LOUISIANA DOWNS - June 16, 2012 - Race 8
CLAIMING - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (NW1 6MX) **Claiming Price:** $5,000
One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Country Jim - 1:39.40 - July 4, 1982)
Purse: $6,500
Includes: $4,000 Other Sources
Plus: $4,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement
Available Money: $7,740
Value of Race: $7,740 1st $3,900, 2nd $2,100, 3rd $1,155, 4th $390, 5th $195
Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:55 **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
28May12 ^{5}LAD^{2}	4	Rock Hard (Melancon, Jansen)	124	L fb	4	5	$7^{1\ 1/2}$	7^{1}	4^{Head}	$3^{1/2}$	1^{Neck}	1.30*	4w 1/4, late bid, best
1Jun12 ^{8}LAD^{7}	6	Run Brick Run (Inirio, Junior)	119	L f	5	1	$1^{1/2}$	1^{2}	1^{Head}	$2^{1/2}$	2^{Nose}	10.30	pace,drifted,nod 2nd
28May12 ^{5}LAD^{4}	7	Ashley's Venture (Diego, Iram)	121	L b	6	6	6^{2}	$5^{2\ 1/2}$	2^{2}	1^{Head}	$3^{1\ 1/2}$	16.20	bid,drifted,outfinishd
28May12 ^{5}LAD^{5}	3	Jumponthebandwagon (Rosier, Chris)	124	L b	3	7	9	9	8^{4}	$5^{1/2}$	$4^{1/2}$	9.50	belated interest
10Feb12 ^{7}FG^{8}	1	Howell Park (Eramia, Richard)	124	L	1	2	3^{1}	3^{Head}	$3^{1\ 1/2}$	4^{3}	$5^{4\ 1/2}$	1.90	gave way late
7Jun12 ^{2}LAD^{2}	2	Latch Lighting (Porche III, Thomas)	116	L fb	2	8	$5^{1/2}$	$4^{1/2}$	5^{1}	6^{1}	6^{Nose}	30.30	little for drive
28May12 ^{5}LAD^{6}	8	Jacob V and G A (Larrosa, Juan)	121	L f	7	9	8^{1}	8^{1}	$7^{1\ 1/2}$	7^{2}	$7^{2\ 3/4}$	10.70	bothered start, no bid
3Jun12 ^{9}LAD^{10}	9	Sierra Maestra (Burress, Beverly)	124	L f	8	4	$4^{1/2}$	$6^{1\ 1/2}$	6^{1}	8	8	41.20	tired 4w
18May12 ^{9}LAD^{11}	10	Socket (LeJeune, Jr., Sidney)	124	L f	9	3	$2^{2\ 1/2}$	$2^{1/2}$	9	---	---	17.10	chased,stoppd,distancd

Fractional Times: 24.71 49.22 1:14.00 1:40.22 **Final Time:** 1:44.38
Split Times: (24:51) (24:78) (26:22) (4:16)
Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Rock Hard, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Menifee out of Cerise, by Rahy. Foaled May 04, 2007 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Stone Farm & Speed Limited Partnership. **Winning Owner:** Richard L. Bird

Claiming Prices: 4 - Rock Hard: $5,000; 6 - Run Brick Run: $5,000; 7 - Ashley's Venture: $5,000; 3 - Jumponthebandwagon: $5,000; 1 - Howell Park: $5,000; 2 - Latch Lighting: $5,000; 8 - Jacob V and G A: $5,000; 9 - Sierra Maestra: $5,000; 10 - Socket: $5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Gresham (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: $22,204

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Rock Hard	4.60	3.20	2.40	$2.00 Exacta	4-6	28.20	19,949
6	Run Brick Run		8.00	5.00	$2.00 Trifecta	4-6-7	245.00	13,145
7	Ashley's Venture			6.20	$2.00 Superfecta	4-6-7-3	934.60	10,447
					$2.00 Pick 3	3-6-4 (3 correct)	27.80	1,403
					$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	3-6-5 (3 correct)	11.40	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Rock Hard	5	7^{7}	7^{7}	$4^{3\ 1/2}$	$3^{1/2}$	1^{Neck}
6	Run Brick Run	1	$1^{1/2}$	1^{2}	1^{Head}	2^{Head}	2^{Neck}
7	Ashley's Venture	6	6^{5}	5^{3}	2^{Head}	1^{Head}	3^{Neck}
3	Jumponthebandwagon	7	$9^{9\ 1/2}$	9^{9}	$8^{7\ 1/4}$	5^{4}	$4^{1\ 3/4}$
1	Howell Park	2	3^{3}	$3^{2\ 1/2}$	3^{2}	4^{1}	$5^{2\ 1/4}$
2	Latch Lighting	8	$5^{4\ 1/2}$	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	$5^{3\ 3/4}$	$6^{4\ 1/2}$	$6^{6\ 3/4}$
8	Jacob V and G A	9	$8^{8\ 1/2}$	8^{8}	$7^{5\ 3/4}$	$7^{5\ 1/2}$	$7^{6\ 3/4}$
9	Sierra Maestra	4	4^{4}	$6^{5\ 1/2}$	$6^{4\ 3/4}$	$8^{7\ 1/2}$	$8^{9\ 1/2}$
10	Socket	3	$2^{1/2}$	2^{2}	$9^{11\ 1/4}$	---	---

Trainers: 4 - Adams, Preston; 6 - Antwine, Michael; 7 - Rosier, Charlie; 3 - Loetscher, Clay; 1 - Hodges, James; 2 - Hukill, Charles; 8 - Melancon, Donald; 9 - Dixon, Tim; 10 - Morreale, Jake

Owners: 4 -Richard L. Bird; 6 -Toshita Antwine; 7 -Mike Hickey; 3 -Clay Loetscher; 1 -Stacey Moak; 2 -Charles P. Hukill; 8 -Stephanie Bruno; 9 -Toni Applebee; 10 -Jake V. Morreale;

Footnotes
ROCK HARD outrun in the early going, four wide when advancing into the stretch, challenged on the outside just inside the furlong marker, proved best under firm handling. RUN BRICK RUN broke on top and outward, set the pace toward the inside, responded when challenged in the second turn, long drive, drifted late, could not contain the winner while narrowly prevailing for the place in game fashion. ASHLEY'S VENTURE settled off the early pace after being pushed out at the start, ranged up under confident handling outside the runner up to challenge in the second turn, drifted while between foes, outfinished. JUMPONTHEBANDWAGON void of early foot, continued back into the lane, showed some belated interest while off the inside. HOWELL PARK forwardly placed, remained within striking distance into the stretch, gave way in the late going. LATCH LIGHTING had little for the drive. JACOB V AND G A bothered, fell back at the start, remained back in failing to menace. SIERRA MAESTRA within striking distance early off the inside, tired four wide. SOCKET pressured the early leader, chased that foe in the run up the backstretch, stopped in the second turn, distanced stretch.

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