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LOUISIANA DOWNS - August 19, 2011 - Race 5

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED MAIDENS, THREE, FOUR, AND FIVE YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at 1 1/16 Miles) (Rail at 15 feet). (S) **Claiming Price: \$12,500**

About One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Inevitable Leader - 1:40.00 - May 26, 1986)

Purse: \$13,000

Includes: \$9,000 Other Sources

Includes: \$1,800 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund

Available Money: \$13,000

Value of Race: \$13,000 1st \$7,560, 2nd \$2,520, 3rd \$1,386, 4th \$756, 5th \$378, 6th \$80, 7th \$80, 8th \$80, 9th \$80, 10th \$80

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Firm

Off at: 3:13 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Aug11 ⁶ LAD ³	10	Connor's Champ (Simington, Donald)	120	L	10	8	8 ²	8 ^{Head}	7 ² 1/2	4 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	3.80	unhurried, up in time
24Jul11 ⁶ LAD ⁷	6	Decreed (Rosier, Chris)	124	L fb	6	1	4 ¹	5 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	2 ^{Neck}	4.40	4-3w advance, caught
5Aug11 ⁷ LAD ³	4	Countryboyatheart (Eramia, Richard)	120	L b	4	5	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	3 ² 1/2	3 ^{Head}	3.10*	late bid, not enuff
21Jul11 ³ LAD ²	1	C. McHale (Beitia, Alex)	124	L	1	7	7 ¹	7 ^{Head}	8 ¹ 1/2	5 ² 1/2	4 ⁵ 3/4	3.70	improved thru traffic
21Jul11 ³ LAD ⁵	5	Blanco Billy (Melancon, Jansen)	120	L b	5	3	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	5 ² 1/4	4.50	forward, weakened late
4Aug11 ⁹ LAD ⁹	7	Kick Loose (Rodriguez, Filemon)	124	L b	7	6	6 ¹ 1/2	6 ¹	6 ¹	6 ¹	6 ⁵ 3/4	14.90	5w 3/8, no rally
5Aug11 ⁷ LAD ⁷	3	Romantic Devil (Contreras, Alfredo)	120	L b	3	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ³ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	7 ⁶	7 ⁴ 3/4	14.60	dueled off rail, faded
11Aug11 ³ LAD ⁷	9	Coastal Rally (Corrales, Ismael)	119 ⁵	L b	9	10	10	10	10	8 ⁵	8 ⁸ 3/4	55.40	steadied start, outrun
---	8	Remember Hoagy (Burress, Beverly)	120	L b	8	9	9 ⁵	9 ⁷	9 ²	9 ²	9 ⁹ 1/4	57.20	bothered, off slow
6Aug11 ⁵ LAD ⁸	2	Fair Victory (Balthazar, Jared)	120	L	2	4	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	10	10	41.70	dueled, stopped rail

Fractional Times: 23.48 48.91 1:15.10 1:39.11

Final Time: 1:46.36

Split Times: (25:43) (26:19) (24:01) (7:25)

Run-Up: 30 feet **Temporary Rail:** 15 feet

Winner: Connor's Champ, Chestnut Gelding, by Afternoon Deelites out of Seein' Green, by Green Dancer. Foaled Apr 08, 2008 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Steve Jolissaint.

Winning Owner: Roe, Steve D. and Patricia L.

Claiming Prices: 10 - Connor's Champ: \$12,500; 6 - Decreed: \$12,500; 4 - Countryboyatheart: \$12,500; 1 - C. McHale: \$12,500; 5 - Blanco Billy: \$12,500; 7 - Kick Loose: \$12,500; 3 - Romantic Devil: \$12,500; 9 - Coastal Rally: \$12,500; 8 - Remember Hoagy: \$12,500; 2 - Fair Victory: \$12,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$43,146

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Connor's Champ	9.60	5.20	3.80	\$2.00 Exacta	10-6	68.40	38,783
6	Decreed		5.00	3.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	10-6-4	171.20	27,470
4	Countryboyatheart			3.00	\$2.00 Superfecta	10-6-4-1	624.40	18,075
					\$2.00 Pick 3	1-6-10 (3 correct)	208.60	1,808
					\$2.00 Pick 4	5-1/5-6-10 (4 correct)	1,922.00	6,407

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
10	Connor's Champ	8	8 ⁵ 3/4	8 ⁶ 3/4	7 ³ 3/4	4 ³ 1/2	1 ^{1/2}
6	Decreed	1	4 ¹ 3/4	5 ⁴ 3/4	3 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ^{1/2}
4	Countryboyatheart	5	5 ² 3/4	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ¹ 3/4	3 ¹	3 ^{3/4}
1	C. McHale	7	7 ⁴ 3/4	7 ⁶ 3/4	8 ⁶ 1/4	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ^{3/4}
5	Blanco Billy	3	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ³ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	5 ⁶ 1/2
7	Kick Loose	6	6 ³ 1/4	6 ⁵ 3/4	6 ² 3/4	6 ⁷	6 ⁸ 3/4
3	Romantic Devil	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	7 ⁸	7 ¹⁴ 1/2
9	Coastal Rally	10	10 ¹² 3/4	10 ¹⁴	10 ⁹ 3/4	8 ¹⁴	8 ¹⁹ 1/4
8	Remember Hoagy	9	9 ⁷ 3/4	9 ⁷	9 ⁷ 3/4	9 ¹⁹	9 ²⁸
2	Fair Victory	4	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	5 ² 3/4	10 ²¹	10 ³⁷ 1/4

Trainers: 10 - Balderas, Alfonso; 6 - Dunlap, Shon; 4 - Simpson, Pamela; 1 - Morreale, Jake; 5 - Dunn, Henry; 7 - Dixon, Tim; 3 - Castillo, Gloria; 9 - Rushing, Michael; 8 - Carter, Peter; 2 - Player, Fletcher

Owners: 10 - Roe, Steve D. and Patricia L.; 6 - Penny Scarberry; 4 - World War IV Racing; 1 - Jake V. Morreale; 5 - Dunn, Henry Ray and Valdez, Pedro; 7 - Danny Jackson; 3 - C Horse Racing Stable; 9 - Brenda Rushing; 8 - Linda Riddick; 2 - Thomas R. Peters;

Footnotes

CONNOR'S CHAMP completely unhurried early, continued back, steadied slightly in some traffic far turn, call on for some run soon after, moved out to the far outside for the drive, closed well to be in time. DECREED settled off the pace, moved toward the front four wide early in the second turn, put a head in front while three wide into the lane, larger lead, nipped late. COUNTRYBOYATHEART saved ground early behind the pace, moved out, closer three wide second turn, angled out a bit further when straightened for home, late bid between the top two, not enough. C. MCHALE lacked speed, continued to be patiently handled in the second turn, improved position through traffic down the lane. BLANCO BILLY in the second flight within striking distance, continued to maintain a forward position into the lane, weakened in the final furlong. KICK LOOSE broke out, evenly paced, was five wide into the far turn, failed to muster a rally when asked in the drive. ROMANTIC DEVIL alternated up front off the inside, faltered in the drive. COASTAL RALLY broke in, steadied at the start, remained back throughout and was never a factor. REMEMBER HOAGY bothered, off slowly, was also always outrun. FAIR VICTORY dueled up front closest to the inside under firm restraint, stopped second turn.