

**THISTLEDOWN - July 7, 2007 - Race 7**

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners of a race at a mile or over since June 7 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since May 7 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$10,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (NW1 X)

One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Wisdom Seeker - 1:40.92 - July 22, 1995)

**Purse:** \$11,400

**Plus:** \$3,500 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

**Available Money:** \$14,900

**Value of Race:** \$11,400 1st \$6,840, 2nd \$2,280, 3rd \$1,140, 4th \$570, 5th \$342, 6th \$114, 7th \$114

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 3:08 **Start:** Good for all

| Last Raced                             | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey)                    | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4                | 1/2               | 3/4                | Str                | Fin                | Odds  | Comments               |
|--|-----|--|-----|-----|----|-------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 23Jun07 <sup>9</sup> TDN <sup>4</sup>  | 2   | Kannapolis (Feliciano, Ricardo)        | 118 | L   | bf | 2 3   | 2 <sup>1</sup>     | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>  | 1 <sup>1</sup>     | 1 <sup>1</sup>     | 1 <sup>1</sup>     | 3.60  | well handled           |
| 28Jun07 <sup>8</sup> TDN <sup>3</sup>  | 3   | Hefferman (Banda, Sergio)              | 118 | L   |    | 3 7   | 7                  | 6 <sup>Head</sup> | 2 <sup>2 1/2</sup> | 2 <sup>2 1/2</sup> | 2 <sup>3 3/4</sup> | 3.60  | bid, second best       |
| 12Jun07 <sup>4</sup> MNR <sup>6</sup>  | 4   | Saints Promise (Martinez, Jr., Luis)   | 116 | L   | f  | 4 6   | 6 <sup>1</sup>     | 7                 | 4 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 3 <sup>1</sup>     | 3 <sup>3/4</sup>   | 9.60  | second flight, rallied |
| 2Jun07 <sup>1</sup> TDN <sup>4</sup>   | 5   | Who Slew Who (Spieth, Scott)           | 118 | L   |    | 5 4   | 5 <sup>3 1/2</sup> | 5 <sup>Head</sup> | 7                  | 5 <sup>Head</sup>  | 4 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 13.50 | never far back, evenly |
| 11Jun07 <sup>4</sup> TDN <sup>2</sup>  | 7   | No Questions Asked (Meyers, Tommy)     | 118 | L   |    | 7 2   | 4 <sup>Head</sup>  | 4 <sup>Head</sup> | 5 <sup>1</sup>     | 4 <sup>1</sup>     | 5 <sup>1 1/4</sup> | 0.80* | failed to respond      |
| 27May07 <sup>7</sup> TDN <sup>6</sup>  | 1   | Turntheheatup (Barrera, Francisco)     | 118 | bf  |    | 1 5   | 3 <sup>1</sup>     | 3 <sup>3</sup>    | 6 <sup>Head</sup>  | 6 <sup>7</sup>     | 6 <sup>13</sup>    | 62.90 | through after half     |
| 16Jun07 <sup>10</sup> TDN <sup>8</sup> | 6   | Dakota's Choice (Urieta-Moran, Victor) | 116 | bf  |    | 6 1   | 1 <sup>1</sup>     | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>  | 3 <sup>Head</sup>  | 7                  | 7                  | 17.80 | pace, faltered         |

**Fractional Times:** 23.74 48.32 1:13.90 1:40.93

**Final Time:** 1:45.39

**Split Times:** (24:58) (25:58) (27:03) (4:46)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Kannapolis, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Colony Light out of Gentle Vixen, by Gentle King. Foaled Mar 20, 2001 in Florida.

**Breeder:** James C. DiMare & Kimber DiMare. **Winning Owner:** Samuel Klein, Jr.

**Total WPS Pool:** \$21,428

| Pgm | Horse          | Win  | Place | Show | Wager Type        | Winning Numbers       | Payoff | Pool   |
|-----|----------------|------|-------|------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------|--------|
| 2   | Kannapolis     | 9.20 | 7.00  | 3.60 | \$2.00 Exacta     | 2-3                   | 48.40  | 16,503 |
| 3   | Hefferman      |      | 8.20  | 3.60 | \$2.00 Trifecta   | 2-3-4                 | 229.20 | 17,605 |
| 4   | Saints Promise |      |       | 4.00 | \$1.00 Superfecta | 2-3-4-5               | 300.30 | 11,161 |
|     |                |      |       |      | \$2.00 Pick 3     | 1-1/4/7-2 (3 correct) | 113.80 | 2,500  |

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

| Pgm | Horse Name         | Start | 1/4                | 1/2                | 3/4                | Str                 | Fin                 |
|-----|--------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 2   | Kannapolis         | 3     | 2 <sup>1</sup>     | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 1 <sup>1</sup>     | 1 <sup>1</sup>      | 1 <sup>1</sup>      |
| 3   | Hefferman          | 7     | 7 <sup>7 1/2</sup> | 6 <sup>4 1/4</sup> | 2 <sup>1</sup>     | 2 <sup>1</sup>      | 2 <sup>1</sup>      |
| 4   | Saints Promise     | 6     | 6 <sup>6 1/2</sup> | 7 <sup>4 1/4</sup> | 4 <sup>3 1/2</sup> | 3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>  | 3 <sup>4 3/4</sup>  |
| 5   | Who Slew Who       | 4     | 5 <sup>3</sup>     | 5 <sup>4</sup>     | 7 <sup>5 1/4</sup> | 5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>  | 4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>  |
| 7   | No Questions Asked | 2     | 4 <sup>3</sup>     | 4 <sup>4</sup>     | 5 <sup>4</sup>     | 4 <sup>4 1/2</sup>  | 5 <sup>7</sup>      |
| 1   | Turntheheatup      | 5     | 3 <sup>2</sup>     | 3 <sup>1</sup>     | 6 <sup>5</sup>     | 6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>  | 6 <sup>8 1/4</sup>  |
| 6   | Dakota's Choice    | 1     | 1 <sup>1</sup>     | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 3 <sup>3 1/2</sup> | 7 <sup>12 1/2</sup> | 7 <sup>21 1/4</sup> |

**Trainers:** 2 - Faulkner, Rodney; 3 - Wheeler, Tandi; 4 - Hamm, Timothy; 5 - Owens, Martin; 7 - Meyers, Shane; 1 - Gray, Charles; 6 - Hamm, Timothy

**Owners:** 2 -Samuel Klein, Jr.; 3 -Janet Vatrano; 4 -Crowe's Nest Farm; 5 -Alfred Corrado; 7 -Shane Meyers; 1 - Gray, Charles W., Jones, Rodney and Bonfili, Mary Jean; 6 - Brown, Gerald C. and Blazing Meadows Farm LLC;

**Footnotes**

KANNAPOLIS stalked the pace, rallied on the second turn to gain the lead, then prevailed through the stretch while being well handled throughout. HEFFERMAN unhurried early, rallied at the quarter pole three wide with a strong move, could not get by the winner but was second best. SAINTS PROMISE in the second flight, put in a mild rally in the stretch. WHO SLEW WHO never far back, went evenly. NO QUESTIONS ASKED wide early and well placed, failed to respond when asked. TURNTHEHEATUP chased for a half, then tired. DAKOTA'S CHOICE set the early pace, then faltered. The rider of SAINTS PROMISE claimed foul against the riders of both KANNAPOLIS and HERRERMAN for alledged inference at the three eight's pole. After viewing the video tape the stewards took no action.