THISTLEDOWN - April 30, 2011 - Race 7
CLAIMING - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** $4,000
One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Setting Limits - 1:35.60 - November 19, 1989)
Purse: $4,800
Available Money: $4,800
Value of Race: $4,800 1st $2,880, 2nd $960, 3rd $480, 4th $240, 5th $96, 6th $48, 7th $48, 8th $48
Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:54 **Start:** Good for all

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Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18Apr11 ^{5}MNR^{3}	8	Karlens (Oro, Ernesto)	118	L bf	8	6	$4^{1/2}$	$3^{1/2}$	4^{1}	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	1.60	5w, closed determienly
16Apr11 ^{7}TAM^{6}	5	Geodi's Gold (Mata, Federico)	118	L bf	5	8	6^{2}	4^{1}	$2^{1/2}$	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	$2^{3/4}$	1.60*	stalked, clear, caught
5Apr11 ^{5}BEU^{1}	4	Action At the Top (Urieta-Moran, Victor)	120	L b	4	2	1^{1}	1^{1}	3^{2}	2^{Head}	3^{Head}	8.30	pace, held well
19Mar11 ^{6}BEU^{6}	7	Code Sender (Spieth, Scott)	118	L b	7	1	2^{1}	$2^{1/2}$	1^{Head}	3^{1}	$4^{3/4}$	14.90	weakened slightly
27Mar11 ^{8}TP^{5}	1	Paying the Bill (Ramos, Ramon)	118	L f	1	3	3^{Head}	$5^{1\ 1/2}$	$5^{3\ 1/2}$	5^{6}	5^{4}	10.90	saved ground
9Apr11 ^{3}MNR^{5}	2	Mount Brevetor (Rosario, Jr., Hector)	118	L	2	4	8	8	$7^{1/2}$	6^{Head}	6^{Neck}	7.20	failed to menace
1Apr11 ^{1}TP^{7}	3	Fire At Will (Martinez, Jr., Luis)	118	L b	3	7	7^{1}	$6^{1/2}$	$6^{1/2}$	7^{Head}	$7^{4\ 1/4}$	16.70	no threat
6Nov10 ^{3}TDN^{7}	6	Gridiron Key (Velez, Juan)	118	L b	6	5	5^{1}	7^{2}	8	8	8	35.60	never a threat

Fractional Times: 25.54 50.34 1:15.26 **Final Time:** 1:42.60
Split Times: (24:80) (24:92) (27:34)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Karlens, Bay Gelding, by Ecton Park out of Hellenic Pride, by Roanoke. Foaled Apr 30, 2006 in ON.
Breeder: Windfields Farm. **Winning Owner:** R and P Racing Stables, Inc.

Claiming Prices: 8 - Karlens: $4,000; 5 - Geodi's Gold: $4,000; 4 - Action At the Top: $4,000; 7 - Code Sender: $4,000; 1 - Paying the Bill: $4,000; 2 - Mount Brevetor: $4,000; 3 - Fire At Will: $4,000; 6 - Gridiron Key: $4,000;

Total WPS Pool: $11,452

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Karlens	5.20	2.60	2.20	$2.00 Exacta	8-5	13.00	12,763
5	Geodi's Gold		2.40	2.40	$2.00 Trifecta	8-5-4	68.60	12,553
4	Action At the Top			4.60	$1.00 Superfecta	8-5-4-7	156.60	8,206
					$2.00 Pick 3	5-1-8 (3 correct)	80.00	723

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Karlens	6	4^{2}	$3^{1\ 1/2}$	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	$1^{1\ 1/2}$
5	Geodi's Gold	8	$6^{3\ 1/2}$	4^{2}	2^{Head}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	$2^{1\ 1/2}$
4	Action At the Top	2	1^{1}	1^{1}	$3^{1/2}$	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$3^{2\ 1/4}$
7	Code Sender	1	2^{1}	2^{1}	1^{Head}	$3^{1\ 1/2}$	$4^{2\ 1/4}$
1	Paying the Bill	3	3^{2}	5^{3}	$5^{3\ 1/2}$	5^{4}	5^{3}
2	Mount Brevetor	4	$8^{6\ 1/2}$	8^{7}	$7^{7\ 1/2}$	6^{10}	6^{7}
3	Fire At Will	7	$7^{5\ 1/2}$	$6^{4\ 1/2}$	6^{7}	$7^{10\ 1/4}$	$7^{7\ 1/4}$
6	Gridiron Key	5	$5^{2\ 1/2}$	7^{5}	8^{8}	$8^{10\ 1/4}$	$8^{11\ 1/2}$

Trainers: 8 - Faulkner, Rodney; 5 - Allen, Sr., Ronald; 4 - Faulkner, Joe; 7 - Bourke, W.; 1 - Lopez, Jose; 2 - Williams, Herbert; 3 - Smith, Pam; 6 - Walker, Earl

Owners: 8 - R and P Racing Stables, Inc.; 5 - Equest Racing Stable LLC; 4 -Joe C. Faulkner; 7 - Allen, Lowell F. and Bourke, W. John; 1 -Jose L. Lopez; 2 -Cassie Ruehle; 3 - Smith, Pam L. and Bonno, Ashley; 6 -Earl Walker;

Footnotes
KARLENS stalked the pace, rallied in the upper stretch five wide, closed determienly and drew off late. GEODI'S GOLD was allowed to settle, rallied on the second turn four wide, drew clear in mid stretch, could not hold off the winner late but held place. ACTION AT THE TOP set the pace and dueled on the lead, held well in the stretch. CODE SENDER pressed the pace and dueled for the lead, weakened slightly in the stretch. PAYING THE BILL well placed and saved ground, went evenly. MOUNT BREVETOR allowed to settle, failed to menace. FIRE AT WILL was no threat. GRIDIRON KEY never far back for a half, weakened in the stretch.

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