

FAIR GROUNDS - December 29, 2008 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Since October 29 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since Then Allowed 4 lbs. (Races where entered for \$25,000 or less not considered in allowances) (Preference to horses that have not started for less than \$20,000 in their last 3 starts). (NW1 X)

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Mountain General - 1:08.03 - November 28, 2002)

Purse: \$44,000

Includes: \$3,500 Other Sources

Plus: \$1,500 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$44,000

Value of Race: \$44,000 1st \$26,400, 2nd \$8,800, 3rd \$4,840, 4th \$2,640, 5th \$1,320

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:31 **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
27Nov08 ⁸ FG ²	4	Garifine (Mena, Miguel)	119	L r	4	3	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²	1.40*	clearly best
12Dec08 ¹⁰ FG ³	3	Cool Hero (Torres, Francisco)	119	L b	3	4	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ²	2 ²	4.70	clear,collard,held 2nd
12Dec08 ¹⁰ FG ⁴	5	American Hustler (Bridgmohan, Shaun)	119	L	5	1	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ³	3 ³	2.50	lacked response
23Nov08 ² CD ¹	1	Bianchi's Boy (Albarado, Robby)	121	L	1	5	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	4 ²	4 ¹	5.40	saved ground, no avail
28Nov08 ⁵ FG ¹	6	Sinister (Campbell, Jesse)	119	L	6	2	6	6	6	5	6.50	trailed, no factor
6Dec08 ⁴ FG ¹	2	Deputy's Lariat (Perrodin, Elvis)	121	L	2	6	5 ³	5 ⁴	5 ^{Head}	---	18.50	lame, vanned off

Fractional Times: 22.75 46.23 57.66

Final Time: 1:09.96

Split Times: (23:48) (11:43) (12:30)

Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: Garifine, Bay Colt, by Belong to Me out of Vassar, by Royal Academy. Foaled Feb 26, 2004 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Mike Akers, Jeff Bowen & Randy Zeller. **Winning Owner:** Gold Square LLC

Total WPS Pool: \$90,965

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Garifine	4.80	3.20	2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	4-3	24.80	88,619
3	Cool Hero		4.40	3.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-3-5	54.40	72,870
5	American Hustler			2.80				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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4	Garifine	3	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²
3	Cool Hero	4	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²
5	American Hustler	1	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁴
1	Bianchi's Boy	5	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ⁷
6	Sinister	2	6 ⁷	6 ⁸	6 ^{8 1/2}	5 ⁸
2	Deputy's Lariat	6	5 ⁴	5 ⁴	5 ^{8 1/2}	---

Trainers: 4 - Margolis, Steve; 3 - Flint, Bernard; 5 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Romans, Dale; 6 - McGee, Paul; 2 - Mouton, Patrick

Owners: 4 - Gold Square LLC; 3 - L. T. B., Inc. and Childers, Miles; 5 - Zollars, Bob and Wagner, Mark; 1 - Heiligbrodt Racing Stable and Romans, Dale L.; 6 - William L. Steiden; 2 - Roe, Steve D. and Patricia L.;

Footnotes

GARIFINE held a clear lead early, let COOL HERO take over from the inside before the turn, bid outside that one midway around the turn, then proved clearly best. COOL HERO cleared from the inside before the turn, responded when collared by GARIFINE, then while no match for that one held second. AMERICAN HUSTLER forwardly placed off the rail, lacked a response. BIANCHI'S BOY saved ground too no avail. SINISTER trailed much of the trip and was not a factor. DEPUTY'S LARIAT allowed to settle, swung out for the drive, went lame nearing mid stretch and was vanned off.

Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate