

EMERALD DOWNS - August 25, 2013 - Race 2

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed 3 lbs. **Claiming Price:** \$10,000 - \$8,000

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Kaabraaj - 1:06.86 - April 23, 2016)

Purse: \$7,875

Includes: \$1,969 MITEC - Muckleshoot Tribal Contribution

Plus: \$125 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$8,000

Value of Race: \$8,000 1st \$4,331, 2nd \$1,575, 3rd \$1,181, 4th \$591, 5th \$197, 6th \$125

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:29 **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
28Jul13 ³ EMD ³	5	Big Question (Gutierrez, Juan)	118	BL	5	1	4 ¹	3 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3/4}	5.10	bid3/16,met bid 1/8
4Aug13 ¹ EMD ²	6	Graytful Harbor (Camacho-Flores, Leonel)	118	BL	6	2	5 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ⁴ 1/4	1.30*	5w-turn, bid 1/8
---	3	Brave Spark (Matias, Javier)	118	BL	3	4	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{1/2}	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{3/4}	5.50	pressed3w, gave way
4Aug13 ¹ EMD ⁴	2	Mr. Leroy (Lopez, David)	118	BL	bf	2	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	7.10	pressured pace,gateway
28Jul13 ² EMD ³	1	Stretch Home (Kubinova, Eliska)	118	BL	f	1	5	3 ^{1/2}	5 ² 1/2	5 ³	3.20	checked repeatedly
28Jul13 ³ EMD ⁴	4	Just Like Uptown (Enriquez, Isaias)	118	BL	bf	4	6	6	6	6	10.40	off slow,bobbled,laggd

Fractional Times: 22.39 45.54 58.03

Final Time: 1:10.81

Split Times: (23:15) (12:49) (12:78)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Big Question, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Purge out of Unquestionable, by Rhythm. Foaled Mar 26, 2010 in Washington.

Breeder: Henry Leong. **Winning Owner:** Leong, Henry and Lew, Daniel

Claiming Prices: 5 - Big Question: \$8,000; 6 - Graytful Harbor: \$10,000; 3 - Brave Spark: \$10,000; 2 - Mr. Leroy: \$10,000; 1 - Stretch Home: \$10,000; 4 - Just Like Uptown: \$8,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$18,521

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Big Question	12.20	3.80	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	5-6	11.80	8,094
6	Graytful Harbor		3.00	2.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-6-3	45.00	7,229
3	Brave Spark			3.00	\$1.00 Superfecta	5-6-3-2	136.60	2,766
					\$2.00 Daily Double	2-5	25.00	1,427

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Big Question	1	4 ² 1/2	3 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3/4}
6	Graytful Harbor	2	5 ³ 1/2	4 ²	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{3/4}
3	Brave Spark	4	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{1/2}	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁵
2	Mr. Leroy	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁵ 3/4
1	Stretch Home	5	3 ²	5 ² 1/2	5 ³	5 ⁶ 1/2
4	Just Like Uptown	6	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁵	6 ⁶	6 ¹⁰ 1/4

Trainers: 5 - Stenslie, Chris; 6 - Pimentel, Martin; 3 - Puhich, Michael; 2 - Lawrence, Robert; 1 - Penney, Jim; 4 - Ross, Larry

Owners: 5 - Leong, Henry and Lew, Daniel; 6 - Award Thoroughbreds; 3 - Mark DeDomenico LLC; 2 -Lynn Hebdon; 1 - Homestretch Farms, Inc.; 4 - K and W Stable;

Footnotes

BIG QUESTION was away alertly to stalk the leaders from the outside, moved up to take command nearing the three-sixteenths pole, responded when challenged by GRAYFUL HARBOR with a furlong to run and gamely held that rival at bay to the wire. GRAYFUL HARBOR raced off the pacesetters early, moved far wide through the turn, reached the winner nearing the furlong marker but could not get by that foe in the drive. BRAVE SPARK pressed the pace from the outside throughout and gradually gave way. MR. LEROY set a pressured pace from the inside and gave way to the winner after going a half. STRETCH HOME chased the leaders from the inside, appeared hard to rate, checked repeatedly through the back-stretch, lacked racing room in mid-stretch, checked and angled outside and finished willingly. JUST LIKE UPTOWN was off slow and bobbled and lagged throughout.