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SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - February 18, 2012 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$525 Open ATB) FOR TEXAS ACCREDITED FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since January 19 Allowed 3 lbs. Such a race since then Allowed 5 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500 (Winners of two races preferred). (SNW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$7,500

One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Capt. Tiff's Beau - 1:40.52 - October 24, 1998)

Purse: \$7,500

Available Money: \$7,500

Value of Race: \$7,500 1st \$4,380, 2nd \$1,460, 3rd \$803, 4th \$438, 5th \$119, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Good

Off at: 7:01 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
13Feb12 ² HOU ⁷	1	I Am Tarzan (Cloninger, Jr., Weldon)	118	L	1	2	3 ³	3 ²	2 ³	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	4.10	prevailed, long drive
4Feb12 ⁵ HOU ⁹	6	Saintly Special (Arroyo, Wilfredo)	118	L	6	7	8	7 ^{1 1/2}	5 ³	4 ¹	2 ^{3/4}	14.90	swung wide, rallied
4Feb12 ⁵ HOU ⁸	4	Big Buddy Smith (Murphy, Glen)	118	L f	4	3	4 ⁴	4 ⁴	3 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{Nose}	4.10	finished willingly
4Feb12 ⁵ HOU ⁴	2	Here Comes Badness (Mora, Gerardo)	113 ⁵	L b	2	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ³	4 ^{3/4}	0.80*	pace, held well
4Feb12 ⁴ HOU ⁹	3	Road Hawk (Chacaltana, Junior)	119	L	3	8	7 ²	8	6 ²	6 ⁷	5 ^{5 1/2}	8.50	4 wide, finished well
10Feb12 ⁸ HOU ⁶	7	Seymour Naevus (Birmingham, Jeffery)	118	L	7	6	6 ⁵	5 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{7 3/4}	65.10	never far back, evenly
23Jan12 ³ HOU ⁵	5	River Ridge (Wood, Dakota)	118	L bf	5	4	5 ⁴	6 ³	7 ^{Head}	7 ¹⁰	7 ^{33 3/4}	17.30	failed to menace
29Oct11 ⁴ RET ⁷	8	Sultry Crook (Morales, Benito)	118	L b	8	5	2 ²	2 ^{Head}	8	8	8	16.90	through after half

Fractional Times: 22.47 47.43 1:13.97 1:41.47

Final Time: 1:46.17

Split Times: (24:96) (26:54) (27:50) (4:70)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: I Am Tarzan, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Siebe out of Kata Did, by Toast the Champ. Foaled Mar 23, 2007 in Texas.

Breeder: Jennifer Lawley.

Winning Owner: Jim E. Palmer

Claiming Prices: 1 - I Am Tarzan: \$7,500; 6 - Saintly Special: \$7,500; 4 - Big Buddy Smith: \$7,500; 2 - Here Comes Badness: \$7,500; 3 - Road Hawk: \$7,500; 7 - Seymour Naevus: \$7,500; 5 - River Ridge: \$7,500; 8 - Sultry Crook: \$7,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$39,529

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	I Am Tarzan	10.20	5.60	3.80	\$2.00 Exacta	1-6	134.80	36,460
6	Saintly Special		12.00	7.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-6-4	443.20	36,775
4	Big Buddy Smith			2.80	\$2.00 Superfecta	1-6-4-2	1,344.20	21,420
					\$2.00 Quinella	1-6	70.20	2,933

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	I Am Tarzan	2	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹
6	Saintly Special	7	8 ^{20 1/2}	7 ^{12 1/2}	5 ⁶	4 ⁵	2 ¹
4	Big Buddy Smith	3	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{1 3/4}
2	Here Comes Badness	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 3/4}
3	Road Hawk	8	7 ^{18 1/2}	8 ¹⁴	6 ⁹	6 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/2}
7	Seymour Naevus	6	6 ^{13 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	5 ⁶	6 ⁸
5	River Ridge	4	5 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{9 1/2}	7 ¹¹	7 ^{14 1/2}	7 ^{15 3/4}
8	Sultry Crook	5	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	8 ¹¹	8 ^{24 1/2}	8 ^{49 1/2}

Trainers: 1 - Palmer, Jim; 6 - Williams, Dea; 4 - Broberg, Karl; 2 - Davidson, M.; 3 - Courtemanche, Candy; 7 - Hatcher, Nathan; 5 - White, Cary; 8 - Evans, Gregory

Owners: 1 - Jim E. Palmer; 6 - Dea Williams; 4 - Ronald R. Smith; 2 - Colleen Davidson; 3 - Buzz-By Racing; 7 - Four Seasons Stables; 5 - Geneva Holmes; 8 - Cherokee Farms;

Footnotes

I AM TARZAN stalked the pace and saved ground, angled off the rail and rallied at the quarter pole, prevailed through a long drive under strong handling. SAINTLY SPECIAL was unhurried early, swung wide and rallied in the upper stretch, closed well and was up for second. BIG BUDDY SMITH well placed early, rallied in mid stretch and finished willingly. HERE COMES BADNESS dueled early, gained a clear lead down the backside, held well in the stretch. ROAD HAWK raced in the second flight, rallied four wide through the lane, finished well and was gaining. SEYMOUR NAEVUS never far back, lacked a late response and went evenly. RIVER RIDGE allowed to settle, failed to menace. SULTRY CROOK pressed the early pace and was through after a half.