

OAK TREE AT SANTA ANITA - October 3, 2009 - Race 9

STAKES John C. Mabee California Cup Mile H. Black Type - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (S)

One Mile On The Turf

Purse: \$125,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$125,000

Value of Race: \$125,000 1st \$75,000, 2nd \$25,000, 3rd \$15,000, 4th \$7,500, 5th \$2,500

Weather: Clear Track: Firm

Off at: 4:24 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
2Sep09 ⁷ DMR ¹	9	The Usual Q. T. (Gomez, Garrett)	114	BL	7	4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	3.40	4wd into str,led,game
15Aug09 ⁵ DMR ⁵	1	Skimmetry (Bejarano, Rafael)	116	BL b	1	1	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 3/4}	3.00	fought back rail lane
21Aug09 ⁵ DMR ¹	3	Enriched (Rosario, Joel)	116	BL b	3	5	4 ¹	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 3/4}	4.20	5wd into str,drift in
6Sep09 ⁸ DMR ⁸	2	Bert's Law (Smith, Mike)	116	BL bf	2	6	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ²	6 ²	6 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}	20.70	threw head start
2Sep09 ⁷ DMR ⁷	5	Warren's Tony R. (Blanc, Brice)	116	BL b	4	2	5 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	73.20	saved ground, no rally
5Sep09 ⁸ AP ⁶	6	Unusual Suspect (Quinonez, Alonso)	120	BL b	5	7	7	7	7	7	6 ^{1/2}	5.90	off bit slow,no rally
26Jul09 ⁸ DMR ¹	8	Dewey's Special (Valdivia, Jr., Jose)	118	BL	6	3	2 ²	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	7	2.10*	pulled,dueled,wkened

Fractional Times: 22.56 46.58 1:10.10 1:21.64

Final Time: 1:33.39

Split Times: (24:02) (23:52) (11:54) (11:75)

Run-Up: 159 feet Temporary Rail: 8 feet

Winner: The Usual Q. T., Bay Gelding, by Unusual Heat out of Lunge, by Western Fame. Foaled Feb 05, 2006 in California.

Breeder: Carlee Van Kempen. Winning Owner: Don Van Racing, Inc., Nentwig, Michael, Saadeh, George and Braden, Thomas H.

Scratched Horse(s): Premiere Flyer (Trainer), Suit Yourself (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$473,310

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	The Usual Q. T.	8.80	4.80	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	9-1	21.70	227,624
1	Skimmetry		4.80	3.00	\$1.00 Trifecta	9-1-3	64.60	189,288
3	Enriched			3.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	9-1-3-2	283.10	117,260
					\$2.00 Daily Double	3-9	43.60	49,346
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6-3-9 (3 correct)	107.20	85,652
					\$1.00 Consolation Pick 3	6-3-4 (3 correct)	26.50	0
					\$2.00 Consolation	3-4	9.60	0
					Double			

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	The Usual Q. T.	4	3 ³	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹
1	Skimmetry	1	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹
3	Enriched	5	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 3/4}
2	Bert's Law	6	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}
5	Warren's Tony R.	2	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{2 3/4}	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ³	5 ^{6 1/4}
6	Unusual Suspect	7	7 ⁹	7 ^{6 1/4}	7 ^{5 1/4}	7 ⁵	6 ^{6 3/4}
8	Dewey's Special	3	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ²	7 ^{7 1/4}

Trainers: 9 - Cassidy, James; 1 - Frankel, Robert; 3 - Dollase, Craig; 2 - Moger, Jr., Ed; 5 - Gutierrez, Jorge; 6 - Abrams, Barry; 8 - Ellis, Ronald

Owners: 9 - Don Van Racing, Inc., Nentwig, Michael, Saadeh, George and Braden, Thomas H.; 1 - Sahadi, Fred, Seidler, Gary, Strang, Jeff, et al; 3 - Carol A. Lingenfelter; 2 - Lanning, Curt and Lila; 5 - Benjamin C. Warren; 6 - Abrams, Barry, David and Dyan; 8 - Moore Racing LLC;

Footnotes

THE USUAL Q. T. reluctant to load, angled in and pulled a bit while stalking the pace inside then a bit off the rail, bid three deep leaving the second turn and four wide into the stretch, gained a short advantage in midstretch and gamely prevailed under left handed urging. SKIMMETRY sped to the early lead, set a pressured pace inside, came out into the stretch, fought back and drifted inward in the final furlong and bested the rest. ENRICHED chased a bit off the rail then outside a rival, went three deep on the second turn and five wide into the stretch, drifted in some in the drive and gained the show. BERT'S LAW threw his head at the start, settled a bit off the rail then inside, came out on the second turn and three deep into the stretch and lacked the needed rally. WARREN'S TONY R. angled in and chased just off the rail then inside, saved ground on the second turn and could not summon the necessary response. UNUSUAL SUSPECT broke a bit slowly, angled in and saved ground off the pace, came out into the stretch and was not a threat. DEWEY'S SPECIAL pulled early, stalked off the rail then pressed the pace outside a rival, was between foes leaving the second turn and weakened in the stretch.