

PORTLAND MEADOWS - September 23, 2012 - Race 11

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED AT THE 2012 PORTLAND MEADOWS MEET AND NOT FINISHED 1ST, 2ND, OR 3RD AT THE MEET OR HAVE STARTED IN A RACE RESTRICTED TO HORSES THAT HAVE NOT FINISHED 1ST, 2ND, OR 3RD AT THE CURRENT MEET AND HAVE NOT WON A RACE AT THE CURRENT MEET. Three Year

Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$1,600. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$1,600

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Crafty Power - 1:35.94 - March 23, 2009)

Purse: \$3,000

Includes: \$400 ORC - Oregon Racing Commission

Available Money: \$3,000

Value of Race: \$3,000 1st \$1,650, 2nd \$600, 3rd \$450, 4th \$225, 5th \$75

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:35 **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
5Sep12 ⁵ PM ²	5	Only Be Cause (Boag, April)	124	BL	b	4 2	3 ²	3 ²	3 ³	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1.70	stalked,drew clear
2Sep12 ⁷ PM ⁴	3	Red Ball Express (Camacho, Ruben)	124	BL		3 1	2 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{1 3/4}	23.70	pressed pace,tired
5Sep12 ⁵ PM ³	1	Irish Harmony (Crispin, Joe)	124	BL	bf	1 6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ¹⁰	3 ⁹	1.00*	set pace,faded
22Aug12 ⁴ PM ⁶	2	Take a Hard Look (Figueroa, Jose)	124	BL	b	2 7	6 ²	6 ¹⁰	6 ¹⁵	5 ²	4 ^{3 3/4}	10.20	settled back,closed
31Aug12 ⁸ PM ⁵	8	Cautious Affair (Neal, Tim)	128	BL		7 4	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ⁵	4 ⁵	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	12.20	settled,flattened
29Aug12 ⁷ PM ⁷	7	Outside Shot (Skaggs, Tad)	125	BL	bf	6 3	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	5 ³	6 ²⁰	6 ³⁹	12.50	settled,gave way
24Aug12 ⁷ PM ⁹	6	Alberts Choice (Guerrero, Jose)	124	BL		5 5	7	7	7	7	7	10.20	eased

Fractional Times: 23.63 48.32 1:15.05 1:29.00

Final Time: 1:43.59

Split Times: (24:69) (26:73) (13:95) (14:59)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Only Be Cause, Chestnut Gelding, by Giant's Causeway out of Fabulous Fairy, by Alydar. Foaled Feb 23, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Ben Sangster.

Winning Owner: Reiiien McLendon

Claiming Prices: 5 - Only Be Cause: \$1,600; 3 - Red Ball Express: \$1,600; 1 - Irish Harmony: \$1,600; 2 - Take a Hard Look: \$1,600; 8 - Cautious Affair: \$1,600; 7 - Outside Shot: \$1,600; 6 - Alberts Choice: \$1,600;

Scratched Horse(s): Mesabi City (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$8,882

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Only Be Cause	5.40	3.40	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	5-3	57.90	5,799
3	Red Ball Express		16.00	2.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-3-1	80.70	6,007
1	Irish Harmony			2.10	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-3-1-2	36.74	4,154
					\$1.00 Pick 3	8-2-5 (3 correct)	341.20	1,313
					\$1.00 Pick 4	5-8-2-5 (4 correct)	1,819.20	2,115
					\$1.00 Daily Double	2-5	285.90	724

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Only Be Cause	2	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ²	3 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}
3	Red Ball Express	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}
1	Irish Harmony	6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/4}
2	Take a Hard Look	7	6 ⁷	6 ⁹	6 ¹³	5 ¹³	4 ^{12 1/4}
8	Cautious Affair	4	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁴	4 ⁵	4 ^{11 1/2}	5 ¹⁶
7	Outside Shot	3	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ⁴	5 ¹⁰	6 ¹⁵	6 ^{17 3/4}
6	Alberts Choice	5	7 ⁹	7 ¹⁹	7 ²⁸	7 ³⁵	7 ^{56 3/4}

Trainers: 5 - Austin, Robert; 3 - Austin, Robert; 1 - Gibson, Howard; 2 - Hurley, Dennis; 8 - Marquez, Juan; 7 - Haasl, Ron; 6 - Murphy, Don

Owners: 5 -Reiiien McLendon; 3 -Robert L. Glover; 1 -Howard F. Gibson; 2 -Susan E. Hurley; 8 -Juan Marquez; 7 -Ronald M. Haasl; 6 -Marjorie Avery;

Footnotes

ONLY BE CAUSE stalked close to the pace,moved up to take command from the pace setters,and drew clear. RED BALL EXPRESS pressed the pace,opened up on the field, tired but held on for the placing. IRISH HARMONY set the pace,opened up on the field while being pressed,and faded. TAKE A HARD LOOK dropped back,and settled,and made a closing bid in the lane. CAUTIOUS AFFAIR settled back,and moved up with a mild bid,but flattened. OUTSIDE SHOT settled back,and moved up with a mild bid,and gave way. ALBERTS CHOICE dropped back,and trailed,was eased.