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THISTLEDOWN - November 12, 2007 - Race 6

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a race since October 12 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since September 12 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$10,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (NW1 X)

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Fancy Threat - 1:08.40 - November 21, 1987)

Purse: \$11,400

Plus: \$3,500 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$14,900

Value of Race: \$11,400 1st \$6,840, 2nd \$2,280, 3rd \$1,140, 4th \$570, 5th \$114, 6th \$114, 7th \$114, 8th \$114, 9th \$114

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Sloppy

Off at: 3:49 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22Oct07 ⁶ TDN ⁴	8	Hefferman (Banda, Sergio)	123 L	8 2		5 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ³	1 ³	4.30	drew clear, driving
30Oct07 ⁸ MNR ²	4	Value Driver (Gonzalez, Luis)	117 L	4 6		6 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	4.10	rallied, held place
12Oct07 ⁴ TDN ¹	9	Nebo (Spieth, Scott)	117 L b	9 8		8 ⁸	6 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ⁵	8.00	best of the rest
4Nov07 ² TDN ²	6	Cowboy Lover (Skerrett, Jeffrey)	119 L b	6 1		4 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	4 ²	4 ¹	9.40	weakened stretch
22Oct07 ⁶ TDN ⁶	5	Cheris Lit'l Devil (Mailhot, Pierre)	119 L b	5 7		7 ⁴	7 ¹	5 ¹	5 ^{4 3/4}	11.70	saved ground, evenly
10Jul07 ⁸ MNR ⁸	3	American Candidate (Magrell, Jane)	119 f	3 3		2 ^{Head}	5 ¹	7 ²	6 ^{Neck}	42.60	through after half
22Oct07 ⁶ TDN ⁵	1	Stormin Legend (Martinez, Jr., Luis)	119 L bf	1 5		1 ¹	3 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{Neck}	1.00*	early pace, gave way
14Sep07 ⁵ TDN ⁶	2	Slide Aside (Cloninger, Jr., Weldon)	117 L	2 4		3 ¹	8 ⁷	8 ⁷	8 ^{6 3/4}	56.90	through early
22Sep07 ² PID ¹⁰	7	Handsomely Wild (Meyers, Tommy)	119 L b	7 9		9	9	9	9	61.40	showed little, trailed

Fractional Times: 22.94 46.86 59.28

Final Time: 1:11.92

Split Times: (23:92) (12:42) (12:64)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Hefferman, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Native Regent out of Heff to Run, by Heff. Foaled Mar 31, 2004 in Florida.

Breeder: Jan Vatrano & Tandi Wheeler. **Winning Owner:** Janet Vatrano

Total WPS Pool: \$60,609

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Hefferman	10.60	4.40	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	8-4	55.40	72,148
4	Value Driver		5.60	3.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	8-4-9	341.00	59,447
9	Nebo			3.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	8-4-9-6	602.40	33,451
					\$2.00 Pick 3	6-6-8 (3 correct)	246.00	3,333

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
8	Hefferman	2	5 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ³	1 ³
4	Value Driver	6	6 ^{2 3/4}	4 ²	2 ³	2 ³
9	Nebo	8	8 ^{7 3/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}	3 ⁴	3 ⁴
6	Cowboy Lover	1	4 ²	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ⁹
5	Cheris Lit'l Devil	7	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}	5 ¹⁰
3	American Candidate	3	2 ¹	5 ^{4 1/2}	7 ¹⁰	6 ^{14 3/4}
1	Stormin Legend	5	1 ¹	3 ¹	6 ^{8 1/2}	7 ¹⁵
2	Slide Aside	4	3 ¹	8 ^{7 1/2}	8 ¹²	8 ^{15 1/4}
7	Handsomely Wild	9	9 ^{15 3/4}	9 ^{14 1/2}	9 ¹⁹	9 ²²

Trainers: 8 - Wheeler, Tandi; 4 - Hamm, Timothy; 9 - Bourke, W.; 6 - Jenkins, Reed; 5 - Wheeler, Tandi; 3 - Mavec, Kathleen; 1 - Powers, Kenneth; 2 - Berthold, George; 7 - Meyers, Shane

Owners: 8 - Janet Vatrano; 4 - J. Hamilton Hale; 9 - Dinner 6 and Bourke, W. John; 6 - Ruth McKenney; 5 - Robert Liedel; 3 - Joseph Divico; 1 - Freedom Stables; 2 - Turnbull, Kimberly and Berthold, George C.; 7 - Shane Meyers;

Footnotes

HEFFERMAN stalked the pace, rallied at the quarter pole while three wide, drew clear in the stretch under strong handling. VALUE DRIVER never far back, rallied in the upper stretch, could not gain late on the winner but held place. NEBO in the second flight early, rallied in the upper stretch and was best of the rest. COWBOY LOVER stalked the pace and dueling on the turn, then weakened in the lane. CHERIS LIT'L DEVIL allowed to settle and saved ground, did not threaten. AMERICAN CANDIDATE pressed the pace for a half, then gave way. STORMIN LEGEND set the early pace, then gave way in the upper stretch. SLIDE ASIDE had brief foot and was through early. HANDSOMELY WILD showed little and trailed.

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