

**HOLLYWOOD PARK - November 22, 2009 - Race 2**

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR TWO YEAR OLDS. Weight, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$40,000, if for \$35,000, allowed 2 lbs. **Claiming Price:** \$40,000 - \$35,000

Six And One Half Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Gayego - 1:13.37 - November 30, 2008)

**Purse:** \$27,000

**Plus:** \$1,200 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$28,200

**Value of Race:** \$28,200 1st \$16,200, 2nd \$5,400, 3rd \$3,240, 4th \$1,620, 5th \$540, 6th \$400, 7th \$400, 8th \$400

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

**Off at:** 1:01 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
14Nov09 <sup>6</sup> HOL <sup>2</sup>	1	Cardiff Giant (Santiago Reyes, Christian)	115 <sup>5</sup>	BL	b	1 7	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1.40*	pulled,drift out,clear
22Oct09 <sup>1</sup> OSA <sup>1</sup>	7	Ishmael (Bejarano, Rafael)	120	BL	b	7 4	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Neck</sup>	1.90	3wd into str,held 2nd
17Oct09 <sup>8</sup> TUP <sup>2</sup>	4	Espresso Springs (Talamo, Joseph)	120	BL	b	4 8	5 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	6.40	off bit slow,pulled
30Oct09 <sup>5</sup> OSA <sup>6</sup>	3	Really Uptown (Garcia, Martin)	120	BL	f	3 5	3 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7.60	vied,stalked,wkened
30Oct09 <sup>8</sup> OSA <sup>1</sup>	8	Legal Separation (Smith, Mike)	120	BL	b	8 1	2 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	15.40	3wd,4wd,weakened
30Oct09 <sup>10</sup> OSA <sup>8</sup>	5	Chocolate Marini (Valdivia, Jr., Jose)	120	BL		5 6	7 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	36.40	bobbled start,no bid
30Oct09 <sup>5</sup> OSA <sup>5</sup>	6	Seeuat Stickstein (Solis, Alex)	120	BL		6 2	8	8	7 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	14.10	3wd into lane,no rally
7Sep09 <sup>8</sup> YAV <sup>10</sup>	2	Cause I'm a Blurr (Baze, Michael)	120	BL	b	2 3	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	8	8	31.00	lugged out,gave way

**Fractional Times:** 22.40 45.33 1:09.08

**Final Time:** 1:15.63

**Split Times:** (22:93) (23:75) (6:55)

**Run-Up:** 65 feet

**Winner:** Cardiff Giant, Chestnut Gelding, by Yankee Gentleman out of Stop the Croquet, by Stop the Music. Foaled Feb 10, 2007 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Kim Nardelli & Rodney Nardelli. **Winning Owner:** M Racing Group, LLC

**1 Claimed Horse(s):** Ishmael

New Trainer: Doug F. O'Neill

New Owner: Cohen, Master and O'Neill

**Claiming Prices:** 1 - Cardiff Giant: \$40,000; 7 - Ishmael: \$40,000; 4 - Espresso Springs: \$40,000; 3 - Really Uptown: \$40,000; 8 - Legal Separation: \$40,000; 5 - Chocolate Marini: \$40,000; 6 - Seeuat Stickstein: \$40,000; 2 - Cause I'm a Blurr: \$40,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$154,569

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Cardiff Giant	4.80	2.40	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	1-7	6.70	92,254
7	Ishmael		3.00	2.40	\$2.00 Quinella	1-7	6.20	5,939
4	Espresso Springs			3.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	1-7-4	21.90	85,983
					\$1.00 Superfecta	1-7-4-3	72.60	57,649
					\$2.00 Daily Double	3-1	38.00	39,701

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Cardiff Giant	7	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>
7	Ishmael	4	6 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>
4	Espresso Springs	8	5 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/4</sup>
3	Really Uptown	5	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>7 3/4</sup>
8	Legal Separation	1	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>9 1/4</sup>
5	Chocolate Marini	6	7 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>10 3/4</sup>
6	Seeuat Stickstein	2	8 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>6</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>	7 <sup>11 1/4</sup>
2	Cause I'm a Blurr	3	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>10</sup>	8 <sup>14 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 1 - Periban, Jorge; 7 - Sadler, John; 4 - Hess, Jr., Robert; 3 - Harrington, Mike; 8 - Moger, Jr., Ed; 5 - Hendricks, Dan; 6 - La Croix, David; 2 - Roberson, Don

**Owners:** 1 - M Racing Group, LLC; 7 - Barber, Gary and Cecil; 4 - Double Kee LLC; 3 - Mike Harrington Trustee; 8 - Lanning, Curt and Lila; 5 -Priscilla Webb; 6 - Meadowbrook Farms, Inc.; 2 - Cagle, Wallace Pat, and Kiser, Brenda;

**Footnotes**

CARDIFF GIANT a step slow into stride, pulled early, stalked inside then bid along the rail and inched away on the turn, came out a bit into the stretch, drew clear under urging while drifting out some and proved best. ISHMAEL chased outside then three deep, split horses on the turn, came three wide into the stretch and edged a rival for the place. ESPRESSO SPRINGS a bit slow to begin, pulled between horses early, went up inside on the turn and in the stretch and was edged for second. REALLY UPTOWN went up between horses to press the pace, stalked just off the rail on the turn, was between foes again in upper stretch and weakened. LEGAL SEPARATION stalked outside then prompted the pace three deep, stalked four wide on the turn and three wide into the stretch and also weakened. CHOCOLATE MARINI bobbled at the start, chased off the rail then inside on the turn and in the stretch and did not rally. SEEUAT STICKNSTEIN settled outside chasing the pace, continued off the rail on the turn and three deep into the stretch and was not a threat. CAUSE I'M A BLURR pulled a bit and sped to the early lead, dueled a bit off the rail, lugged out and dropped back on the turn and gave way.