

THISTLEDOWN - June 9, 2012 - Race 8

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners of a race since May 9 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since April 9 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$4,000 (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$4,000

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

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: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 6:00 **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
22Apr12 ⁵ TAM ⁵	4	Nikki's Choice (Banda, Sergio)	118	L	bf	4 3	1 ²	1 ⁶	1 ⁷	1 ⁵	1.70*	much the best
28May12 ³ TDN ³	6	Jive' N Jazz (Rosario, Jr., Hector)	120	L		6 4	5 ^{1/2}	5 ²	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 1/4}	11.30	rallied late, clear 2nd
25May12 ⁷ TDN ³	3	Silver Scream (De La Cruz, Walter)	118	L		2 7	4 ²	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	3 ³	8.20	mid pack, finished well
19May12 ³ TDN ⁷	7	Don't Short Maria (Magrell, Jane)	118	L		8 8	7 ^{1/2}	7 ³	7 ⁶	4 ^{1 1/4}	26.70	passed tiring rivals
28May12 ³ TDN ²	1A	Rollicking Ruby (Laurent, Godofredo)	118	L	bf	7 5	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	2.80	weakened late
25May12 ⁷ TDN ⁷	1	Tres Lucia (Santos, Felipe)	118	L		3 6	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ²	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{3/4}	2.80	no threat
26May12 ⁶ TDN ³	2	Paeonia Suffrutico (Radosevich, Jacob)	120	L		1 2	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	7 ^{6 3/4}	1.80	chased, stopped lane
26May12 ¹ TDN ⁶	5	Lady B (Skerrett, Jeffrey)	118	L	b	5 1	8	8	8	8	32.70	trailed

Fractional Times: 22.84 46.46 1:00.20

Final Time: 1:13.24

Split Times: (23:62) (13:74) (13:04)

Run-Up: 32 feet

Winner: Nikki's Choice, Chestnut Filly, by Forestry out of Charming Lauren, by Meadowlake. Foaled May 13, 2008 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Whisper Hill Farm, LLC.

Winning Owner: Alexis Rodriguez

Claiming Prices: 4 - Nikki's Choice: \$4,000; 6 - Jive' N Jazz: \$4,000; 3 - Silver Scream: \$4,000; 7 - Don't Short Maria: \$4,000; 1A - Rollicking Ruby: \$4,000; 1 - Tres Lucia: \$4,000; 2 - Paeonia Suffrutico: \$4,000; 5 - Lady B: \$4,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$16,556

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Nikki's Choice	5.40	3.60	2.80	\$2.00 Daily Double	6-4	22.80	1,368
6	Jive' N Jazz		6.60	4.40	\$2.00 Exacta	4-6	38.00	12,505
3	Silver Scream			4.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-6-3	217.60	13,477
					\$1.00 Superfecta	4-6-3-7	656.60	8,272
					\$2.00 Pick 3	2-6-4 (3 correct)	32.60	1,053
					\$0.50 Pick 4	6-2-6-4 (4 correct)	90.65	1,052
					\$0.50 Pick 5	4-6-2-6-4 (5 correct)	298.75	770

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Nikki's Choice	3	1 ²	1 ⁶	1 ⁷	1 ⁵
6	Jive' N Jazz	4	5 ⁹	5 ^{10 1/2}	2 ⁷	2 ⁵
3	Silver Scream	7	4 ⁷	4 ¹⁰	4 ^{7 1/2}	3 ^{7 1/4}
7	Don't Short Maria	8	7 ¹¹	7 ^{14 1/2}	7 ¹¹	4 ^{10 1/4}
1A	Rollicking Ruby	5	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{7 1/2}	3 ⁷	5 ^{11 1/2}
1	Tres Lucia	6	6 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{12 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}	6 ^{13 1/4}
2	Paeonia Suffrutico	2	2 ²	2 ⁶	5 ^{8 1/2}	7 ¹⁴
5	Lady B	1	8 ^{11 1/2}	8 ^{17 1/2}	8 ¹⁷	8 ^{20 3/4}

Trainers: 4 - Cosme, Pablo; 6 - Faulkner, Rodney; 3 - Tsigotis, Jr., James; 7 - Manning, Richard; 1A - Pattah, Shahab; 1 - Pattah, Shahab; 2 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 5 - Polichena, Russell

Owners: 4 - Alexis Rodriguez; 6 - R and P Racing Stables, LLC; 3 - Teresa Tsigotis; 7 - Sandra McVaney; 1a-Shahab D. Pattah; 1 -Shahab D. Pattah; 2 - Bruno Schickedanz; 5 -Russell Polichena;

Footnotes

NIKKI'S CHOICE sprinted to a clear lead soon after the start, set the balance of the pace unchallenged and won as much the best. JIVE' N JAZZ allowed to settle, rallied late and finished clear for second. SILVER SCREAM settled mid pack and finished with good courage. DON'T SHORT MARIA passed tiring rivals. ROLLICKING RUBY well placed, faded through the stretch. TRES LUCIA was no threat. PAEONIA SUFFRUTICO chased the winner into the stretch then stopped. LADY B trailed.