

LOUISIANA DOWNS - September 8, 2012 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of a race at a mile or over since August 8 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Races where entered for \$4,000 or less not considered in allowances). **Claiming**

Price: \$5,000

One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Country Jim - 1:39.40 - July 4, 1982)

Purse: \$9,000

Includes: \$4,000 Other Sources

Plus: \$4,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$12,200

Value of Race: \$12,200 1st \$7,800, 2nd \$2,600, 3rd \$990, 4th \$540, 5th \$270

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:15 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
26Aug12 ⁴ LAD ³	3	Latch Lighting (Rosier, Chris)	118	L fb	3	7	6 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	3 ³	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}	26.30	moved out, in, up rail
19Aug12 ¹ LAD ⁶	6	Oriza (Melancon, Jansen)	118	L fb	6	3	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	2 ¹ 1/4	8.10	found more, drift, nippd
19Aug12 ¹ LAD ²	5	Lucky Tradition (Eramia, Richard)	121	L	5	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ³	2 ¹	3 ⁴	3 ⁴ 1/4	2.60	chased, lacked kick
10Aug12 ⁶ LAD ¹	7	Smiley Pete (Chapa, Roman)	124	L	7	1	5 ¹ 1/2	6 ⁶	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ¹ 3/4	1.60*	4w 7/8, settled, evenly
16Aug12 ⁴ LAD ⁹	2	Rock Hard (Gonzalez, Carlos)	121	L fb	2	6	7	7	6 ¹⁵	5 ^{1/2}	5 ⁴	5.30	no speed, 4w 1/4, even
26Jul12 ² LAD ⁷	4	Deacon Bob (Contreras, Alfredo)	121	L b	4	4	4 ¹	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹ 1/2	6	6	51.70	lacked serious bid
31Aug12 ⁵ LAD ⁸	1	Teenager in Love (Riquelme, Jose)	121	L	1	5	3 ³	3 ^{1/2}	7	---	---	3.30	gave way 4w, distanced

Fractional Times: 24.10 48.45 1:14.22 1:41.06 **Final Time:** 1:45.50

Split Times: (24:35) (25:77) (26:84) (4:44)

Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Latch Lighting, Bay Gelding, by Time Bandit out of Senorita Squall, by Summer Squall. Foaled Apr 06, 2004 in Louisiana.

Breeder: J. Tim White III.

Winning Owner: Charles P. Hukill

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Smiley Pete** New Trainer: Stanley W. Roberts New Owner: Patti Turner

Claiming Prices: 3 - Latch Lighting: \$5,000; 6 - Oriza: \$5,000; 5 - Lucky Tradition: \$5,000; 7 - Smiley Pete: \$5,000; 2 - Rock Hard: \$5,000; 4 - Deacon Bob: \$5,000; 1 - Teenager in Love: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$26,771

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Latch Lighting	54.60	19.40	6.60	\$2.00 Exacta	3-6	350.00	21,152
6	Oriza		8.60	5.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-6-5	1,444.20	18,303
5	Lucky Tradition			3.60				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Latch Lighting	7	6 ⁸ 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/2	3 ² 1/2	2 ²	1 ^{Neck}
6	Oriza	3	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	2 ^{Neck}
5	Lucky Tradition	2	2 ² 1/2	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2
7	Smiley Pete	1	5 ⁷	6 ⁵ 3/4	4 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁶	4 ⁵ 3/4
2	Rock Hard	6	7 ¹⁰	7 ¹¹ 3/4	6 ⁷ 1/2	5 ⁷	5 ⁷ 1/2
4	Deacon Bob	4	4 ⁶	5 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁶	6 ⁷ 1/2	6 ¹¹ 1/2
1	Teenager in Love	5	3 ³	3 ⁵	7 ²² 1/2	---	---

Trainers: 3 - Hukill, Charles; 6 - Foster, Joseph; 5 - Mouton, Patrick; 7 - Pish, Danny; 2 - Adams, Preston; 4 - Bryant, George; 1 - Cates, Al

Owners: 3 - Charles P. Hukill; 6 - James E. Hanna; 5 - Don W. Holcomb; 7 - Danny Keene; 2 - Richard L. Bird; 4 - Mike H. Carson; 1 - Hogwild Stables;

Footnotes

LATCH LIGHTING outrun in the early going, moved closer along the inside late backstretch, moved out for room in the second turn, dropped back inside for the drive, blocked, steered out midstretch, back to the inside, finished with good energy up the rail to be in time. ORIZA sprinted clear soon after the start, set a fair pace off the inside, found more for the drive, drifted out a bit nearing the furlong marker, straightened, allowed the winner the rail late, nipped at wire. LUCKY TRADITION closest to the leader, moved a bit closer to that rival on the outside turning for home, lacked a closing punch, well clear of the others. SMILEY PETE four wide into the first turn when off the pace, settled in the run up the backstretch in three path, continued evenly through the stretch. ROCK HARD void of early foot, came four wide out of the final turn, failed to muster a rally. DEACON BOB raced in mid pack, between rivals up the backstretch, also lacked a bid in the drive. TEENAGER IN LOVE briefly raced forward, gave way four wide backstretch, distanced after losing contact with the field.