

RETAMA PARK - December 26, 2008 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$1,240 Open ATB) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR TEXAS BRED ALLOWANCE OR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$17,500.

Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a race at a mile or over since November 26 Allowed 2 lbs. Such a race since October 26 Allowed 4 lbs. (Races where entered for \$15,000 or less not considered in allowances). (NW1 X) **Claiming Price:** \$17,500

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Haveuseentheight - 1:41.44 - September 27, 2007)

Purse: \$15,500

Available Money: \$15,500

Value of Race: \$15,500 1st \$9,120, 2nd \$3,040, 3rd \$1,672, 4th \$912, 5th \$456, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 10:00 **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
28Nov08 ¹ RP ⁶	4	Elegante' (Bourque, Steve)	116 L b	3 4	4	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{Neck}	4.10	rallied, 4w, held sway
11Oct08 ⁸ LAD ²	6	Classic Mirage (Collier, T.)	119 L bf	5 7	7	Head	7 ^{1/2}	7 ³	5 ²	2 ^{3/4}	2.10*	swung 8w, closed fast
6Dec08 ⁹ RET ⁶	3	Highflyingprinces (Chacaltana, Junior)	116 L	2 1	6	3 ^{1/2}	6 ⁶	6 ⁴	1 ^{Head}	3 ⁴	3.00	rallied, 5w, led, hung
6Dec08 ⁶ RET ²	8	Little Axe Leoleta (Tejera, Eguard)	118 L bf	7 6	5	Head	4 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	2.50	4w, bid, flattened out
30Oct08 ⁵ RET ²	7	Macho Mon (Collier, Jeremy)	116 L	6 2	3	1/2	3 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{6 3/4}	7.40	chased, 3w, bid, tired
20Nov08 ³ RET ⁷	1	Sister Minnaloushe (Contreras, Alfredo)	119 L b	1 3	1	Head	1 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	7 ⁵	6 ^{Neck}	42.60	set pace, gave way
11Dec08 ⁶ RET ¹⁰	5	Nordic Hope (Taylor, Larry)	119 L	4 5	2	1	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	6 ¹	7 ²	50.10	pressed 2w, hard used
6Dec08 ⁹ RET ⁸	9	Color of Cash (Guzman, Jorge)	116 L f	8 8	8	8	8	8	8	8	45.70	trailed, outrun

Fractional Times: 24.90 49.47 1:13.73 1:39.16

Final Time: 1:45.73

Split Times: (24:57) (24:26) (25:43) (6:57)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Elegante', Bay Filly, by Najran out of Screen Attraction, by Personal Flag. Foaled Feb 18, 2005 in Texas.

Breeder: James R. Dimel.

Winning Owner: James R. Dimel

Claiming Prices: 4 - Elegante': \$17,500; 6 - Classic Mirage: \$17,500; 7 - Macho Mon: \$17,500; 1 - Sister Minnaloushe: \$17,500; 5 - Nordic Hope: \$17,500; 9 - Color of Cash: \$17,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Aunt Adell (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$51,221

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Elegante'	10.20	4.60	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	4-6	31.40	41,492
6	Classic Mirage		3.40	2.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-6-3	113.80	40,132
3	Highflyingprinces			3.00	\$2.00 Superfecta	4-6-3-8	246.80	27,203
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-4	40.80	2,512
					\$2.00 Pick 3	6-5-4 (3 correct)	436.40	4,417

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Elegante'	4	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ⁵	4 ^{1 1/4}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}
6	Classic Mirage	7	7 ^{5 3/4}	7 ^{11 1/2}	7 ^{5 3/4}	5 ^{2 3/4}	2 ^{Neck}
3	Highflyingprinces	1	6 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{1 3/4}	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹
8	Little Axe Leoleta	6	5 ²	4 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ⁵
7	Macho Mon	2	3 ¹	3 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/4}	5 ⁶
1	Sister Minnaloushe	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	7 ^{5 3/4}	6 ^{12 3/4}
5	Nordic Hope	5	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	6 ^{4 3/4}	7 ¹³
9	Color of Cash	8	8 ^{5 3/4}	8 ¹²	8 ^{8 3/4}	8 ^{10 3/4}	8 ¹⁵

Trainers: 4 - Pish, Danny; 6 - Caldwell, J.; 3 - Bird, Richard; 8 - Martinez, Jr., Eleuterio; 7 - Willis, Mindy; 1 - Davidson, M.; 5 - Eoff, Terry; 9 - Clark, Brandon

Owners: 4 -James R. Dimel; 6 - Sheetz, Bob and Pat; 3 -Jose Isidro Maciel Alvizo; 8 -Carl Dodd; 7 -Mindy J. Willis; 1 -Colleen Davidson; 5 -Terry Eoff; 9 -William A. Chapman, Sr.;

Footnotes

ELEGANTE' was settled in the early going while two wide on the first turn, rallied four wide on the far turn then powered to the front in late stretch and held sway in the end. CLASSIC MIRAGE was unhurried early and contented to lagged behind the field, started a rallied on the far turn and swung out to be eight wide in upper stretch and closed fast on the outside but was too late. HIGHFLYINGPRINCES was allowed to settle on the run down the backstretch, rallied strongly five wide at the quarter pole and moved up to gain a slim lead in mid stretch then failed to sustained that bid in late stretch. LITTLE AXE LEOLETA was settled then rallied four wide on the far turn making a bid then flattened out in the stretch drive. MACHO MON chased the early pace while racing three wide then rallied three wide on the far turn making a bid then faltered in the stretch drive. SISTER MINNALOUSHE set the early pace and drew off on the run down the backstretch, was used up and gave way in the stretch. NORDIC HOPE pressed the early pace while two wide, was hard used and stopped. COLOR OF CASH trailed throughout while being outrun.