FORT ERIE - October 24, 2011 - Race 9
CLAIMING - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** $5,000 - $4,750
One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Myrtle Irene - 1:39.80 - August 26, 1994)
All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise
Purse: $10,680
Includes: $1,780 State Bred
Available Money: $10,680
Value of Race: $10,253 (US$10,179) 1st $6,408 (US$6,363) , 2nd $1,780 (US$1,767) , 3rd $1,068 (US$1,060) , 4th $552 (US$548) , 5th $267 (US$265) , 6th $89 (US$88) , 7th $89 (US$88)
Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)
Off at: 4:11 **Start:** Good for all except 7

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Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
10Oct11 ^{3}FE^{2}	6	Norte and Nice (Smith, Janine)	113	L b	6	3	3^{1}	3^{2}	3^{Head}	1^{1}	1^{Neck}	6.10	3-5 path, proved best
16Oct11 ^{10}FE^{3}	4	Mishmash (Cheyne, Brian)	118	L b	4	7	5^{3}	$4^{1/2}$	2^{Head}	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	2^{3}	2.40	3-path, good effort
10Oct11 ^{4}FE^{6}	3	Hardroad to Heaven (Husbands, Terry)	119	L bf	3	5	6^{Head}	6^{Head}	5^{1}	3^{1}	3^{2}	1.20*	4-6 p, leveled off
18Oct11 ^{3}FE^{2}	1	Paul Bunyan (Wilson, Bradley)	113	L b	1	4	4^{1}	5^{3}	6^{3}	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	$4^{5\ 1/4}$	7.60	svd grnd, fin evenly
10Oct11 ^{4}FE^{9}	2	Nordic Dancer (Griffith, Christopher)	120	L	2	2	$1^{1/2}$	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	6^{Head}	5^{Nose}	7.00	3-path, flattened out
10Oct11 ^{3}FE^{7}	5	Reason and Rhyme (Alderson, Jeffrey)	113	L bf	5	6	7	7	7	7	$6^{1\ 3/4}$	22.45	failed to fire
10Oct11 ^{3}FE^{6}	7	Highland Matt (Sealock, Regina)	116	L	7	1	2^{1}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	1^{1}	5^{2}	7	21.65	brk out, dropped back

Fractional Times: 23.54 47.60 1:13.87 1:40.33 **Final Time:** 1:44.72
Split Times: (24:06) (26:27) (26:46) (4:39)
Run-Up: 48 feet

Winner: Norte and Nice, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Peaks and Valleys out of Gato Del Norte, by Gato Del Sol. Foaled Apr 28, 2008 in ON.
Breeder: Martin Earle & Victoria Earle. **Winning Owner:** Earle, M., N., V. and J.

Claiming Prices: 6 - Norte and Nice: $4,750; 4 - Mishmash: $5,000; 3 - Hardroad to Heaven: $5,000; 1 - Paul Bunyan: $4,750; 2 - Nordic Dancer: $5,000; 5 - Reason and Rhyme: $4,750; 7 - Highland Matt: $5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Orocomo (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: $20,391

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Norte and Nice	14.20	5.50	2.50	$1.00 Pick 3	8-5-6 (3 correct)	285.10	1,082
4	Mishmash		5.30	3.00	$2.00 Triactor	6-4-3	128.40	15,289
3	Hardroad to Heaven			2.60	$2.00 Exactor	6-4	57.60	14,223
					$1.00 Superfecta	6-4-3-1	255.65	7,899

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Norte and Nice	3	$3^{1\ 1/2}$	3^{3}	3^{1}	1^{1}	1^{Neck}
4	Mishmash	7	$5^{3\ 1/2}$	4^{5}	2^{1}	2^{1}	2^{Neck}
3	Hardroad to Heaven	5	$6^{6\ 1/2}$	$6^{8\ 1/2}$	$5^{2\ 3/4}$	$3^{2\ 1/2}$	$3^{3\ 1/4}$
1	Paul Bunyan	4	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	$5^{5\ 1/2}$	$6^{3\ 3/4}$	$4^{3\ 1/2}$	$4^{5\ 1/4}$
2	Nordic Dancer	2	$1^{1/2}$	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$4^{1\ 1/4}$	6^{7}	$5^{10\ 1/2}$
5	Reason and Rhyme	6	$7^{6\ 1/2}$	$7^{8\ 1/2}$	$7^{6\ 3/4}$	7^{7}	$6^{10\ 1/2}$
7	Highland Matt	1	$2^{1/2}$	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	1^{1}	5^{5}	$7^{12\ 1/4}$

Trainers: 6 - Gonzalez, Nicholas; 4 - Davis, Jennifer; 3 - Woods, James; 1 - Chudobiak, Gary; 2 - Banach, Darwin; 5 - Keen, Howard; 7 - Parro, Sam

Owners: 6 - Earle, M., N., V. and J.; 4 -Dale Powell; 3 -Katie Woods; 1 -Gary Chudobiak; 2 -William A. Sorokolit, Sr.; 5 - Radcliffe Racing Stable; 7 -Sam Parro;

Footnotes
NORTE AND NICE stalked the leaders, was roused from the three path on the far turn, vied from the five path trough the stretch and proved best. MISHMASH was unhurried early, moved up from the inside on the far turn and from the three path through the stretch had a good effort. HARDROAD TO HEAVEN was off the pace and closed the gap from the four path on the turn but from the six path through the stretch leveled off. PAUL BUNYAN was in mid pack and saved ground on the far turn and finished evenly. NORDIC DANCER showed speed and was a factor from between foes on the far turn but from the three path at the top of the stretch flattened out. REASON AND RHYME had no speed, showed nothing and failed to fire. HIGHLAND MATT broke outward, set the pace but dropped back through the stretch.

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