

**THISTLEDOWN - August 14, 2004 - Race 12**

STAKES Cleveland Kindergarten S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

FOR TWO-YEARS-OLD. REGISTERED OHIO FOALS. Foaled in the State of Ohio as per requirements set forth by The Ohio State Racing Commission. Nomination Fee is \$50, \$140 to enter and \$260 to start, with \$40,000 Guaranteed of which 60% to the winner; 20% to second; 10% to third; 5% to fourth; 3% to fifth and 2% to sixth. Weight 119 lbs. Non-Winners of \$24,000 allowed 3 lbs (Maiden or Claiming races not considered in weight allowances). Nominations Close Wednesday, August 4, 2004. A trophy to the winning Owner. This Stake will not be split. In the event more than Fourteen horses pass the entry box at the time of closing of entries, preference will be given to those horses having accumulated the highest 2004 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:** \$40,000 Guaranteed


**Includes:** \$14,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

**Available Money:** \$40,000

**Value of Race:** \$40,000 1st \$24,000, 2nd \$8,000, 3rd \$4,000, 4th \$2,000, 5th \$1,200, 6th \$800

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 5:00 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Jul04 <sup>1</sup> MNR <sup>1</sup>	10	Rubius (Felix, Julio)	116	--	10	5	3 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3/4</sup>	0.90*	3w,held well, driving
18Jul04 <sup>11</sup> RD <sup>9</sup>	9	Fierce Cat (Solomon, Nathan)	116	L b	9	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	25.90	led,presed,2nd best
18Jul04 <sup>11</sup> RD <sup>1</sup>	6	Bug Hunter (Rosendo, Irwin)	119	--	6	3	6 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>3/4</sup>	6.80	mild rally late 4 wide
18Jul04 <sup>11</sup> RD <sup>2</sup>	8	Brooks Blach (Troilo, William)	116	L	8	4	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	5.30	well placed, evenly
---	7	Smacker (Villa-Gomez, Huber)	116	--	7	6	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	32.70	brief lead,through 1/2
18Jul04 <sup>11</sup> RD <sup>6</sup>	3	Ghost Rider in Red (Spieth, Scott)	116	L	3	9	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	19.30	failed to menace
---	4	D's Dessert (Centeno, Daniel)	116	--	4	11	10 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	38.80	no threat
18Jul04 <sup>11</sup> RD <sup>5</sup>	1	Moody Bruce (Feliciano, Ricardo)	116	--	1	8	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	13.00	no factor
18Jul04 <sup>11</sup> RD <sup>3</sup>	5	Me Son (Gonzalez, Luis) 	116	L b	5	10	11	10 <sup>4</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	9 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5.20	outrun
---	2	Cast No Shadow (Magrell, Jane)	116	--	2	7	9 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	11	10 <sup>1</sup>	10 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	86.10	never involved
18Jul04 <sup>11</sup> RD <sup>8</sup>	11	Rockin Eddie (Cloninger, Jr., Weldon)	116	L b	11	2	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	8 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	11	11	22.10	bumped,brief speed

**Fractional Times:** 22.36 45.86 58.90

**Final Time:** 1:12.58

**Split Times:** (23:50) (13:04) (13:68)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Rubius, Gray or Roan Colt, by Rubiano out of Copelan's Cachet, by Copelan. Foaled Feb 03, 2002 in Ohio.

**Breeder:** Harold L. Queen.

**Winning Owner:** Gerald Silver

**Total WPS Pool:** \$35,331

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Rubius	3.80	3.00	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	10-9	78.80	30,568
9	Fierce Cat		11.20	5.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	10-9-6	598.20	31,263
6	Bug Hunter			3.40	\$2.00 Superfecta	10-9-6-8	2,327.40	10,511
					\$2.00 Pick 3	4-2/7/9/10/12/13-10 (3 correct)	15.40	1,767

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
10	Rubius	5	3 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3/4</sup>
9	Fierce Cat	1	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>3/4</sup>
6	Bug Hunter	3	6 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/4</sup>
8	Brooks Blach	4	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>
7	Smacker	6	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup>
3	Ghost Rider in Red	9	8 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
4	D's Dessert	11	10 <sup>8 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>12</sup>	8 <sup>8 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
1	Moody Bruce	8	7 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>8</sup>
5	Me Son	10	11 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>12 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>9 3/4</sup>
2	Cast No Shadow	7	9 <sup>6 3/4</sup>	11 <sup>16 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>12 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>12 1/4</sup>
11	Rockin Eddie	2	5 <sup>4</sup>	8 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	11 <sup>13 1/4</sup>	11 <sup>14</sup>

**Trainers:** 10 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 9 - Napier, William; 6 - Hamm, Timothy; 8 - Thornbury, Jeffrey; 7 - Girten, Tim; 3 - Mogge, Wayne; 4 - Feliciano, Miguel; 1 - Hamm, Timothy; 5 - Smith, Austin; 2 - Sparks, Jerry; 11 - Connelly, Robert

**Owners:** 10 -Gerald Silver; 9 -Timothy Napier; 6 - Hudson, Nancy A. and Bruce K.; 8 -Mark Marvin Warner; 7 - Eutrophia Farm; 3 -Roger Davis; 4 - Pyrite Stables; 1 - Destiny Farm LLC; 5 - Smith, George A. and Ryan, William; 2 -Darrell R. Sapp; 11 - Lenihan, Thomas F., Dalby, Edward and Weis, Raymond;

**Footnotes**

RUBIUS broke outward bumping ROCKIN EDDIE, settled just off the leaders three wide, made the lead when asked entering the turn, set the balance of the pace and won under strong handling. FIERCE CAT broke alertly to lead for almost a quarter, pressed the remainder of the trip and finished second best. BUG HUNTER allowed to settle, had a mild late rally four wide. BROOKS BLACH well placed, lacked a closing response. SMACKER sprinted up along the inside to gain a narrow lead just before a quarter, had speed into the stretch then gradually weakened. GHOST RIDER IN RED failed to reach contention. D'S DESSERT was no threat. MOODY BRUCE was not a factor. ME SON was always outrun. CAST NO SHADOW was never involved. ROCKIN EDDIE was bumped by the winner at the start then had brief speed.

