

THISTLEDOWN - August 31, 1998 - Race 9

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDEN FILLIES AND MARES, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Years Old, 115 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. CLAIMING

PRICE \$7,500. **Claiming Price:** \$7,500

One Mile And Forty Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (lfthisbe Britches - 1:38.60 - December 8, 1989)

Purse: \$6,400

Available Money: \$6,400

Value of Race: \$6,400 1st \$3,840, 2nd \$1,152, 3rd \$640, 4th \$320, 5th \$64, 6th \$64, 7th \$64, 8th \$64, 9th \$64, 10th \$64, 11th \$64

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:37 **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
29Jul98 ² ELP ²	9	Theyrplayinoursong (Rosario, Hector)	115	BL	f	9 3	8 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ⁵	1.10*	full of run, ridden out
6Aug98 ⁵ RP ⁴	6	Caly's Hope (Rivera, Jr., Heriberto)	122	BL		6 7	9 ²	7 ²	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Nose}	5.70	middle move, 2nd best
18Aug98 ² DET ⁵	10	Flying Steps (Martinez, Jr., Luis)	117 ⁵	BL	b	10 6	3 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{4 1/2}	18.80	speed, weakened
19Aug98 ⁸ TDN ²	7	Pyrite Majesty (Hannigan, Lyndon)	115	BL		7 5	6 ¹	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	5.60	bid 1/2 pole, empty
2Aug98 ⁹ TDN ⁵	3	Migdal (Clemente, Alfredo)	122	BL		3 8	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{3/4}	45.00	flattened out
16Aug98 ² ARP ²	2	Heather Mist (Rowland, Michael)	115	-	-	2 10	11	9 ⁴	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ³	7.90	wide early, no factor
15Aug98 ² RD ⁵	1	Donna's Highlight (Skerrett, Jeffrey)	115	BL		1 1	10 ^{Head}	10 ¹	9 ⁴	8 ⁴	7 ¹	47.40	outrun
10Aug98 ² DEL ⁴	8	She Stutters (Jones, Sean)	115	BL		8 4	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	8 ⁸	12.70	speed, stopped
14Aug98 ⁸ TDN ⁴	11	Slightly Slippery (Wilson, Randy)	115	BL	bf	11 9	1 ³	2 ¹	8 ²	9 ⁸	9	54.60	bore out start, stopped
22Jul98 ⁹ TDN ⁵	5	Tell Nellie (Felix, Julio)	116	B	b	5 11	7 ¹	8 ^{Head}	10 ¹⁰	10 ⁹	---	5.40	pinched back, eased
23Aug98 ⁷ TDN ⁸	4	Sexy Me (Griffin, Everett)	122	BL	b	4 2	4 ²	11	11	11	---	71.20	stopped, eased mid str

Fractional Times: 23.20 48.44 1:15.52 1:43.72 **Final Time:** 1:45.68

Split Times: (25:24) (27:08) (28:20) (1:96)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Theyrplayinoursong, Bay Filly, by Seattle Dancer out of Our Locket, by Mr. Leader. Foaled Mar 01, 1995 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Jill D. Ramsey. **Winning Owner:** Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.

Claiming Prices: 9 - Theyrplayinoursong: \$7,500; 6 - Caly's Hope: \$7,500; 10 - Flying Steps: \$7,500; 7 - Pyrite Majesty: \$7,500; 3 - Migdal: \$7,500; 2 - Heather Mist: \$7,500; 1 - Donna's Highlight: \$7,500; 8 - She Stutters: \$7,500; 11 - Slightly Slippery: \$7,500; 5 - Tell Nellie: \$7,500; 4 - Sexy Me: \$7,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$26,837

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Theyrplayinoursong	4.20	3.20	2.60	\$2.00 Exacta	9-6	26.80	26,416
6	Caly's Hope		4.80	3.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	9-6-10	311.80	29,188
10	Flying Steps			5.60				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Theyrplayinoursong	3	8 ^{8 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	5 ³	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ⁵
6	Caly's Hope	7	9 ^{9 1/2}	7 ⁶	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ⁵
10	Flying Steps	6	3 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ⁵
7	Pyrite Majesty	5	6 ^{6 1/2}	4 ⁴	4 ³	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{9 1/2}
3	Migdal	8	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ⁴	6 ⁵	5 ^{5 3/4}	5 ¹⁰
2	Heather Mist	10	11 ^{11 3/4}	9 ^{8 1/4}	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{7 1/4}	6 ^{10 3/4}
1	Donna's Highlight	1	10 ^{11 1/2}	10 ^{12 1/4}	9 ⁹	8 ^{8 3/4}	7 ^{13 3/4}
8	She Stutters	4	2 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{5 3/4}	8 ^{14 3/4}
11	Slightly Slippery	9	1 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}	8 ⁷	9 ^{12 3/4}	9 ^{22 3/4}
5	Tell Nellie	11	7 ^{7 1/2}	8 ⁸	10 ¹³	10 ^{20 3/4}	---
4	Sexy Me	2	4 ^{4 1/2}	11 ^{13 1/4}	11 ²³	11 ^{29 3/4}	---

Trainers: 9 - Palacios, Luis; 6 - Reed, Larry; 10 - Shapoff, Alan; 7 - Feliciano, Miguel; 3 - Shuman, Joseph; 2 - Sandstead, Dean; 1 - Brinegar, Tanya; 8 - Johnson, Gary; 11 - Edelman, Don; 5 - Grimm, Margaret; 4 - Williams, Mark

Owners: 9 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 6 - Larry R. Reed; 10 - John Biro; 7 - Pyrite Stables; 3 - Lucina R. Dimaculangan; 2 - Clifford W. Blackstun; 1 - Alan R. Bartholomew; 8 - Mark Yagour, Inc.; 11 - Applebrook Stables; 5 - Frederic Carl Bower; 4 - Grace M. Defazio;

Footnotes

THEYRPLAYINOURSONG was unhurried early, responded with a quick move inside to make the lead going into the stretch then was full of run to draw off while being ridden out. CALY'S HOPE also unhurried early, rallied on the second turn and was second best. FLYING STEPS assumed command before a half, set the turn and weakened. PYRITE MAJESTY had a mild bid and came up empty. MIGDAL flattened out. HEATHER MIST was wide while racing down the backstretch and failed to reach a contending position. DONNA'S HIGHLIGHT was outrun. SHE STUTTERS had speed until the second turn and stopped. SLIGHTLY SLIPPERY bore out at the start, rushed to lead four wide on the first turn, set the pace briefly and stopped. TELL NELLIE was fractious in the gate, was squeezed at the start, gave way after a half and was eased through stretch. SEXY ME was through early, stopped, and eased mid stretch.