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**LAUREL PARK - February 28, 2009 - Race 4**

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON THREE RACES IN 2008-2009. Weight, 124 lbs. Non-winners of two races since December 28, 2008 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000, For Each \$250 To \$4,500 2 lbs. (Races where entered for \$4,000 or less not considered in eligibility). (NW3 Y+X) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000 - \$4,500 Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Richter Scale - 1:07.95 - July 15, 2000)

**Purse:** \$10,000

**Available Money:** \$10,000

**Value of Race:** \$10,000 1st \$5,700, 2nd \$2,100, 3rd \$1,100, 4th \$600, 5th \$300, 6th \$200

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

**Off at:** 2:06 **Start:** Good for all except 9

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
13Feb09 <sup>3</sup> LRL <sup>5</sup>	3	New York Stringer (Garcia, Geovany)	120	L b	3	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	13.30	2-3wd,bid 1/4,dug in
11Feb09 <sup>7</sup> CT <sup>5</sup>	4	Wicked Retort (Castellano, Jr., Abel)	118	L b	4	3	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Nose</sup>	3.00	battled back game ins
1May08 <sup>6</sup> PIM <sup>4</sup>	7	Shamss (Garcia, Luis)	120	LA bf	7	2	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	1.60*	lost ground 4-5wd,bid
13Feb09 <sup>3</sup> LRL <sup>7</sup>	6	He's So Royal (Joyce, Jonathan)	116	LA b	6	4	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	6.40	3-4wd,outfinished btw
31Jan09 <sup>1</sup> PEN <sup>5</sup>	2	Whiskey Sez (Straight, Matthew)	115 <sup>5</sup>	LA bf	2	6	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>3/4</sup>	2.30	rated 3/8,swung out
13Feb09 <sup>3</sup> LRL <sup>6</sup>	5	Hickory Hawk (Ramirez, Josean)	113 <sup>7</sup>	L b	5	7	8	8	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	39.60	bumped start, inside
31Jan09 <sup>7</sup> LRL <sup>10</sup>	1	Still Fighting (Chaves, Manuel)	111 <sup>5</sup>	LA bf	1	5	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	45.30	steadied 5/8,angled 7w
13Feb09 <sup>3</sup> LRL <sup>8</sup>	9	Creole Beat (Whitacre, Grant)	116	LA b	8	8	7 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	8	8	19.50	broke in air

**Fractional Times:** 23.26 47.55 59.72

**Final Time:** 1:12.39

**Split Times:** (24:29) (12:17) (12:67)

**Run-Up:** 60 feet

**Winner:** New York Stringer, Chestnut Gelding, by Jazz Club out of Kitty's Creek, by Proud Truth. Foaled May 07, 2005 in Maryland.

**Breeder:** Janon Fisher III & Frank Richardson.

**Winning Owner:** Janon Fisher, III

**Claiming Prices:** 3 - New York Stringer: \$5,000; 4 - Wicked Retort: \$4,500; 7 - Shamss: \$5,000; 6 - He's So Royal: \$4,500; 2 - Whiskey Sez: \$5,000; 5 - Hickory Hawk: \$5,000; 1 - Still Fighting: \$4,500; 9 - Creole Beat: \$4,500;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Pointsman (Trainer)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$51,381

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	New York Stringer	28.60	8.80	5.60	\$2.00 Pick 3	5-1/4-3 (3 correct)	913.20	9,040
4	Wicked Retort		4.40	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	3-4	155.00	54,977
7	Shamss			2.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-4-7	721.00	47,282

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	New York Stringer	1	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>
4	Wicked Retort	3	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
7	Shamss	2	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>
6	He's So Royal	4	4 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>
2	Whiskey Sez	6	6 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/4</sup>
5	Hickory Hawk	7	8 <sup>8</sup>	8 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>4</sup>
1	Still Fighting	5	3 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>5 1/4</sup>
9	Creole Beat	8	7 <sup>7</sup>	7 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>8</sup>	8 <sup>8 1/2</sup>

**Trainers:** 3 - Fisher, III, Janon; 4 - Gomez, Manuel; 7 - Campbell, William; 6 - Wolfendale, Howard; 2 - Hooper, Timothy; 5 - Peacock, Jr., Roy; 1 - Gamber, Robert; 9 - Komlo, William

**Owners:** 3 -Janon Fisher, III; 4 -Carlos Vazquez; 7 - Jack Jordan Racing LLC; 6 - Whitehead, Gregory S. and Glen; 2 -Michael J. Gill; 5 -Roy M. Peacock, Jr.; 1 -Robert E. Gamber; 9 -Joseph J. Johnson;

**Footnotes**

NEW YORK STRINGER stalked the pace two to three wide, moved to challenge approaching the quarter pole, took command in upper stretch, moved clear nearing mid stretch, responded to right handed pressure and dug in to prevail. WICKED RETORT broke outward and bumped with HICKORY HAWK, recovered and sprinted clear under some rating, set the pace towards the inside, was headed in upper stretch then continued on gamely inside of the winner. SHAMSS , away alertly, lost ground four and five wide, moved closer mid turn then continued on willingly, just missing the place. HE'S SO ROYAL chased the pace three and four wide, closed the gap but was outfinished between rivals. WHISKEY SEZ , taken to rate along the rail near the three furlong marker, swung out in the drive and had some belated action. HICKORY HAWK , bumped at the break, lacked speed, saved ground into the lane and offered some mild late action. STILL FIGHTING flashed speed inside, was steadied briefly near the five eighths pole, swung out seven wide in upper stretch and lacked a closing response. CREOLE BEAT broke in the air and lost all chance.