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**HAWTHORNE - February 12, 2010 - Race 5**

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR ILLINOIS REGISTERED, CONCEIVED AND/OR FOALED. Maidens, Three Years Old. Weight, 120 lbs. Claiming Price

\$15,000, For Each \$2,500 To \$10,000 1 lb. (S) **Claiming Price:** \$15,000 - \$10,000

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Coach Jimi Lee - 1:07.27 - December 12, 2003)

**Purse:** \$11,500

**Available Money:** \$11,500

**Value of Race:** \$11,500 1st \$6,900, 2nd \$2,300, 3rd \$1,265, 4th \$690, 5th \$345

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 3:29 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
14Aug09 <sup>10</sup> AP <sup>8</sup>	10	A J 's Mountain (Thornton, Timothy)	120	L bf	10	3	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>16 3/4</sup>	1.90*	forged clr,hand urging
---	7	Speed Ball (Smith, Ariel)	120	L	7	2	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	12.60	tracked 3wd, game 2nd
2Jan10 <sup>4</sup> HAW <sup>7</sup>	9	River of No Return (Riggs, Tanner)	120	L b	9	12	7 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	8.10	tight brk,imp position
2Jan10 <sup>4</sup> HAW <sup>5</sup>	8	Western Bandido (Giles, Francisco)	113 <sup>7</sup>	L	8	9	9 <sup>2</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	20.00	broke out, tight start
---	5	Rosemont Sammy (Pitty, Camilo)	120	L	5	11	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	4.20	tight, std'd start
26Dec09 <sup>3</sup> HAW <sup>6</sup>	6	Big Poppa D (Stanley, Angel)	120	L	6	10	10 <sup>1/2</sup>	10 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	11.70	tight start, no rally
20Dec09 <sup>2</sup> HAW <sup>5</sup>	12	Many Storms (Lopez, Uriel)	120	L b	12	8	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	15.90	forced pace, gave way
---	4	B B's Best Bet (Wade, Lindey)	120	L b	4	5	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	11.50	2nd flight,swerved 1/8
27Dec09 <sup>7</sup> HAW <sup>10</sup>	11	Da Snoop (Hernandez, Rafael)	120	L b	11	4	11 <sup>1</sup>	11 <sup>5</sup>	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	6.30	never menaced
2Jan10 <sup>4</sup> HAW <sup>6</sup>	2	Flatley (Diego, Inosencio)	120	L	2	1	4 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>3</sup>	10 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	14.60	brief factor inside
7Jan10 <sup>10</sup> DED <sup>9</sup>	1	Awesome Offering (Maldonado, Nestor)	113 <sup>7</sup>	L	1	7	12	12	12	11 <sup>Nose</sup>	88.10	never menaced
2Jan10 <sup>4</sup> HAW <sup>12</sup>	3	Security Blanket (Groth, Anthony)	113 <sup>7</sup>	L b	3	6	8 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	11 <sup>4</sup>	12	53.00	inside, no rally

**Fractional Times:** 21.95 45.54 57.83

**Final Time:** 1:10.09

**Split Times:** (23:59) (12:29) (12:26)

**Run-Up:** 50 feet

**Winner:** A J 's Mountain, Chestnut Gelding, by Monashee Mountain out of Glenbriar Girl, by Gold Case. Foaled Mar 21, 2007 in Illinois.

**Breeder:** Hans Poetsch & Pat Greco. **Winning Owner:** Poetsch, Hans and Greco Racing Stable

**Claiming Prices:** 10 - A J 's Mountain: \$15,000; 7 - Speed Ball: \$15,000; 9 - River of No Return: \$15,000; 8 - Western Bandido: \$15,000; 5 - Rosemont Sammy: \$15,000; 6 - Big Poppa D: \$15,000; 12 - Many Storms: \$15,000; 4 - B B's Best Bet: \$15,000; 11 - Da Snoop: \$15,000; 2 - Flatley: \$15,000; 1 - Awesome Offering: \$15,000; 3 - Security Blanket: \$15,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Classic Alaskan (Also-Eligible), Special Six (Also-Eligible)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$93,253

