

OAKLAWN PARK - January 16, 2012 - Race 9

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR ARKANSAS BRED (WHICH QUALIFY UNDER RULES GOVERNING ARKANSAS-BREDS) MAIDENS, THREE, FOUR, AND FIVE YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$15,000. (S) **Claiming Price: \$15,000**

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Karen's Tom - 1:07.80 - April 16, 1990)

Purse: \$15,500

Includes: \$7,750 Other Sources

Available Money: \$15,500

Value of Race: \$15,500 1st \$9,300, 2nd \$3,100, 3rd \$1,550, 4th \$775, 5th \$465, 6th \$45, 7th \$45, 8th \$44, 9th \$44, 10th \$44, 11th \$44, 12th \$44

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:15 **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
10Jun11 ⁷ LS ⁴	3	Lee Creek (Wade, Lindey)	124	L b	3	3	6 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 3/4}	2.80*	crwdd start,split foes
18Sep11 ⁸ LAD ⁸	7	Hesaprivate (Saez, Gabriel)	124	L	7	2	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{2 1/4}	20.30	pressed, led, 2nd best
16Dec11 ⁶ MNR ²	2	Star North (Vazquez, Ramon)	124	L b	2	8	8 ^{Head}	8 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3/4}	5.10	inside,drift,best rest
23Dec11 ¹⁰ DED ³	6	Royal Bidder (Joubert, Jenna)	124	L	6	10	11 ⁶	10 ¹	8 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	12.10	moved out, late gain
---	9	Palace Romeo (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	124	L	9	11	9 ^{1 1/2}	9 ³	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1 1/2}	11.70	6w 1/4, improved
9May11 ⁵ DEL ⁷	5	Star Searcher (Thompson, Terry)	124	L b	5	7	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	5.40	lacked room stretch
15Apr11 ⁴ OP ³	4	Ruddys Buddy (Court, Jon)	124	L f	4	6	4 ¹	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	7 ^{3 3/4}	3.60	broke in,5w 1/4,faded
15Dec11 ¹⁰ DED ⁷	8	Devil's Rage (Molina, Jr., Juan)	124	L b	8	5	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	9 ^{4 1/2}	8 ^{1 3/4}	79.80	4w bid turn, faded
10Mar11 ⁴ OP ⁹	10	J B's Shyster (Wethey, Jr., Floyd)	124	L f	10	4	2 ^{Head}	7 ¹	10 ³	9 ^{3 1/2}	68.90	5w turn, gave way
7Dec11 ⁶ RP ⁷	11	Demons Here (Teator, Phil)	124	L b	11	9	10 ^{Head}	11 ⁸	11 ⁷	10 ^{1/2}	35.70	wide, outrun
9Dec11 ⁴ RP ⁹	1	Ile St. Frances (Razo, Jr., Eusebio)	124	L b	1	1	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	11 ⁵	5.80	pace, stopped
22Sep11 ² LAD ⁷	12	Willie Arthur (Shino, Ken)	124	L	12	12	12	12	12	12	73.60	last away, trailed

Fractional Times: 22.42 47.03 1:00.34

Final Time: 1:12.81

Split Times: (24:61) (13:31) (12:47)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Lee Creek, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Cinnamon Creek out of Unvested Value, by Prospect Bay. Foaled Feb 20, 2008 in Arkansas.

Breeder: Ernie Witt. **Winning Owner:** Ernie Witt

Claiming Prices: 3 - Lee Creek: \$15,000; 7 - Hesaprivate: \$15,000; 2 - Star North: \$15,000; 6 - Royal Bidder: \$15,000; 9 - Palace Romeo: \$15,000; 5 - Star Searcher: \$15,000; 4 - Ruddys Buddy: \$15,000; 8 - Devil's Rage: \$15,000; 10 - J B's Shyster: \$15,000; 11 - Demons Here: \$15,000; 1 - Ile St. Frances: \$15,000; 12 - Willie Arthur: \$15,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$108,846

