

**SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - March 11, 2012 - Race 5**

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$840 Open ATB) FOR TEXAS ACCREDITED MAIDENS, FOUR YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs.

Claiming Price \$32,000. (S) **Claiming Price:** \$32,000

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Bucharest - 1:08.91 - May 11, 1994)

**Purse:** \$12,000

**Available Money:** \$12,000

**Value of Race:** \$12,000 1st \$6,780, 2nd \$2,260, 3rd \$1,243, 4th \$678, 5th \$339, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100, 9th \$100, 10th \$100, 11th \$100, 12th \$100

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

**Off at:** 7:02 **Start:** Good for all except 2



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Mar12 <sup>3</sup> HOU <sup>2</sup>	4	Nafiss (Murphy, Glen)	123	L b	4	5	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	1.00*	saved ground, drew off
26Feb12 <sup>7</sup> HOU <sup>2</sup>	6	Star Packer (McNeil, Erik)	123	L	6	4	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2.70	swung 5w, finish well
3Feb12 <sup>4</sup> HOU <sup>3</sup>	11	That's Our Romeo (Mora, Gerardo)	118 <sup>5</sup>	L b	10	11	10 <sup>5</sup>	9 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	3.40	4w, angled in 3/16
26Feb12 <sup>7</sup> HOU <sup>4</sup>	12	Tomatoe Magic (Figueroa, Jose)	123	L	11	8	9 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	41.50	5w, gaining, no menace
25Feb12 <sup>10</sup> HOU <sup>8</sup>	7	Churchillad (Denninger, Felicia)	118 <sup>5</sup>	L f	7	10	11 <sup>10</sup>	11 <sup>20</sup>	10 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	84.30	angled out 8w, willing
19Feb12 <sup>2</sup> HOU <sup>5</sup>	13	Hi Ball (Lores, Yruing)	123	L b	12	2	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Neck</sup>	58.80	chased, 5w, lugged in
19Feb12 <sup>2</sup> HOU <sup>4</sup>	1	Drivin Or Flyin (Burningham, Jeffery)	123	L b	1	9	8 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	44.90	settled, 3w, forced in
3Mar12 <sup>5</sup> HOU <sup>7</sup>	10	Turn to Texas (Rochabrun, John)	123	L	9	1	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	96.90	dueled 2w, weakened
26Feb12 <sup>7</sup> HOU <sup>7</sup>	3	Bumblebee Gulch (Arroyo, Wilfredo)	123	- -	3	7	7 <sup>Head</sup>	10 <sup>3</sup>	11 <sup>40</sup>	9 <sup>1/2</sup>	83.50	inside, no menace
26Feb12 <sup>7</sup> HOU <sup>5</sup>	9	Sergeant Bo (Wood, Dakota)	123	L bf	8	3	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	10 <sup>Head</sup>	8.20	dueled inside, stopped
26Feb12 <sup>7</sup> HOU <sup>6</sup>	5	Heavenly Brother (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	118 <sup>5</sup>	L bf	5	6	4 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>Head</sup>	11 <sup>52</sup>	41.90	through after half
15May11 <sup>9</sup> LS <sup>11</sup>	2	Four Flags (Steward, Keenan)	123	bf	2	12	12	12	12	12	63.00	broke slowly, far back

**Fractional Times:** 23.10 47.01 59.87

**Final Time:** 1:12.66

**Split Times:** (23:91) (12:86) (12:79)

**Run-Up:** 40 feet

**Winner:** Nafiss, Bay Gelding, by Olmos out of Legal Gator, by Green Alligator. Foaled Mar 09, 2007 in Texas.

**Breeder:** Paul El Bayeh. **Winning Owner:** Eleuterio Martinez, Jr.

**Claiming Prices:** 4 - Nafiss: \$32,000; 6 - Star Packer: \$32,000; 11 - That's Our Romeo: \$32,000; 12 - Tomatoe Magic: \$32,000; 7 - Churchillad: \$32,000; 13 - Hi Ball: \$32,000; 1 - Drivin Or Flyin: \$32,000; 10 - Turn to Texas: \$32,000; 3 - Bumblebee Gulch: \$32,000; 9 - Sergeant Bo: \$32,000; 5 - Heavenly Brother: \$32,000; 2 - Four Flags: \$32,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Fuzzy Hat (Stewards)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$51,064

