

**FORT ERIE - October 18, 2005 - Race 6**

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

For Fillies and Mares, Three-Year-Olds and Upward. Non-Winners of Three Races. Three-Year-Olds 116 lbs. Older 122 lbs. Non-winners of two races other than claiming since September 18 allowed 2 lbs. Of such a race since September 18, 4lbs. Plus up to \$3,000 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeder Awards. (NW3 L)

Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Divine Music - 1:15.22 - May 31, 2011)

**All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise**

**Purse:** \$21,500

**Plus:** \$5,000 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$26,500

**Value of Race:** \$21,500 (US\$18,234) 1st \$12,900 (US\$10,940) , 2nd \$4,300 (US\$3,647) , 3rd \$2,150 (US\$1,823) , 4th \$1,075 (US\$912) , 5th \$645 (US\$547) , 6th \$430 (US\$365)

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 3:22 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Sep05 <sup>7</sup> FE <sup>9</sup>	6	Showbird (Poznansky, Neil)	118	L	6	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	1.15*	pressed, cleared
22Sep05 <sup>7</sup> WO <sup>8</sup>	3	Firebaby (Lauzon, Jack)	116	L	3	6	5 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	2.35	bid 3w best of rest
17Aug05 <sup>2</sup> WO <sup>9</sup>	2	Champagne Cocktail (Clark, Cory)	118	L b	2	5	4 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	4.60	tracked, needed kick
3Oct05 <sup>7</sup> FE <sup>2</sup>	1	Strike the Harp (David, Daniel)	120	L b	1	2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6.55	svd grd backed away
11Sep05 <sup>2</sup> FE <sup>2</sup>	5	Miss Floriello (Polkey, Melissa)	116	L b	5	4	6	6	6	5 <sup>6 3/4</sup>	16.85	passed tired one
1Oct05 <sup>4</sup> FE <sup>1</sup>	4	Execuqueen (Harding, Tyrone)	118	L b	4	3	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	6	12.05	vied, faded

**Fractional Times:** 23.25 46.60 1:11.99

**Final Time:** 1:18.83

**Split Times:** (23:35) (25:39) (6:84)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Showbird, Bay Filly, by Siphon (BRZ) out of Hero's Love, by Hero's Honor. Foaled Jan 26, 2001 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Adena Springs. **Winning Owner:** Stronach Stables

**Total WPS Pool:** \$28,361

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Showbird	4.30	3.30	2.50	\$2.00 Exactor	6-3	10.00	19,359
3	Firebaby		2.90	2.60	\$2.00 Triactor	6-3-2	32.00	18,729
2	Champagne Cocktail			2.40				

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Showbird	1	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>2 1/4</sup>
3	Firebaby	6	5 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/4</sup>
2	Champagne Cocktail	5	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>7</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup>
1	Strike the Harp	2	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>9</sup>	4 <sup>7 1/4</sup>
5	Miss Floriello	4	6 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>13</sup>	5 <sup>8 3/4</sup>
4	Execuqueen	3	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>12</sup>	6 <sup>15 1/2</sup>

**Trainers:** 6 - Gonzalez, Nicholas; 3 - Mattine, Michael; 2 - Gonzalez, Nicholas; 1 - Rideout, Shawn; 5 - Bowles, Norman; 4 - Wilkinson, Winston

**Owners:** 6 - Stronach Stables; 3 -Theodore F. Burnett; 2 - Farish, Jr., William S. and Casse, Mark; 1 -Glen Delaat; 5 - Harlequin Ranches; 4 -Winston Wilkinson;

**Footnotes**

SHOWBIRD pressed the early pace from the outside, took a slim lead on the turn then widened and was clear to the wire. FIREBABY never far back in the early going, gained and bid 3-wide turning for home and came on best the rest. CHAMPAGNE COCKTAIL tracked the speed duel, kept contact and had a mild 5-path try. STRIKE THE HARP saved ground and was up close early then backed away. MISS FLORIELO passed a tired one and had no impact. EXECUQUEEN vied inside the winner into the turn, kept close for a half then was no match and faded.

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