

WILL ROGERS DOWNS - May 24, 2009 - Race 9

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs.

Claiming Price \$15,000. (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$15,000

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Aleric - 1:35.06 - April 27, 2010)

Purse: \$12,500

Plus: \$2,800 OBP - Oklahoma Bred Program

Available Money: \$15,300

Value of Race: \$14,740 1st \$8,756, 2nd \$3,292, 3rd \$1,349, 4th \$736, 5th \$367, 6th \$60, 7th \$60, 8th \$60, 9th \$60

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:42 **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
9May09 ⁷ WRD ⁵	2	Open Heaven (Murphy, Cindy)	122 L	2	4	2 ²	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2.50	prevailed
10May09 ¹¹ WRD ⁴	1	Darfour (Lejeune, John)	122 L	1	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	6.90	game effort
11May09 ⁴ WRD ¹	4	Lyrical Buddha (Young, Scott)	121 L	4	5	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ⁵	3 ^{8 1/2}	6.30	good effort
28Apr09 ⁷ WRD ³	6	Jump to the Chase (Scantling, Vernon)	122 L	6	9	9	9	4 ^{1/2}	4 ⁶	4 ^{4 3/4}	2.50*	middle move, no factor
10May09 ⁵ WRD ¹	3	Star Splash (Burress, Beverly)	122 L	3	6	8 ²	8 ^{Head}	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/4}	29.30	no threat
11May09 ⁷ WRD ¹	8	Honour Chrissie (Matz, Nena)	118 L	8	8	7 ²	7 ^{1/2}	8 ¹	7 ⁵	6 ^{1 1/2}	4.20	showed little
10May09 ¹¹ WRD ²	7	R. C. Que (Granda, Alejandro)	122 L	7	3	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	7 ¹⁰	11.70	failed to menace
12Apr09 ⁷ WRD ⁷	9	Aptobefirst (Wethey, Jr., Floyd)	118 L b	9	7	6 ^{Head}	6 ¹	6 ¹	8 ⁵	8 ⁴	13.30	wide trip
10May09 ¹¹ WRD ⁷	5	Boomer Risk (Rodriguez, Agustin)	122 L b	5	2	3 ¹	3 ¹	9	9	9	46.20	through after half

Fractional Times: 23.14 47.11 1:11.60 N/A

Final Time: 1:38.19

Split Times: (23:97) (24:49) (26:59)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Open Heaven, Bay Gelding, by Open Forum out of Jimmie Win N Hurry, by Phone Trick. Foaled May 29, 2005 in Oklahoma.

Breeder: Robert H. Zoellner. **Winning Owner:** Robert H. Zoellner

Claiming Prices: 2 - Open Heaven: \$15,000; 1 - Darfour: \$15,000; 4 - Lyrical Buddha: \$15,000; 6 - Jump to the Chase: \$15,000; 3 - Star Splash: \$15,000; 8 - Honour Chrissie: \$15,000; 7 - R. C. Que: \$15,000; 9 - Aptobefirst: \$15,000; 5 - Boomer Risk: \$15,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Cinnamon Store (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$3,007

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Open Heaven	7.00	5.60	5.40	\$2.00 Exacta	2-1	91.40	1,623
1	Darfour		16.60	10.80	\$2.00 Quinella	1-2	92.40	293
4	Lyrical Buddha			6.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-1-4	453.80	1,344
					\$1.00 Superfecta	2-1-4-6	2,230.90	885

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Open Heaven	4	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}
1	Darfour	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}
4	Lyrical Buddha	5	4 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ¹
6	Jump to the Chase	9	9 ^{9 1/2}	9 ^{5 1/4}	4 ⁶	4 ⁶	4 ^{9 1/2}
3	Star Splash	6	8 ^{7 1/2}	8 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{7 3/4}	6 ^{12 1/4}	5 ^{14 1/4}
8	Honour Chrissie	8	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{4 3/4}	8 ^{9 1/4}	7 ^{14 3/4}	6 ^{16 1/2}
7	R. C. Que	3	5 ⁵	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ¹²	7 ¹⁸
9	Aptobefirst	7	6 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{6 3/4}	8 ^{19 3/4}	8 ²⁸
5	Boomer Risk	2	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	9 ^{10 1/4}	9 ^{24 3/4}	9 ³²

Trainers: 2 - Engel, Roger; 1 - Nolen, Kenneth; 4 - Lozano, Martin; 6 - Hare, Jearl; 3 - Wells, Thomas; 8 - Nolen, Kenneth; 7 - Hobbs, Laura; 9 - Craddock, Kari; 5 - Cox, Gary

Owners: 2 -Robert H. Zoellner; 1 - Aryan Family Trust; 4 -Gary Owens; 6 -John A. Kester; 3 -Becky Wells; 8 - Red Dirt Racing; 7 -Laura Hobbs; 9 - Browning, Hal and Faulkner, David; 5 -Gary Don Cox;

Footnotes

OPEN HEAVEN chased the leader the first half and headed in second turn, prevailed in a stretch duel. DARFOUR was rushed to contention and set the pace, led throughout, gave way late in a stretch duel with the winner. LYRICAL BUDDHA was allowed to settle, stalked the pace making a middle move with a good effort. JUMP TO THE CHASE was off slowly, made a middle move but was no factor. STAR SPLASH void of early speed, raced seven wide into the stretch but was no threat. HONOUR CHRISSIE bumped both sides on the backside, showed little. R. C. QUE failed to menace. APTOBEFIRST wide trip racing six wide. BOOMER RISK stalked pace, through after half.