

**PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS - August 15, 2008 - Race 7**

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 50% PABF) FOR FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 121 lbs. Non-winners of a race at a mile or over since July 15 Allowed 3 lbs. Such a race since June 15 Allowed 6 lbs. (Claiming races for \$30,000 or less not considered in estimating allowances). (NW3 L)

One Mile On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Gayego - 1:34.90 - September 10, 2010)

**Purse:** \$40,000

**Available Money:** \$40,000

**Value of Race:** \$40,000 1st \$24,000, 2nd \$8,000, 3rd \$4,000, 4th \$2,000, 5th \$1,000, 6th \$600, 7th \$200, 8th \$200

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 8:01 **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
11Apr08 <sup>8</sup> KEE <sup>4</sup>	8	Democrat Taxes (Stokes III, Rex)	115 L b	8	6	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2.30	prevailed, long drive
25Jul08 <sup>11</sup> TDN <sup>1</sup>	7	Pyrite Gem (Gonzalez, Luis)	121 L	7	2	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>5</sup>	8.90	dueled, just missed
19Jul08 <sup>5</sup> PID <sup>2</sup>	2	Courier (Fogelsonger, Ryan)	115 L	2	1	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	2.30*	ducked in mid stretch
13Jul08 <sup>8</sup> PHA <sup>6</sup>	3	Placia (Carmouche, Kendrick)	116 L	3	8	9	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	6.30	best stride late
11Jul08 <sup>4</sup> PID <sup>1</sup>	5	A Wee Gift (Spieth, Scott)	118 L	5	4	8 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	10.60	passed tiring rivals
8Jul08 <sup>3</sup> MNR <sup>1</sup>	4	Lads Starlit (Allen, Jr., Ronald)	115 --	4	7	6 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	41.20	no excuse
24May08 <sup>9</sup> MNR <sup>5</sup>	1	Pistols N Pearls (Castanon, Jesus)	116 L b	1	3	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>3/4</sup>	10.80	stalked pace, gave way
16Jul08 <sup>5</sup> PID <sup>2</sup>	9	Marie Soleil (Martinez, Willie)	115 L	9	9	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	9	9	8 <sup>4</sup>	8 <sup>4</sup>	31.10	failed to respond
3Aug08 <sup>8</sup> FL <sup>1</sup>	6	Celtic Kettle (Rohena, J.)	115 L b	6	5	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>2</sup>	9	9	6.20	good position, faltered

**Fractional Times:** 24.55 48.06 1:12.31 1:24.89

**Final Time:** 1:37.66

**Split Times:** (23:51) (24:25) (12:58) (12:77)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Democrat Taxes, Chestnut Filly, by Catenus out of Annual Dues, by Devil His Due. Foaled Feb 01, 2005 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey. **Winning Owner:** Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.

**Total WPS Pool:** \$14,554

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Democrat Taxes	6.60	4.20	3.40	\$2.00 Exacta	8-7	73.40	10,248
7	Pyrite Gem		10.20	6.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	8-7-2	187.60	9,008
2	Courier			2.80	\$2.00 Pick 3	8-2/7-8 (3 correct)	54.20	1,101

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Democrat Taxes	6	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>
7	Pyrite Gem	2	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>
2	Courier	1	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>7</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup>
3	Placia	8	9 <sup>9</sup>	8 <sup>9</sup>	7 <sup>11</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>
5	A Wee Gift	4	8 <sup>8</sup>	7 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>10</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
4	Lads Starlit	7	6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>8</sup>	6 <sup>10</sup>	6 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>10 3/4</sup>
1	Pistols N Pearls	3	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>11 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>20</sup>
9	Marie Soleil	9	7 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>14</sup>	8 <sup>14 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>20 3/4</sup>
6	Celtic Kettle	5	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	8 <sup>12</sup>	9 <sup>18 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>24 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 8 - Maker, Michael; 7 - Feliciano, Miguel; 2 - Asmussen, Steven; 3 - Motion, H.; 5 - Scott, Joan; 4 - Lloyd, Charles; 1 - Cook, Jason; 9 - Bacon, Paula; 6 - Rohena, Sr., Rafael

**Owners:** 8 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 7 - Pyrite Stables; 2 - Charles Kidder; 3 - Augustin Stable; 5 - Brooks, Jane H. and McDaniel, Beth C.; 4 - Sweet Magnolia Farms LLC; 1 - Media Thoroughbred Group; 9 - Willow Rock Stable LLC; 6 - Emileo L. Serrano;

**Footnotes**

DEMOCRAT TAXES was well rated behind the early leader, had a steady advance to cut into the advantage, hooked rival and prevailed after a long drive under pressure. PYRITE GEM away alertly, set the pace with a clear lead, dueled when hooked in mid stretch, battled but just missed in a game effort. COURIER unhurried early, angled out and gained going into the turn, ducked in mid stretch, leveled off. PLACIA void of early speed, found her best stride late. A WEE GIFT raced in the second flight, passed tiring rivals. LADS STARLIT had no excuse. PISTOLS N PEARLS saved ground, stalked the pace, gave way. MARIE SOLEIL slow early, failed to respond. CELTIC KETTLE had good position, faltered.

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