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Lee Creek	7.60	4.80	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	3-7	183.60	74,196
7	Hesaprivate		25.80	12.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	3-7-2	555.40	54,605
2	Star North			4.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	3-7-2-6	5,100.70	44,588
					\$2.00 Daily Double	2-3	49.00	38,624
					\$1.00 Pick 3	4-2-3 (3 correct)	96.00	35,118
					\$1.00 Pick 4	7-4-2-3 (4 correct)	653.40	86,376

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Lee Creek	3	6 ^{1 3/4}	4 ^{1 3/4}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3 3/4}
7	Hesaprivate	2	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{3 3/4}
2	Star North	8	8 ^{3 3/4}	8 ^{5 1/4}	3 ³	3 ⁶
6	Royal Bidder	10	11 ^{5 1/2}	10 ^{8 1/2}	8 ^{4 3/4}	4 ^{6 3/4}
9	Palace Romeo	11	9 ⁴	9 ^{5 1/2}	6 ⁴	5 ^{9 1/4}
5	Star Searcher	7	7 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{10 3/4}
4	Ruddys Buddy	6	4 ^{3/4}	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	7 ^{10 3/4}
8	Devil's Rage	5	5 ^{1 3/4}	3 ^{Head}	9 ^{6 1/4}	8 ^{14 1/2}
10	J B's Shyster	4	2 ^{Head}	7 ^{4 1/4}	10 ^{10 3/4}	9 ^{16 1/4}
11	Demons Here	9	10 ^{5 1/2}	11 ^{9 1/2}	11 ^{13 3/4}	10 ^{19 3/4}
1	Ile St. Frances	1	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{3 1/2}	11 ^{20 1/4}
12	Willie Arthur	12	12 ^{11 1/2}	12 ^{17 1/2}	12 ^{20 3/4}	12 ^{25 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Witt II, Ernie; 7 - Burwell, Tom; 2 - Martin, Joseph; 6 - Morris, David; 9 - Frost, Jack; 5 - Moquett, Ron; 4 - Fires, William; 8 - Dobric, Adam; 10 - Wolfe, Randall; 11 - Hewitt, Michael; 1 - Smith, Kenny; 12 - Oliver, Barry

Owners: 3 -Ernie Witt; 7 - T and L Thoroughbreds LLC; 2 - Jayaraman, Dr. K. K. and Jayaraman, Dr. Vilasini D.; 6 - MX2 Farms, Inc.; 9 -Jack Frost; 5 - Southern Springs Stables; 4 - Labiak, Christopher and James; 8 -Eugene Branum; 10 - Wolfe, Randall B. and Wolfe, Jarett B.; 11 -Bruce Walker; 1 -James H. Glover; 12 -Mike Freer;

Footnotes

LEE CREEK crowded at the start, recovered to move up in the second flight, continued in traffic late in the turn, split foes, gained the advantage and drove clear. HESAPRIVATE pressured the early lead, put a head in front midway on the turn, narrowly showed the way into the stretch, could not match strides with the winner late. STAR NORTH brushed at the start, raced well behind the pace inside, moved out, drifted out, finished up best of the rest. ROYAL BIDDER void of speed, raced four wide and behind horses into the lane, moved out a bit and displayed a modest amount of late interest to improve position. PALACE ROMEO raced back, came six wide out of the turn, improved position while not a serious threat. STAR SEARCHER settled in midpack off the pace, continued in traffic late turn, lacked room outside the winner upper stretch, brushed, continued to have traffic woes to the finish. RUDDYS BUDDY broke in, bumped with the winner, recovered to race forwardly for a half, five wide late in the turn, faded in the drive. DEVIL'S RAGE forwardly placed, closer, four wide challenge in the turn, retreated through the stretch, was continuing to tire when in tight a furlong out. J B'S SHYSTER five wide through the turn, in the second flight while five wide through the turn, gave way. DEMONS HERE wide trip, outrun. ILE ST. FRANCES set or forced the pace for a half and stopped. WILLIE ARTHUR last away, trailed throughout.

