

SUFFOLK DOWNS - September 22, 2007 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of two races since August 22 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000, For Each \$500 To \$9,000 1 lb. (Races where entered for \$8,000 or less not considered in estimating allowances). **Claiming Price:** \$10,000 - \$9,000

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

Purse: \$18,500

Available Money: \$18,500

Value of Race: \$18,130 1st \$11,100, 2nd \$3,700, 3rd \$1,850, 4th \$925, 5th \$555

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:47 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Sep07 ⁹ SUF ³	10	Shell Creek (Dooley, Clifford)	119	BL	b	9 4	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}	20.50	held well late
27Jun07 ⁸ DEL ⁵	4	Thanks Dubya (Ortiz, Wilkin)	119	BL		3 6	8 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	5 ²	2 ^{3/4}	3.80	late bid on rail
27Jul07 ² MTH ¹	8	Lethal Weapon (ARG) (Panell, Dyn)	119	BL	bf	7 7	4 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	0.90*	3wide move turn
4Sep07 ⁹ SUF ⁷	12	A Storm's A'formin (Amiss, David)	119	BL	b	11 1	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹	4 ¹	5.80	pressed pace outside
8Sep07 ⁶ SUF ⁴	7	Three and Two (Rosendo, Irwin)	119	BL	bf	6 8	7 ¹	6 ¹	6 ¹	5 ^{Neck}	65.70	angled four wide turn
4Sep07 ⁹ SUF ⁵	9	Episode On Tour (Piermarini, Tammi)	119	BL	bf	8 2	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Neck}	26.30	rail trip, tired
8Sep07 ⁶ SUF ¹	2	Sing Me Back Home (Bocachica, Orlando)	121	BL	b	1 9	10 ²	5 ^{1/2}	8 ¹	7 ^{1 3/4}	15.00	no treat on rail
3Sep07 ⁹ SUF ⁴	5	Golden Gator (Hole, Taylor)	120	BL	bf	4 11	9 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	10 ^{1/2}	8 ^{Neck}	28.70	no factor
11Sep07 ⁶ SUF ⁷	11	Ameriken Coin (Llagas, Walter)	119	BL	b	10 5	5 ^{1/2}	9 ²	7 ¹	9 ¹	38.00	chased, tired
3Sep07 ⁹ SUF ³	3	The Friendly Ghost (Torres, Jose)	119	BL	bf	2 10	11	10 ^{1/2}	11	10 ^{1 3/4}	7.20	outrun
4Sep07 ⁹ SUF ⁴	6	Dinner Backstage (Jimenez, Ender)	119	BL		5 3	6 ¹	11	9 ^{1/2}	11	58.20	no factor

Fractional Times: 22.33 45.60 57.91

Final Time: 1:11.42

Split Times: (23:27) (12:31) (13:51)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Shell Creek, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Dove Hunt out of Hy Vanity, by Proud Appeal. Foaled May 24, 2001 in Florida.

Breeder: Connie Schider. **Winning Owner:** Paquette, Danielle and Rebello, John

Claiming Prices: 10 - Shell Creek: \$10,000; 4 - Thanks Dubya: \$10,000; 8 - Lethal Weapon (ARG): \$10,000; 12 - A Storm's A'formin: \$10,000; 7 - Three and Two: \$10,000; 9 - Episode On Tour: \$10,000; 2 - Sing Me Back Home: \$10,000; 5 - Golden Gator: \$10,000; 11 - Ameriken Coin: \$10,000; 3 - The Friendly Ghost: \$10,000; 6 - Dinner Backstage: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): King Carlos (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$104,067

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Shell Creek	43.00	14.60	7.40	\$2.00 Perfecta	10-4	297.20	82,959
4	Thanks Dubya		6.60	4.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	10-4-8	1,048.60	50,294
8	Lethal Weapon (ARG)			2.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	10-4-8-12	2,888.90	18,962

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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10	Shell Creek	4	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}
4	Thanks Dubya	6	8 ^{5 1/2}	7 ⁵	5 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
8	Lethal Weapon (ARG)	7	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{1 1/4}
12	A Storm's A'formin	1	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	4 ^{1 3/4}
7	Three and Two	8	7 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁴	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{2 3/4}
9	Episode On Tour	2	3 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ⁴	6 ³
2	Sing Me Back Home	9	10 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	8 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{3 1/4}
5	Golden Gator	11	9 ⁶	8 ^{5 1/2}	10 ¹⁰	8 ⁵
11	Ameriken Coin	5	5 ³	9 ⁶	7 ^{7 1/2}	9 ^{5 1/4}
3	The Friendly Ghost	10	11 ^{8 1/2}	10 ⁸	11 ^{10 1/2}	10 ^{6 1/4}
6	Dinner Backstage	3	6 ^{3 1/2}	11 ^{8 1/2}	9 ^{9 1/2}	11 ⁸

Trainers: 10 - Paquette, Ida; 4 - Pascucci, Ambrose; 8 - Rigattieri, John; 12 - Sienkewicz, William; 7 - Sprague, John; 9 - Souto, Gerald; 2 - Signore, Jr., Joseph; 5 - Siravo, Florence; 11 - McKenzie, Michael; 3 - McKenzie, Michael; 6 - Fontana, Charles

Owners: 10 - Paquette, Danielle and Rebello, John; 4 -Paul P. Pompa, Jr.; 8 -John Rigattieri; 12 - Kings Cross Racing Stable and Sienkewicz, William; 7 -John A. Sprague; 9 - Starlite Stable; 2 - Glenridge Stable; 5 -Florence Gemma Siravo; 11 - Trans Atlantic Racing Stable; 3 -Michael A. Parry; 6 -Eugene Cinicola;

Footnotes

SHELL CREEK sprinted clear along the inside, extended his lead in upper stretch then held well to prevail in the late stages. THANKS DUBYA was unhurried for a half, split rivals in upper stretch, angled to the rail in midstretch and finished fastest but could not get up. LETHAL WEAPON (ARG) stalked three wide for a half, lodged an outside bid at the quarter pole and finished willingly to gain a share. A STORM'S A'FORMIN pressed the pace in the two path into upper stretch and weakened. THREE AND TWO raced between horses for a half, angled four wide on the turn and rallied mildly. EPISODE ON TOUR raced up close along the rail into upper stretch and steadily tired thereafter. SING ME BACK HOME failed to threaten while saving ground. GOLDEN GATOR dropped back soon after the start and was never close thereafter. AMERIKEN COIN chased four wide along the backstretch, dropped back on the turn and failed to threaten thereafter. THE FRIENDLY GHOST never reached contention. DINNER BACKSTAGE failed to mount a serious rally.