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MEADOWLANDS - November 17, 2009 - Race 8

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. (Rail at 17 feet).

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Add the Gold - 1:43.38 - October 15, 1996)

Purse: \$36,000

Available Money: \$36,000

Value of Race: \$36,000 1st \$21,600, 2nd \$6,840, 3rd \$3,960, 4th \$1,440, 5th \$360, 6th \$360, 7th \$360, 8th \$360, 9th \$360, 10th \$360

Weather: Clear **Track:** Good

Off at: 3:58 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
11Nov09 ⁴ AQU ⁸	10	Mint Maker (Saez, Gabriel)	119	L b	10	10	9 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{5 3/4}	9.60	5wd turn,widened lane
3Nov09 ⁶ MED ²	5	Tune Me In (Morales, Pablo)	119	L	4	4	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}	4.00	boxed rail far turn
10Oct09 ⁷ DEL ⁶	2	Major Momentum (Cohen, David)	119	L	1	3	5 ¹	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ²	3 ¹	3.60	steadied rail 1/4
23Oct09 ⁹ LRL ⁹	3	Gustauf (Lopez, Charles)	119	L	2	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{Neck}	18.80	pace,gave way 1/8
26Oct09 ¹ MED ⁵	7	Perfect Son (Lopez, Paco)	119	- -	6	5	4 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ²	21.00	4wd bid,leveled off
---	6	Ponzi (Centeno, Daniel)	119	L f	5	8	7 ³	4 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/4}	22.10	wide into 1st turn
13Oct09 ⁶ PHA ⁴	1	Grecian Pegasus (Santiago, Victor)	119	L b	7	9	10	10	10	7 ^{Head}	7 ^{1 3/4}	14.10	inside,passed tired
29Sep09 ⁶ DEL ⁸	9	History Ahead (Lezcano, Jose)	119	L	9	7	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	9 ¹	8 ¹	6.10	close 3wd,empty turn
17Oct09 ¹⁰ BEL ¹⁰	8	Tristen's Mambo (Castro, Eddie)	119	L	8	6	8 ¹	9 ^{1 1/2}	9 ^{Head}	8 ^{1/2}	9 ⁴	3.50*	was outrun
29Oct09 ⁹ AQU ⁵	4	Man Card (Bravo, Joe)	119	L	3	2	6 ^{Head}	7 ²	8 ³	10	10	6.50	7wd turn,gave way lane

Fractional Times: 22.39 47.02 1:12.50 1:38.93

Final Time: 1:45.29

Split Times: (24:63) (25:48) (26:43) (6:36)

Run-Up: 72 feet **Temporary Rail:** 17 feet

Winner: Mint Maker, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Unbridled's Song out of Shawklit Mint, by Air Forbes Won. Foaled Apr 13, 2007 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Edward A. Cox, Jr..

Winning Owner: Team Stallion Racing Corp., Cassidy, David B. and Lerner, Harold

Scratched Horse(s): Barely Nothing (Main-Track-Only), Da Plane (Main-Track-Only), Perky AI (Also-Eligible), Worth a Buck (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$81,796

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Mint Maker	21.20	8.20	4.60	\$2.00 Exacta	10-5	115.60	74,585
5	Tune Me In		5.00	3.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	10-5-2	346.40	46,629
2	Major Momentum			4.00	\$1.00 Superfecta	10-5-2-3	2,616.30	24,589
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-10	140.40	24,671
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6-6-10 (3 correct)	204.70	13,071
					\$1.00 Pick 4	3-6-6-10 (4 correct)	1,137.00	30,893

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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10	Mint Maker	10	9 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{5 1/4}	7 ³	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{5 3/4}
5	Tune Me In	4	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Neck}	2 ^{5 3/4}
2	Major Momentum	3	5 ^{2 1/4}	6 ³	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ¹	3 ^{6 1/2}
3	Gustauf	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{7 1/2}
7	Perfect Son	5	4 ^{1 3/4}	5 ²	5 ²	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{7 3/4}
6	Ponzi	8	7 ^{3 1/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	3 ^{Head}	6 ^{9 3/4}
1	Grecian Pegasus	9	10 ^{7 3/4}	10 ^{7 1/4}	10 ^{6 1/4}	7 ³	7 ¹¹
9	History Ahead	7	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	4 ²	9 ^{3 1/2}	8 ^{12 3/4}
8	Tristen's Mambo	6	8 ^{6 1/4}	9 ^{5 3/4}	9 ^{6 1/4}	8 ³	9 ^{13 3/4}
4	Man Card	2	6 ^{3 1/4}	7 ^{3 1/4}	8 ^{3 1/4}	10 ^{4 1/2}	10 ^{17 3/4}

Trainers: 10 - Contessa, Gary; 5 - Alexander, Bruce; 2 - Klesaris, Steve; 3 - Merryman, Ann; 7 - Plesa, Jr., Edward; 6 - Begley, Jr., Earl; 1 - Pierce, Jr., Joseph; 9 - Matz, Michael; 8 - McLaughlin, Kiaran; 4 - Pompay, Teresa

Owners: 10 - Team Stallion Racing Corp., Cassidy, David B. and Lerner, Harold; 5 -Patricia A. Generazio; 2 - TYB Stable; 3 - Metzger, Donald and Merryman, Ann W.; 7 - Soldi Stable LLC; 6 -Robert Atkinson; 1 - Lindh, Henry C. B. and Pierce, Jr., Joe H.; 9 - Lael Stables; 8 - Dell Ridge Farm LLC; 4 - Nickel Dime Stable;

Footnotes

MINT MAKER, hesitant to load, settled well back from the early pace inside, closed five wide on the final turn, raced clear inside the eighth pole and was moving away toward the wire. TUNE ME IN stalked the pace inside, was boxed toward the rail through most of the final turn, made his bid between horses midstretch and finished evenly to place. MAJOR MOMENTUM rated back inside, steadied at the rail leaving the quarter pole, eased out midstretch and finished well from there. GUSTAUFG rated the pace inside, was pressured toward the quarter pole and maintained a slim advantage to midstretch before giving way. PERFECT SON rated off the pace about the four path, bid four wide on the final turn then leveled off in the stretch. PONZI, wide into the opening turn, closed toward contention approaching the half mile pole, kept aim through the final turn then weakened in midstretch. GRECIAN PEGASUS, unhurried inside, passed some tiring rivals. HISTORY AHEAD, spirited in the post parade, raced a close factor three wide down the backstretch but had little left on the final turn. TRISTEN'S MAMBO was outrun. MAN CARD rated off the pace off the rail, angled out into the final turn, entered the stretch seven wide and gave way from there.

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