

FORT ERIE - May 10, 2010 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred



FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 116 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners of a race since April 10 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since March 10 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000, if for \$9,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races where entered for \$7,500 or less not considered in allowances) (Colts and Geldings Preferred)(Limited To 10 Starters). **Claiming Price: \$10,000 - \$9,000**
Two Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Leisure Road - 21.20 - September 5, 1998)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise**Purse:** \$15,600**Includes:** \$2,600 State Bred**Available Money:** \$15,600**Value of Race:** \$13,780 (US\$13,201) 1st \$7,800 (US\$7,472) , 2nd \$3,120 (US\$2,989) , 3rd \$1,560 (US\$1,494) , 4th \$650 (US\$623) , 5th \$390 (US\$374) , 6th \$260 (US\$249)**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 2:07 **Start:** Good for all[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
2May10 ⁷ FE ²	6	Texas Blitz (Mercieca, Marty)	118	L b	6	3	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{3/4}	0.70*	otstd, finished well
4Oct09 ⁶ FE ²	4	Sizzle Sizzle (Carignan, Krista)	115	L f	4	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/4	6.75	led, outfinished
2Apr10 ⁹ WO ⁵	2	Chemistry Flash (Dacosta, Roderick)	115	L bf	2	6	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{3/4}	3.95	off pace, good effort
4Apr10 ⁵ LA ⁵	5	Graceful Dude (Pinto, Melanie)	116	L bf	5	4	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	3.65	needed more
1May10 ⁸ FE ³	3	Burge Holiday Hunt (Sealock, Regina)	116	L bf	3	1	5 ¹	5 ² 1/4	33.20	no response
27Oct09 ⁶ FE ¹⁰	1	Its Along Story (Stephen, Anthony)	118	L	1	5	6	6	17.65	no threat

Final Time: 22.07**Run-Up:** 10 feet**Winner:** Texas Blitz, Bay Gelding, by Texas Glitter out of I Love to Laugh, by Lost Code. Foaled Apr 27, 2005 in Florida.**Breeder:** Patricia Pasteur. **Winning Owner:** Steve Organ**Claiming Prices:** 6 - Texas Blitz: \$10,000; 4 - Sizzle Sizzle: \$10,000; 2 - Chemistry Flash: \$10,000; 5 - Graceful Dude: \$9,000; 3 - Burge Holiday Hunt: \$9,000; 1 - Its Along Story: \$10,000;**Total WPS Pool:** \$20,750

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Texas Blitz	3.40	2.80	2.40	\$2.00 Exactor	6-4	20.00	18,465
4	Sizzle Sizzle		4.20	3.80	\$2.00 Triactor	6-4-2	40.30	17,603
2	Chemistry Flash			2.90	\$2.00 Daily Double	4-6	20.50	7,642

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	Str	Fin
6	Texas Blitz	3	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}
4	Sizzle Sizzle	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}
2	Chemistry Flash	6	4 ²	3 ²
5	Graceful Dude	4	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ² 3/4
3	Burge Holiday Hunt	1	5 ³ 1/2	5 ³ 3/4
1	Its Along Story	5	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁶

Trainers: 6 - Simms, John; 4 - Jolin, Chris; 2 - Armata, Ross; 5 - Wills, Daniel; 3 - Quaranta, John; 1 - Keen, Howard**Owners:** 6 -Steve Organ; 4 - Acorn, Danny J. and Ouellette, Leah Ann; 2 - S. A. Racing Stable, Inc.; 5 -Edward R. Freeman; 3 - Elevage Quebec Thoroughbreds; 1 -Howard Keen;**Footnotes**

TEXAS BLITZ was just off the leader to his outside and finished well in the run to the wire. SIZZLE SIZZLE broke best, had the lead at the eighth pole and was outfinished. CHEMISTRY FLASH was off the pace and had a mild gain in a good effort. GRACEFUL DUDE was in touch and finished evenly through the stretch. BURGE HOLIDAY HUNT was off the pace, angled out through the stretch and had no response. ITS ALONG STORY trailed, showed little and was no threat.