

PALM BEACH POLO CLUB - November 28, 2009 - Race 5



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

TO BE RUN OVER NATIONAL FENCES FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Four Year Olds, 152 lbs.; Older, 158 lbs.

Non-winners Of Two Races Allowed 4 lbs. Two Races Allowed 8 lbs. A Race Allowed 12 lbs. A Race Allowed 16 lbs. Claiming Price

\$20,000, For Each \$2,500 To \$15,000 2 lbs. (Maiden Races Not Considered). **Claiming Price:** \$20,000 - \$15,000

Two And One Fourth Miles On The Hurdle **Track Record:** (Slip Away - 3:35.40 - November 29, 2008)

Purse: \$20,000

Available Money: \$20,000

Value of Race: \$18,600 1st \$12,000, 2nd \$3,600, 3rd \$2,000, 4th \$1,000

Weather: Clear **Track:** Good

Off at: 3:00 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/2	1m	11/2	2m	Str	Fin	Comments
24Oct09 ³ AIK ¹	2	Mabou (Geraghty, Ross)	150	L	2	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	all out, lasted
7Nov09 ³ MTP ²	3	True Blue Fingers (Mackenzie, Roderick)	130 ⁵	L	3	5	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 3/4}	not enough late
7Nov09 ⁵ MTP ²	1	Cradle Will Rock (Hodsdon, Danielle)	142	L	1	1 ^{1/2}	5	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ⁶	3 ^{9 3/4}	no late gain
24Oct09 ³ AIK ²	4	Junood (Roberts, Jacob)	137 ⁵	--	4	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	5	5	4 ⁷	4	tired
7Nov09 ² PMT ⁴	5	Mark the Shark (Aizpuru, Xavier)	150	L	5	2 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	4 ²	5	---	faded, left course

Final Time: 3:37.60

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Mabou, Bay Gelding, by Dynaformer out of Royal Dove (IRE), by Royal Academy. Foaled Apr 20, 2003 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Ironwater Farms Joint Venture.

Winning Owner: Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.

Claiming Prices: 2 - Mabou: \$20,000; 3 - True Blue Fingers: \$15,000; 1 - Cradle Will Rock: \$15,000; 4 - Junood: \$15,000; 5 - Mark the Shark: \$15,000;

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/2	1m	11/2	2m	Str	Fin
2	Mabou	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}
3	True Blue Fingers	5 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ¹	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}
1	Cradle Will Rock	1 ^{1/2}	5 ⁴	3 ¹	3 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/4}
4	Junood	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/4}	5 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{8 1/2}	4 ¹²
5	Mark the Shark	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{15 1/2}	---

Trainers: 2 - Voss, Thomas; 3 - Fout, Paul; 1 - Sheppard, Jonathan; 4 - Washer, David; 5 - Fisher, Jack

Owners: 2 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 3 - EMO Stables; 1 - Jonathan E. Sheppard; 4 - David J. Washer; 5 - Irvin S. Naylor;

Footnotes

MABOU stalked the pace, moved up to gain the lead after more than a mile, opened a clear advantage racing into the backstretch the final time, maintained the lead into the stretch, then was all out to last over TRUE BLUE FINGERS. The latter, reserved for a mile, advanced into contention racing into the stretch the second time, continued to track the winner into the stretch but didn't do enough late. CRADLE WILL ROCK set the early pace, eased back to track the leaders into the stretch the final time but couldn't gain late. JUNOOD raced in contention to the far turn the final time, then tired. MARK THE SHARK raced with the pace for a mile and a half, then was fading when he left the course before the final hurdle.