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Nafiss	4.00	2.60	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	4-6	10.80	44,657
6	Star Packer		3.00	2.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-6-11	21.00	47,069
11	That's Our Romeo			2.60	\$2.00 Superfecta	4-6-11-12	149.20	32,010
					\$2.00 Pick 3	9-6-4 (3 correct)	76.80	5,741
					\$2.00 Pick 4	4-9-6-4/8 (4 correct)	444.40	5,185
					\$0.50 Z-5 Super Hi-5	4-6-11-12-7	969.10	7,382
					\$2.00 Quinella	4-6	7.00	3,134

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Nafiss	5	5 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>4 1/4</sup>
6	Star Packer	4	6 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>4 1/4</sup>
11	That's Our Romeo	11	10 <sup>7</sup>	9 <sup>5 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
12	Tomatoe Magic	8	9 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>8 1/2</sup>
7	Churchillad	10	11 <sup>12</sup>	11 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>10 1/4</sup>
13	Hi Ball	2	3 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>11 1/2</sup>
1	Drivin Or Flyin	9	8 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>11 3/4</sup>
10	Turn to Texas	1	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>14</sup>
3	Bumblebee Gulch	7	7 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	11 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>16 1/4</sup>
9	Sergeant Bo	3	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>16 3/4</sup>
5	Heavenly Brother	6	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	11 <sup>16 3/4</sup>
2	Four Flags	12	12 <sup>22</sup>	12 <sup>29 1/4</sup>	12 <sup>47 1/2</sup>	12 <sup>68 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 4 - Martinez, Jr., Eleuterio; 6 - Hare, Jearl; 11 - Arnold, Jr., Ralph; 12 - Dodson, Clifford; 7 - Shaffer, Jon; 13 - Akin, Steven; 1 - Fitzpatrick, Robert; 10 - Lopez, Joe; 3 - Martinez, Juan; 9 - Castellanos, Jaime; 5 - Black, Maurice; 2 - Ewing, Calvin

**Owners:** 4 -Eleuterio Martinez, Jr.; 6 -Billy Hitt; 11 -Kathy L. Stephens; 12 -Minnie Deleon; 7 -Laurie Rosenwasser; 13 - Akin, Steve and Culbertson, Jerry; 1 -Robert Fitzpatrick; 10 -Charles Joseph Turner; 3 -Maria C. Martinez; 9 -Sam Williams; 5 -Edgar Carrillo; 2 -Calvin E. Ewing;

**Footnotes**

NAFISS was well placed while inside, saved ground on the turn then rallied and drew off in mid stretch and was kept to task in late stretch. STAR PACKER was two wide into the turn then swung out to be five wide for the stretch drive, was gaining ground but was no threat to the winner in the end. THAT'S OUR ROMEO was unhurried early then rallied four wide on the turn, angled inside in upper stretch and made a mild gain in late stretch. TOMATOE MAGIC was settled then rallied five wide on the turn to upper stretch and was gaining ground but was no menace in the end. CHURCHILLAD was unhurried early then rallied and angled out to be eight wide in upper stretch then closed willingly in late stretch. HI BALL chased the pace while racing five wide, lugged in late stretch then weakened in the end. DRIVIN OR FLYIN was allowed to settle then raced three wide on the turn, was forced in late stretch and tired. TURN TO TEXAS dueled for the lead while two wide, was hard used then weakened in the stretch drive. BUMBLEBEE GULCH was inside then failed to menace. SERGEANT BO dueled for the lead while inside, was used up and stopped. HEAVENLY BROTHER was through after a half while inside then stopped. FOUR FLAGS broke slowly then was far back.

