

SANTA ANITA PARK - March 14, 2009 - Race 4

STAKES San Felipe S. Grade 2 - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS. By subscription of \$200 each to accompany the nomination. Closed Thursday, March 5th 2009 with 7. \$2,000 additional to start, with \$200,000 guaranteed, of which \$120,000 to first, \$40,000 to second, \$24,000 to third, \$12,000 to fourth and \$4,000 to fifth. *Early bird nominees to the 2009 Santa Anita Derby (Closing Date Monday, December 15, 2008) are automatically eligible to the San Felipe Stakes with all fees waived. Closed with 173. 122 lbs. Non-winners of \$90,000 twice at one mile over, allowed 3 lbs.; \$90,000 at one mile or over, 5 lbs.; \$60,000 anytime, 7 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the owner of the winner.

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Zappa - 1:39.58 - January 12, 2008)

Purse: \$200,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$200,000

Value of Race: \$200,000 1st \$120,000, 2nd \$40,000, 3rd \$24,000, 4th \$12,000, 5th \$4,000

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:04 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7Feb09 ⁸ SA ¹	2	Pioneerof the Nile (Gomez, Garrett)	122	BL	2	5	5 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/4	0.30*	pulled,press,bid,clear
17Jan09 ⁸ GG ⁴	3	Feisty Suances (Flores, David)	115	BL b	3	3	2 ¹	4 ¹	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	11.50	came out,3wd,willingly
26Feb09 ⁴ SA ²	5	Jeranimo (Blanc, Brice)	117	BL bf	5	2	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	3 ³ 3/4	14.00	3wd, 4deep, best rest
22Feb09 ³ SA ¹	1	He's Really Big (Gryder, Aaron)	116	BL b	1	4	4 ^{1/2}	6	6	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	21.60	inside trip, no threat
7Feb09 ⁸ SA ⁸	4	Shafted (Rosario, Joel)	115	BL	4	6	6	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	6	5 ^{1/2}	10.20	crowded start,5wd 1/4
16Feb09 ³ SA ¹	7	New Bay (Talamo, Joseph)	115	BL	6	1	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	6	5.60	briefly resisted,faded

Fractional Times: 23.96 48.60 1:12.82 1:37.09

Final Time: 1:43.35

Split Times: (24:64) (24:22) (24:27) (6:26)

Run-Up: 70 feet

Winner: Pioneerof the Nile, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Empire Maker out of Star of Goshen, by Lord At War (ARG). Foaled May 05, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Zayat Stables, LLC.

Winning Owner: Zayat Stables, LLC

Scratched Horse(s): Kelly Leak (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$929,900

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Pioneerof the Nile	2.60	2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	2-3	7.00	215,617
3	Feisty Suances		5.80	3.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	2-3-5	36.10	204,806
5	Jeranimo			4.00	\$2.00 Daily Double	11-2	182.80	36,560
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-11-2 (3 correct)	391.60	61,890
					\$1.00 Pick 4	2/3/4-5-11-2/6 (4 correct)	531.60	216,594

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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2	Pioneerof the Nile	5	5 ⁴ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/4
3	Feisty Suances	3	2 ² 1/2	4 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/4
5	Jeranimo	2	3 ³ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ² 1/4
1	He's Really Big	4	4 ⁴	6 ³ 1/2	6 ³ 1/2	5 ² 3/4	4 ⁶
4	Shafted	6	6 ⁵ 1/2	5 ³	5 ³	6 ⁴ 1/4	5 ⁶
7	New Bay	1	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	4 ² 1/2	6 ⁶ 1/2

Trainers: 2 - Baffert, Bob; 3 - Vienna, Darrell; 5 - Pender, Michael; 1 - Becerra, Rafael; 4 - Casse, Mark; 7 - Mandella, Richard

Owners: 2 - Zayat Stables, LLC; 3 - Red Baron's Barn LLC; 5 -B. J. Wright; 1 - J. J. Eaton Racing; 4 - Woodford Racing, LLC; 7 -B. Wayne Hughes;

Footnotes

PIONEEROF THE NILE content to settle outside rival then three wide entering the backstretch, tugged his way forward to force the pacesetter, moved alongside that rival on the second turn,roused and grabbed command then was kept to task right handed to remain clear. FEISTY SUANCES broke out bit, settled along the inside, tucked in behind dueling leaders, angled out on second bend, loomed three wide and between foes into the stretch, then went willingly to the wire. JERANIMO briefly inside winner on the initial turn, chased outside foe to second turn, moved up, loomed three wide around final bend, caught four deep into the stretch and was outfinished for second. HE'S REALLY BIG reserved then chased from slightly off the fence, remained inside around final bend, found clear path along the rail late but lacked needed punch. SHAFTEd was off a step slow then crowded at the start, lagged back while three wide, remained on same path to final turn, was caught five wide exiting that bend and failed to threaten. NEW BAY quickly stepped to uncontested lead, had that cushion evaporate on the backstretch, resisted briefly inside winner nearing the stretch, lost control then came off the rail and weakened.

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