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## FINGER LAKES - July 23, 2011 - Race 1

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Strider's Ormsby - 1:42.85 - December 3, 2005)

**Purse:** \$17,600

**Available Money:** \$17,600

**Value of Race:** \$17,600 1st \$10,560, 2nd \$3,520, 3rd \$1,760, 4th \$880, 5th \$352, 6th \$264, 7th \$264

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

**Off at:** 1:11 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Jun11 <sup>3</sup> FL <sup>2</sup>	3	DQ-Diamond Showcase (Rodriguez, Pedro)	119	L b	3	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>5/2</sup>	2.45	bthrd foe3/16, drvg
8Jul11 <sup>6</sup> FL <sup>3</sup>	7	Strategic Jacque (Yang, Chin)	124	L	7	1	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	51.75	held place
20May11 <sup>1</sup> BEL <sup>2</sup>	2	Twinkle in His Eye (Davila, Jr., John)	119	L f	2	4	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>2/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	1.20*	rail,ckd hard 3/16
9Jul11 <sup>7</sup> FL <sup>5</sup>	4	Mike's Instinct (Flores, Jeremias)	124	L b	4	6	6 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2/3/4</sup>	7.20	4p 5/16, flattened out
9Jul11 <sup>7</sup> FL <sup>3</sup>	5	Nikolai B (Beech, Clive)	124	L b	5	7	7	7	7	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup>	6.10	bmpd st, no factor
11Jul11 <sup>6</sup> FL <sup>5</sup>	1	Crazyinus (Gomez, Oscar)	119	f	1	2	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2/2</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1/3/4</sup>	27.25	rail trip, tired
11Jul11 <sup>6</sup> FL <sup>3</sup>	6	Brave Willy B (Nicol, Jr., Paul)	119	L b	6	5	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	7	7	4.90	bmpd foe st, rated

**Fractional Times:** 24.02 48.34 1:13.86 1:41.39

**Final Time:** 1:48.31

**Split Times:** (24:32) (25:52) (27:53) (6:92)

**Run-Up:** 54 feet

**Winner:** Strategic Jacque, Bay Gelding, by Strategic Mission out of Jack Betta Be Rite, by Jacques Who. Foaled May 10, 2007 in New York.

**Breeder:** Peter Winston.

**Winning Owner:** Bireta, Donna and Milian, Michael

**Disqualification(s):** # 3 Diamond Showcase from 1 to 3

**Total WPS Pool:** \$41,019

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Strategic Jacque	105.50	30.00	6.30	\$2.00 Exacta	7-2	247.00	45,629
2	Twinkle in His Eye		3.50	2.70	\$2.00 Trifecta	7-2-3	821.00	29,219
3	Diamond Showcase			3.00	\$1.00 Superfecta	7-2-3-4	2,186.00	13,412

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Diamond Showcase	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>5/2</sup>
7	Strategic Jacque	1	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>5/2</sup>
2	Twinkle in His Eye	4	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1/4</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>5/2</sup>
4	Mike's Instinct	6	6 <sup>5</sup>	5 <sup>3/4</sup>	5 <sup>2/4</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>6/2</sup>
5	Nikolai B	7	7 <sup>7</sup>	7 <sup>7/4</sup>	7 <sup>4/4</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>9/4</sup>
1	Crazyinus	2	5 <sup>4/2</sup>	6 <sup>4/4</sup>	6 <sup>3/4</sup>	6 <sup>4</sup>	6 <sup>14/4</sup>
6	Brave Willy B	5	4 <sup>2/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>4/4</sup>	7 <sup>16</sup>

**Trainers:** 3 - LeCesse, Michael; 7 - Bireta, Donna; 2 - Englehart, Chris; 4 - Cabrera, Jose; 5 - Torelli, Stacy; 1 - Shelansky, Richard; 6 - Barrow, Paul

**Owners:** 3 -Michael A. LeCesse; 7 - Bireta, Donna and Milian, Michael; 2 - Merrylegs Farm; 4 -Jose A. Cabrera; 5 -Philip S. Birsh; 1 -Richard Shelansky; 6 -Paul W. Barrow;

### Footnotes

DIAMOND SHOWCASE set the pace off the rail, drifted in nearing the three-sixteenths pole bothering TWINKLE IN HIS EYE and under the whip widened as clearly the best. STRATEGIC JACQUE tracked outside, lodged a bid, chased and held the place. TWINKLE IN HIS EYE was well placed along the rail, took up sharply in upper stretch when the winner drifted in some and then finished well along the rail. MIKE'S INSTINCT never far back, gained along the four path on the last turn and flattened out. NIKOLAI B bumped at the start and then was never in it. CRAZYINUS saved ground and tired. BRAVE WILLY B bumped with NIKOLAI B at the start, tracked in hand and tired. A stewards inquiry was posted concerning the incident in upper stretch. Also a claim of foul was lodged by the rider of TWINKLE IN HIS EYES against the winner for interference in upper stretch, resulted in the disqualification of DIAMOND SHOWCASE from first to third.