

THISTLEDOWN - October 20, 2012 - Race 1

CLAIMING - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (NW1 Y) **Claiming Price:** \$2,500

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Setting Limits - 1:35.60 - November 19, 1989)

Purse: \$4,300

Available Money: \$4,300

Value of Race: \$4,300 1st \$2,580, 2nd \$860, 3rd \$430, 4th \$215, 5th \$86, 6th \$43, 7th \$43, 8th \$43

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:54 **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
8Oct12 ² TDN ⁵	1	Matz (Gonzalez, Luis)	122	L	bf	6	2	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ² 1/4	1.80	dueled, drew clear
8Oct12 ² TDN ²	3	Stephen's Quest (Mata, Federico)	122	L	b	2	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ³	0.80*	dueled, outfinished
8Oct12 ⁸ TDN ³	2	Time Limit (Velez, Juan)	122	L	b	1	6	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	3 ³	3 ⁵	13.30	good position, evenly
8Oct12 ⁸ TDN ⁵	4	Axel Swagger (Urieta-Moran, Victor)	122	L	b	3	8	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	4 ³	4 ⁴	9.60	lacked late response
11Oct12 ⁸ TDN ⁶	5	Baba Boeey (Skerrett, Jeffrey)	122	L		4	1	8	8	7 ^{1/2}	5 ² 1/2	8.80	improved position
8Oct12 ⁸ TDN ⁶	6	Hello From Heaven (Vargas, Josue)	122	L		5	3	4 ^{1/2}	7 ⁴ 1/2	6 ^{Head}	6 ²	30.90	through early
10Oct12 ⁸ TDN ⁷	7	Sebastian Cat (Laurent, Godofredo)	122	L	b	8	4	5 ³	3 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	7 ¹⁰	23.90	vied 3w, gave way
13Sep12 ⁸ PID ⁹	1A	Rovic's Wealth (Musarro, Joe)	122	L	b	7	7	7 ¹ 1/2	5 ^{Head}	8	8	1.80	eased through wire

Fractional Times: 24.40 49.34 1:14.78

Final Time: 1:40.80

Split Times: (24:94) (25:44) (26:02)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Matz, Bay Gelding, by Elusive Quality out of Glorious Calling, by Nijinsky II. Foaled Mar 29, 2005 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Craig Singer. **Winning Owner:** Jeff Brooks

Claiming Prices: 1 - Matz: \$2,500; 3 - Stephen's Quest: \$2,500; 2 - Time Limit: \$2,500; 4 - Axel Swagger: \$2,500; 5 - Baba Boeey: \$2,500; 6 - Hello From Heaven: \$2,500; 7 - Sebastian Cat: \$2,500; 1A - Rovic's Wealth: \$2,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$6,694

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Matz	5.60	2.40	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	1-3	9.00	9,712
3	Stephen's Quest		2.20	2.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-3-2	33.00	8,638
2	Time Limit			2.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	1-3-2-4	50.70	6,304

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Matz	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ² 1/4
3	Stephen's Quest	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ² 1/4
2	Time Limit	6	3 ¹	4 ²	3 ²	3 ³ 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/4
4	Axel Swagger	8	6 ⁵	6 ³ 1/4	4 ⁵	4 ⁹ 1/2	4 ¹⁰ 1/4
5	Baba Boeey	1	8 ⁶ 3/4	8 ⁸ 1/4	7 ⁹ 1/2	5 ¹³ 1/2	5 ¹⁴ 1/4
6	Hello From Heaven	3	4 ¹ 1/2	7 ³ 3/4	6 ⁹ 1/2	6 ¹³ 1/2	6 ¹⁶ 3/4
7	Sebastian Cat	4	5 ²	3 ¹	5 ⁸	7 ¹⁵ 1/2	7 ²⁰ 3/4
1A	Rovic's Wealth	7	7 ⁵ 1/4	5 ³	8 ¹⁰	8 ²⁵ 1/2	8 ⁴⁴

Trainers: 1 - Sayre, Michael; 3 - Fiesman, Robert; 2 - Faulkner, Rodney; 4 - Beaudoin, Thomas; 5 - Adams, William; 6 - Pattah, Shahab; 7 - Markham, Richard; 1A - Sayre, Michael

Owners: 1 - Jeff Brooks; 3 - Danielle Agnello; 2 - R and P Racing Stables, LLC; 4 - Thomas Strickland; 5 - Mirage Thoroughbreds Inc.; 6 - Shahab D. Pattah; 7 - Richard L. Markham, Sr.; 1a - Jeff Brooks;

Footnotes

MATZ dueled on the lead until mid stretch, shook clear late and drew clear under left handed urging. STEPHEN'S QUEST dueled with the winner until mid stretch, was outfinished late but was second best. TIME LIMIT had a good stalking position throughout, lacked a late kick and went evenly. AXEL SWAGGER never far back, lacked a late response. BABA BOEY unhurried early, improved his position while no threat. HELLO FROM HEAVEN flashed brief foot and was through early. SEBASTIAN CAT vied for the lead three wide down the backside, gave way on the second turn. ROVIC'S WEALTH showed little and was eased through the wire.