

**LOUISIANA DOWNS - September 1, 2012 - Race 2**

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred  
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING,  
STARTER, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$17,500.  
Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of a race at a mile or over since August 1 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price  
\$17,500 (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW2 X) **Claiming Price:** \$17,500  
One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Country Jim - 1:39.40 - July 4, 1982)

**Purse:** \$24,500

**Includes:** \$4,000 Other Sources

**Plus:** \$5,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

**Available Money:** \$27,800

**Value of Race:** \$27,800 1st \$17,700, 2nd \$4,900, 3rd \$2,695, 4th \$1,770, 5th \$735

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 1:57 **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
18Aug12 <sup>6</sup> LAD <sup>6</sup>	1	Noble Alex (Cloninger, Jr., Weldon)	114	L fb	1	2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup> 3/4	9.10	soft pace, stayed clear
16Aug12 <sup>4</sup> LAD <sup>3</sup>	5	Halifax Flyer (Eramia, Richard)	121	L	4	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	7.20	chased, 2nd best
4Jul12 <sup>6</sup> LAD <sup>5</sup>	7	Speighter Man (Guidry, Mark)	121	L f	6	4	4 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>3/4</sup>	2.30*	along for show
19Jul12 <sup>5</sup> EVD <sup>6</sup>	2	Expressiano (Jacinto, John)	118	L b	2	6	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	6.20	pulled hard, empty late
2Aug12 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>1</sup>	6	Sour (Simington, Donald)	121	L	5	7	7	7	7	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/4	2.40	last away, little impact
17Aug12 <sup>9</sup> EVD <sup>2</sup>	8	Dreamsrunwild (Rosier, Chris)	118	L f	7	3	6 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	7	6 <sup>Nose</sup>	4.20	4w 2nd turn, no kick
15Jul12 <sup>4</sup> LAD <sup>4</sup>	3	Private Prayer (Melancon, Jansen)	116	L b	3	5	5 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	7	14.00	no rally

**Fractional Times:** 25.45 50.75 1:15.59 1:39.62 **Final Time:** 1:43.44

**Split Times:** (25:30) (24:84) (24:03) (3:82)

**Run-Up:** 25 feet

**Winner:** Noble Alex, Chestnut Colt, by Afleet Alex out of Cute N Noble, by Noble Assembly. Foaled Mar 07, 2009 in Louisiana.

**Breeder:** Curtis O. Clark & Afleet Alex Syndicate. **Winning Owner:** Sharon Pittman

**Claiming Prices:** 5 - Halifax Flyer: \$17,500;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Fast Time Streaker (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$36,093

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Noble Alex	20.20	10.80	6.00	\$2.00 Exacta	1-5	113.60	29,849
5	Halifax Flyer		8.60	4.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-5-7	1,088.00	27,230
7	Speighter Man			2.80	\$2.00 Superfecta	1-5-7-2	8,554.20	15,892
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-1	73.20	10,732

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Noble Alex	2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup> 3/4
5	Halifax Flyer	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup> 3/4
7	Speighter Man	4	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup> 3/4
2	Expressiano	6	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup> 1/2
6	Sour	7	7 <sup>4</sup> 3/4	7 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	5 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>8</sup> 1/2
8	Dreamsrunwild	3	6 <sup>3</sup> 1/4	5 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>9</sup> 3/4
3	Private Prayer	5	5 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>6</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>9</sup> 3/4

**Trainers:** 1 - Hukill, Charles; 5 - Konkoly, Andrew; 7 - Smith, Guy; 2 - Johnston, Edward; 6 - Stall, Jr., Albert; 8 - Duke, Steven; 3 - Mouton, Patrick

**Owners:** 1 -Sharon Pittman; 5 - Sierra Racing Stable LLC; 7 -Ella Mae Chisum; 2 - Coats and Tails Stable LLC; 6 -Adele B. Dilschneider; 8 -Sandra Duke; 3 -Don W. Holcomb;

**Footnotes**

NOBLE ALEX took command soon after the start, set a soft set of fractions toward the inside under firm restraint, shook clear when straightened for home, maintained daylight the final furlong under steady handling. HALIFAX FLYER prompted the winner from the outset, fell back off that rival upper stretch, could not get back to that same foe late, drew clear of the others. SPEIGHTER MAN settled off the pace, stated a mild rally off the inside to be along for the show. EXPRESSIANO broke out, pulled hard while just behind the winner inside, continued along the rail second turn and into the lane, lacked a closing bid. SOUR last to leave, trailed early, between foes while still back into the lane, made little impact in the drive. DREAMSRUNWILD off the pace outside, four wide through the final turn, lacked a late kick. PRIVATE PRAYER also failed to muster a rally after racing back.

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