

LOUISIANA DOWNS - September 29, 2002 - Race 10



STAKES Delta Miss S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

A SWEEPSTAKES FOR TWO YEAR OLD FILLIES. Weight: 122 lbs. Non-winners of a sweepstakes, allowed 3 lbs.; \$8,400 twice, allowed 6 lbs.; \$7,500 once, allowed 8 lbs. No nomination fee. \$200 to pass the entry box on Friday, September 27 and an additional \$200 to start on Sunday, September 29. Starters to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. Should this race not be divided and the entry number exceed the starting gate capacity, high weights will be preferred. Different owners will have equal draw according to weights. The second part of same owner entries will have no consideration over a single interest. Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Prince of the Mt. - 1:14.98 - May 23, 1996)

Purse: \$30,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$30,000

Value of Race: \$30,000 1st \$18,000, 2nd \$6,000, 3rd \$3,000, 4th \$1,500, 5th \$900, 6th \$600

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 6:04 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
8Sep02 ¹⁰ LAD ²	3	Mekko Hokte (Doocy, Timothy)	114	L	4	3	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4.00	steady gain, game
15Sep02 ⁷ LAD ³	4	Hadif's Allstar (Jimenez, Alex)	122	L	5	2	2 ^{3 1/2}	2 ⁴	1 ^{Head}	2 ⁴	5.80	very stubborn late
7Sep02 ⁴ RP ¹	5	Obligatory (LeBlanc, Kirk)	118	L	6	4	5 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ⁴	3 ^{2 3/4}	9.80	along for show
15Sep02 ⁷ LAD ¹	1	Hannah's Royalrock (Murphy, Glen)	122	L	2	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	0.30*	dueled, weakened rail
1Sep02 ⁴ LAD ¹	1A	Ofelia Fever (Melancon, Gerard)	118	-	3	6	6	5 ⁴	5 ¹⁰	5 ^{7 1/4}	0.30*	evenly drive
25Aug02 ⁴ LAD ¹	2	Star On the Water (Lovato, Anthony)	118	L	1	5	4 ^{1 1/2}	6	6	6	26.10	well beaten

Fractional Times: 22.34 45.45 1:10.83

Final Time: 1:17.99

Split Times: (23:11) (25:38) (7:16)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Mekko Hokte, Gray or Roan Filly, by Holy Bull out of Aerosilver, by Relaunch. Foaled Mar 06, 2000 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Chris Byrnes. **Winning Owner:** William P. Lerblance, Jr.

Scratched Horse(s): Seven December (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$47,156

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Mekko Hokte	10.00	9.00	16.20	\$2.00 Exacta	3-4	53.00	34,023
4	Hadif's Allstar		7.00	13.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-4-5	185.00	29,125
5	Obligatory			14.20	\$2.00 Pick 3	2-10-3 (3 correct)	440.40	3,231
					\$2.00 Quinella	3-4	22.60	4,067

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Mekko Hokte	3	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁴	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}
4	Hadif's Allstar	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}
5	Obligatory	4	5 ⁶	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ⁴	3 ⁴
1	Hannah's Royalrock	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{6 3/4}
1A	Ofelia Fever	6	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ⁸	5 ^{11 1/4}
2	Star On the Water	5	4 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}	6 ¹⁸	6 ^{18 1/2}

Trainers: 3 - Smith, Kenny; 4 - David, Jr., Sam; 5 - Von Hemel, Donnie; 1 - Asmussen, Steven; 1A - Asmussen, Steven; 2 - Waldie, Jack

Owners: 3 -William P. Lerblance, Jr.; 4 - Treece, John M. and Rester, James C.; 5 - Pin Oak Stable; 1 -Keith I. Asmussen; 1a-Keith I. Asmussen; 2 -Jack Waldie;

Footnotes

MEKKO HOKTE allowed the pace to go early, raced closest to the leaders through the turn, called on some run while off the inside turning for home, steady advance, late bid, dug in late in game fashion to narrowly prevail. HADIF'S ALLSTAR dueled off the inside, showed the way past the furlong marker, responded when the winner came alongside and proved very stubborn to the end to just miss. OBLIGATORY lacked speed well out in the strip. along for the show while no threat to the top two. HANNAH'S ROYALROCK set or forced the pace closest to the inside, weakened the final furlong. OFELIA FEVER trailed early, mild gain late in the turn, flattened out in the drive. STAR ON THE WATER finished early, well beaten.

Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate