

THISTLEDOWN - August 20, 2012 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON THREE RACES IN 2011-2012 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since July 20 Allowed 2 lbs. One such race since then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$4,000 (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$4,000 One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Wisdom Seeker - 1:40.92 - July 22, 1995)

Purse: \$4,800

Available Money: \$4,800

Value of Race: \$4,800 1st \$2,880, 2nd \$960, 3rd \$480, 4th \$240, 5th \$144, 6th \$96

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

Off at: 3:59 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
3Aug12 ⁸ TDN ²	3	R Dirteater (De La Cruz, Walter)	118 L b	3	1	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{2 1/2}	2.10	erratic stretch drive
8Aug12 ⁷ TDN ²	2	Red Wine (Mata, Federico)	118 L bf	2	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	0.60*	dueled, held place
3Aug12 ⁸ TDN ³	5	Rifle (Mejias, Ricardo)	113 ⁵ L b	5	4	5 ⁵	5 ⁴	4 ²	3 ³	3 ^{6 3/4}	8.90	rallied, 3 wide
1Aug12 ⁸ TDN ¹	4	Valentinus (Hernandez-Lopez, Alvaro)	118 L bf	4	3	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{6 3/4}	6.40	contended, no late bid
3Aug12 ⁸ TDN ⁹	1	London Liaison (Velez, Juan)	118 L bf	1	6	6	6	6	5 ⁴	5 ^{9 1/2}	28.80	slow early, outrun
3Aug12 ⁸ TDN ⁸	6	Ten Martinis (Vickers, Nathan)	120 L b	6	5	4 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/2}	6	6	29.20	pressed 4w, gave way

Fractional Times: 23.80 48.68 1:13.84 1:40.63 **Final Time:** 1:45.01

Split Times: (24:88) (25:16) (26:79) (4:38)

Run-Up: 42 feet

Winner: R Dirteater, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by King Tutta out of Harlan Ash, by Harlan. Foaled Apr 04, 2008 in Ohio.

Breeder: Double D Farm Corp..

Winning Owner: Christina Kasmerski

Claiming Prices: 3 - R Dirteater: \$4,000; 2 - Red Wine: \$4,000; 5 - Rifle: \$4,000; 4 - Valentinus: \$4,000; 1 - London Liaison: \$4,000; 6 - Ten Martinis: \$4,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$22,693

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	R Dirteater	6.20	2.80	2.60	\$2.00 Exacta	3-2	13.20	19,512
2	Red Wine		2.10		\$2.00 Trifecta	3-2-5	52.60	20,134
5	Rifle			3.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	3-2-5-4	51.30	12,582
					\$2.00 Pick 3	5-1-3 (3 correct)	57.40	1,599

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	R Dirteater	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{2 1/2}
2	Red Wine	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{2 1/2}
5	Rifle	4	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ⁴	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}
4	Valentinus	3	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{9 1/4}
1	London Liaison	6	6 ^{9 1/2}	6 ⁸	6 ⁸	5 ⁹	5 ¹⁶
6	Ten Martinis	5	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ¹³	6 ^{25 1/2}

Trainers: 3 - Kasmerski, Joseph; 2 - Bennett, Gerald; 5 - Jones, Sr., Thomas; 4 - Rettele, Richard; 1 - Fiesman, Robert; 6 - Doering, Mark

Owners: 3 - Christina Kasmerski; 2 - Daniel J. Dougherty; 5 - Olivo I. Inirio; 4 - Eileen M. Johnson; 1 - Danielle Agnello; 6 - Doering, Mark and David;

Footnotes

R DIRTEATER vied for the lead for three quarters, shook clear in the upper stretch, widened late while racing erratic in the stretch. RED WINE dueled on the lead for six furlongs, was outfinished in the lane but held gamely for place. RIFLE allowed to settle early, rallied three wide and finished well. VALENTINUS contended for six furlongs, lacked a late response and went evenly. LONDON LIAISON slow early, was always outrun. TEN MARTINIS pressed the pace four wide, tired on the second turn.