

HAWTHORNE - April 21, 2007 - Race 4

STAKES National Jockey Club H. Grade 3 - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. By subscription of \$100 each which shall accompany the nomination, \$2,000 to pass the entry box, \$2,000 additional to start. With \$250,000 Guaranteed, of which \$150,000 to the owner of the winner, \$50,000 to second, \$27,500 to third, \$15,000 to fourth, \$7,500 to fifth. Weights, Saturday, April 14, 2007. Nominations closed Monday, April 9, 2007 with 12.

One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Zografos - 1:46.60 - October 9, 1974)


Purse: \$250,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$250,000

Value of Race: \$250,000 1st \$151,875, 2nd \$51,875, 3rd \$29,375, 4th \$16,875

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:42 **Start:** Good for all except 1

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
10Mar07 ⁶ FG ¹	4	Master Command (Velazquez, John)	123	L	4	1	2 ³	2 ⁷	1 ^{Head}	1 ⁴	1 ^{3 3/4}	0.40*	well rated, drew away
17Mar07 ⁹ LRL ¹	1	Sweetnorthernsaint (Pino, Mario)	120	L	bf	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹⁵	2 ²⁰	2 ^{37 1/4}	1.40	stumbled start
15Mar07 ⁵ HAW ¹	3	Le Jester (Thornton, Timothy) 	114	L	3	3	3 ^{Head}	4	3 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{3 3/4}	12.70	carried out first turn
7Apr07 ⁴ HAW ³	2	Courthouse (Houghton, T.)	113	L	2	2	4	3 ⁴	4	4	4	36.90	rank, getting out

Fractional Times: 23.60 46.86 1:10.50 1:35.87 **Final Time:** 1:49.47

Split Times: (23:26) (23:64) (25:37) (13:60)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Master Command, Chestnut Horse, by A.P. Indy out of Lady Lochinvar, by Lord At War (ARG). Foaled Apr 28, 2002 in Pennsylvania.

Breeder: Brushwood Stable. **Winning Owner:** Jones, Aaron U. and Marie D.

Total WPS Pool: \$93,656

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Master Command	2.80	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	4-1	3.60	52,969
1	Sweetnorthernsaint		2.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-1-3	3.60	32,308
3	Le Jester			\$1.00 Superfecta	4-1-3-2	2.10	20,650
				\$2.00 Pick 3	8-3-4 (3 correct)	42.80	6,413

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Master Command	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ⁴	1 ^{3 3/4}
1	Sweetnorthernsaint	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ⁴	2 ^{3 3/4}
3	Le Jester	3	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{11 1/2}	3 ¹⁵	3 ²⁴	3 ⁴¹
2	Courthouse	2	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{7 1/2}	4 ¹⁶	4 ²⁶	4 ^{44 3/4}

Trainers: 4 - Pletcher, Todd; 1 - Trombetta, Michael; 3 - Brueggemann, Roger; 2 - Gorham, Robert

Owners: 4 - Jones, Aaron U. and Marie D.; 1 - Balsamo, Joseph J. and Theos, Ted; 3 - Scarlet Stable; 2 - Mast Thoroughbreds LLC, Bieke, Ron and Gorham, Robert M.;

Footnotes

MASTER COMMAND was well rated much of the way, took over at the top of the stretch and drew away handily. SWEETNORTHERNSAINT stumbled at the start, was rushed to the lead and set a quick pace, was headed and gave way in the stretch. LE JESTER was carried out in the first turn and bumped down the backstretch, had no rally and was no match for the top two. COURTHOUSE was rank early and was getting out, steadied along the backstretch and was well beaten.

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate