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MONMOUTH PARK - June 14, 2007 - Race 4

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS OR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of a race since April 15 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$30,000, For Each \$2,500 To \$25,000 1 lb. (Races where entered for \$22,000 or less not considered in allowances). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$30,000 - \$25,000

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Forty Niner - 1:33.80 - July 16, 1988)

Purse: \$24,000

Available Money: \$24,000

Value of Race: \$24,000 1st \$14,400, 2nd \$4,800, 3rd \$2,640, 4th \$1,200, 5th \$240, 6th \$240, 7th \$240, 8th \$240

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:06 **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
26May07 ⁷ MTH ⁵	5	Brandons Beach (DeCarlo, Christopher)	118	L b	5	4	3 ²	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/2}	0.70*	bid 3 wide, clear
13May07 ⁸ MTH ⁶	1	Edge of a Shadow (Castro, Eddie)	124	LA b	1	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{2 1/4}	7.80	set pace, gamely
20May07 ⁴ DEL ³	9	Buffalo Paul (Marquez, Jr., Carlos)	118	L b	8	5	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	5.00	pressed pace, weakened
2Jun07 ¹⁰ MTH ⁴	8	Wordsmith (Lopez, Charles)	116	L b	7	8	6 ²	4 ¹	4 ²	4 ¹	4 ¹	19.10	wide trip, weakened
2Jun07 ¹⁰ MTH ³	4	That's the Truth (Beckner, Dale)	120	LA b	4	7	7 ^{1 1/2}	8	7 ²	6 ⁴	5 ^{1 1/2}	20.00	failed to respond
12May07 ⁷ PHA ¹	7	Well Spoken (King, Jr., Edwin)	120	L f	6	6	8	6 ^{Head}	5 ²	5 ¹	6 ⁷	18.50	had no rally
12May07 ⁷ MTH ²	2	May Eighteenth (Fragoso, Pablo)	118	LA	2	2	4 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	6 ¹	7 ³	7 ^{4 1/2}	4.20	inside, tired
28May07 ³ MTH ⁵	3	Lets Get Serious (Centeno, Daniel)	120	L bf	3	3	5 ^{Head}	7 ¹	8	8	8	31.60	between foes, faded

Fractional Times: 23.77 47.99 1:12.92

Final Time: 1:38.72

Split Times: (24:22) (24:93) (25:80)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Brandons Beach, Bay Colt, by Graeme Hall out of Stars in Your Eyes, by Pentelicus. Foaled Mar 02, 2004 in Florida.

Breeder: Eugene Melnyk.

Winning Owner: Melnyk Racing Stables, Inc.

1 Claimed Horse(s): Brandons Beach

New Trainer: John Rigattieri

New Owner: Robert L. Cole, Jr.

Claiming Prices: 5 - Brandons Beach: \$30,000; 1 - Edge of a Shadow: \$30,000; 9 - Buffalo Paul: \$30,000; 8 - Wordsmith: \$25,000; 4 - That's the Truth: \$25,000; 7 - Well Spoken: \$30,000; 2 - May Eighteenth: \$30,000; 3 - Lets Get Serious: \$25,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Rich Cat (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$82,863

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Brandons Beach	3.40	2.80	2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	5-1	22.80	78,232
1	Edge of a Shadow		5.80	4.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-1-9	46.40	46,496
9	Buffalo Paul			3.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	5-1-9-8	320.50	14,402

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Brandons Beach	4	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/2}
1	Edge of a Shadow	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 1/2}
9	Buffalo Paul	5	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{4 3/4}
8	Wordsmith	8	6 ⁴	4 ²	4 ²	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{9 1/4}
4	That's the Truth	7	7 ⁶	8 ⁵	7 ⁷	6 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{10 1/4}
7	Well Spoken	6	8 ^{7 1/2}	6 ⁴	5 ⁴	5 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{11 3/4}
2	May Eighteenth	2	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ³	6 ⁶	7 ^{11 1/2}	7 ^{18 3/4}
3	Lets Get Serious	3	5 ⁴	7 ⁴	8 ⁹	8 ^{14 1/2}	8 ^{23 1/4}

Trainers: 5 - Dutrow, Jr., Richard; 1 - Hills, Timothy; 9 - McCarthy, Michael; 8 - Carvajal, Jr., Luis; 4 - Gross, George; 7 - Conrad, Paul; 2 - Merola, Vito; 3 - Orseno, Joseph

Owners: 5 - Melnyk Racing Stables, Inc.; 1 - Laurence I. Fogle; 9 - Kenwood Racing LLC; 8 - O. Wayne Link; 4 - Easy Four Stable; 7 - Jayeff B Stables; 2 - Don Speckman; 3 - Perrotta, John and Keaveney, Thomas W.;

Footnotes

BRANDONS BEACH was well placed on the inside, bid three wide on the far turn, wore down EDGE OF A SHADOW and drew clear under urging. EDGE OF A SHADOW set the pace, dug in gamely when challenged and gave way grudgingly. BUFFALO PAUL pressed the pace and weakened. WORDSMITH raced three wide, bid four wide on the far turn and weakened. THAT'S THE TRUTH raced off the pace and failed to respond. WELL SPOKEN had no rally. MAY EIGHTEENTH raced inside and tired. LETS GET SERIOUS raced between foes and faded.