

TAMPA BAY DOWNS - December 26, 2012 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since November 26 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since October 26 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000 (Races

where entered for \$12,500 or less not considered in weight allowances). (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000

Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Catalina Red - 1:21.40 - December 27, 2014)

Purse: \$14,700

Includes: \$1,500 FOA - Florida Owners Awards

Available Money: \$14,700

Value of Race: \$14,550 1st \$8,970, 2nd \$2,808, 3rd \$1,716, 4th \$660, 5th \$132, 6th \$132, 7th \$132

Weather: Showery **Track:** Good (Sealed)

Off at: 1:38 **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
8Nov12 ¹ PEN ³	5	Sapphire County (Serpa, Angel)	118	L	5	1	3 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ /2	1 ¹ 1/2	2.50	bid 3w,drw o,prevaild
7Dec12 ⁸ TAM ⁴	3	Gibson County Line (Garcia, Jose)	120	L f	3	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 3/4	3.20	bid 1/4p, came again
7Nov12 ⁶ LRL ⁴	6	Peppermint Prince (Garcia, Jesse)	118	L b	6	5	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	6.00	solid pce, weakened
8Dec12 ¹⁰ TAM ⁸	2	Africanist (Curatolo, Ryan)	118	L	2	3	5 ¹	4 ^{Head}	4 ²	4 ³	1.20*	failed to gain 5 wide
13Oct12 ¹ NP ⁵	7	Dance to the Roar (Coa, Daniel)	118	L f	7	6	4 ¹ /2	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁷	12.50	evenly
15Dec12 ⁷ TAM ³	1	Will Run for Beer (Amiss, David)	120	L bf	1	7	7	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ¹	44.60	no factor
1Oct12 ³ PRX ¹	4	French Holiday (Feliciano, Ricardo)	118	L	4	4	6 ^{Head}	7	7	7	87.80	showed little

Fractional Times: 22.98 46.15 1:11.34

Final Time: 1:24.69

Split Times: (23:17) (25:19) (13:35)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Sapphire County, Bay Colt, by Gibson County out of Sapphire Ice, by Dixie Union. Foaled Jan 21, 2009 in Florida.

Breeder: North Star Equine, Inc.. **Winning Owner:** Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.

Claiming Prices: 5 - Sapphire County: \$16,000; 3 - Gibson County Line: \$16,000; 6 - Peppermint Prince: \$16,000; 2 - Africanist: \$16,000; 7 - Dance to the Roar: \$16,000; 1 - Will Run for Beer: \$16,000; 4 - French Holiday: \$16,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$100,766

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Sapphire County	7.00	3.60	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	5-3	28.60	75,419
3	Gibson County Line		4.00	3.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	5-3-6	94.00	54,096
6	Peppermint Prince			4.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	5-3-6-2	102.90	27,841
					\$2.00 Pick 3	3-1-5 (3 correct)	30.00	17,479
					\$2.00 Daily Double	1-5	14.40	8,153

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Sapphire County	1	3 ⁴	3 ³ 1/2	1 ¹ /2	1 ¹ 1/2
3	Gibson County Line	2	2 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ²	2 ¹ 1/2
6	Peppermint Prince	5	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ /2	3 ³ 1/4
2	Africanist	3	5 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁵	4 ³ 1/2	4 ⁴ 1/4
7	Dance to the Roar	6	4 ⁵	5 ⁵	5 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁷ 1/4
1	Will Run for Beer	7	7 ⁶ 1/2	6 ⁶ 1/2	6 ¹⁰	6 ¹⁴ 1/4
4	French Holiday	4	6 ⁶ 1/2	7 ¹¹	7 ¹⁵ 1/2	7 ¹⁵ 1/4

Trainers: 5 - Ness, Jamie; 3 - Smith, Robert; 6 - Garcia, Carlos; 2 - Navarro, Jorge; 7 - Chabot, Rob; 1 - Downing, William; 4 - Edel, Pamela

Owners: 5 - Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.; 3 - Smith, Drake and George, Richard Kingston; 6 -Robert Gerczak; 2 - Sargas Management LLC; 7 -Rob Chabot; 1 -Terry E. Davie; 4 -Edward Cahir;

Footnotes

SAPPHIRE COUNTY stalked the pace early, bid three wide after five furlongs to gain the lead, opened up a bit into the final furlong then prevailed late. GIBSON COUNTY LINE chased early, bid leaving the turn, held on well then came on again late. PEPPERMINT PRINCE rushed to the front early, set a solid pace, resisted to the final furlong then weakened. AFRICANIST made a middle move, angled out five wide in the furlong grounds then failed to gain. DANCE TO THE ROAR raced evenly. WILL RUN FOR BEER was no factor. FRENCH HOLIDAY showed little.