

**THISTLEDOWN - August 24, 2009 - Race 6**

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2008-2009. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Claiming Price \$3,500 (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (NW1 Y+) **Claiming Price:** \$3,500

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

**Purse:** \$6,200

**Available Money:** \$6,200

**Value of Race:** \$6,200 1st \$3,720, 2nd \$1,240, 3rd \$620, 4th \$310, 5th \$62, 6th \$62, 7th \$62, 8th \$62, 9th \$62

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

**Off at:** 4:04 **Start:** Good for all



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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
10Aug09 <sup>3</sup> TDN <sup>3</sup>	8	Direct Dial (Martinez, Jr., Luis)	122	L	7	5	6 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	5.80	drew off, ridden out
10Aug09 <sup>3</sup> TDN <sup>2</sup>	10	Storm Search (Oro, Ernesto)	122	L bf	9	1	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Neck</sup>	2.10	rallied for second
10Aug09 <sup>3</sup> TDN <sup>5</sup>	7	Skylar's Daddy (Hernandez, Luciano)	122	L f	6	4	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	34.20	saved ground, evenly
30Jul09 <sup>10</sup> TDN <sup>4</sup>	1	Por Supuesto (Stokes, Louis)	122	L bf	1	3	1 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	1.30*	clear lead, faltered
10Aug09 <sup>3</sup> TDN <sup>4</sup>	2	Gaitero (Mailhot, Pierre)	122	bf	2	7	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	17.20	raced mid pack
30Jul09 <sup>10</sup> TDN <sup>8</sup>	3	Russian Wild Life (Dailey, Anthony)	122	L b	3	8	7 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	7.90	never a threat
10Aug09 <sup>3</sup> TDN <sup>6</sup>	9	Emblem Blues (Ramos, Ramon)	122	L	8	9	8 <sup>1</sup>	9	8 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	69.90	no factor
17Jul09 <sup>3</sup> TDN <sup>3</sup>	6	Don't Hang Up (Cardoso, David)	122	L f	5	6	9	8 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	8.50	outrun
3Aug09 <sup>8</sup> TDN <sup>10</sup>	5	Rupert's Kuetch (Carrero, Victor)	122	L f	4	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	9	9	9	53.10	brief foot

**Fractional Times:** 23.42 48.72 1:14.70 1:40.89

**Final Time:** 1:45.14

**Split Times:** (25:30) (25:98) (26:19) (4:25)

**Run-Up:** 42 feet

**Winner:** Direct Dial, Bay Gelding, by Pioneering out of Dial a Trick, by Phone Trick. Foaled Apr 29, 2002 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Woods Edge Farm & John W. Bourke. **Winning Owner:** James H. Harrell

**Claiming Prices:** 8 - Direct Dial: \$3,500; 10 - Storm Search: \$3,500; 7 - Skylar's Daddy: \$3,500; 1 - Por Supuesto: \$3,500; 2 - Gaitero: \$3,500; 3 - Russian Wild Life: \$3,500; 9 - Emblem Blues: \$3,500; 6 - Don't Hang Up: \$3,500; 5 - Rupert's Kuetch: \$3,500;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Wood Be Willing (Stewards)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$42,951

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Direct Dial	13.60	5.60	4.60	\$2.00 Exacta	8-10	46.40	46,900
10	Storm Search		3.40	2.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	8-10-7	571.60	41,851
7	Skylar's Daddy			12.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	8-10-7-1	1,567.90	26,389
					\$2.00 Pick 3	8-4/9-8 (3 correct)	163.40	2,418
					\$2.00 Daily Double	4-8	64.00	1,532

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Direct Dial	5	6 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
10	Storm Search	1	3 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
7	Skylar's Daddy	4	4 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
1	Por Supuesto	3	1 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>8</sup>
2	Gaitero	7	5 <sup>9</sup>	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>9 3/4</sup>
3	Russian Wild Life	8	7 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>10 3/4</sup>
9	Emblem Blues	9	8 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>13 1/2</sup>
6	Don't Hang Up	6	9 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>9</sup>	7 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>16</sup>
5	Rupert's Kuetch	2	2 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>12 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>20 1/2</sup>

**Trainers:** 8 - Smith, W.; 10 - Faulkner, Joshua; 7 - Barnes, Bart; 1 - Noss, Jerry; 2 - Zielinski, Richard; 3 - Brinkley, Melvin; 9 - Wolfe, Russell; 6 - Sullivan, Elliot; 5 - Komlo, John

**Owners:** 8 -James H. Harrell; 10 -Josh Faulkner; 7 - Barnes, Bart and Equine Partners; 1 -Marilyn L. Boggs; 2 - Galbraith, D.Y. and Garrison, N.A.; 3 - Brinkley Racing Stable, LLC; 9 -Russell Wolfe; 6 -Elliot Sullivan; 5 - Kerry Ann Stable;

**Footnotes**

DIRECT DIAL stalked the pace, rallied on the second turn three wide with a quick move, drew off through the lane while being ridden out. STORM SEARCH well placed throughout, was no match for the winner through the lane but rallied for second. SKYLAR'S DADDY well placed and saved ground, had an even effort. POR SUPUESTO set the pace with a clear lead, weakened in the stretch. GAITERO raced middle of the pack and failed to threaten. RUSSIAN WILD LIFE was never a threat. EMBLEM BLUES was no factor. DON'T HANG UP was outrun. RUPERT'S KUETCH flashed brief foot and was through early.