

PIMLICO - April 19, 2008 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since February 23 Allowed 2 lbs. Such a race since then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000 For Each \$1,000 To \$18,000 2 lbs.

(Races where entered for \$16,500 or less not considered in allowances). **Claiming Price:** \$20,000 - \$18,000

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Deputed Testamony - 1:40.80 - May 19, 1984)

Purse: \$23,000

Available Money: \$23,000

Value of Race: \$23,000 1st \$13,110, 2nd \$4,830, 3rd \$2,530, 4th \$1,380, 5th \$690, 6th \$460

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:07 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Apr08 ² LRL ⁵	4	Cat Topper (Santagata, Nick)	116	LA	bf	4 6	6 ⁵	6 ⁸	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	29.50	rail,angled 3wd 1/8,up
15Mar08 ¹ OP ³	6	Go Now (Pino, Mario)	120	LA		6 2	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}	3.60	2wd bid 1/8, gave way
27Mar08 ⁶ LRL ⁵	7	Echo Quest (Castellano, Jr., Abel)	120	LA	bf	7 8	2 ²	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	2 ²	3 ^{1/2}	2.10*	sluggish start, weaken
8Mar08 ⁶ LRL ¹	3	Whoopi Again (Panell, Dyn)	116	LA	f	3 4	3 ² 1/2	4 ³	4 ²	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	2.50	off rail, no rally
27Mar08 ⁶ LRL ⁴	5	Beck and Call (Bocachica, Orlando)	120	LA		5 5	7 ¹	8	6 ⁵	5 ³	5 ⁴ 3/4	5.70	saved ground,no threat
4Apr08 ² LRL ¹	8	Leaglenote (Arce, Josue)	120	LA	bf	8 1	5 ² 1/2	5 ^{Head}	5 ⁴	6 ⁶	6 ⁶	15.30	outrun, wide 1/4
22Mar08 ⁸ LRL ⁴	1	Girl's Best Friend (Quinones, Carlos)	120	LA	bf	1 7	8	7 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	7 ²⁵	7 ³³ 1/2	14.30	outrun, wide 1/4
5Apr08 ⁷ LRL ⁶	2	Gammy's a Winner (Rose, Jeremy)	120	LA	bf	2 3	1 ^{1/2}	2 ³	8	8	8	9.10	faltered

Fractional Times: 23.52 46.80 1:11.58 1:38.20

Final Time: 1:44.94

Split Times: (23:28) (24:78) (26:62) (6:74)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Cat Topper, Chestnut Gelding, by Cloud Hopping out of Cat Bleu, by Catrail. Foaled Jan 12, 2003 in Florida.

Breeder: Paragon Farms, LLC. **Winning Owner:** Leona McKanas

2 Claimed Horse(s): **Echo Quest**
Go Now

New Trainer: Edwin Vazquez, Sr.

New Owner: Michael J. Gill

New Trainer: Timothy Hooper

New Owner: Abel Trejo-Patino

Claiming Prices: 4 - Cat Topper: \$18,000; 6 - Go Now: \$20,000; 7 - Echo Quest: \$20,000; 3 - Whoopi Again: \$18,000; 5 - Beck and Call: \$20,000; 8 - Leaglenote: \$20,000; 1 - Girl's Best Friend: \$20,000; 2 - Gammy's a Winner: \$20,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$97,123

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Cat Topper	61.00	30.40	10.80	\$2.00 Exacta	4-6	385.60	97,318
6	Go Now		5.80	4.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	4-6-7-3	1,668.90	17,997
7	Echo Quest			3.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-6-7	2,540.80	63,338

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Cat Topper	6	6 ⁸	6 ⁸ 3/4	3 ⁴	3 ²	1 ¹
6	Go Now	2	4 ⁵	3 ⁵ 1/2	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹
7	Echo Quest	8	2 ^{1/2}	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 3/4
3	Whoopi Again	4	3 ² 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁴	4 ² 1/2	4 ² 1/4
5	Beck and Call	5	7 ¹³	8 ¹⁷ 1/4	6 ¹⁰	5 ⁴	5 ² 1/4
8	Leaglenote	1	5 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁸ 1/2	5 ⁶	6 ⁷	6 ⁷
1	Girl's Best Friend	7	8 ¹⁴	7 ¹⁶ 3/4	7 ¹⁵	7 ¹³	7 ¹³
2	Gammy's a Winner	3	1 ^{1/2}	2 ² 1/2	8 ¹⁶	8 ³⁸	8 ⁴⁶ 1/2

Trainers: 4 - McKanas, Leona; 6 - Gorham, Michael; 7 - Shuman, Mark; 3 - Rigattieri, John; 5 - Vazquez, Sr., Edwin; 8 - Lake, Scott; 1 - Schoenthal, Phil; 2 - Merryman, Ann

Owners: 4 -Leona McKanas; 6 - Old Coach Farm; 7 - Circle Z Stables; 3 -Manfred Roos; 5 -Michael J. Gill; 8 -Todd M. McCarty; 1 - Rashid's Thoroughbred Racing; 2 - Metzger, Donald and Merryman, Ann W.;

Footnotes

CAT TOPPER saved ground, angled to the three path near the eighth pole, closed and drove clear. GO NOW advanced along the rail leaving the backstretch, eased out to the two path midway on the far turn, gained a short lead in midstretch and gave way in the drive. ECHO QUEST broke sluggishly, advanced three wide entering the first turn, sprinted clear on the backstretch, set the pace along the rail around the far turn and weakened the final furlong. WHOOP! AGAIN , kept well off the rail, failed to rally. BECK AND CALL saved ground and was not a threat. LEAGLENOTE , outrun, raced wide entering the stretch. GIRL'S BEST FRIEND , wide turning for home, was outrun. GAMMY'S A WINNER raced forwardly along the rail, angled to the three path near the half mile pole and faltered.