

MOUNTAINEER CASINO RACETRACK & RESORT - March 23, 2009 - Race 4



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE MARCH 23, 2008. Three Year Olds, 112 lbs.;

Older, 121 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. (NW1 Y) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Mayor Steve - 55.92 - August 31, 2003)

Purse: \$9,800

Available Money: \$9,800

Value of Race: \$9,800 1st \$5,684, 2nd \$1,960, 3rd \$980, 4th \$490, 5th \$294, 6th \$196, 7th \$98, 8th \$98

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:21 **Start:** Good for all except 4



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments	
14Mar09 ⁷ MNR ²	10	Rising Thunder (Sarvis, Dean)	121	LA	b	10	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ²	1.30*	edged clear, held firm
7Mar09 ³ MNR ⁶	7	Flee the Great (Peltroche, Fredy)	121	LA	b	7	8	5 ^{Head}	5 ²	3 ¹	2 ¹ 1/4	9.80	steadied break, 7 wide
15Dec08 ⁵ MNR ⁷	8	Pen Nasr (Knott, Rick)	121	L		8	6	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3/4}	12.70	pressed hard bit short
22Nov08 ¹⁰ MNR ⁵	2	Steady Smiler (Hernandez, Olaf)	121	LA	f	2	9	7 ^{1/2}	7 ³	6 ³	4 ¹ 1/2	4.70	circled8w, belatedly
15Mar09 ² MNR ⁴	3	Gaskin Land (Vickers, Nathan)	121	LA	b	3	3	1 ^{Head}	4 ³	4 ^{1/2}	5 ² 3/4	2.50	pressed, short rail
25Oct08 ⁷ TDN ³	9	Halory Hunted (Barria, Jesus)	121	LA	b	9	2	6 ^{1/2}	6 ²	7 ⁴	6 ^{3/4}	10.80	2nd flight, no menace
22Oct07 ⁶ MNR ⁶	5	Raywick (Gaitan, Marcelino)	121	LA	bf	5	7	4 ³	3 ¹	5 ³	7 ⁴ 3/4	34.60	pressed btw, wore out
19May08 ⁷ MNR ⁷	6	Sandshark (Sanchez, Jose)	121	LA	b	6	4	9 ⁹	8 ²	8 ²	8 ⁵ 3/4	42.40	always outrun
7Mar09 ³ MNR ¹⁰	4	Winning Run (Bracho, Agustin)	121	LA		4	10	10	10	9 ⁵	9 ⁵ 1/2	111.20	reared up at the break
26Jan09 ⁹ MNR ⁹	1	Final Decision (Miller, Arizona)	118 ⁷	L	f	1	5	8 ^{1/2}	9 ⁶	10	10	101.90	always outrun

Fractional Times: 23.45 47.69

Final Time: 1:00.68

Split Times: (24:24) (12:99)

Run-Up: 32 feet

Winner: Rising Thunder, Chestnut Gelding, by Gilded Time out of Storm's Award, by Storm Bird. Foaled Apr 11, 2003 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Larry Nickell. **Winning Owner:** John W. Baird

Claiming Prices: 10 - Rising Thunder: \$5,000; 7 - Flee the Great: \$5,000; 8 - Pen Nasr: \$5,000; 2 - Steady Smiler: \$5,000; 3 - Gaskin Land: \$5,000; 9 - Halory Hunted: \$5,000; 5 - Raywick: \$5,000; 6 - Sandshark: \$5,000; 4 - Winning Run: \$5,000; 1 - Final Decision: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$54,727

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Rising Thunder	4.60	3.20	2.60	\$2.00 Perfecta	10-7	30.20	73,020
7	Flee the Great		7.60	5.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	10-7-8	187.00	70,824
8	Pen Nasr			7.00				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
10	Rising Thunder	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ²
7	Flee the Great	8	5 ³ 1/4	5 ⁵	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ²
8	Pen Nasr	6	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 ³ 1/4
2	Steady Smiler	9	7 ⁴	7 ⁹	6 ⁶	4 ⁴
3	Gaskin Land	3	1 ^{Head}	4 ²	4 ² 1/2	5 ⁵ 1/2
9	Halory Hunted	2	6 ³ 1/2	6 ⁷	7 ⁹	6 ⁸ 1/4
5	Raywick	7	4 ^{Neck}	3 ¹	5 ³	7 ⁹
6	Sandshark	4	9 ⁵	8 ¹²	8 ¹³	8 ¹³ 3/4
4	Winning Run	10	10 ¹⁴	10 ²⁰	9 ¹⁵	9 ¹⁹ 1/2
1	Final Decision	5	8 ⁴ 1/2	9 ¹⁴	10 ²⁰	10 ²⁵

Trainers: 10 - Baird, John; 7 - Hurt, Clayton; 8 - Harris, Larry; 2 - Loescher, Paula; 3 - Snatchko, Paul; 9 - Marino, Heather; 5 - Ray, Jerry; 6 - Cecil, Willis; 4 - Lanious, Karen; 1 - Tice, Trevor

Owners: 10 - John W. Baird; 7 - Clayton C. Hurt; 8 - Larry W. Harris; 2 - Doncaster Farms; 3 - Cavallo Racing Stable; 9 - Souped Up Stables; 5 - Jerry Ray; 6 - Willis J. Cecil; 4 - Karen J. Lanious; 1 - Lee Ann Tice;

Footnotes

RISING THUNDER moved on pace nudging past PEN NASR to take a short lead in upper stretch, responded well to brisk urging there holding firm late. FLEE THE GREAT was bumped steadying briefly at the break, moved evenly in second flight swinging seven wide to upper stretch, had good late action finishing well to salvage place. PEN NASR sent hard pressured the pace through the turn ceding a short lead to RISING THUNDER in upper stretch, extended late came up a bit short on the inside of rivals. STEADY SMILER slow early was circled out eight wide in upper stretch gaining position after the fact. GASKIN LAND sent hard pressured the pace while saving ground into upper stretch, asked for more there would wear from use. HALORY HUNTED raced second flight proving no menace. RAYWICK pressed early from between horses then chased through the turn, extended in upper stretch began to waver dropping off late. SANDSHARK was always outrun. WINNING RUN reared up at the break losing all chance. FINAL DECISION was always outrun.