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	A J 's Mountain	5.80	4.20	2.80	\$2.00 Exacta	10-7	78.80	95,353
7	Speed Ball		12.00	8.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	10-7-9	554.80	64,857
9	River of No Return			4.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	10-7-9-8	2,242.40	34,099
					\$2.00 Pick 3	2-5-10 (3 correct)	378.60	6,030
					\$2.00 Pick 4	6-2-5-10/13/14 (4 correct)	1,774.80	14,178
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-10	62.20	4,767

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
10	A J 's Mountain	3	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>16 3/4</sup>
7	Speed Ball	2	5 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>10</sup>	2 <sup>16 3/4</sup>
9	River of No Return	12	7 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>9</sup>	5 <sup>10</sup>	3 <sup>17 1/4</sup>
8	Western Bandido	9	9 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>14</sup>	7 <sup>13</sup>	4 <sup>19 1/4</sup>
5	Rosemont Sammy	11	6 <sup>5</sup>	5 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>11</sup>	5 <sup>20 1/4</sup>
6	Big Poppa D	10	10 <sup>14 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>17</sup>	9 <sup>16 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>20 1/4</sup>
12	Many Storms	8	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	7 <sup>21 1/4</sup>
4	B B's Best Bet	5	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>9</sup>	8 <sup>21 1/2</sup>
11	Da Snoop	4	11 <sup>15</sup>	11 <sup>18</sup>	8 <sup>16</sup>	9 <sup>22 1/2</sup>
2	Flatley	1	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>16 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>29</sup>
1	Awesome Offering	7	12 <sup>16</sup>	12 <sup>23</sup>	12 <sup>23 3/4</sup>	11 <sup>30 1/4</sup>
3	Security Blanket	6	8 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>13</sup>	11 <sup>19 3/4</sup>	12 <sup>30 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 10 - Reavis, Michael; 7 - Rivelli, Larry; 9 - Kirby, Frank; 8 - Cristel, Mark; 5 - Berndt, Joel; 6 - Hansen, Andrew; 12 - Campbell, D.; 4 - Matthews, Doug; 11 - Brueggemann, Roger; 2 - Kirby, Frank; 1 - Tracy, Jr., Ray; 3 - Goodridge, Ronald

**Owners:** 10 - Poetsch, Hans and Greco Racing Stable; 7 - Paul E. Finke; 9 - Clabor Mor Stable LLC; 8 - Gary Bryant; 5 - Hock, Irene and Bogan, John F.; 6 - Crowns Way Farm, Stamas, Peter and Rallo, Anthony; 12 - Robertson, Earl and Campbell, Sue Ann; 4 - Joseph W. O'Brien; 11 - Scarlet Stable; 2 - Eagle Valley Farm; 1 - M and H Stables; 3 - Tim Cook;

**Footnotes**

A J 'S MOUNTAIN went readily to the fore, dueled inside a rival for command, forged clear in upper stretch and widened his advantage under some hand urging. SPEED BALL tracked the pacesetter three wide in second flight, was carried out a bit by a drifting rival leaving midstretch but continued willingly for the place. RIVER OF NO RETURN, caught in tight quarters at the start, settled into stride, made some progress to split foes racing into upper stretch and continued to improve position to the end. WESTERN BANDIDO broke out, brushed RIVER OF NO RETURN, was collected off that foe, then made steady progress outside foes to improve his position. ROSEMONT SAMMY, caught in tight, then steadied at the start, was switched outside rivals approaching the bend, continued willingly to upper stretch but lost some position when forced to alter course in traffic late. BIG POPPA D, caught in tight at the start, never gained striking distance. MANY STORMS angled inwards to prompt the pace outside a rival, forced the issue to upper stretch, then gave way in the drive. B B'S BEST BET led the second flight tracking the pace to upper stretch, swerved out nearing midstretch impeding a rival, then drifted inwards in the last furlong while steadily fading from contention. DA SNOOP never seriously menaced. FLATLEY was a brief factor chasing the leaders along the inside but gave way early. AWESOME OFFERING never menaced. SECURITY BLANKET angled inside tracking the pace but couldn't produce the needed closing

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