

THISTLEDOWN - May 22, 2010 - Race 10

STAKES Dr. T.F. Classen Memorial S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD, ACCREDITED OHIO FOALS (WHICH REFLECTS \$17,500 FROM THE OHIO THOROUGHBRED FUND). Foaled in the State of Ohio as per requirements set forth by the Ohio State Racing Commission. Nomination fee is \$50 ; \$175 to enter with an additional \$325 to start, with \$50,000 Guaranteed, of which 60% to winner ; 20% to second; 10% to third; 5% to fourth; 3% to fifth; 2% to sixth. Weights. Three-year-olds 118 lbs; Older 122.

Non-Winners of \$30,000 Twice in 2009 allowed 2lbs; a race other than maiden, claiming, optional or starter since April 22, 2010 allowed 4 lbs; a race other maiden, claiming, optional or starter since March 22, 2010 allowed 6 lbs. (MCOS Not Considered in Weight Allowances). Nominations Closed Tuesday Maay11, 2010 with 13 Nominations. Starters to be named through the entry box Tuesday May 18, 2010. A trophy to the winning owner. This stake will not split. In the event more than fourteen (14) horses pass the entry box at the time of closing of entries, preference will be given to those horses having accumulated the highest 2009-2010 earnings as published by Equibase. Fees to be refunded to excluded horses. (S)

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Fancy Threat - 1:08.40 - November 21, 1987)

Purse: \$50,000 Guaranteed

Includes: \$17,500 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$50,000

Value of Race: \$50,000 1st \$30,000, 2nd \$10,000, 3rd \$5,000, 4th \$2,500, 5th \$1,500, 6th \$1,000

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 4:06 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
21Nov09 ⁶ BEU ¹	1	Gathering Dreams (Pilares, Christian)	122	L b	1	7	3 ³	3 ³	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 3/4}	5.70	got through, drew off
1May10 ⁶ RD ²	2	Indian Ink (Spieth, Scott)	116	L	2	6	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	0.70*	no breathers, 2nd best
17Apr10 ⁶ BEU ¹	6	Rollin for Mercy (Mata, Federico)	118	L	5	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{1/2}	7.30	pressed 3w, outfinished
2May10 ⁷ RD ²	3	Oriental Princess (Skerrett, Jeffrey)	116	L b	3	5	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	4 ¹	4 ^{Neck}	8.90	good position, evenly
23Jan10 ³ BEU ²	9	Tut's Shadow (Vigil, Noel)	116	L	8	3	5 ^{Head}	6 ²	5 ¹	5 ¹	81.00	mild late bid
20Mar10 ⁷ BEU ¹	11	Goody's Summer (Oro, Ernesto)	116	L f	10	4	8 ¹	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{Neck}	28.00	failed to menace
21Nov09 ⁶ BEU ³	10	Sarasponda (Schorr, Faith)	116	L f	9	1	10	8 ^{Head}	8 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{2 1/2}	5.50	outrun
1May10 ⁹ BEU ²	5	Coax Me Heidi (Stokes, Louis)	116	L	4	10	6 ¹	5 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	8 ^{3 1/2}	25.60	failed to respond
26Apr10 ⁹ BEU ²	8	Suzette's Honor (Rechy, Ramon)	118	L	7	9	7 ^{Head}	9 ^{Head}	10	9 ^{Nose}	48.70	no threat
30Apr10 ⁶ TDN ⁵	7	T. T.'s Surprise (Martinez, Jr., Luis)	116	L	6	8	9 ³	10	9 ^{1 1/2}	10	40.20	showed little

Fractional Times: 22.48 46.00 59.14

Final Time: 1:12.60

Split Times: (23:52) (13:14) (13:46)

Run-Up: 32 feet

Winner: Gathering Dreams, Bay Filly, by Mercer Mill out of Touched Bythe Lite, by Light Idea. Foaled Apr 21, 2006 in Ohio.

Breeder: Joe L. Weir. **Winning Owner:** Carol Weir

Scratched Horse(s): Macramae (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$18,326

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Gathering Dreams	13.40	4.60	4.40	\$2.00 Exacta	1-2	29.80	19,850
2	Indian Ink		2.40	2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-2-6	151.20	14,545
6	Rollin for Mercy			3.80	\$1.00 Superfecta	1-2-6-3	265.90	9,641
					\$2.00 Pick 3	8-2/4-1 (3 correct)	258.40	1,835

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Gathering Dreams	7	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 3/4}
2	Indian Ink	6	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 3/4}
6	Rollin for Mercy	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{3 3/4}
3	Oriental Princess	5	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁴	4 ^{2 1/4}	4 ^{4 1/4}
9	Tut's Shadow	3	5 ⁵	6 ^{5 1/4}	5 ^{3 1/4}	5 ^{4 1/2}
11	Goody's Summer	4	8 ^{6 1/4}	7 ^{7 1/4}	6 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}
10	Sarasponda	1	10 ^{10 1/4}	8 ^{8 3/4}	8 ^{4 3/4}	7 ^{5 3/4}
5	Coax Me Heidi	10	6 ^{5 1/4}	5 ⁵	7 ^{4 1/4}	8 ^{8 1/4}
8	Suzette's Honor	9	7 ^{6 1/4}	9 ^{8 3/4}	10 ^{7 3/4}	9 ^{11 3/4}
7	T. T.'s Surprise	8	9 ^{7 1/4}	10 ⁹	9 ^{6 1/4}	10 ^{11 3/4}

Trainers: 1 - Shuman, Joseph; 2 - Rone, Mike; 6 - Hobson, Doug; 3 - Applegate, David; 9 - Thornton, Nancy; 11 - Thornton, Nancy; 10 - Shuman, Joseph; 5 - Richards, Rusty; 8 - Rohrbacher, Tim; 7 - Thornton, Nancy

Owners: 1 -Carol Weir; 2 - Fairwinds Farm; 6 - Hobson, Doug and Cathie; 3 -David V. Applegate; 9 -Thomas L. Thornton; 11 -Thomas L. Thornton; 10 -Carol Weir; 5 -Rusty M. Richards; 8 - Chances R Farm; 7 -Thomas L. Thornton;

Footnotes

GATHERING DREAMS just behind the leaders along the rail from the start, steadied a bit coming out of the turn, got through the narrowest of openings near the three sixteenths pole, made the lead inside the eighth pole and drew off under strong handling. INDIAN INK was hustled up two wide to make the lead before a quarter, set a pressured pace until mid stretch and finished second best. ROLLIN FOR MERCY away alertly, pressed the pace three wide all the way and was outfinished despite a game effort. ORIENTAL PRINCESS had speed from the start and finished with good courage. TUT'S SHADOW settled mid pack and had a mild late rally. GOODY'S SUMMER failed to menace. SARASPONDA was outrun. COAX ME HEIDI failed to offer a closing response. SUZETTE'S HONOR was no threat. T. T.'S SURPRISE offered little.