

OAK TREE AT SANTA ANITA - October 2, 2008 - Race 1

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$75,000. **Claiming Price:** \$75,000

One Mile On The All Weather Track

Purse: \$33,000

Plus: \$1,600 Other Sources

Available Money: \$34,600

Value of Race: \$34,600 1st \$19,800, 2nd \$6,600, 3rd \$3,960, 4th \$1,980, 5th \$660, 6th \$400, 7th \$400, 8th \$400, 9th \$400

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:03 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Aug08 ⁸ DMR ²	5	Skim Scam (Bejarano, Rafael)	120	BL	b	5 1	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/4	5.50	drifted in & out, held
2Aug08 ⁷ DMR ⁸	3	El Chubasco (Rosario, Joel)	120	BL	b	3 9	9	9	8 ¹	4 ^{Head}	2 ³ 1/2	1.90*	off bit slow, 4wd lane
29Aug08 ³ DMR ⁶	9	Poker Dave (Gryder, Aaron)	120	BL	b	9 7	8 ³ 1/2	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	5 ¹	3 ^{3/4}	6.70	3wd into lane, late 3rd
10Sep08 ⁴ FPX ⁴	4	Rise Above (Court, Jon)	120	BL	b	4 5	6 ²	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ¹ 1/2	80.60	stalked btwn, no bid
28Aug08 ⁴ DMR ²	2	Karolly (Garcia, Julio)	120	BL	b	2 6	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	2 ¹	5 ⁴ 1/4	6.30	bit washy, pulled, rail
30Aug08 ⁷ DMR ⁶	8	One More Week (Gomez, Garrett)	120	BL		8 8	7 ^{Head}	8 ² 1/2	7 ¹ 1/2	6 ^{1/2}	6 ⁴	2.40	off bit slow, no rally
29Aug08 ⁵ DMR ⁴	6	Bubsy (Solis, Alex)	120	BL	b	6 3	3 ¹	4 ¹	4 ¹ 1/2	7 ⁵	7 ⁵ 3/4	18.50	stalked pace, weakened
28Aug08 ⁴ DMR ⁴	7	Scorpio Dog (Meier, Brandon)	115 ⁵	BL		7 2	5 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	9	9	8 ⁴ 1/4	45.30	4wd 7/8, no rally
28Aug08 ⁴ DMR ⁶	1	Quiet Storm (Baze, Tyler)	120	BL		1 4	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	8 ^{Head}	9	18.90	saved ground, weakened

Fractional Times: 23.26 47.09 1:11.83 1:24.40

Final Time: 1:36.88

Split Times: (23:83) (24:74) (12:57) (12:48)

Run-Up: 172 feet

Winner: Skim Scam, Bay Gelding, by Skimming out of Morna's Girl (FR), by Zieten. Foaled Apr 24, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Mr. & Mrs. Robert N. Verratti. **Winning Owner:** O'Neill, Dennis and Verratti, Robert N.

Claiming Prices: 5 - Skim Scam: \$75,000; 3 - El Chubasco: \$75,000; 9 - Poker Dave: \$75,000; 4 - Rise Above: \$75,000; 2 - Karolly: \$75,000; 8 - One More Week: \$75,000; 6 - Bubsy: \$75,000; 7 - Scorpio Dog: \$75,000; 1 - Quiet Storm: \$75,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$200,492

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Skim Scam	13.00	6.40	4.20	\$1.00 Exacta	5-3	30.20	118,365
3	El Chubasco		4.20	2.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-3-9	228.20	92,665
9	Poker Dave			4.00	\$1.00 Superfecta	5-3-9-4	3,163.40	49,621

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Skim Scam	1	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/4
3	El Chubasco	9	9 ¹⁰ 1/4	9 ⁷ 1/4	8 ⁶ 1/4	4 ³ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/4
9	Poker Dave	7	8 ⁶ 3/4	6 ⁴	6 ⁴ 3/4	5 ³ 1/2	3 ⁴ 3/4
4	Rise Above	5	6 ⁴ 1/2	5 ³ 1/2	3 ³	3 ² 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/2
2	Karolly	6	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	5 ⁷
8	One More Week	8	7 ⁶ 1/2	8 ⁴ 3/4	7 ⁴ 3/4	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ¹¹ 1/4
6	Bubsy	3	3 ³	4 ² 1/2	4 ³	7 ⁵	7 ¹⁵ 1/4
7	Scorpio Dog	2	5 ⁴ 1/2	7 ⁴ 1/4	9 ⁷ 1/4	9 ¹⁰ 1/4	8 ²¹
1	Quiet Storm	4	4 ⁴	3 ² 1/2	5 ⁴ 1/2	8 ¹⁰	9 ²⁵ 1/4

Trainers: 5 - O'Neill, Doug; 3 - Walsh, Kathy; 9 - Truman, Eddie; 4 - Stute, Melvin; 2 - Kruljac, J.; 8 - Sise, Jr., Clifford; 6 - Rosales, Richard; 7 - Capestro, Paula; 1 - Baffert, Bob

Owners: 5 - O'Neill, Dennis and Verratti, Robert N.; 3 - Joan Hadley Thoroughbreds; 9 - Siegel, Howard and Janet; 4 - Annabelle M. Stute; 2 - Lewkowitz, Frank and Karen and Mizioch, Pete; 8 - Wygod, Pam and Martin; 6 - Magenta Racing, Inc.; 7 - C. L. Anderson, M.D.; 1 - Natalie J. Baffert;

Footnotes

SKIM SCAM stalked the pace off the rail, bid alongside a rival into the stretch, gained the lead, inched away, drifted out then in from the whip in the drive but held gamely. EL CHUBASCO a bit slow to begin, settled inside, came out on the second turn and four wide into the stretch and was second best. POKER DAVE chased outside a rival, split horses into the second turn, came three deep into the stretch and gained the show. RISE ABOVE pulled a bit early, stalked between horses then a bit off the rail into the stretch and lacked the needed rally. KAROLLY a bit washy at the gate, pulled his way along inside to the early lead, set the pace along the rail and weakened in the stretch. ONE MORE WEEK broke a bit slowly, settled off the rail then inside, came out on the second turn, angled back in entering the stretch and lacked a rally. BUBSY stalked off the rail then outside a rival on the second turn and weakened. SCORPIO DOG four wide into the first turn, chased outside, went three deep into the second turn, dropped back off the rail and lacked a further response. QUIET STORM saved ground stalking the pace, dropped back on the second turn and had little left for the stretch.