

SARATOGA - August 7, 2010 - Race 3

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD FOALD IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at Five and One Half Furlongs on the main track.). (S)

Five And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Track Record:** (Lady Shipman - 1:00.46 - August 30, 2015)

Purse: \$40,000

Available Money: \$40,000

Value of Race: \$40,000 1st \$24,000, 2nd \$8,000, 3rd \$4,000, 4th \$2,000, 5th \$1,200, 6th \$267, 7th \$267, 8th \$266

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 2:08 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
26Jun10 ⁵ BEL ³	7	Hear the Footsteps (Garcia, Alan)	119	L b	5	3	3 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ³	1 ^{Head}	3.40	bump brk, 3w pursuit
10Jul10 ¹⁰ BEL ²	2	Dougie (Dominguez, Ramon)	123	L	2	2	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ² 1/2	2 ^{1/2}	1.00*	off rail, led, nipped
5Jul10 ⁷ BEL ⁶	1	Magnificent Tiger (Velasquez, Cornelio)	119	L b	1	1	1 ²	1 ³	1 ¹	3 ² 1/4	10.30	sharp speed, held well
---	5	Sky Blue Pink (Maragh, Rajiv)	119	L	4	6	7 ¹	7 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	17.60	3 wide, rallied
23Jun10 ⁶ BEL ²	11	Western Connection (Castellano, Javier)	123	L f	8	7	6 ² 1/2	6 ² 1/2	6 ^{1/2}	5 ¹ 1/4	10.00	lacked needed response
10Jul10 ¹⁰ BEL ³	10	Dirt Track Demon (Espinoza, Jose)	119	L	7	5	5 ³	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	6 ³	4.50	lunged break, 4 wide
---	3	Backslider (Hill, Channing)	119	L	3	8	8	8	8	7 ^{1/2}	32.50	outside, no menace
7Jun10 ⁸ DEL ¹⁰	8	Ashquar (Prado, Edgar)	119	L bf	6	4	4 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	7 ²	8	34.00	bump brk, saved ground

Fractional Times: 22.05 44.75 56.57

Final Time: 1:03.20

Split Times: (22:70) (11:82) (6:63)

Run-Up: 60 feet **Temporary Rail:** 12 feet

Winner: Hear the Footsteps, Chestnut Gelding, by Read the Footnotes out of Herat's Goldengirl, by Gold Alert. Foaled Apr 07, 2007 in New York.

Breeder: Thomas-Narlinger LLC, Dennis Repp, Atlantis Mares LLC & Lynda Richter.

Winning Owner: Everything's Cricket Racing and Koones, Robert J.

Scratched Horse(s): Bounder (Trainer), Cincinnati Kid (Stewards), Payout (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$580,255

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Hear the Footsteps	8.80	3.20	2.70	\$2.00 Exacta	7-2	19.20	534,786
2	Dougie		2.60	2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	7-2-1	97.50	299,321
1	Magnificent Tiger			4.20	\$2.00 Pick 3	8-6-7 (3 correct)	746.00	155,244
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-7	75.00	85,197
					\$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	8-6-9 (3 correct)	116.50	0
					\$2.00 Superfecta	7-2-1-5	585.00	124,714
					\$2.00 Consolation	6-9	15.20	0
					Double			0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
7	Hear the Footsteps	3	3 ³	3 ⁵	3 ³ 1/2	1 ^{Head}
2	Dougie	2	2 ²	2 ³	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}
1	Magnificent Tiger	1	1 ²	1 ³	1 ¹	3 ^{1/2}
5	Sky Blue Pink	6	7 ¹⁰ 1/2	7 ¹²	5 ⁶ 1/2	4 ² 3/4
11	Western Connection	7	6 ⁸	6 ⁹ 1/2	6 ⁸	5 ⁶ 1/4
10	Dirt Track Demon	5	5 ⁵	4 ⁶ 1/2	4 ⁶ 1/2	6 ⁷ 1/2
3	Backslider	8	8 ¹¹ 1/2	8 ¹³	8 ¹⁰ 1/2	7 ¹⁰ 1/2
8	Ashquar	4	4 ⁴	5 ⁸	7 ⁸ 1/2	8 ¹¹

Trainers: 7 - Rice, Linda; 2 - Dutrow, Anthony; 1 - Penna, Jr., Angel; 5 - Clement, Christophe; 11 - Morrison, John; 10 - Morrison, John; 3 - Clement, Christophe; 8 - Gorham, Michael

Owners: 7 - Everything's Cricket Racing and Koones, Robert J.; 2 - Zayat Stables, LLC; 1 - Witer Ledesma; 5 - Delehanty Stable; 11 - Our Little Brother Stable; 10 - Lundy, Susan and Gary; 3 - Harris, Susan T. and Charles E.; 8 - Zanim R. Meahjohn;

Footnotes

HEAR THE FOOTSTEPS bumped at the start, took up chase on the pacesetter from the three path, being lightly coaxed all the while, lost a bit of ground after the leader while given free rein, was put to encouragement approaching the quarter pole, raced erratically in upper stretch, weaving back and forth, was positioned in the center of the course, now settled back into stride, took off after the front runners, reached even terms in deep stretch, then proved best in the last jump, under steady hand encouragement. DOUGIE patiently stalked the leader from the two path around the turn, responded well when asked for run turning for home, closed in, fought his way to the front by deep stretch, dug in tenaciously but got nipped right at the finish line. MAGNIFICENT TIGER broke alertly to grab the lead, displayed keen speed, despite the snug early hold being applied by the rider, opened up a bit on the turn, after being given some rein, felt the runner up's presence nearing the eighth pole, dug in with good determination when that one drew abreast, yielded reluctantly in the late stages, but continued onward with good courage to earn the show. SKY BLUE PINK three wide, finished willingly during the stretch drive. WESTERN CONNECTION lacked the necessary stretch response. DIRT TRACK DEMON lunged at the break, raced four wide around the turn and tired. BACKSLIDER raced along the outside and never menaced. ASHQUAR bumped at the start, was guided over to the inside soon afterwards, sat the rail thereafter and was outrun.

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