

**LOUISIANA DOWNS - August 3, 2007 - Race 3**

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of a race since June 3 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000 (Races Where Entered For \$7,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at Seven Furlongs) (Rail at 15 feet). **Claiming**

**Price:** \$10,000

About Seven And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Track Record:** (Home in Front - 1:27.40 - August 22, 1987)

**Purse:** \$11,500

**Includes:** \$7,800 Other Sources

**Plus:** \$1,000 Starters Bonus

**Plus:** \$3,400 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

**Available Money:** \$12,600

**Value of Race:** \$12,600 1st \$6,900, 2nd \$2,300, 3rd \$1,265, 4th \$690, 5th \$345, 6th \$350, 7th \$250, 8th \$250, 9th \$250

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Firm

**Off at:** 2:27 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Jun07 <sup>6</sup> EVD <sup>9</sup>	6	R B J's Blaze (Simington, Donald)	122	L f	5	3	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3/4</sup>	15.80	good kick to wire
13Jul07 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>2</sup>	2	Virginia Pride (Birmingham, Jeffery)	124	L f	2	5	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	0.90*	split foes, willing
13Jul07 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>1</sup>	11	Chuckie's in Love (Meche, Cody)	122	L b	10	8	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Neck</sup>	4.50	failed to sustain 4w
5Jul07 <sup>6</sup> LAD <sup>4</sup>	7	Olmos Creek (Jacinto, John)	122	L b	6	4	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	4.10	got thru rail, evenly
20Jul07 <sup>2</sup> LAD <sup>4</sup>	10	Exploit Exposed (Dupuis, Todd)	122	L	9	2	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>3/4</sup>	10.10	3w bid, weakened
5Oct06 <sup>9</sup> LAD <sup>10</sup>	4	Coastal Cat (Verenzuela, Jose)	119	L f	4	7	8 <sup>4</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>Nose</sup>	38.10	lacked rally
5Jul07 <sup>6</sup> LAD <sup>2</sup>	1	Son of Pistol (ARG) (Meche, Donnie)	122	L	1	6	5 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>4</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	14.40	nothing for drive
13Jul07 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>5</sup>	3	Summertime Mood (Santiago, Joel)	122	L	3	9	10	9 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>10</sup>	8 <sup>3</sup>	16.20	passed tiring foes
1Jul07 <sup>4</sup> LAD <sup>4</sup>	8	Dusty Tunnel (Riquelme, Jose)	122	L fb	7	1	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>13</sup>	46.40	dueled, stopped
13Jul07 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>9</sup>	9	Carlisle's Elysium (Diaz, Renzo)	122	L f	8	10	9 <sup>1/2</sup>	10	10	10	223.50	never involved

**Fractional Times:** 24.81 48.30 1:14.13 N/A

**Final Time:** 1:30.84

**Split Times:** (23:49) (25:83) (16:71)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet **Temporary Rail:** 15 feet

**Winner:** R B J's Blaze, Chestnut Gelding, by Meacham out of Callie Callie, by Prospector's Gold. Foaled May 01, 2000 in Texas.

**Breeder:** Ricky Dale Sammons.

**Winning Owner:** Ricky D. Sammons

**1 Claimed Horse(s):** Virginia Pride

New Trainer: Jorge Lara

New Owner: Jan Haynes

**Claiming Prices:** 6 - R B J's Blaze: \$10,000; 2 - Virginia Pride: \$10,000; 11 - Chuckie's in Love: \$10,000; 7 - Olmos Creek: \$10,000; 10 - Exploit Exposed: \$10,000; 4 - Coastal Cat: \$10,000; 1 - Son of Pistol (ARG): \$10,000; 3 - Summertime Mood: \$10,000; 8 - Dusty Tunnel: \$10,000; 9 - Carlisle's Elysium: \$10,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** First Boy (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$87,557

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	R B J's Blaze	33.60	10.80	5.80	\$2.00 Exacta	6-2	104.40	85,697
2	Virginia Pride		3.20	2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-2-11	541.60	64,550
11	Chuckie's in Love			2.80	\$2.00 Superfecta	6-2-11-7	2,218.00	28,550
					\$2.00 Quinella	2-6	36.80	5,419

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	R B J's Blaze	3	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3/4</sup>
2	Virginia Pride	5	6 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>3/4</sup>
11	Chuckie's in Love	8	7 <sup>5 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
7	Olmos Creek	4	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>
10	Exploit Exposed	2	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
4	Coastal Cat	7	8 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>4 1/2</sup>
1	Son of Pistol (ARG)	6	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>4 1/2</sup>
3	Summertime Mood	9	10 <sup>10 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>9</sup>	9 <sup>7 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>5</sup>
8	Dusty Tunnel	1	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>8</sup>
9	Carlisle's Elysium	10	9 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>17 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>21</sup>

**Trainers:** 6 - Hardin, Jerry; 2 - Cart, Jerry; 11 - Hardin, Jerry; 7 - Konkoly, Andrew; 10 - Robideaux, Jr., Larry; 4 - Wilson, Melton; 1 - Ferri, Elaine; 3 - Taylor, John; 8 - Hukill, Charles; 9 - Brown, William

**Owners:** 6 -Ricky D. Sammons; 2 -Jerry D. Cart; 11 -William W. Hays; 7 - Shrum Racing, Inc.; 10 -Larry Robideaux, Jr.; 4 -Melton Wilson; 1 -Michele Mandara; 3 - Casey, Dan and Monique; 8 -Charles P. Hukill; 9 -William Glen Brown;

**Footnotes**

R B J'S BLAZE narrowly set the pace along the inside, called on for some run in the stretch, managed a gook kick to the wire to hold sway in the late going. VIRGINIA PRIDE settled off the pace, moved a bit closer while behind a wall of horses into the stretch, set down when straightened for home, split foes late and finished willingly to be slowly getting to the winner. CHUCKIE'S IN LOVE forwardly place, moved to up challenge four wide turning for home, lost some ground to the winner, could not get back to that one by failing to sustain that challenge in the final furlong. OLMOS CREEK within striking distance, waited briefly for room turning into the straight, roused, lacked a serious late kick and finished up evenly. EXPLOIT EXPOSED second flight outside, three wide bid into stretch, weakened in the final furlong. COASTAL CAT lacked a rally. SON OF PISTOL (ARG) had nothing for the drive. SUMMERTIME MOOD trailed early, picked up a couple of tiring foes. DUSTY TUNNEL set or forced the pace off the inside, stopped in the drive. CARLISLE'S ELYSIUM always outrun.

