

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - March 9, 2012 - Race 8

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$2,100 Open ATB) FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. (Preference to horses that have not started for a Claiming Price of less than \$16,000).

One Mile On The Dirt - Originally Scheduled For the Turf **Track Record:** (Catalissa - 1:36.33 - March 8, 2003)

Purse: \$21,000

Available Money: \$21,000

Value of Race: \$21,000 1st \$12,420, 2nd \$4,140, 3rd \$2,277, 4th \$1,242, 5th \$621, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 10:11 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23Jan12 ⁷ HOU ⁵	6	Sparkle Princess (Mora, Gerardo)	117 ⁵ L	4	7	6 ¹ 1/2	7 ⁵	5 ^{Head}	5 ⁶	1 ^{Head}	2.90	inside, up in time
17Feb12 ¹ TP ³	7	Do You Like Me Now (Cloninger, Jr., Weldon)	122 L b	5	3	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	2 ¹	7.40	duel inside,led,caught
25Feb12 ⁵ HOU ³	1	Mercurial Menace (Chapa, Roman)	122 L	1	6	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ²	2 ¹	3 ^{Neck}	1.20*	moved out 3w, empty
25Feb12 ⁵ HOU ⁴	4	Sister Mary Kay (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	117 ⁵ L b	2	1	5 ²	5 ² 1/2	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ⁴ 1/4	5.80	4w, bid, flattened out
10Dec11 ¹ RP ¹¹	5	Lula Day (MEX) (Landeros, Chris)	122 L	3	2	3 ¹	4 ³	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	5 ² 1/2	19.50	3w, bid, flattened out
---	9	Midnight Friend (McNeil, Erik)	122 L b	7	8	7 ³	6 ^{Head}	7 ⁵	6 ⁸	6 ¹² 3/4	10.80	broke slow, no menace
17Feb12 ¹⁰ HOU ¹²	8	Myakkahatchee (Rochabrun, John)	122 L b	6	4	8	8	8	7 ⁴ 1/2	7 ¹⁸ 3/4	43.10	unhurried, no factor
2Dec11 ² RP ⁶	10	Golden Encore (Murphy, Glen)	122 L b	8	5	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	6 ^{Head}	8	8	8.00	dueled 2w, stopped

Fractional Times: 24.36 49.06 1:15.05 1:27.79 **Final Time:** 1:41.01

Split Times: (24:70) (25:99) (12:74) (13:22)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Sparkle Princess, Bay Filly, by Put It Back out of Simply Hazaam, by Hazaam. Foaled Apr 09, 2009 in Florida.

Breeder: Carl Bowling.

Winning Owner: Thomas G. Orr

Scratched Horse(s): Cactus Flowers (Off-Turf), Green Briar Kitty (Off-Turf)

Total WPS Pool: \$34,337

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Sparkle Princess	7.80	4.40	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	6-7	62.80	32,190
7	Do You Like Me Now		5.60	3.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-7-1	144.60	27,016
1	Mercurial Menace			2.20	\$2.00 Superfecta	6-7-1-4	337.00	16,827
					\$2.00 Pick 3	3/5/10-8-6 (3 correct)	213.60	7,321
					\$2.00 Quinella	6-7	41.60	2,910

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Sparkle Princess	7	6 ⁶ 1/2	7 ⁸ 1/4	5 ³ 1/4	5 ³ 1/4	1 ^{Head}
7	Do You Like Me Now	3	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	2 ^{Head}
1	Mercurial Menace	6	4 ³	3 ¹	4 ¹ 1/4	2 ²	3 ¹
4	Sister Mary Kay	1	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁵ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	3 ³	4 ¹ 1/4
5	Lula Day (MEX)	2	3 ²	4 ² 1/2	2 ^{Head}	4 ³	5 ⁵ 1/2
9	Midnight Friend	8	7 ⁸	6 ⁸	7 ³ 1/2	6 ⁹ 1/4	6 ⁸
8	Myakkahatchee	4	8 ¹¹	8 ¹³ 1/4	8 ⁸ 1/2	7 ¹⁷ 1/4	7 ²⁰ 3/4
10	Golden Encore	5	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	6 ³ 1/4	8 ²¹ 3/4	8 ³⁹ 1/2

Trainers: 6 - Offolter, Joe; 7 - Hukill, Charles; 1 - Asmussen, Steven; 4 - Stuart, Clinton; 5 - Craddock, Kari; 9 - Pish, Danny; 8 - Davidson, M.; 10 - Bravo, Francisco

Owners: 6 -Thomas G. Orr; 7 -Hugh Moore; 1 - Ackerley Brothers Farm; 4 -Greg Johnson; 5 - Pozo de Luna, Inc.; 9 - Davis, Betty and Carl and Born to Run LLC; 8 -Colleen Davidson; 10 -Michael Grossman;

Footnotes

SPARKLE PRINCESS was unhurried early then rallied on the far turn while inside, saved ground on the far turn then was inside for the stretch drive, was gaining ground strongly and was up in the final strides. DO YOU LIKE ME NOW dueled for the lead from the inside, drew off in mid stretch then was all out in late stretch but could not last in the end. MERCURIAL MENACE was stalking the pace while inside, made a bid on the far turn then moved out to be three wide in mid stretch but came up empty in late stretch. SISTER MARY KAY was unhurried early then rallied four wide on the far turn making a bid then flattened out in the drive. LULA DAY (MEX) was allowed to settled then rallied three wide on the far turn making a bid then flattened out in the end. MIDNIGHT FRIEND broke slowly from the gate then was unhurried early and failed to menace. MYAKKAHATCHEE was unhurried early and no factor throughout. GOLDEN ENCORE dueled for the lead while two wide, was used up then stopped in the stretch.

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