

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - January 26, 2020 - Race 9

STAKES John B. Connally Turf Cup S. Grade 3 - Thoroughbred
FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD.

One And One Half Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Da Big Hoss - 2:28.16 - January 30, 2016)

Purse: \$200,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$200,000

Value of Race: \$200,000 1st \$114,000, 2nd \$38,000, 3rd \$20,900, 4th \$11,400, 5th \$5,700, 6th \$2,000, 7th \$2,000, 8th \$2,000, 9th \$2,000, 10th \$2,000



[Video Race Replay](#)

Weather: Clear **Track:** Good

Off at: 6:12 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23Nov19 ⁹ AQU ³	9	Dot Matrix (Geroux, Florent)	123	L	7	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{3/4}	3.10	stalked 2w, driving,
16Nov19 ¹⁰ CD ⁴	12	Bemma's Boy (Gaffalione, Tyler)	120	L b	10	8 ¹	9 ²	9 ³	6 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2.60	rallied, 4w, 2nd best
14Dec19 ⁹ GP ⁷	7	Marzo (Lanerier, Corey)	123	L b	6	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 ^{Neck}	2.50*	settled, 3w, empty late
29Dec19 ⁶ FG ³	4	Zumurudee (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	120	L b	3	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹	4 ^{Head}	8 ²	6 ³	4 ^{3 1/4}	10.20	shuffled, 5w, willingly
28Dec19 ⁹ FG ¹²	10	Tracksmith (Beschizza, Adam)	123	L	8	7 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	7.80	stalk, bid 2w, tired
16Jan20 ¹⁰ FG ¹	6	Another Mystery (Valdivia, Jr., Jose)	118	L	5	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	2 ¹	4 ^{Head}	6 ⁵	20.30	moved up, 3w, used up
15Jan20 ⁹ HOU ²	1	Prospector Fever (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	117	L	1	6 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	7 ¹	7 ¹	7 ^{3/4}	122.70	4w, failed to menace,
31Dec19 ⁵ TP ⁶	3	Patriot Drive (Hernandez, Colby)	117	L b	2	9 ^{1 1/2}	8 ¹	8 ^{Head}	9 ³	8 ³	8 ^{3 1/4}	32.90	inside, no threat
5Dec19 ⁸ RP ³	5	Yeowzer (Diego, Iram)	118	L b	4	10	10	10	10	10	9 ^{6 3/4}	105.50	unhurried, no threat
15Dec19 ¹³ RP ¹	11	Sleepy Eyes Todd (Cabrera, David)	123	L b	9	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	9 ¹	10	7.30	set pace, gave way

Fractional Times: 25.63 52.45 1:18.21 1:43.98 2:08.66 **Final Time:** 2:33.46

Split Times: (26:82) (25:76) (25:77) (24:68) (24:80)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Dot Matrix, Bay Gelding, by [Freud](#) out of Aunt Dot Dot, by Gulch. Foaled Feb 16, 2013 in New York.

FREUD Winner's sire standing at Sequel Stallions

Breeder: Truxton Stables.

Winning Owner: Ten Strike Racing

Scratched Horse(s): Cross Border (Trainer), Nate's Attack (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$212,701

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Dot Matrix	8.20	4.20	3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	9-12	17.50	133,860
12	Bemma's Boy		4.40	3.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-12-7	26.10	83,800
7	Marzo			2.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-12-7-4	22.93	61,787
					\$1.00 Pick 3	10-4-9 (3 correct)	1,042.70	16,622
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-9	42.00	21,889

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin
9	Dot Matrix	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{3/4}
12	Bemma's Boy	8 ^{1 1/2}	9 ^{4 3/4}	9 ³	6 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{3/4}
7	Marzo	4 ^{1 1/4}	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{1 1/4}	3 ¹	2 ¹	3 ^{1 1/4}
4	Zumurudee	5 ^{1 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/4}	4 ^{1 1/4}	8 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{3 1/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}
10	Tracksmith	7 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/4}	5 ^{2 1/4}	5 ^{4 3/4}
6	Another Mystery	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/4}	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ²	6 ^{5 1/4}
1	Prospector Fever	6 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{3 1/4}	7 ³	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{6 1/4}	7 ^{10 1/4}
3	Patriot Drive	9 ^{2 1/2}	8 ^{3 3/4}	8 ³	9 ^{4 1/2}	8 ^{7 1/4}	8 ¹¹
5	Yeowzer	10 ⁴	10 ^{6 3/4}	10 ⁶	10 ^{7 1/2}	10 ^{11 1/4}	9 ^{14 1/4}
11	Sleepy Eyes Todd	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/4}	9 ^{10 1/4}	10 ²¹

Trainers: 9 - Cox, Brad; 12 - Maker, Michael; 7 - Maker, Michael; 4 - Stidham, Michael; 10 - Sharp, Joe; 6 - Block, Chris; 1 - Davidson, Sarah; 3 - Maker, Michael; 5 - Broberg, Karl; 11 - Silva, Miguel

Owners: 9 - Ten Strike Racing; 12 - Paradise Farms Corp.; 7 - Three Diamonds Farm; 4 - DARRS, Inc.; 10 - Calumet Farm; 6 - Team Block; 1 - Brian Goodman; 3 - Eccentric Club Racing Stable; 5 - End Zone Athletics, Inc.; 11 - Thumbs Up Racing, LLC;

Footnotes

DOT MATRIX stalked the pace while while two wide, rallied on the far turn and gained the lead and dug in to be best in the end. BEMMA'S BOY was unhurried early then rallied four wide on the far turn and was in a strong drive and was second best in the end. MARZO was settled in the early going while four wide then rallied on the far turn while three wide making a bid but came up empty in late stretch. ZUMURUDEE was staling he early pace while inside, was shuffled back on the second turn then rallied into the far turn, moved out to be five wide in upper stretch and closed willingly in the end. TRACKSMITH stalked the pace while inside then was checked off heels into the second turn, moved out to be two wide and made a bid then faltered in the drive. ANOTHER MYSTERY moved up on the first turn while three wide to stalked the pace, was used up then gave way. PROSPECTOR FEVER was unhurried early then raced four wide on the second turn, made a bid then failed to menace in the stretch. PATRIOT DRIVE was unhurried early while inside and was no threat. YEOWZER was unhurried early and no threat. SLEEPY EYES TODD set the early pace while being well handled, was used up and gave way.

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