

RIVER DOWNS - August 21, 2011 - Race 3

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR ENTERED TO BE CLAIMED FOR \$16,000. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since July 21 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since June 21 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000 (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances).

(NW4 L) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000

Six Furlongs On The Dirt

Purse: \$7,300

Plus: \$5,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$12,300

Value of Race: \$7,300 1st \$4,526, 2nd \$1,460, 3rd \$730, 4th \$365, 5th \$219

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:59 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22Jul11 ⁸ MNR ⁷	1	River Blades (Paucar, Edgar)	120	L	1	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ²	2.30	saved ground, driving
6Jul11 ⁵ RD ³	5	Math Class (Ouzts, Perry)	115	L f	5	1	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}	2.60	evenly, no rally
6Aug11 ⁶ RD ¹	3	Klea (De Leon, Azael)	120	L b	3	5	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ⁶	3 ¹	4.90	5 wide, no rally
7Aug11 ³ RD ¹	4	Keiai Tokyo (Carman, Crystal)	114 ⁵	L bf	4	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{10 3/4}	6.70	faltered, faded
6Aug11 ⁷ RD ²	2	Derby Day Storm (Lagunes, Gabriel)	122	L	2	4	5	5	5	5	1.80*	flipped in gate

Fractional Times: 23.56 46.40 59.50

Final Time: 1:13.55

Split Times: (22:84) (13:10) (14:05)

Run-Up: 95 feet

Winner: River Blades, Bay Mare, by Cherokee Run out of Keiai Sakura, by Petionville. Foaled Apr 11, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Morihiro Kameda. **Winning Owner:** Fletcher, Jeff and Hale, J. Hamilton

Claiming Prices: 1 - River Blades: \$16,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$11,902

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	River Blades	6.60	3.60	4.00	\$2.00 Exacta	1-5	20.60	7,595
5	Math Class		3.00	3.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-5-3	66.40	5,210
3	Klea			4.20	\$2.00 Superfecta	1-5-3-4	139.60	2,884
					\$2.00 Pick 3	1-1-1 (3 correct)	1,248.80	1,209

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	River Blades	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ²
5	Math Class	1	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	2 ²	2 ²
3	Klea	5	4 ^{Neck}	4 ^{1 1/4}	4 ^{2 1/4}	3 ^{2 3/4}
4	Keiai Tokyo	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ²	4 ^{3 3/4}
2	Derby Day Storm	4	5 ^{3/4}	5 ^{2 1/4}	5 ^{8 1/4}	5 ^{14 1/2}

Trainers: 1 - Fletcher, Jeff; 5 - Connelly, William; 3 - Griffiths, Paul; 4 - Gothard, Akiko; 2 - Metz, Bryan

Owners: 1 - Fletcher, Jeff and Hale, J. Hamilton; 5 - Ramona Holt Thomson; 3 - Thompson G Spangler; 4 - Kazuhiro Kameda; 2 - Deborah F. Metz;

Footnotes

RIVER BLADES dueled for the lead and set the pace while saving ground, rallied into the stretch and drew clear, was fully extended to hold the margin late. MATH CLASS stalked the pace while never far back, ran evenly with no rally. KLEA was in a good stalking position while five wide and lost ground, had no rally. KEIAI TOKYO dueled for the lead from the outside, faltered and faded. DERBY DAY STORM flipped in the gate and delayed the start, failed to menace.

Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate