

SUFFOLK DOWNS - June 29, 2008 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 117 lbs.: Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of two races since May 29 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500, For Each \$1,000 To \$10,500 1 lb. (Claiming Races For \$10,000 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating Allowances). **Claiming Price:** \$12,500 - \$10,500

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Canal - 1:08.20 - May 14, 1966)

Purse: \$14,000

Available Money: \$14,000

Value of Race: \$13,720 1st \$8,400, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,400, 4th \$700, 5th \$420

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:50 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Jun08 ⁷ SUF ¹⁰	1	Honest Expectation (Amiss, David)	119	BL b	1	3	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ² 1/2	1 ³	3.10	soon clear, driving
21Jun08 ⁵ SUF ⁴	4	Rubiano Lad (Dooley, Clifford)	119	BL b	4	2	3 ³	2 ² 1/2	2 ²	2 ^{3/4}	11.70	speed inside, game try
15Jun08 ⁷ SUF ⁴	6	Could Be You (Rivera, Jose)	116 ⁵	B b	6	6	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ² 1/2	3 ¹ 1/4	2.60	frct gate, 3wd top str
14Jun08 ⁸ SUF ⁴	5	Tift (Panell, Dyn)	119	BL b	5	8	6 ^{1/2}	6 ²	6 ¹	4 ^{3/4}	1.60*	2wd-3wd turn, need bid
15Jun08 ⁷ SUF ⁹	2	Golden Gator (Thompson, Winston)	119	BL bf	2	5	8	7 ² 1/2	7 ⁴	5 ^{1/2}	14.20	svd ground, no impact
20Jun08 ⁴ CT ⁶	3	Ruffles and Ridges (Hole, Taylor)	119	BL bf	3	4	4 ^{Head}	5 ³	5 ¹ 1/2	6 ² 1/2	23.00	rail turn, weakened
23May08 ⁷ MTH ⁴	9	D. J. Best (Chang, Tzeonn)	114 ⁵	BL bf	8	1	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	7 ² 3/4	6.50	speed 2wd, tired str
17Jan08 ⁶ TAM ⁸	7	Pratt (Rosario, Yamil)	119	BL b	7	7	7 ¹ 1/2	8	8	8	50.10	chased 3wd, tired

Fractional Times: 22.48 45.67 57.98

Final Time: 1:11.16

Split Times: (23:19) (12:31) (13:18)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Honest Expectation, Bay Gelding, by Valid Expectations out of To Be Honest, by Silver Deputy. Foaled Mar 20, 2003 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Superfine Farms, Inc.. **Winning Owner:** Michael J. Gill

2 Claimed Horse(s): Could Be You Tift

New Trainer: Ernest Poxon, Jr.
New Trainer: Jay P. Bernardini

New Owner: Jerry Pennington
New Owner: Dominic Dicenso

Claiming Prices: 1 - Honest Expectation: \$12,500; 4 - Rubiano Lad: \$12,500; 6 - Could Be You: \$12,500; 5 - Tift: \$12,500; 2 - Golden Gator: \$12,500; 3 - Ruffles and Ridges: \$12,500; 9 - D. J. Best: \$12,500; 7 - Pratt: \$12,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Electric Mountain (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$51,104

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Honest Expectation	8.20	5.60	4.20	\$2.00 Exacta	1-4	76.80	40,541
4	Rubiano Lad		9.60	7.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-4-6	302.60	33,149
6	Could Be You			4.00	\$2.00 Pick 3	1-9-1 (3 correct)	61.80	3,981

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Honest Expectation	3	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ² 1/2	1 ³
4	Rubiano Lad	2	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	2 ² 1/2	2 ³
6	Could Be You	6	5 ⁴ 3/4	4 ⁴ 1/2	3 ⁴ 1/2	3 ³ 3/4
5	Tift	8	6 ⁶ 1/4	6 ⁹	6 ⁹ 1/2	4 ⁵
2	Golden Gator	5	8 ⁸ 1/4	7 ¹¹	7 ¹⁰ 1/2	5 ⁵ 3/4
3	Ruffles and Ridges	4	4 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁶	5 ⁸	6 ⁶ 1/4
9	D. J. Best	1	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁷	7 ⁸ 3/4
7	Pratt	7	7 ⁶ 3/4	8 ¹³ 1/2	8 ¹⁴ 1/2	8 ¹¹ 1/2

Trainers: 1 - Taglianetti, James; 4 - Souto, Gerald; 6 - Politano, Ralph; 5 - Rigattieri, John; 2 - Siravo, Florence; 3 - Joy, Kevin; 9 - Vitali, Marcus; 7 - McCarthy, Brenda

Owners: 1 - Michael J. Gill; 4 - Starlite Stable; 6 - John R. Politano, Jr.; 5 - Monarch Stables, Inc.; 2 - Florence Gemma Siravo; 3 - John P. Tita; 9 - The Players Group; 7 - R&B Thoroughbreds LLC;

Footnotes

HONEST EXPECTATION was quickly in front, raced on or just off the rail around the turn then was kept to steady urging stretch. RUBIANO LAD raced up close inside, was in the two path off the turn then closed willingly for the place. COULD BE YOU fractious in the gate, was bumped slightly just after the break, raced three wide off turn and finished evenly. TIFT settled two wide along turn, three wide into lane, not enough. GOLDEN GATOR chased saving ground, never reached contention, no impact. RUFFLES AND RIDGES chased from rail into turn, couldn't keep pace, weakened. D. J. BEST forwardly placed two wide into turn, faded into lane, tired. PRATT chased three wide along turn, no response, tired.