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LOUISIANA DOWNS - July 10, 2008 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since May 10 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500, if for \$10,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races where entered for \$7,500 or less not considered in allowances). **Claiming Price:** \$12,500 - \$10,000

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Tangent (NZ) - 1:08.40 - April 28, 1984)

Purse: \$11,500

Includes: \$7,800 Other Sources

Plus: \$1,000 Starters Bonus

Plus: \$3,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$12,330

Value of Race: \$12,330 1st \$6,900, 2nd \$2,300, 3rd \$1,595, 4th \$690, 5th \$345, 6th \$250, 7th \$250

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:27 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
14Jun08 ¹ LAD ¹	7	Illuminique (Jacinto, John)	124	L f	6	4	4 ² 1/2	2 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ Head	1 ²	1.70*	3w, brushed, clear
26Jun08 ⁷ LAD ⁴	3	Never a Reason Why (Taylor, Larry)	122	L	2	2	3 ^{Head}	3 ²	2 ¹ Head	2 ¹ 1/4	5.70	bid between, brushed
24May08 ⁹ EVD ²	8	Wire Me Millie (Torres, Francisco)	119	L	7	6	7	7	4 ^{Head}	3 ³ / ₄	7.90	getting to runner up
6Jun08 ⁹ FMT ⁴	4	Chevron Cat (Meche, Donnie)	124	L b	3	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	3 ³ 1/2	4 ³ / ₄	3.50	faltered when headed
26Jun08 ⁷ LAD ³	5	Dixie Dust (Simington, Donald)	122	L fb	4	7	5 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹	5 ¹ 1/4	3.20	little impact
7Jun08 ⁷ FMT ²	6	Black Giraffe (LeBlanc, Kirk)	120	L	5	5	6 ³ 1/2	6 ¹	6 ² 1/2	6 ⁸ 1/2	15.20	4w 1/4, no rally
10Jan08 ⁶ FG ⁵	2	Richters Star (Gonzalez, Carlos)	122	L b	1	3	2 ^{Head}	4 ¹	7	7	13.00	faded

Fractional Times: 22.00 45.88 58.07

Final Time: 1:12.22

Split Times: (23:88) (12:19) (14:15)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Illuminique, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Yes It's True out of Prestigious Prize, by Hennessy. Foaled Mar 28, 2004 in Florida.

Breeder: Padua Stables. **Winning Owner:** Loden, Aaron and Ivy, James

1 Claimed Horse(s): Illuminique

New Trainer: Jorge Lara

New Owner: Jan Haynes

Claiming Prices: 7 - Illuminique: \$12,500; 3 - Never a Reason Why: \$12,500; 8 - Wire Me Millie: \$12,500; 4 - Chevron Cat: \$12,500; 5 - Dixie Dust: \$12,500; 6 - Black Giraffe: \$10,000; 2 - Richters Star: \$12,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Margie Marie (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$30,997

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Illuminique	5.40	3.20	2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	7-3	30.20	33,362
3	Never a Reason Why		5.40	4.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	7-3-8	178.40	27,207
8	Wire Me Millie			6.20	\$2.00 Superfecta	7-3-8-4	747.40	12,082

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Illuminique	4	4 ¹ 3/4	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²
3	Never a Reason Why	2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ / ₂	2 ^{Head}	2 ²
8	Wire Me Millie	6	7 ⁸ 3/4	7 ⁶	4 ³ 3/4	3 ³ 1/4
4	Chevron Cat	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ⁴
5	Dixie Dust	7	5 ⁴ 1/4	5 ³ 1/2	5 ³ 3/4	5 ⁴ 3/4
6	Black Giraffe	5	6 ⁵ 1/4	6 ⁵	6 ⁴ 3/4	6 ⁶
2	Richters Star	3	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	7 ⁷ 1/4	7 ¹⁴ 1/2

Trainers: 7 - Adams, Preston; 3 - Northrop, Jr., George; 8 - Bourgeois, Keith; 4 - Loy, F.; 5 - Konkoly, Andrew; 6 - Dixon, Tim; 2 - Duhon, Joe

Owners: 7 - Loden, Aaron and Ivy, James; 3 - Shrum Racing, Inc.; 8 - Larry Benoit; 4 - Danny R. Caldwell; 5 - Anjo Racing, Inc.; 6 - Ward, Jody A., Sidney and Donna; 2 - James A. Boyd;

Footnotes

ILLUMINIQUE forwardly placed, lodged a bid three wide into the stretch, brushed repeatedly with the runner up then edged away from that one late under firm handling. FOLLOWING A STEWARDS' INQUIRY REGARDING THE STRETCH RUN, THE RESULT WAS ALLOWED TO STAND. NEVER A REASON WHY just off the early pace under restraint, challenged between foes into the stretch, brushed with the winner, could not match that one late, held the place. WIRE ME MILLIE void of early foot, split foes when beginning to rally turning for home, continued willingly to the finish, getting to the runner up. CHEVRON CAT broke sharp, sprinted clear to set the pace along the inside, faltered when headed into the stretch. DIXIE DUST made little impact. BLACK GIRAFFE four wide into the lane, failed to rally. RICHTERS STAR prompted the early going, faded.