

THISTLEDOWN - July 16, 2011 - Race 8

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs.

Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since June 16 Allowed 2 lbs. One such race since then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price

\$5,000 (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

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

Purse: \$5,000

Available Money: \$5,000

Value of Race: \$5,000 1st \$3,000, 2nd \$1,000, 3rd \$500, 4th \$200, 5th \$50, 6th \$50, 7th \$50, 8th \$50, 9th \$50, 10th \$50

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:34 **Start:** Good for all except 9



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Jun11 ³ TDN ²	1	Da Big Dawg (Mata, Federico)	118	L bf	1	6	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ³	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ⁴	2.40	angled out, drew off
29Jun11 ¹ TDN ²	3	Mufasa Cat (Rosario, Jr., Hector)	118	L b	3	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/4}	17.50	dueled, held place
4Jul11 ⁴ TDN ⁴	5	Nina's Ninni (Skerrett, Jeffrey)	118	L bf	5	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	3 ³	3 ^{1/2}	16.70	dueled, weakened
27Jun11 ³ TDN ⁵	8	Largedoubledouble (Musarro, Joe)	118	L	8	5	7 ¹	7 ^{Head}	6 ¹	5 ¹	4 ^{1 3/4}	29.90	4 wide, mild rally
11Jul11 ⁵ TDN ⁴	7	Fire At Will (Fox, Kris)	118	L b	7	4	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	5 ^{3/4}	39.90	good position, evenly
1Jul11 ² PID ³	10	Mt. Fugi (Gonzalez, Luis)	118	L	10	8	9 ⁶	8 ²	7 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{5 3/4}	2.30	wide early, no threat
25Jun11 ⁶ MNR ⁴	2	Moonward (Luna, Ramon)	116	L b	2	9	8 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	4 ¹	7 ⁵	7 ⁵	7.60	middle move, tired
6Jul11 ⁷ TDN ³	4	Cookie Rules (Rosario, Yamil)	118	L bf	4	7	6 ^{Head}	9 ⁶	9 ⁷	8 ¹	8 ^{1/2}	2.30*	never in contention
27Jun11 ³ TDN ⁶	6	Valentinus (Hernandez-Lopez, Alvaro)	114 ⁵	L b	6	3	5 ³	6 ²	8 ^{1/2}	9 ⁴	9 ^{3 1/4}	34.10	through after half
4Jul11 ⁴ TDN ⁷	9	Gridiron Key (Munaylla, Filmer)	118	L b	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	46.80	broke in air

Fractional Times: 23.62 48.72 1:14.92 1:42.29

Final Time: 1:46.79

Split Times: (25:10) (26:20) (27:37) (4:50)

Run-Up: 42 feet

Winner: Da Big Dawg, Chestnut Gelding, by Roar of the Tiger out of Catdog, by Pioneering. Foaled Feb 28, 2006 in Florida.

Breeder: Marilyn McMaster.

Winning Owner: Marilyn McMaster

Claiming Prices: 1 - Da Big Dawg: \$5,000; 3 - Mufasa Cat: \$5,000; 5 - Nina's Ninni: \$5,000; 8 - Largedoubledouble: \$5,000; 7 - Fire At Will: \$5,000; 10 - Mt. Fugi: \$5,000; 2 - Moonward: \$5,000; 4 - Cookie Rules: \$5,000; 6 - Valentinus: \$5,000; 9 - Gridiron Key: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$12,158

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
1	Da Big Dawg	6.80	3.40	3.20	\$2.00 Daily Double	1-1	8.00	3,469	
3	Mufasa Cat		11.20	13.60	\$2.00 Exacta	1-3	78.80	12,477	
5	Nina's Ninni			10.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-3-5	484.80	12,518	
					\$1.00 Superfecta	1-3-5-8	6,682.00	6,900	
					\$2.00 Pick 3	8-1/2-1 (3 correct)	49.60	2,985	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	8-8-1/2-1 (4 correct)	86.05	1,666	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	2-8-8-1/2-1 (4 correct)	16.85	479	
					\$0.10 Pick 6	1-2-8-8-1-1 (6 correct)	39.96	1,418	3,482

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Da Big Dawg	6	3 ¹	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ⁴
3	Mufasa Cat	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁴
5	Nina's Ninni	2	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{5 1/4}
8	Largedoubledouble	5	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{5 3/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{5 3/4}
7	Fire At Will	4	4 ^{1 1/4}	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ⁵	4 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}
10	Mt. Fugi	8	9 ⁶	8 ^{5 3/4}	7 ^{7 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{8 1/4}
2	Moonward	9	8 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁴	7 ⁸	7 ¹⁴
4	Cookie Rules	7	6 ^{4 1/4}	9 ^{7 3/4}	9 ⁹	8 ¹³	8 ¹⁹
6	Valentinus	3	5 ^{1 1/4}	6 ^{3 3/4}	8 ^{8 1/2}	9 ¹⁴	9 ^{19 1/2}
9	Gridiron Key	10	10 ¹²	10 ^{13 3/4}	10 ¹⁶	10 ¹⁸	10 ^{22 3/4}

Trainers: 1 - Allen, Sr., Ronald; 3 - Faulkner, Rodney; 5 - Barnes, Bart; 8 - Rettele, Richard; 7 - Ross, Pam; 10 - Bennett, Gerald; 2 - Adkins, Sandra; 4 - Ness, Jamie; 6 - Rettele, Richard; 9 - Walker, Earl

Owners: 1 -Marilyn McMaster; 3 - R and P Racing Stables, LLC; 5 -Bart A. Barnes; 8 -Terrance C. Ellah; 7 - Smith, Pam L. and Bonno, Ashley; 10 - Queen, Harold and Gilmore, Gene; 2 - Charlie J. Williams LLC; 4 - Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.; 6 -Eileen M. Johnson; 9 -Earl Walker;

Footnotes

DA BIG DAWG stalked the pace on the inside, rallied at the quarter pole three wide and angled out, drew off in the lane, driving. MUFASA CAT set the pace and dueled on the lead, could not match strides late with the winner but held place. NINA'S NINNI pressed the pace and dueled on the lead, weakened in late stretch. LARGEDOUBLEDOUBLE allowed to settle, had a mild rally four wide. FIRE AT WILL had good position three wide, lacked a late response and went evenly. MT. FUGI wide early, was no threat. MOONWARD allowed to settle early, had a middle move, then tired. COOKIE RULES was never in contention. VALENTINUS was through after half. GRIDIRON KEY broke in the air and was outrun.