

NORTHLANDS PARK - August 7, 2009 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 117 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Since June 11, 2009 Allowed 3 lbs. A race since then Allowed 5 lbs. Claiming Price \$17,500 (Races For \$13,000 Claiming or Less Not Considered).

Claiming Price: \$17,500

Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Hemlock Channel - 1:15.38 - May 31, 2017)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$15,000

Plus: \$3,375 Other Sources

Available Money: \$18,375

Value of Race: \$17,250 (US\$16,021) 1st \$11,250 (US\$10,449) , 2nd \$3,000 (US\$2,786) , 3rd \$1,500 (US\$1,393) , 4th \$900 (US\$836) , 5th \$600 (US\$557)

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 7:51 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
11Jul09 ⁵ NP ¹	3	Light of Gold (Walcott, Rickey)	117	L	f	2 5	³ Head	⁴ 1/2	⁴ 3	¹ Nose	2.55	rally 3 wide, up late
22Jul09 ⁵ NP ²	1A	Grat Substitution (Heiler, Stephan)	119	L	b	4 1	¹ 1	¹ Head	¹ 2 1/2	² 3 3/4	0.45*	rail, just failed
18Jul09 ¹ NP ¹	1	Split the Kings (Welch, Quincy)	120	b		3 2	⁴ 2 1/2	³ 2 1/2	² Head	³ 3/4	0.45*	rail, wknd stretch
17Jul09 ⁶ NP ⁶	5	Shpeen (Simard, Real)	117	bf		5 3	² 2 1/2	² 1 1/2	³ Head	⁴ 3/4	7.35	outside, wknd 1/4 pole
22Jul09 ⁵ NP ⁵	2	Mocha John (Barton, Jake)	119	L	bf	1 4	5	5	5	5	8.20	saved ground

Fractional Times: 23.00 47.00 1:13.00

Final Time: 1:19.40

Split Times: (24:00) (26:00) (6:40)

Run-Up: 8 feet

Winner: Light of Gold, Chestnut Gelding, by Banker's Gold out of Dramatic Light, by Majestic Light. Foaled Feb 15, 2002 in AB.

Breeder: David W. Munro. **Winning Owner:** Side Management Ltd. and Starline Thoroughbreds

1 Claimed Horse(s): Grat Substitution New Trainer: Jerri R. Robertson New Owner: Blue Willow Dairy, Ltd.

Claiming Prices: 3 - Light of Gold: \$17,500; 1A - Grat Substitution: \$17,500; 1 - Split the Kings: \$17,500; 5 - Shpeen: \$17,500; 2 - Mocha John: \$17,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Nechako (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$8,871

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Light of Gold	7.10	2.60	\$1.00 Pick 3	6-6-3 (3 correct)	407.30	1,010
1A	Grat Substitution		2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	3-1	6.70	4,748
1	Split the Kings		2.10				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Light of Gold	5	³ 3 1/2	⁴ 4	⁴ 2 3/4	¹ Nose
1A	Grat Substitution	1	¹ 1	¹ Head	¹ 2 1/2	² Nose
1	Split the Kings	2	⁴ 3 1/2	³ 1 1/2	² 2 1/2	³ 3 3/4
5	Shpeen	3	² 1	² Head	³ 2 1/2	⁴ 4 1/2
2	Mocha John	4	⁵ 6	⁵ 4 1/2	⁵ 5 3/4	⁵ 5 1/4

Trainers: 3 - Meygaard, Jim; 1A - Smith, Ron; 1 - Smith, Ron; 5 - Christoffersen, Carla; 2 - Smith, Doug

Owners: 3 - Side Management Ltd. and Starline Thoroughbreds; 1a- Red Ron Farms; 1 - Chilton, Lynda, Lloyd, Tom, Smith, Ron K. and Rolfe, Ron; 5 - Carla Christoffersen; 2 - D.R.S. Racing Stable and Edwards, Brian;

Footnotes

LIGHT OF GOLD stalked the pace to the outside, gained ground, rallied three wide into the stretch and closed steadily to get up at the wire. GRAT SUBSTITUTION saved ground, dueled then led at the quarter pole, rally into the stretch but weakened and just failed to last. SPLIT THE KINGS raced close up on the rail and faded in the stretch. SHPEEN dueled to the outside of GRAT SUBSTITUTION but weakened after the quarter pole and faded in the stretch. MOCHA JOHN saved ground, raced evenly and was no threat.