4 ²	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{1 3/4}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁵
5	Orogenic	8	6 ³	6 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{3 1/4}	6 ⁶	5 ⁵
1	Irish Blarney	5	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}	3 ³	6 ^{5 1/4}
9	Supreme Day	3	7 ⁴	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ^{3 1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{9 3/4}
6	Steel Drums	6	5 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	8 ¹¹	8 ¹⁶
11	No Colleen	4	8 ⁵	9 ^{6 1/4}	9 ¹⁴	9 ²¹	9 ^{26 1/4}

Trainers: 2 - Trombetta, Michael; 4 - White, Alexandra; 7 - Voss, Thomas; 3 - Vazquez, Juan; 5 - Werner, Ronny; 1 - Motion, H.; 9 - Stidham, Michael; 6 - Contessa, Gary; 11 - De Ridder, Karel

Owners: 2 - Marathon Farms, Inc.; 4 - Alexandra S. White; 7 - Trillium Stable; 3 - Florence Patitucci; 5 - Oxbow Racing LLC; 1 - Jerry Crawford; 9 - W. Temple Webber, Jr.; 6 - Cassidy, David B., Bilinski, Darlene and Contessa, Jennifer; 11 - Hal C.B. Clagett;

Footnotes

SPARTAN KING broke well, set a moderate pace under good handling, shook clear after six furlongs then held sway under brisk handling. MYTHICAL HERO pressed the pace for six furlongs, slowly weakened in the drive but bested the rest. AVENGING was void of early speed then lodged a mild belated bid. TODAY'S MAN raced boxed through the second turn then lacked a strong late response. OROGENIC raced evenly. IRISH BLARNEY chased inside then faded. SUPREME DAY was no factor. STEEL DRUMS chased uncovered for six furlongs then faded. NO COLLEEN showed little.