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RETAMA PARK - November 15, 2007 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$405 Open ATB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE MAY 15, 2007. Three Year Olds, 117 lbs.; Older, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$3,500. (NW1 6M) **Claiming Price:** \$3,500

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Devil's Money - 1:08.78 - August 25, 2006)

Purse: \$4,500

Available Money: \$4,500

Value of Race: \$4,500 1st \$2,700, 2nd \$900, 3rd \$495, 4th \$270, 5th \$135

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 7:15 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
20Oct06 ² RET ⁵	12	Midnight Explosion (Bourque, Steve)	120	L	10	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ⁴	1 ³	6.20	duel 2w, strong drive
27Oct07 ⁵ RET ¹⁰	9	Massasuta Cat (Singh, Rohan)	120	L b	8	11	10 ¹	8 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}	8.40	5 wide, finished well
2Nov07 ³ RET ⁷	14	Eldons Dancer (Purcell, Kelsi)	115 ⁵	L b	12	2	7 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Neck}	15.10	5w, turn, bid, hung
1Nov07 ⁵ RET ⁴	7	Lit de Beurre (Cruz, Anthony)	120	L	6	5	4 ^{Head}	5 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3.00*	3w, in tight, hung
12Oct07 ¹ RET ⁶	10	Dirtdobler (Chacaltana, Junior)	115 ⁵	L	9	4	9 ¹	7 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ³	7.50	3w turn, mild rally
6Oct07 ¹¹ ALB ¹⁰	2	Tundras Token (Taylor, Larry)	120	L	1	12	12	12	9 ¹	6 ^{2 1/2}	5.00	4 wide turn, mild gain
18Oct07 ⁴ RET ¹⁰	6	Rock de Stars (Guzman, Jorge)	120	L f	5	9	11 ¹	11 ^{1/2}	8 ^{Head}	7 ^{Nose}	29.60	swung 7w, no threat
5Oct07 ¹⁰ RET ¹¹	13	Beau Devious (Whetstone, Perry)	120	L b	11	3	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{Head}	8 ^{Neck}	6.70	4w turn, faltered
27Oct07 ⁴ RET ⁸	4	Chief's Honors (Steward, Keenan)	120	L b	3	8	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	9 ¹	31.60	chased inside, stopped
2Nov07 ³ RET ¹⁰	3	Open Til Midnight (Boxie, Patrick)	120	L b	2	7	6 ^{Head}	10 ^{1/2}	10 ²	10 ⁵	6.90	inside turn, no factor
1Nov07 ⁵ RET ⁹	5	Phantom Spirit (Chapa, Isaac)	120	L b	4	10	8 ^{Head}	9 ^{Head}	11 ¹⁵	11	68.70	2w, altered course
11Oct06 ⁷ RET ⁶	8	Tuff Lula (Rodriguez, Filemon)	117	L bf	7	6	2 ¹	3 ^{Head}	12	---	18.90	pulled up mid stretch

Fractional Times: 22.88 46.84 59.40

Final Time: 1:12.82

Split Times: (23:96) (12:56) (13:42)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Midnight Explosion, Black Gelding, by Pyramid Peak out of Battle Ofthe Bands, by Dixieland Band. Foaled Feb 11, 2001 in Pennsylvania.

Breeder: Donald D. Orbovich. **Winning Owner:** C. W. Daniels

Claiming Prices: 12 - Midnight Explosion: \$3,500; 9 - Massasuta Cat: \$3,500; 14 - Eldons Dancer: \$3,500; 7 - Lit de Beurre: \$3,500; 10 - Dirtdobler: \$3,500; 2 - Tundras Token: \$3,500; 6 - Rock de Stars: \$3,500; 13 - Beau Devious: \$3,500; 4 - Chief's Honors: \$3,500; 3 - Open Til Midnight: \$3,500; 5 - Phantom Spirit: \$3,500; 8 - Tuff Lula: \$3,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Skymeister (Veterinarian), Smoke Em Again (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$22,620

