

GILLESPIE COUNTY FAIRGROUND - August 14, 2011 - Race 11

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Texagazi - 1:06.00 - July 6, 1996)

Purse: \$5,000

Available Money: \$5,000

Value of Race: \$5,000 1st \$2,820, 2nd \$940, 3rd \$470, 4th \$282, 5th \$188, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:10 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17Jul11 ⁹ GIL ³	4	Birdie's Heist (Aguirre, Ricardo)	124	L bf	3	8	7 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	2 ³ 1/2	1 ³ 4	4.70	nice duel, just up
12Jun09 ² LS ²	5	Billet (Carino, Agustin) 	124	L	4	1	1 ³ 1/2	1 ³	1 ¹ 2	2 ⁷ 1/2	1.90*	easy pace, lost duel
16Jul11 ⁹ GIL ⁴	7	Imaginary E Dubai (Bustamante, Ignacio)	124	L f	6	6	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	4 ¹	3 ³ 4	6.40	finished gamely
17Jul11 ¹² GIL ²	2	Benedicto (Rodriguez, Celso)	124	L f	1	3	8	7 ²	7 ¹¹	4 ²	3.60	gained some stretch
16Jul11 ⁹ GIL ⁷	3	Drifting Bullets (Aranda, Joel)	124	--	2	2	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 2	5 ³ 1/4	14.40	empty stretch
17Jul11 ³ GIL ⁵	10	Crafty Chico Rojo (Roman, Jose)	124	L b	8	4	2 ¹	2 ²	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 1/2	30.90	hard pressed, tired
17Jul11 ⁹ GIL ²	8	Free the Cat (Guerra, Rodolfo)	119 ⁵	L b	7	7	6 ¹	6 ³ 1/2	6 ^{Head}	7 ¹⁶	7.50	never a factor
---	6	Mike's Man (Vera, Eliazar)	124	L	5	5	5 ^{Head}	8	8	8	6.00	disliked turn, trailed

Fractional Times: N/A N/A N/A

Final Time: 1:09.67

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Birdie's Heist, Chestnut Mare, by American Champ out of Birdie's Star, by Star of the Crop. Foaled Apr 07, 2005 in Texas.

Breeder: Roland Cantu.

Winning Owner: Jose A. Salazar

Scratched Horse(s): Driskill Mt. (Stewards), I'm a Rare Cat (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$4,301

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Birdie's Heist	11.40	6.80	4.60	\$2.00 Quinella	4-5	23.40	1,119
5	Billet		3.80	3.60	\$2.00 Exacta	4-5	30.80	1,192
7	Imaginary E Dubai			3.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-5-7	185.80	1,859

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
4	Birdie's Heist	8	7 ⁷ 3/4	4 ⁶ 1/2	2 ¹ 2	1 ³ 4
5	Billet	1	1 ³ 1/2	1 ³	1 ¹ 2	2 ³ 4
7	Imaginary E Dubai	6	4 ⁶ 1/2	5 ⁷	4 ⁴ 1/2	3 ⁸ 1/4
2	Benedicto	3	8 ⁹ 1/4	7 ¹⁰ 1/2	7 ⁵ 3/4	4 ⁹
3	Drifting Bullets	2	3 ⁴ 1/2	3 ⁵	3 ⁴	5 ¹¹
10	Crafty Chico Rojo	4	2 ³ 1/2	2 ³	5 ⁵ 1/2	6 ¹⁴ 1/4
8	Free the Cat	7	6 ⁶ 3/4	6 ⁷	6 ⁵ 1/2	7 ¹⁵ 3/4
6	Mike's Man	5	5 ⁶ 1/2	8 ¹² 1/2	8 ¹⁶ 3/4	8 ³¹ 3/4

Trainers: 4 - Chavez, Fernando; 5 - Aparicio, Alfred; 7 - Garza, Roberto; 2 - Castellanos, Jaime; 3 - Garcia, Raul; 10 - Blakeman, John; 8 - Dodson, Clifford; 6 - Haydel, Cliff

Owners: 4 -Jose A. Salazar; 5 - Aparicio, Ernie and Garcia, Greg; 7 -Antonio Renteria; 2 -Eloy Payan; 3 -Sandra D and He Daniels; 10 -Todd L. Blakeman; 8 -Ron D. Cherry; 6 -Sandi Blackman;

Footnotes

BIRDIE'S HEIST nice duel late, just up. BILLET easy pace, lost duel late. IMAGINARY E DUBAI finished gamely. BENEDICTO gained some stretch. DRIFTING BULLETS empty stretch. CRAFTY CHICO ROJO hard pressed, tired. FREE THE CAT never a factor. MIKE'S MAN disliked turn, trailed.

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate