

**MEADOWLANDS - October 23, 2008 - Race 8**

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of \$23,000 since August 24 Allowed 2 lbs. \$18,000 since then Allowed 4 lbs. (Races where entered for \$40,000 or less not considered). (Rail at 17 feet). (NW1 X)

One Mile On The Turf **Track Record:** (Formal King - 1:33.79 - October 23, 2008)

**Purse:** \$40,000

**Available Money:** \$40,000

**Value of Race:** \$40,000 1st \$24,000, 2nd \$7,600, 3rd \$4,400, 4th \$1,600, 5th \$400, 6th \$400, 7th \$400, 8th \$400, 9th \$400, 10th \$400

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Firm

**Off at:** 10:12 **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
26Sep08 <sup>6</sup> MTH <sup>1</sup>	5	Formal King (Lopez, Charles)	119 L	4	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup>	1 <sup>5</sup>	1.10*	drew off, kept to task
21Sep08 <sup>8</sup> MTH <sup>5</sup>	4	White Holiday (Cotto, Jr., Pedro)	117 L	3	10	10	10	9 <sup>8</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	12.10	split rivals, rallied
16Sep08 <sup>7</sup> PHA <sup>4</sup>	8	Brother Sy (Turner, Tommy)	117 L	7	4	6 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	9.90	angled in, rail rally
21Sep08 <sup>8</sup> MTH <sup>2</sup>	11	Ready to Play (Castro, Eddie)	117 L b	10	8	7 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>3/4</sup>	2.50	4 wide into lane
7Oct08 <sup>6</sup> PHA <sup>7</sup>	7	Stackemup (Alvarado, Jr., Roberto)	117 L b f	6	3	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	60.70	chased inside, weaken
6Oct08 <sup>7</sup> PHA <sup>4</sup>	2	Citizen Soldier (Centeno, Daniel)	121 L b	2	7	9 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	9 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>3/4</sup>	9.40	inside, no rally
7Oct08 <sup>8</sup> MED <sup>2</sup>	6	Just Playin Around (Elliott, Stewart)	117 L b	5	2	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup> 1/4	20.90	chased, tired
20Sep08 <sup>9</sup> LRL <sup>2</sup>	1	Better Be Ready (Foley, Tom)	119 L b	1	9	8 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>10</sup>	8 <sup>2</sup>	23.50	5 wide into lane
4Oct08 <sup>3</sup> BEL <sup>8</sup>	10	Marquet Cat (Cruz, Carlos)	117 L b	9	6	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>10</sup> 1/2	12.50	pressed pace, tired
7Oct08 <sup>8</sup> MED <sup>6</sup>	9	Way to the Sky (Rivera, Jr., Luis)	119 L f	8	5	5 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	10	10	10	80.80	gave way

**Fractional Times:** 22.33 45.59 1:09.62

**Final Time:** 1:33.79

**Split Times:** (23:26) (24:03) (24:17)

**Run-Up:** 30 feet **Temporary Rail:** 17 feet

**Winner:** Formal King, Bay Gelding, by Formal Dinner out of My Fling, by Danzig. Foaled Jan 25, 2005 in Florida.

**Breeder:** Martin Stables Inc. **Winning Owner:** Scuderi, Vincent S. and Gabrielle Farm

**Scratched Horse(s):** Highland Cat (Trainer), King Bling (Also-Eligible), Rogue Victory (Also-Eligible)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$67,468

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Formal King	4.20	3.00	2.60	\$2.00 Exacta	5-4	35.20	49,545
4	White Holiday		7.00	4.00	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-4-8	90.80	32,998
8	Brother Sy			4.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	5-4-8-11	324.20	19,389
					\$2.00 Daily Double	10-5	18.80	17,043
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-10-5 (3 correct)	76.40	15,298
					\$1.00 Pick 4	6-5/8-3/10-3/5/12/13 (4 correct)	432.00	30,941

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Formal King	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup>	1 <sup>5</sup>
4	White Holiday	10	10 <sup>17</sup> 1/4	10 <sup>14</sup> 3/4	9 <sup>6</sup> 3/4	4 <sup>6</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>5</sup>
8	Brother Sy	4	6 <sup>7</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup> 1/2
11	Ready to Play	8	7 <sup>7</sup> 3/4	6 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>4</sup> 3/4	6 <sup>8</sup> 3/4	4 <sup>7</sup> 1/2
7	Stackemup	3	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>8</sup> 1/4
2	Citizen Soldier	7	9 <sup>12</sup> 3/4	9 <sup>11</sup> 3/4	8 <sup>5</sup> 3/4	7 <sup>8</sup> 3/4	6 <sup>8</sup> 3/4
6	Just Playin Around	2	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>8</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>9</sup> 1/2
1	Better Be Ready	9	8 <sup>9</sup> 3/4	8 <sup>6</sup> 3/4	7 <sup>4</sup> 3/4	9 <sup>10</sup> 1/4	8 <sup>10</sup> 3/4
10	Marquet Cat	6	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>9</sup> 3/4	9 <sup>12</sup> 3/4
9	Way to the Sky	5	5 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>5</sup> 3/4	10 <sup>14</sup> 3/4	10 <sup>20</sup> 1/4	10 <sup>23</sup> 1/4

**Trainers:** 5 - Dutrow, Jr., Richard; 4 - Ryerson, James; 8 - Kinnamon, Wendy; 11 - Seewald, Alan; 7 - Seeger, Robert; 2 - Manning, Dennis; 6 - Hills, Timothy; 1 - Graham, Edward; 10 - Wilson, Tony; 9 - Vargas, Nerio

**Owners:** 5 - Scuderi, Vincent S. and Gabrielle Farm; 4 - Joel A. Kligman; 8 - Tee Time Stable; 11 - Madara Stable; 7 - Plumstead Stables; 2 - Mac Fehsenfeld; 6 - Laurence I. Foggie; 1 - Clorevia Farm; 10 - Patricia A. Generazio; 9 - Deborah J. Kral;

**Footnotes**

FORMAL KING set a quick pace, drew off and was kept to the task. WHITE HOLIDAY was outrun early, advanced inside on the far turn, split rivals in upper stretch and finished well for second. BROTHER SY raced off the pace, moved up on the turn, angled in for room turning for home and rallied on the rail. READY TO PLAY raced off the pace, came four wide into the lane and rallied mildly outside. STACKEMUP chased inside and weakened. CITIZEN SOLDIER saved ground and lacked a rally. JUST PLAYIN AROUND chased two wide, then three wide on the far turn and tired. BETTER BE READY raced off the pace, came five wide into the stretch and lacked a bid. MARQUET CAT pressed the pace and tired. WAY TO THE SKY gave way.

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