

THISTLEDOWN - September 29, 2011 - Race 5

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs.

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

Purse: \$7,200

Plus: \$5,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$12,200

Value of Race: \$7,200 1st \$4,320, 2nd \$1,440, 3rd \$720, 4th \$360, 5th \$144, 6th \$72, 7th \$72, 8th \$72

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

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



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
13Sep11 ³ PID ⁶	6	Sheza Classy Lady (Mata, Federico)	118	L	6	3	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ⁵	1 ²	1 ³ 3/4	2.60	stalked, drew clear
---	8	Diavoletto (Gonzalez, Luis)	119	L b	8	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ⁷	2 ⁷	3.70	set pace, second best
---	2	Buck the System (Hernandez-Lopez, Alvaro)	114 ⁵	--	2	6	7 ³	7 ²	5 ¹	3 ¹ 3/4	20.10	best stride late
2Sep11 ² TDN ³	7	Fire Ma (Vigil, Noel)	116	L f	7	5	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	3 ¹	4 ^{Neck}	3.40	well placed, evenly
17Sep11 ³ TDN ²	1	Activate (Rosario, Yamil)	119	f	1	2	5 ² 1/2	5 ¹	4 ²	5 ³ 3/4	1.70*	fractious post parade
17Sep11 ³ TDN ⁸	5	Mr. March (Oro, Ernesto)	119	L	5	7	8	8	7 ¹	6 ^{Neck}	75.90	slow early, no threat
17Sep11 ³ TDN ⁵	3	Equiano (Urieta-Moran, Victor)	119	--	3	8	6 ⁶	6 ⁵	6 ⁴	7 ¹⁴	22.30	broke slowly
14Sep11 ³ TDN ⁵	4	Red Franchise (Cardoso, Marcelo)	114 ⁵	L b	4	4	3 ³	3 ^{Head}	8	8	17.70	good position, stopped

Fractional Times: 22.58 46.78 59.58

Final Time: 1:06.24

Split Times: (24:20) (12:80) (6:66)

Run-Up: 42 feet

Winner: Sheza Classy Lady, Gray or Roan Filly, by Meadow Prayer out of Hi Class Gift, by Service Stripe. Foaled Feb 28, 2009 in Michigan.

Breeder: Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Bennett. **Winning Owner:** Winning Stables, Inc.

Total WPS Pool: \$33,929

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Sheza Classy Lady	7.20	4.00	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	6-8	36.80	31,329
8	Diavoletto		4.00	4.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-8-2	390.80	27,816
2	Buck the System			6.80	\$1.00 Superfecta	6-8-2-7	553.40	21,581
					\$2.00 Pick 3	1-7-6 (3 correct)	3,061.60	1,982

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
6	Sheza Classy Lady	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	1 ²	1 ³ 3/4
8	Diavoletto	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ²	2 ³ 3/4
2	Buck the System	6	7 ¹³ 1/4	7 ¹³	5 ¹²	3 ¹⁰ 3/4
7	Fire Ma	5	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁶	3 ⁹	4 ¹² 1/2
1	Activate	2	5 ⁴ 3/4	5 ⁷	4 ¹⁰	5 ¹² 3/4
5	Mr. March	7	8 ¹⁶ 1/4	8 ¹⁵	7 ¹⁷	6 ¹⁶ 1/2
3	Equiano	8	6 ⁷ 1/4	6 ⁸	6 ¹³	7 ¹⁶ 3/4
4	Red Franchise	4	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁶	8 ¹⁸	8 ³⁰ 3/4

Trainers: 6 - Bennett, Gerald; 8 - Rone, Mike; 2 - Rettele, Richard; 7 - Allen, Sr., Ronald; 1 - Hamm, Timothy; 5 - Faulkner, Rodney; 3 - Lehman, Thomas; 4 - Thornton, Nancy

Owners: 6 - Winning Stables, Inc.; 8 - Tiffany Raimonde; 2 - Red Riding Hood Stables LLC; 7 - Ronald D. Allen, Sr.; 1 - Blazing Meadows Farm LLC; 5 - Rodney C. Faulkner; 3 - Lindali Racing; 4 - Thomas L. Thornton;

Footnotes

SHEZA CLASSY LADY stalked the pacesetter, rallied in the upper stretch, drew clear under left handed urging. DIAVOLETTA was away alertly and dueled early, gained a clear lead on the turn, was no match late for the winner but was clearly second best. BUCK THE SYSTEM unhurried early, rallied in the stretch and found his best stride late. FIRE MA well placed throughout, lacked a late response and went evenly. ACTIVATE fractious in the post parade, saved ground and was no threat. MR. MARCH slow early, did not threaten. EQUIANO broke slowly and was no threat. RED FRANCHISE had good position for a half, stopped in the stretch.