

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - November 23, 2005 - Race 9



MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$616 Open ATB) FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. Claiming Price \$35,000. **Claiming**

Price: \$35,000

Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Bucharest - 1:02.92 - April 13, 1996)

Purse: \$7,700

Available Money: \$7,700

Value of Race: \$7,700 1st \$4,620, 2nd \$1,540, 3rd \$847, 4th \$462, 5th \$231

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 10:13 **Start:** Good for all except 1

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
31Oct05 ⁴ RP ⁴	7	Leaving Laughing (Shepherd, Justin)	122	L b	6	6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 1/4}	3.30	set pace, driving
24Oct05 ⁵ RP ³	8	Jet G's Courage (Murphy, Glen)	122	L	7	1	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1.20*	chased, 2w, 2nd best
---	3	J Lo's Halo (Walker, Jr., Bobby)	122	L	3	8	7 ¹	7 ²	6 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	4.70	swung 6w, closed fast
---	5	Z Waltz Me Home (Byrne, John)	122	L	5	5	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ²	4 ³	19.50	saved ground, bid,hung
---	10	Shiloh's Heatwave (Stanton, Terry)	122	L b	9	2	5 ^{1/2}	6 ⁵	7 ²	5 ¹	18.60	5 wide turn, no threat
2Nov05 ⁹ HOU ⁸	2	Stormy Fuse (Elston, David)	122	L f	2	4	6 ²	4 ^{Head}	4 ²	6 ^{Neck}	26.00	saved ground, faltered
---	9	Storm Teaser (Simington, Donald)	122	L b	8	3	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	7 ^{4 1/2}	4.30	4 wide turn, no factor
2Nov05 ⁹ HOU ¹¹	1	P F Tis a Hoot (Torres, Jose)	122	L	1	9	9	8 ^{Head}	8 ⁵	8 ^{7 1/4}	55.70	broke in tangle
29Oct05 ⁷ HOU ⁷	4	Leestown Baby (Perez, Salvador)	122	L b	4	7	8 ⁴	9	9	9	41.70	outrun

Fractional Times: 22.80 47.32 N/A

Final Time: 1:07.26

Split Times: (24:52) (19:94)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Leaving Laughing, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Siphon (BRZ) out of Laughter's Last, by Vanlandingham. Foaled Feb 24, 2003 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Roy Evans & Eric Foster. **Winning Owner:** Roy Gene Evans

Claiming Prices: 7 - Leaving Laughing: \$35,000; 8 - Jet G's Courage: \$35,000; 3 - J Lo's Halo: \$35,000; 5 - Z Waltz Me Home: \$35,000; 10 - Shiloh's Heatwave: \$35,000; 2 - Stormy Fuse: \$35,000; 9 - Storm Teaser: \$35,000; 1 - P F Tis a Hoot: \$35,000; 4 - Leestown Baby: \$35,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Maddy Bell (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$45,822

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Leaving Laughing	8.60	4.00	3.00	\$2.00 Daily Double	5-7	94.80	7,691
8	Jet G's Courage		2.80	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	7-8	27.60	45,325
3	J Lo's Halo			2.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	7-8-3	83.00	43,091
					\$2.00 Superfecta	7-8-3-5	383.80	31,451
					\$2.00 Pick 3	2-5-7 (3 correct)	3,831.40	8,708
					\$2.00 Quinella	7-8	9.20	3,171

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
7	Leaving Laughing	6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 1/4}
8	Jet G's Courage	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{3 1/4}
3	J Lo's Halo	8	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{7 3/4}	6 ^{7 1/2}	3 ^{3 3/4}
5	Z Waltz Me Home	5	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ³	4 ^{4 1/4}
10	Shiloh's Heatwave	2	5 ²	6 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/4}
2	Stormy Fuse	4	6 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ⁵	6 ^{8 1/4}
9	Storm Teaser	3	4 ²	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ⁷	7 ^{8 1/2}
1	P F Tis a Hoot	9	9 ^{9 1/2}	8 ^{9 3/4}	8 ^{9 1/2}	8 ¹³
4	Leestown Baby	7	8 ^{5 1/2}	9 ^{9 3/4}	9 ^{14 1/2}	9 ^{20 1/4}

Trainers: 7 - Calhoun, W.; 8 - Offolter, Joe; 3 - Calhoun, W.; 5 - Lovell, Michelle; 10 - Jenkins, Brandon; 2 - Lopez, Joe; 9 - Hassenpflug, Chad; 1 - Bird, Richard; 4 - West, Jr., Henry

Owners: 7 -Roy Gene Evans; 8 -Gary Owens; 3 - Love Partnership Interests LP; 5 -Bradley R. Robbins; 10 - Double T Thoroughbreds; 2 - Wommack, John R. and Wendy A.; 9 - Blossom Racing Stable LLC; 1 -Nancy L. Bird; 4 -Carl F. Alfred;

Footnotes

LEAVING LAUGHING set the pace from the start, drew off in upper stretch and was kept to pressure in late stretch while leading throughout. JET G'S COURAGE chased the pace while racing outside then made a bid in upper stretch but was no match for the winner. J LO'S HALO was unhurried early then made a run on the turn, swung out six wide in upper stretch and closed with a rush but was too late. Z WALTZ ME HOME saved ground on the turn while making a bid then failed to sustain that bid in the stretch. SHILOH'S HEATWAVE raced five wide on the turn and was no threat. STORMY FUSE saved ground on the turn then made mild bid and faltered in the stretch. STORM TEASER raced four wide on the turn and was no factor. P F TIS A HOOT broke in a tangle and was outrun. LEESTOWN BABY was outrun.