

FAIRMOUNT PARK - May 5, 2012 - Race 1

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 115 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Claiming

Price \$4,000. **Claiming Price:** \$4,000

Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Slight in the Rear - 56.80 - July 25, 1989)

Purse: \$5,800

Available Money: \$5,800

Value of Race: \$5,800 1st \$3,480, 2nd \$1,160, 3rd \$580, 4th \$325, 5th \$64, 6th \$64, 7th \$64

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:33 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17Apr12 ² FP ⁸	4	Swift Melva (James, Michael)	123	L	4	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	0.50*	inside,shook free late
27Apr12 ¹ FP ²	7	Set for Speed (Lopez, Uriel)	123	L b	7	3	4 ²	2 ^{1/2}	2 ⁴	2 ^{10 3/4}	3.10	4wd 3/8, 2w duel,weknd
17Apr12 ⁵ FP ¹⁰	5	Sweet N Smart (Sukie, Danush)	123	L b	5	4	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{Nose}	13.20	2wd 1/4,weknd,luggd in
17Apr12 ² FP ⁴	3	Msrocketlegs (Wells, Lindell)	123	--	3	2	2 ¹	4 ²	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	7.10	4wid into strch,evenly
10Apr12 ² FP ⁸	1	Tydro (Austin, Keith)	118	L b	1	6	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	6 ²	5 ^{1/2}	36.40	3-5wide turn,mild gain
17Apr12 ² FP ⁶	2	Simply Mauvelous (Hernandez, Rafael)	115	L b	2	5	5 ⁵	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ³	6 ^{5 3/4}	13.90	2-3wd,wknd,blockd late
11Jan12 ⁹ BEU ⁹	6	Dark Valor (Bielby, Aymara)	116 ⁷	L f	6	7	7	7	7	7	36.20	outside, outrun

Fractional Times: 23.20 47.60

Final Time: 1:00.80

Split Times: (24:40) (13:20)

Run-Up: 9 feet

Winner: Swift Melva, Chestnut Filly, by Cherokee Rap out of Swifter, by Alphabet Soup. Foaled Feb 23, 2008 in Illinois.

Breeder: William P Stiritz. **Winning Owner:** William Stiritz

1 Claimed Horse(s): Swift Melva New Trainer: Daniel O'Hallaron New Owner: O'Hallaron, Christina and Daniel

Claiming Prices: 4 - Swift Melva: \$4,000; 7 - Set for Speed: \$4,000; 5 - Sweet N Smart: \$4,000; 3 - Msrocketlegs: \$4,000; 1 - Tydro: \$4,000; 2 - Simply Mauvelous: \$4,000; 6 - Dark Valor: \$4,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Miss Perfection (Veterinarian) (Earned \$63.00)

Total WPS Pool: \$13,506

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Swift Melva	3.00	2.40	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	4-7	6.40	10,040
7	Set for Speed		3.00	2.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-7-5	38.20	9,105
5	Sweet N Smart			4.00				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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4	Swift Melva	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²
7	Set for Speed	3	4 ^{1 1/4}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²
5	Sweet N Smart	4	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{12 3/4}
3	Msrocketlegs	2	2 ^{Head}	4 ³	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{12 3/4}
1	Tydro	6	6 ^{8 1/4}	6 ^{8 1/2}	6 ^{9 1/2}	5 ^{13 3/4}
2	Simply Mauvelous	5	5 ^{3 1/4}	5 ⁵	5 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{14 1/4}
6	Dark Valor	7	7 ^{8 3/4}	7 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{11 1/2}	7 ²⁰

Trainers: 4 - Becker, Scott; 7 - Baird, Ron; 5 - Manley, Steve; 3 - Hammond, Jerry; 1 - Wainwright, John; 2 - Gale, Michael; 6 - Barrales, Efrain

Owners: 4 -William Stiritz; 7 -Marty Long; 5 - Lindenwood Farm; 3 -Janet Munie; 1 -Sharon R. Morgan; 2 - Gale, Michael and Karen; 6 -Glenda K. Sapp;

Footnotes

SWIFT MELVA shared the lead between rivals, moved ahead and took the rail on the turn, was challenged from outside upper stretch but shook free under steady urging inside the last sixteenth. SET FOR SPEED pressed from outside, moved in beside SWIFT MELVA leaving the bend, battled on near even terms until the final sixteenth, did not have enough left but was easily second best. SWEET N SMART prominent between horses, was three wide into the turn, backed up some just off the rail leaving the turn, angled out three wide for a clear path upper stretch then gradually lugged in the last eighth as she tired. MSROCKETLEGS displayed early speed from inside, could not keep up on the bend, swung out four wide leaving the turn, lacked a significant stretch bid but was closing in on SWEET N SMART late. TYDRO void of speed from inside, gradually came out through the turn, was five wide entering the stretch and improved position some in the waning yards. SIMPLY MAUVELOUS in contention just off the inside, did not stay close on the turn, came out some for the drive, lacked a late bid and found herself blocked behind the tiring SWEET N SMART several times deep stretch. DARK VALOR stayed well off the inside through and failed to menace.