

WOODBINE - October 10, 2009 - Race 6

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs.

Six Furlongs On The All Weather Track - Originally Scheduled For the Turf **Track Record:** (Essence Hit Man - 1:08.16 - April 17, 2011)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$69,000

Includes: \$9,000 State Bred

Available Money: \$61,470

Value of Race: \$61,470 (US\$58,858) 1st \$36,000 (US\$34,470) , 2nd \$12,000 (US\$11,490) , 3rd \$6,600 (US\$6,320) , 4th \$3,600 (US\$3,447) , 5th \$2,070 (US\$1,982) , 6th \$400 (US\$383) , 7th \$400 (US\$383) , 8th \$400 (US\$383)

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:24 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-------------------------------------|----------|-----|-------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| 9Sep09 ¹ WO ⁵ | 10 | Hillswick (Husbands, Patrick) | 119 L b | 8 3 | | 4 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ¹ | 1.60* | 4w.bid top str,led,drv |
| 24May09 ¹ WO ² | 4 | Beach Deputy (McAleney, James) | 122 L l | 4 5 | | 8 | 8 | 6 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{Nose} | 6.70 | rallied from last, str |
| 2Aug08 ⁸ WO ⁵ | 5 | A P Bear (Pizarro, Tyler) | 119 L b | 5 4 | | 5 ^{Head} | 5 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{2 1/2} | 4.60 | bid top str,outfinished |
| 29Dec07 ⁴ LRL ⁶ | 2 | Hidden Tiger (Contreras, Luis) | 122 L bf | 2 7 | | 7 ⁴ | 7 ² | 7 ^{1/2} | 4 ¹ | 17.75 | lost path,determinedly |
| 10May09 ⁷ WO ¹¹ | 8 | Viable (Ramsammy, Emile) | 119 L | 6 1 | | 3 ¹ | 3 ^{Head} | 5 ¹ | 5 ^{2 1/4} | 37.30 | evn'd out final 16th |
| --- | 1 | Intersky America (Da Silva, Eurico) | 119 L | 1 6 | | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{Head} | 6 ¹ | 11.95 | vied,tired furlong out |
| --- | 9 | Royal Captive (Jones, Jono) | 119 L | 7 8 | | 6 ^{Head} | 6 ¹ | 8 | 7 ^{3/4} | 13.95 | chased 5w,tired midstr |
| 26Sep09 ¹⁰ WO ⁵ | 3 | Gold Castle (Wilson, Emma-Jayne) | 119 L b | 3 2 | | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ¹ | 4 ¹ | 8 | 2.45 | vied,tired furlong out |

Fractional Times: 22.67 45.52 57.77

Final Time: 1:10.40

Split Times: (22:85) (12:25) (12:63)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Hillswick, Bay Gelding, by Grand Slam out of Up an Eighth, by Ferdinand. Foaled May 15, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Eugene Melnyk. **Winning Owner:** Melnyk Racing Stables, Inc.

Scratched Horse(s): Battle At Sea (Stewards), Caesar's Legions (Stewards), Megacode (Stewards), Rebecca's Song (Stewards), Sir H C Excellent (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$77,449

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|--------------|------|-------|------|-----------------|---------------------------------|--------|--------|
| 10 | Hillswick | 5.20 | 3.40 | 2.60 | \$1.00 Pick 3 | 4-2-6/7/10/11/12/13 (3 correct) | 157.20 | 5,509 |
| 4 | Beach Deputy | | 6.20 | 3.80 | | | | |
| 5 | A P Bear | | | 3.30 | \$2.00 Triactor | 10-4-5 | 111.90 | 46,386 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Exactor | 10-4 | 30.30 | 43,920 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin |
|-----|------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 10 | Hillswick | 3 | 4 ² | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ¹ |
| 4 | Beach Deputy | 5 | 8 ^{6 3/4} | 8 ^{6 1/2} | 6 ⁴ | 2 ¹ |
| 5 | A P Bear | 4 | 5 ^{2 1/2} | 5 ² | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ¹ |
| 2 | Hidden Tiger | 7 | 7 ^{2 3/4} | 7 ^{4 1/2} | 7 ^{4 1/2} | 4 ^{3 1/2} |
| 8 | Viable | 1 | 3 ¹ | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ³ | 5 ^{4 1/2} |
| 1 | Intersky America | 6 | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 3 ² | 6 ^{6 3/4} |
| 9 | Royal Captive | 8 | 6 ^{2 1/2} | 6 ^{3 1/2} | 8 ⁵ | 7 ^{7 3/4} |
| 3 | Gold Castle | 2 | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 4 ² | 8 ^{8 1/2} |

Trainers: 10 - Pierce, Malcolm; 4 - Attard, Steve; 5 - Baker, Reade; 2 - Vella, Daniel; 8 - Fehr, Alec; 1 - Baker, Reade; 9 - Carey, Julia; 3 - Bell, David

Owners: 10 - Melnyk Racing Stables, Inc.; 4 - Pettle, Sheldon and Attard, Steve; 5 - Bear Stables, Ltd.; 2 -Edward A. Seltzer; 8 - Taylor, Karen and Mickey; 1 -Bill Murphy; 9 - Spring Farm, Riverlea Farm Ltd. and Peacock-Thomas, Lucy; 3 -Ivan Dalos;

Footnotes

HILLSWICK showed a steady gain on the backstretch, stalked four-wide through the turn, bid five-wide upper stretch, gained command and held under a drive. BEACH DEPUTY settled off the pace, angled from the rail to four-wide through the turn then rallied from last at the top of the stretch and was gaining on the leader. A P BEAR raced midpack between horses, stalked on the turn, launched a bid along the rail at the top of the stretch but was outfinished. HIDDEN TIGER under a strong ride midpack on the turn, lost his path and was steadied upper stretch then was kept to business under a determined close. VIABLE broke alertly, showed brief speed, pressed the pace three-wide, chased into the stretch then evened out. INTERSKY AMERICA led onto the main track, set a pressured pace, vied from midturn then tired in the stretch. ROYAL CAPTIVE raced midpack, chased five-wide late turn but tired in the final 16th. GOLD CASTLE forced the pace, dueled from midturn then tired a furlong out.

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