

THISTLEDOWN - September 14, 2011 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of two races since August 14 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (NW3 L) **Claiming Price: \$5,000**

Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Down Thepike Mike - 1:03.20 - August 10, 1998)

Purse: \$5,000

Available Money: \$5,000

Value of Race: \$5,000 1st \$3,000, 2nd \$1,000, 3rd \$500, 4th \$250, 5th \$150, 6th \$50, 7th \$50

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:24 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Aug11 ⁵ TDN ²	2	Girlish Figure (Rosario, Yamil)	118	L b	2	5	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹ 3/4	1.20*	closed 4w, driving
25Jul11 ⁴ TDN ²	5	Red Zinn (Velez, Juan)	120	L bf	5	3	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ³	2 ¹ 3/4	4.40	lacked room turn
27Aug11 ⁵ TDN ³	8	Italian Rapsody (Gonzalez, Luis)	118	L b	7	7	7	7	4 ^{Head}	3 ³ 4	2.30	late gain
2Sep11 ¹ TDN ³	1	Coconut Hall (Ramos, Ramon)	122	L	1	6	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 2	5 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 2	4.30	close up, evenly
27Aug11 ⁵ TDN ⁵	4	Royal Spitfire (Magrell, Jane)	120	L f	4	4	6 ³ 1/2	5 ¹	3 ¹ 2	5 ¹⁰	23.80	failed to menace
11Jul11 ³ TDN ⁷	3	Ann of Castleman (Skerrett, Jeffrey)	120	L	3	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹ 2	6 ⁵	6 ⁸	21.30	pace, stopped
22Jul11 ⁵ MNR ⁸	6	Q Elegant Storm (Mata, Federico)	120	L b	6	1	2 ¹	4 ¹	7	7	39.40	dueled, through early

Fractional Times: 23.08 47.52 1:00.00

Final Time: 1:06.62

Split Times: (24:44) (12:48) (6:62)

Run-Up: 42 feet

Winner: Girlish Figure, Bay Filly, by Strong Hope out of Innovate, by Relaunch. Foaled May 14, 2008 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Liberation Farm & Brandywine Farm.

Winning Owner: George R. Sikora

Claiming Prices: 2 - Girlish Figure: \$5,000; 5 - Red Zinn: \$5,000; 8 - Italian Rapsody: \$5,000; 1 - Coconut Hall: \$5,000; 4 - Royal Spitfire: \$5,000; 3 - Ann of Castleman: \$5,000; 6 - Q Elegant Storm: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): R B Promise Kept (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$42,008

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Girlish Figure	4.40	2.40	2.20	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-2	11.40	8,352
5	Red Zinn		3.60	2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	2-5	22.20	44,036
8	Italian Rapsody			2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-5-8	43.20	38,302
					\$1.00 Superfecta	2-5-8-1	34.70	26,137

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
2	Girlish Figure	5	4 ²	3 ¹ 2	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹ 3/4
5	Red Zinn	3	3 ¹	2 ¹ 2	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 3/4
8	Italian Rapsody	7	7 ⁷ 1/4	7 ⁴	4 ³ 1/2	3 ³ 1/2
1	Coconut Hall	6	5 ³ 1/2	6 ³ 1/2	5 ³ 3/4	4 ⁴ 1/4
4	Royal Spitfire	4	6 ³ 3/4	5 ² 1/2	3 ³	5 ⁴ 3/4
3	Ann of Castleman	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹ 2	6 ³ 3/4	6 ¹⁴ 3/4
6	Q Elegant Storm	1	2 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 1/2	7 ⁸ 3/4	7 ²² 3/4

Trainers: 2 - McDonald, James; 5 - Lupo, David; 8 - Rini, Anthony; 1 - Williams, Herbert; 4 - Foggiano, Donna; 3 - Exposito, Adolfo; 6 - Carr, Simion

Owners: 2 -George R. Sikora; 5 - Domenica Racing LLC; 8 - Rini, Anthony and Contini, Jeff; 1 -Cassie Ruehle; 4 -Cecilia M. Richards; 3 -Esmeraldo Salinas; 6 -Simion Carr;

Footnotes

GIRLISH FIGURE had speed from the start, rallied four wide on the turn, made the lead entering the stretch and won under brisk handling. RED ZINN settled just behind the leaders, lacked racing room on the turn, got through and drew on even terms for the lead entering the stretch then could not handle the winner but finished clear for second along the rail. ITALIAN RAPSODY outrun early, closed a gap late. COCONUT HALL went evenly. ROYAL SPITFIRE failed to menace. ANN OF CASTLEMAN set a pressured pace for three eighths then stopped. Q ELEGANT STORM broke outward, contest the lead for a quarter then flattened out.