

HAWTHORNE - December 23, 2012 - Race 5

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000, For Each \$2,500 To \$20,000 1 lb. **Claiming Price:** \$25,000 - \$20,000

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

Purse: \$16,000

Plus: \$80 Starters Bonus

Plus: \$8,736 IOA - Illinois Registered Owner Award

Available Money: \$24,816

Value of Race: \$16,080 1st \$9,600, 2nd \$3,200, 3rd \$1,600, 4th \$800, 5th \$480, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100, 9th \$100

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:05 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30Nov12 ³ HAW ⁵	5	Highflyingblessing (Emigh, Christopher)	119	L	5	3	3 ³	3 ^{1 1/2}	¹ Head	¹ 1 ^{3/4}	5.10	stalked 3wd, bid 3/16
3Sep12 ¹ AP ²	2	Last Gun in Texas (Canchari, Alex)	113 ⁵	L bf	2	2	¹ Head	² Head	² 1/2	2 ²	1.30*	dueled rail, held 2nd
30Nov12 ³ HAW ³	3	Wild Slew (Diego, Inosencio)	119	L b	3	1	² 1/2	¹ Head	³ 1/2	³ Head	4.80	dueled btw, weakened
---	6	Brother Dr. Bob (Sanchez, Diego)	119	L	6	5	7 ⁴	7 ^{3 1/2}	⁶ 1 1/2	4 ²	14.30	rail to 3/16, altered 5w
---	8	Scot's Sunnyriver (Perez, Edgar)	119	b	8	6	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	⁴ Head	5 ^{2 3/4}	20.80	2nd flight, no kick
---	7	Get Back (Geroux, Florent)	119	--	7	7	⁴ Head	⁴ Head	5 ¹	6 ¹	30.20	2nd flight, faded drive
30Nov12 ³ HAW ²	9	Hello Chas (Hamilton, Quincy)	119	L b	9	4	⁶ Head	6 ²	7 ³	7 ^{2 3/4}	9.70	4wd turn, no rally
---	4	Have It My Way (Martinez, Seth)	120	L	4	9	8 ¹	8 ^{3 1/2}	8 ⁴	8 ^{4 1/2}	4.10	settled, no menace
---	1	Captain Luke (Meier, Brandon)	119	--	1	8	9	9	9	9	35.00	never a factor

Fractional Times: 22.71 46.96 59.44

Final Time: 1:12.30

Split Times: (24:25) (12:48) (12:86)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Highflyingblessing, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by High Cotton out of Damariscotta, by Old Trieste. Foaled Mar 27, 2010 in Florida.

Breeder: Bruce K. Ekstrom.

Winning Owner: William Stirtz

Claiming Prices: 5 - Highflyingblessing: \$25,000; 2 - Last Gun in Texas: \$20,000; 3 - Wild Slew: \$25,000; 6 - Brother Dr. Bob: \$25,000; 8 - Scot's Sunnyriver: \$25,000; 7 - Get Back: \$25,000; 9 - Hello Chas: \$25,000; 4 - Have It My Way: \$25,000; 1 - Captain Luke: \$25,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$65,261

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Highflyingblessing	12.20	5.00	3.40	\$2.00 Exacta	5-2	41.60	46,003
2	Last Gun in Texas		3.40	2.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	5-2-3	147.40	37,451
3	Wild Slew			3.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	5-2-3-6	301.90	19,693
					\$2.00 Pick 3	6-6-5 (3 correct)	315.00	5,453
					\$2.00 Pick 4	5-6-6-5 (4 correct)	1,698.80	27,750
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-5	67.80	7,868

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Highflyingblessing	3	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	¹ Head	¹ 1 ^{3/4}
2	Last Gun in Texas	2	¹ Head	² Head	² Head	² 1 ^{3/4}
3	Wild Slew	1	² Head	¹ Head	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3 3/4}
6	Brother Dr. Bob	5	7 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{7 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/4}	4 ^{3 3/4}
8	Scot's Sunnyriver	6	5 ^{3 3/4}	5 ^{1 3/4}	4 ⁴	5 ^{5 3/4}
7	Get Back	7	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{8 1/2}
9	Hello Chas	4	6 ^{5 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}	7 ^{9 1/2}
4	Have It My Way	9	8 ^{9 1/4}	8 ^{10 3/4}	8 ^{9 3/4}	8 ^{12 1/4}
1	Captain Luke	8	9 ^{10 1/4}	9 ^{14 1/4}	9 ^{13 3/4}	9 ^{16 3/4}

Trainers: 5 - Becker, Scott; 2 - DiVito, James; 3 - Mason, Ingrid; 6 - Block, Chris; 8 - Mitchell, Paraskevas; 7 - McMullen, James; 9 - Yanez, Moises; 4 - Brueggemann, Roger; 1 - Dorris, Chris

Owners: 5 -William Stirtz; 2 - Kaminski, Patricia and Darryl, Battaglia, Lee and Divito, James P.; 3 -Bridget B. Kerbel; 6 - Good Times Stable; 8 -Joel Zawitz; 7 -Mary A. Sullivan; 9 - Sigrist, Charles J. and Del Sol Farm LLC; 4 - Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.; 1 - Tussey, Gary K. and Dorris, Chris;

Footnotes

HIGHFLYINGBLESSING, in touch with the leaders three deep stalking those foes under light rating racing to the turn, steadily drew on terms with those foes to challenge for command in upper stretch and drew clear late under energetic handling. LAST GUN IN TEXAS was urged to the lead along the inside from the break, dueled for command inside foes into upper stretch, couldn't match the winner late but continued with interest to prove best of the others. WILD SLEW joined the pace outside a rival from the outset, dueled for command between foes on the turn to gain a narrow advantage after a half, continued to dispute the issue into the stretch but weakened in the last furlong when failing to match the top pair. BROTHER DR. BOB settled out of striking distance while angling to the rail racing into the bend, saved ground to upper stretch, altered course avoiding close quarters nearing the furlong marker to race five wide in the last furlong but continued willingly to the end while just missing for a share. SCOT'S SUNNYRIVER took up a position outside a rival in the second flight tracking the leaders into the turn, was urged to lodge a brief bid nearing upper stretch but had no final kick. GET BACK shifted inwards a bit tracking the leaders as part of the second flight racing into the turn, drew into striking distance after a half but steadily faded in late stages. HELLO CHAS tracked off the second flight in the opening stages, raced four wide through the turn and had no closing bid. HAVE IT MY WAY settled well off the field early and never mounted a serious challenge. CAPTAIN LUKE was never a factor.