

**LONE STAR PARK - October 30, 2004 - Race 8**

STAKES John Deere Breeders' Cup Turf Grade 1 - Thoroughbred



FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. Northern Hemisphere Three-Year-Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs.; Southern Hemisphere Three-Year-Olds, 116 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. All Fillies and Mares allowed 3 lbs. \$20,000 to pre-enter, \$40,000 to enter, with guaranteed \$2million purse including nominator awards (plus Net Supplementary fees, if any), of which 52% of all monies to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 5.7% to fourth and 3% to fifth; plus stallion nominator awards of 2.6% of all monies to the winner, 1% to second and 0.55% to third and foal nominator awards of 2.6% of all monies to the winner, 1% to second and 0.55% to third.

One And One Half Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Houghton Regrets - 2:27.39 - July 27, 2008)

**Purse:** \$2,000,000 Guaranteed

**Available Money:** \$2,000,000

**Value of Race:** \$1,834,000 1st \$1,040,000, 2nd \$400,000, 3rd \$220,000, 4th \$114,000, 5th \$60,000

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Yielding

**Off at:** 3:59 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
11Sep04 <sup>9</sup> BEL <sup>4</sup>	5	Better Talk Now (Dominguez, Ramon)	126	L bf	5 8		7 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	27.90	five wide move, clear
2Oct04 <sup>9</sup> BEL <sup>1</sup>	4	Kitten's Joy (Velazquez, John)	121	L	4	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	0.70*	inside move, 2nd best
11Sep04 LEO <sup>3</sup>	1	Powerscourt (GB) (Spencer, Jamie)	126	L b	1	6 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	2.90	poor break, bid, tired
2Oct04 <sup>9</sup> BEL <sup>2</sup>	6	Magistretti (Prado, Edgar)	126	L b	6	5 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	6.10	steadied 3/16pl, tired
9Oct04 <sup>5</sup> KEE <sup>1</sup>	8	Mustanfar (Santos, Jose)	121	L b	8	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8	8	7 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>Neck</sup>	23.40	improved position
2Oct04 <sup>9</sup> BEL <sup>4</sup>	2	Request for Parole (Day, Pat)	126	L	2	4 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>4</sup>	22.20	saved ground, tired
2Oct04 <sup>8</sup> WO <sup>7</sup>	3	Strut the Stage (Nakatani, Corey)	126	L b	3	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	27.40	chased rail, gave way
3Oct04 <sup>5</sup> SA <sup>1</sup>	7	Star Over the Bay (Baze, Tyler)	126	L	7	1 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	8	8	8.10	used up

**Fractional Times:** 24.90 49.16 1:13.96 1:40.14 2:04.15 **Final Time:** 2:29.70

**Split Times:** (24:26) (24:80) (26:18) (24:01) (25:55)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Better Talk Now, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Talkin Man out of Bendita, by Baldski. Foaled Feb 25, 1999 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Wimborne Farm, Inc.. **Winning Owner:** Bushwood Stables LLC

**Total WPS Pool:** \$3,942,242

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Better Talk Now	57.80	12.40	5.20	\$2.00 Exacta	5-4	134.80	2,676,912
4	Kitten's Joy		2.80	2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	5-4-1	492.00	2,357,798
1	Powerscourt (GB)			3.00	\$2.00 Superfecta	5-4-1-6	1,483.40	903,935
					\$2.00 Pick 3	5-8-5 (3 correct)	4,007.40	550,358
					\$2.00 Head2Head	1 VS 4 - WINNER 4 (1 correct)	2.80	56,680

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin
5	Better Talk Now	8 <sup>10 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>12</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1 3/4</sup>
4	Kitten's Joy	3 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>7</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 3/4</sup>
1	Powerscourt (GB)	6 <sup>8</sup>	6 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2 3/4</sup>
6	Magistretti	5 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>9</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>
8	Mustanfar	7 <sup>10</sup>	8 <sup>12 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>7 3/4</sup>
2	Request for Parole	4 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>8</sup>	6 <sup>8</sup>
3	Strut the Stage	2 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	7 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>12</sup>
7	Star Over the Bay	1 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>9</sup>	8 <sup>15 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 5 - Motion, H.; 4 - Romans, Dale; 1 - O'Brien, Aidan; 6 - Biancone, Patrick; 8 - McLaughlin, Kieran; 2 - Hough, Stanley; 3 - Frostad, Mark; 7 - Mitchell, Mike

**Owners:** 5 - Bushwood Stables LLC; 4 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 1 -Mrs. John Magnier; 6 -Michael B. Tabor; 8 - Shadwell Stable; 2 - Knighton, Jeri and Sam; 3 - Sam-Son Farm; 7 - Gerson Racing, VanBurger, Carl F. and Vaughn, Landon;

**Footnotes**

BETTER TALK NOW was unhurried for a mile, angled out on the far turn, rapidly closed the gap on the turn, circled five wide rallying into the stretch, charged to the front while drifting in slightly in midstretch then drew away under steady left hand urging. KITTEN'S JOY was well placed slightly off the rail along the backstretch, launched a rally in the two path on the turn, made a run along the inside to threaten in upper stretch but was no match for the winner while outfinishing POWERSCOURT for the place. POWERSCOURT (GB) was unhurried early after breaking poorly, made a strong middle move while four wide along the backstretch, opened a clear advantage on the far turn, maintained a slim lead into upper stretch, brushed with the winner while drifting out in midstretch then weakened under pressure in the final eighth. MAGISTRETTI was taken in hand for six furlongs, eased back slightly on the far turn, rallied three wide to reach contention on the turn, moved up between horses in upper stretch, steadied in traffic nearing the furlong marker then weakened late. MUSTANFAR was outrun for a mile and failed to threaten while improving his position. REQUEST FOR PAROLE raced up close while saving ground for a mile and steadily tired thereafter. STRUT THE STAGE chased the pacesetter along the rail to the far turn and faltered. STAR OVER THE BAY was used up setting the early pace. Following a stewards inquiry into the stretch run there was no change in the order of finish.

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