

DELAWARE PARK - July 21, 1999 - Race 6

OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER. Three Year Olds 115 lbs.; Older 122 lbs. Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since May 21 allowed, 2 lbs. One such race since then, 4 lbs. CLAIMING PRICE \$32,000, for each \$2,000 to \$28,000 2 lbs. (Claiming races for \$25,000 or less not considered). (NW3 X) **Claiming Price:** \$32,000 - \$28,000

One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Afleet Willy - 1:38.58 - September 30, 2017)

Purse: \$35,000

Plus: \$600 Other Sources

Available Money: \$35,600

Value of Race: \$35,600 1st \$21,000, 2nd \$7,000, 3rd \$3,850, 4th \$2,100, 5th \$1,050, 6th \$300, 7th \$300

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:03 **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
15Jun99 ⁴ DEL ¹	5	Fergie's Witch (Rosado, Roberto)	118	L bf	5	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	10.30	kept to task
1Jul99 ⁵ MTH ²	3	Distant Hope (McCarthy, Michael)	118	L f	3	3	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1.60*	needed more
28Jun99 ⁶ DEL ⁴	2	Real Merry (Rocco, Joseph)	114	L bf	2	5	6 ¹	7	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹⁰	3 ^{Neck}	5.20	waited far turn,closed
10Jul99 ³ DEL ¹	6	Cailoto (Colton, Robert)	120	L	6	7	7	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ³	1.90	mild rally
28Jun99 ⁶ DEL ³	1	Snar Bunny (Unsihuay, Arnaldo)	118	L bf	1	1	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	5 ¹⁰	9.20	rail, weakened
27Jun99 ⁵ DEL ¹	7	Sunny Strike (Flores, Jose)	122	L bf	7	6	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	7	7	6 ^{1 3/4}	7.90	early factor, tired
22May99 ³ DEL ³	4	Lavonda's Music (Dominguez, Ramon)	114	L b	4	4	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	7	25.30	prompted pace, tired

Fractional Times: 23.68 46.74 1:12.35 1:38.47 **Final Time:** 1:42.67

Split Times: (23:06) (25:61) (26:12) (4:20)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Fergie's Witch, Bay Filly, by Prospector's Music out of Five Red Stars, by Five Star Flight. Foaled Apr 24, 1995 in Maryland.

Breeder: Steve Ferguson.

Winning Owner: John A. Powell

1 Claimed Horse(s): Fergie's Witch New Trainer: Gerald S. Bennett New Owner: Susan M. Hammer

Claiming Prices: 5 - Fergie's Witch: \$32,000; 2 - Real Merry: \$28,000; 6 - Cailoto: \$32,000; 4 - Lavonda's Music: \$28,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$65,706

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Fergie's Witch	22.60	10.20	6.00	\$2.00 Exacta	5-3	92.20	60,755
3	Distant Hope		3.40	2.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	5-3-2	677.20	42,443
2	Real Merry			3.60	\$2.00 Daily Double	5-5	53.00	9,554

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Fergie's Witch	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}
3	Distant Hope	3	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}
2	Real Merry	5	6 ⁴	7 ^{4 1/4}	6 ⁴	5 ^{5 1/2}	3 ³
6	Cailoto	7	7 ⁵	6 ^{4 1/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁵	4 ^{3 1/4}
1	Snar Bunny	1	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ²	4 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/4}
7	Sunny Strike	6	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{15 3/4}	6 ^{16 1/4}
4	Lavonda's Music	4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	4 ³	6 ^{15 1/2}	7 ¹⁸

Trainers: 5 - Servis, John; 3 - Klesaris, Steve; 2 - Serey, Juan; 6 - Ritchey, Timothy; 1 - Griffin, Jacqueline; 7 - Smylie, Jon; 4 - Sanders, Harland

Owners: 5 - John A. Powell; 3 - Cohen, Philip and Marcia and Klesaris, Steve; 2 - John Rotella; 6 - Circled Horse Racing Stable II, Inc.; 1 - Linwood Stables; 7 - Wind N Leaves Farm, Inc.; 4 - Stanley Stables;

Footnotes

FERGIE'S WITCH, away alertly, saved ground setting the pace and was kept to her task. DISTANT HOPE, well placed close up, lacked a sufficient rally under strong handling. REAL MERRY awaited inside room briefly on the far turn then responded well in the drive. CAILOTO, never far back, rallied mildly. SNAR BUNNY, well placed inside, weakened under pressure. SUNNY STRIKE, an early factor, tired. LAVONDA'S MUSIC prompted the pace to the final turn and tired.