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**SANTA ANITA PARK - March 18, 2012 - Race 3**

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR CALIFORNIA BRED OR CALIFORNIA SIRE MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 115 lbs.;

Older, 124 lbs. (Rail at 15 feet). (S)

One Mile On The Dirt - Originally Scheduled For the Turf **Track Record:** (Ruhmann - 1:33.40 - March 5, 1989)

**Purse:** \$56,000

**Plus:** \$350 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$56,350

**Value of Race:** \$56,350 1st \$33,600, 2nd \$11,200, 3rd \$6,720, 4th \$3,360, 5th \$1,120, 6th \$350

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Good

**Off at:** 1:32 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
20Feb12 <sup>6</sup> SA <sup>3</sup>	6	He's Very Rare (Rosario, Joel)	124	L	3	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Nose</sup>	2.70	fought back btwn,game
10Feb12 <sup>3</sup> SA <sup>2</sup>	5	Dylan Donnelly (Garcia, Martin)	116	L bfc	2	3	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	1.20*	bid 3wd,vied,outgamed
25Feb12 <sup>6</sup> SA <sup>4</sup>	9	Jonny's Choice (Flores, David)	118	L c	5	6	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>7 1/4</sup>	3.00	3wd 7/8,rail bid lane
3Mar12 <sup>2</sup> SA <sup>4</sup>	10	Huntsville (Sutherland, Chantal)	116	L bc	6	4	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>8 3/4</sup>	5.20	bid,btwn 1/4,weakened
2Jan12 <sup>4</sup> SA <sup>6</sup>	3	Elusive Journey (Berrios, Hector)	124	L	1	2	4 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	16.60	pulled,inside,wkened
9Feb12 <sup>3</sup> SA <sup>6</sup>	8	No Lookin' Back (Linares, Modesto)	118	L f	4	5	6	6	6	6	6	59.60	inside, no threat

**Fractional Times:** 23.26 46.80 1:10.75 1:23.28 **Final Time:** 1:35.59

**Split Times:** (23:54) (23:95) (12:53) (12:31)

**Run-Up:** 172 feet

**Winner:** He's Very Rare, Gray or Roan Colt, by Unusual Heat out of Grilltoperfection, by Perfect Mandate. Foaled May 07, 2008 in California.

**Breeder:** Old English Rancho. **Winning Owner:** Johnston, E. W. and Judy

**Scratched Horse(s):** All de Victors (Veterinarian), Flying Jib (Off-Turf), Full's Kris S. (Off-Turf), Gurnick (Off-Turf), Indicator (Off-Turf)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$135,614

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	He's Very Rare	7.40	3.40	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	6-5	7.90	59,857
5	Dylan Donnelly		2.80	2.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	6-5-9	16.20	51,726
9	Jonny's Choice			3.00	\$1.00 Superfecta	6-5-9-10	34.40	39,795
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-6	11.80	14,409
					\$1.00 Pick 3	1-6-6 (3 correct)	15.50	37,666
					\$1.00 Consolation Pick 3	1-6-1 (3 correct)	4.00	0

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	He's Very Rare	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Nose</sup>
5	Dylan Donnelly	3	5 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Nose</sup>
9	Jonny's Choice	6	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2 3/4</sup>
10	Huntsville	4	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>10</sup>
3	Elusive Journey	2	4 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>9</sup>	5 <sup>18 3/4</sup>
8	No Lookin' Back	5	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>11 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>21</sup>

**Trainers:** 6 - Warren, Donald; 5 - Mitchell, Mike; 9 - Headley, Bruce; 10 - Abrams, Barry; 3 - Nettles, Kenneth; 8 - Gomez, Ruben

**Owners:** 6 - Johnston, E. W. and Judy; 5 - Nicholas B. Alexander; 9 - Berumen, Patsy and Johnston, E. W. and Judy; 10 - Madeline Auerbach; 3 - Harrison Farms Racing and Nettles, Kenneth; 8 - Derby, Susan and Folgner, Gary;

**Footnotes**

HE'S VERY RARE sped to the early lead and angled in, set a pressured pace inside, inched away leaving the second turn, came a bit off the rail into the stretch, fought back under urging between foes in midstretch and toward the rail in the late stages and held on gamely. DYLAN DONNELLY between horses early, chased outside a rival, ranged up three deep leaving the second turn and into the stretch, bid three wide in midstretch then continued outside the winner late and went on willingly but was outgamed. JONNY'S CHOICE three deep into the first turn, angled in and saved ground stalking the pace, bid along the rail in the drive, could not match the top pair late but clearly bested the others. HUNTSVILLE four wide into the first turn, angled in and bid alongside the winner to press the pace, stalked between horses leaving the second turn, dropped back into the stretch, drifted in some and weakened. ELUSIVE JOURNEY pulled his way along inside then chased a bit off the rail, dropped back on the backstretch, found the fence again on the second turn and lacked a response in the stretch. NO LOOKIN' BACK unhurried and angled in early, saved ground off the pace throughout and failed to menace. DYLAN DONNELLY, JONNY'S CHOICE and HUNTSVILLE wore calks.