

PENN NATIONAL - March 27, 2013 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 122 lbs. Non-winners of a race since February 27 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since January 27 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. (NW3 L)

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Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Rockin in Dixie - 56.38 - August 6, 2012)

Purse: \$13,000

Available Money: \$13,000

Value of Race: \$13,000 1st \$7,800, 2nd \$2,600, 3rd \$1,430, 4th \$780, 5th \$390

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 6:29 **Start:** Good for all except 6



[Video Race Replay](#)

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 3/16 | 3/8 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|------------------------------------|------------------|------|----|-------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 8Mar13 ⁴ PEN ⁸ | 3 | Twosteps Closer (Rispoli, Matthew) | 118 | L bf | 3 | 5 | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ⁵ | 1 ^{4 1/2} | 1 ^{4 1/4} | 3.30 | bump st, 2p, driving |
| 8Mar13 ⁴ PEN ⁷ | 6 | Saintly Zealous (Belmonte, Luis) | 118 | L b | 6 | 8 | 5 ^{Head} | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ^{1 3/4} | 2.40 | hit gate start, 3path |
| 27Feb13 ⁴ GP ⁷ | 4 | Afternoon Idol (Albright, Kaylia) | 113 ⁵ | L b | 4 | 6 | 4 ^{Head} | 3 ¹ | 3 ⁴ | 3 ^{4 1/4} | 6.50 | angled rail trn, even |
| 8Mar13 ⁴ PEN ⁴ | 2 | Eltham (Diaz, Vladimir) | 118 | L bf | 2 | 7 | 8 | 7 ^{1/2} | 5 ^{1 1/2} | 4 ^{3/4} | 6.60 | lagged, wide, mild run |
| 8Mar13 ⁸ PEN ⁷ | 1 | Food Fightin (Whitney, Dana) | 118 | L b | 1 | 4 | 6 ^{2 1/2} | 6 ³ | 4 ³ | 5 ³ | 34.00 | no factor inside |
| 7Mar13 ⁴ PEN ¹⁰ | 8 | Magical Dreamer (Wolfsont, Andrew) | 118 | L bf | 8 | 3 | 7 ⁴ | 8 | 8 | 6 ^{3 1/2} | 28.50 | outrun |
| 8Mar13 ⁸ PEN ⁹ | 5 | Well Call Me (Flores, Emilio) | 118 | L b | 5 | 1 | 2 ^{Head} | 5 ¹ | 7 ¹ | 7 ¹ | 29.00 | hustled, 2w, stopped |
| 4Feb13 ³ PRX ⁸ | 7 | Horizontal Mickey (Otero, William) | 118 | L bf | 7 | 2 | 3 ^{2 1/2} | 4 ^{1/2} | 6 ^{Head} | 8 | 2.00* | 3 wide, stopped |

Fractional Times: 22.47 46.18

Final Time: 58.91

Split Times: (23:71) (12:73)

Run-Up: 42 feet

Winner: Twosteps Closer, Bay Gelding, by Closing Argument out of Diablo's Madam, by Diablo. Foaled Mar 27, 2008 in Florida.

Breeder: Louie Rogers & David McKathan.

Winning Owner: Stevark Stable, Inc.

1 Claimed Horse(s): Afternoon Idol

New Trainer: John D. Conner

New Owner: Gabriel Menei

Claiming Prices: 3 - Twosteps Closer: \$5,000; 6 - Saintly Zealous: \$5,000; 4 - Afternoon Idol: \$5,000; 2 - Eltham: \$5,000; 1 - Food Fightin: \$5,000; 8 - Magical Dreamer: \$5,000; 5 - Well Call Me: \$5,000; 7 - Horizontal Mickey: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$51,120

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|------|---------------------|-----------------|--------|--------|
| 3 | Twosteps Closer | 8.60 | 4.40 | 3.20 | \$2.00 Exacta | 3-6 | 27.60 | 48,156 |
| 6 | Saintly Zealous | | 3.60 | 2.60 | \$2.00 Trifecta | 3-6-4 | 95.60 | 42,587 |
| 4 | Afternoon Idol | | | 3.80 | \$2.00 Daily Double | 1-3 | 96.60 | 13,725 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Superfecta | 3-6-4-2 | 268.80 | 22,775 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 3/16 | 3/8 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-------------------|-------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 3 | Twosteps Closer | 5 | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ⁵ | 1 ^{4 1/2} | 1 ^{4 1/4} |
| 6 | Saintly Zealous | 8 | 5 ^{3 1/4} | 2 ⁵ | 2 ^{4 1/2} | 2 ^{4 1/4} |
| 4 | Afternoon Idol | 6 | 4 ³ | 3 ^{5 1/2} | 3 ⁶ | 3 ⁶ |
| 2 | Eltham | 7 | 8 ^{9 3/4} | 7 ¹¹ | 5 ¹³ | 4 ^{10 1/4} |
| 1 | Food Fightin | 4 | 6 ^{3 1/4} | 6 ⁸ | 4 ¹⁰ | 5 ¹¹ |
| 8 | Magical Dreamer | 3 | 7 ^{5 3/4} | 8 ^{11 1/2} | 8 ^{15 1/2} | 6 ¹⁴ |
| 5 | Well Call Me | 1 | 2 ^{1/2} | 5 ⁷ | 7 ^{14 1/2} | 7 ^{17 1/2} |
| 7 | Horizontal Mickey | 2 | 3 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{6 1/2} | 6 ^{14 1/2} | 8 ^{18 1/2} |

Trainers: 3 - Kravets, Bruce; 6 - Synnefias, Dimitrios; 4 - Rojas, Murray; 2 - Nunn, Douglas; 1 - Stickler, Jr., Lester; 8 - Sims, Monti; 5 - Pappada, Michael; 7 - Lake, Scott

Owners: 3 - Stevark Stable, Inc.; 6 - Peter Kazamias; 4 - Sajor Stable; 2 - Greenfields Farm; 1 - Christopher J. Feifarek; 8 - Freedom Acres, Inc.; 5 - Tudox Farm; 7 - Lions Head Stable LLC;

Footnotes

TWOSTEPS CLOSER was bumped after the start then was sent up the inside to gain a short lead nearing the end of the backstretch, stayed out from the rail once clear early on the turn and held under urging. SAINTLY ZEALOUS hit the inside of the gate while breaking slowly then advanced outside early, improved position three wide on the turn but continued evenly through the lane. AFTERNOON IDOL came in on the winner at the break then was rated early between rivals, angled to the rail midway on the turn and lacked a rally. ELTHAM lagged early, came out wide on the turn then made up some ground through the lane. FOOD FIGHTIN was outrun inside. MAGICAL DREAMER was outrun. WELL CALL ME was hustled to be prominent between horses and was finished after a quarter. HORIZONTAL MICKEY raced three wide with the leaders into the turn then stopped.