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EMERALD DOWNS - July 8, 2023 - Race 7

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race In 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000, if for \$22,500, allowed 2 lbs. (Maiden Races, Claiming Races And Starters Races For \$22,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). **Claiming Price:** \$25,000 - \$22,500

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Kaabraaj - 1:06.86 - April 23, 2016)

Purse: \$24,000

Includes: \$4,800 MITEC - Muckleshoot Tribal Contribution

Plus: \$420 MITEC - Muckleshoot Tribal Contribution

Available Money: \$24,420

Value of Race: \$24,420 1st \$13,920, 2nd \$4,800, 3rd \$2,880, 4th \$1,440, 5th \$960, 6th \$210, 7th \$210

Weather: Hazy, 76° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 7:50 **Start:** Good for all except Good #7 **Timing Method:** Electronic

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|--|-----|---------------------------------|-----|-------|----|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| 23Jun23 ⁵ EMD ¹ | 1 | Dirt Road Red (Cruz, Alex) | 125 | BL | 1 | 5 | 2 ¹ / ₂ | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ¹ / ₂ | 1 ² / ₄ | 2.20 | vied, drew clear |
| 23Jun23 ² EMD ¹ | 7 | Gold Crusher (Negron, Luis) | 123 | BL b | 6 | 4 | 4 ^{Head} | 3 ¹ / ₂ | 3 ³ | 2 ³ / ₄ | 2.20* | off slow, wide, rally |
| 25Jun23 ⁸ EMD ¹² | 5 | Coastal Jazz (Radke, Kevin) | 125 | BL b | 4 | 1 | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ¹ | 2 ¹ / ₂ | 3 ² / ₄ | 9.40 | vied, good effort |
| 10Jun23 ⁶ EMD ¹ | 4 | Holiday Hustle (Valdes, Alexis) | 123 | BL b | 3 | 7 | 7 | 6 ¹ | 5 ¹ / ₂ | 4 ¹ / ₂ | 13.10 | steaided 5/16 |
| 28May23 ⁸ EMD ⁵ | 2 | Executive Chef (Orozco, Kevin) | 123 | BL b | 2 | 6 | 6 ¹ / ₂ | 7 | 6 ¹ / ₂ | 5 ¹ / ₂ | 3.90 | checked 5/16 |
| 17Jun23 ⁴ EMD ⁴ | 8 | Cobra Jet (Enriquez, Isaias) | 123 | BL | 7 | 3 | 5 ¹ | 4 ¹ | 4 ^{Head} | 6 ³ / ₄ | 5.10 | 4-wide, tired |
| 23Jun23 ⁵ EMD ⁵ | 6 | Cody's Choice (Matias, Javier) | 123 | BL bf | 5 | 2 | 3 ^{Head} | 5 ^{Head} | 7 | 7 | 20.80 | came in 5/16 |

Fractional Times: 21.87 43.94 55.75

Final Time: 1:08.37

Split Times: (22:07) (11:81) (12:62)

Run-Up: 56 feet

Winner: Dirt Road Red, Chestnut Gelding, by Clubhouse Ride out of Stop the Humor, by Distorted Humor. Foaled Apr 11, 2017 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Al Kirkwood & Sandra Kirkwood

Owner: Justin R. Evans

Trainer: Evans, Justin

Claiming Prices: 1 - Dirt Road Red: \$25,000; 7 - Gold Crusher: \$25,000; 5 - Coastal Jazz: \$25,000; 4 - Holiday Hustle: \$25,000; 2 - Executive Chef: \$25,000; 8 - Cobra Jet: \$25,000; 6 - Cody's Choice: \$25,000;

Scratched Horse(s): A View From Above (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$33,899

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|---------------|------|-------|------|---------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|
| 1 | Dirt Road Red | 6.40 | 2.80 | 2.40 | \$1.00 Exacta | 1-7 | 9.30 | 13,301 |
| 7 | Gold Crusher | | 2.80 | 2.80 | \$0.50 Trifecta | 1-7-5 | 28.70 | 7,502 |
| 5 | Coastal Jazz | | | 4.40 | \$0.10 Superfecta | 1-7-5-4 | 36.78 | 4,490 |
| | | | | | \$0.50 Pick 3 | 3-6-1 (3 correct) | 239.65 | 3,197 |
| | | | | | \$1.00 Daily Double | 6-1 | 68.80 | 4,170 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin |
|-----|----------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Dirt Road Red | 5 | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ¹ / ₂ | 1 ² / ₄ |
| 7 | Gold Crusher | 4 | 4 ³ / ₄ | 3 ¹ | 3 ² | 2 ² / ₄ |
| 5 | Coastal Jazz | 1 | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ¹ / ₂ | 3 ³ |
| 4 | Holiday Hustle | 7 | 7 ² / ₄ | 6 ³ / ₄ | 5 ⁵ | 4 ⁵ / ₄ |
| 2 | Executive Chef | 6 | 6 ¹ / ₄ | 7 ⁴ / ₄ | 6 ⁵ / ₂ | 5 ⁵ / ₄ |
| 8 | Cobra Jet | 3 | 5 ³ / ₄ | 4 ² / ₂ | 4 ⁵ | 6 ⁶ / ₄ |
| 6 | Cody's Choice | 2 | 3 ¹ / ₂ | 5 ³ / ₂ | 7 ⁶ | 7 ⁹ / ₄ |

Trainers: 1 - Evans, Justin; 7 - Evans, Justin; 5 - Bullock, Steve; 4 - Belvoir, Howard; 2 - Wright, Blaine; 8 - Lucarelli, Frank; 6 - Gibson, Vince

Owners: 1 -Justin R. Evans; 7 - Dieringer, Josh D. and Ortiz, Frank L.; 5 - Gold Coast Racing; 4 - Pegasus Too; 2 - Maryanski, John, Maryanski, Janene, Schneider, Gerald E. and Schneider, Gail; 8 - R.E.V. Racing, Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners and Lucarelli Racing Corp; 6 - Hallett, Gary and Hallett, Maureen;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

DIRT ROAD RED vied for the lead from along the inside, responded when asked and drew clear late. GOLD CRUSHER was off a step slow, then moved up five-wide on the turn to be forwardly placed, continued wide into the stretch and finished strongly. COASTAL JAZZ vied for the lead while racing two-wide and continued on well during the drive to earn the show. HOLIDAY HUSTLE was allowed to settle in stride, steadied nearing the five-sixteenths pole when CODY'S CHOICE came in, angled out for room and was gaining slightly late. EXECUTIVE CHEF was reserved off the early pace, checked nearing the five-sixteenths pole in traffic and finished willingly when clear. COBRA JET prompted the early pace while racing four-wide and tired. CODY'S CHOICE disputed the early issue while racing three-wide, came in nearing the five-sixteenths pole causing interference and gave way thereafter. THE STEWARDS CONDUCTED AN INQUIRY INTO THE INCIDENT NEARING THE FIVE-SIXTEENTHS POLE BUT AFTER VIEWING THE FILMS MADE NO CHANGE IN THE ORDER OF FINISH.