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
12	Midnight Explosion	14.40	7.80	4.80	\$2.00 Exacta	12-9	119.20	22,970
9	Massasuta Cat		12.80	7.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	12-9-14	937.60	16,565
14	Eldons Dancer			9.60	\$1.00 Superfecta	12-9-14-7	12,631.60	8,421
					\$2.00 Daily Double	3-12	71.40	4,152

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
12	Midnight Explosion	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ⁴	1 ³
9	Massasuta Cat	11	10 ^{3 1/2}	8 ^{4 3/4}	4 ^{5 1/2}	2 ³
14	Eldons Dancer	2	7 ^{2 1/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁴	3 ^{3 1/4}
7	Lit de Beurre	5	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	3 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}
10	Dirtdobler	4	9 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{4 1/4}	5 ^{5 3/4}	5 ⁵
2	Tundras Token	12	12 ^{5 1/2}	12 ⁶	9 ⁷	6 ⁸
6	Rock de Stars	9	11 ^{4 1/2}	11 ^{5 1/2}	8 ⁷	7 ^{10 1/2}
13	Beau Devious	3	5 ^{1 3/4}	6 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}	8 ^{10 1/2}
4	Chief's Honors	8	3 ¹	2 ¹	6 ^{5 3/4}	9 ^{10 3/4}
3	Open Til Midnight	7	6 ^{2 1/4}	10 ⁵	10 ⁸	10 ^{11 3/4}
5	Phantom Spirit	10	8 ^{2 1/2}	9 ^{4 3/4}	11 ¹⁰	11 ^{16 3/4}
8	Tuff Lula	6	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	12 ²⁵	---

Trainers: 12 - Torrez, Jerenesto; 9 - Bausch, Jim; 14 - Ervin, Timothy; 7 - Shaffer, Jon; 10 - Jenkins, Bobby; 2 - Knight, Robert; 6 - Powers, Robin; 13 - Poteet, Don; 4 - Hastings, W.; 3 - Espinoza, Valentine; 5 - Barrera, Emilio; 8 - Bustamante, Johnny

Owners: 12 -C. W. Daniels; 9 -Jim Bausch; 14 - Ervin, Christi C. and Tim; 7 -Jon T. Shaffer; 10 -Bobby A. Jenkins; 2 -Robert B. Knight; 6 -Robin Powers; 13 -Mario Cardoza; 4 - Coley Racing Team; 3 -Daniel Cantu Salinas; 5 -Ramiro R. Ruiz; 8 -Kenneth A. Hammonds;

Footnotes

MIDNIGHT EXPLOSION dueled for the lead from the outside, drew off on the turn then was in a strong drive to hold sway in late stretch. MASSASUTA CAT was unhurried early then rallied five wide on the turn, was gaining ground in the stretch to finish well and was up for the place. ELDONS DANCER rallied five wide on the turn making a bid then was in a hard drive but hung in late stretch. LIT DE BEURRE raced three wide on the turn then was in tight quarters coming out of the turn, angled outside to make a bid but came up empty in late stretch. DIRTDOLBLER was three wide on the turn and made a mild rally in the stretch but was no threat. TUNDRAS TOKEN was unhurried early then rallied four wide on the turn and was making a mild gain in the stretch but was no threat. ROCK DE STARS was unhurried early then started a run on the turn, swung out to be seven wide in upper stretch and made up some ground to no avail. BEAU DEVIOUS chased the early pace while four wide, was hard used and faltered in the stretch drive. CHIEF'S HONORS chased the early pace while inside, was used up and stopped in the stretch. OPEN TIL MIDNIGHT was on the inside on the turn and was no factor. PHANTOM SPIRIT raced two wide on the turn then altered course in mid stretch to avoid injured rival and stopped. TUFF LULA dueled for the early lead while inside, was used up then bobbled in mid stretch and was pulled up by her rider and was vanned off. A claim of foul was lodged by the rider of LIT DE BEURRE against the rider of ELDONS DANCER for interference on the turn. After reviewing the film's, no action was taken by the steward's.

