

DELTA DOWNS - December 15, 2010 - Race 9

CLAIMING - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (SNW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000 - \$8,000

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Rule - 1:37.45 - November 6, 2009)

Purse: \$18,000

Includes: \$15,700 Other Sources

Includes: \$2,300 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund

Available Money: \$18,000

Value of Race: \$18,000 1st \$10,800, 2nd \$3,600, 3rd \$1,980, 4th \$1,080, 5th \$540

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 9:47 **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
12Nov10	¹ DED ⁷	10 Couple of Hours (Melancon, Gerard)	122	L b	10	6	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	6.20	2w, blocked, driving
26Nov10	⁷ DED ⁵	6 Bust and Loose (Laviolette, Shane)	123	L bf	6	4	7 ^{Head}	7 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ²	2 ^{1/2}	7.80	settled, 4w bid, empty
19Nov10	⁷ DED ⁴	3 Classic Lil Hooves (Negron, Luis)	117	L b	3	1	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 1/4}	2.80*	pressed 2w, tired late
19Nov10	¹⁰ DED ¹	1 High I. Q. (Saenz, Diego)	123	L	1	2	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/4}	4.60	pace inside, weakened
11Nov10	⁹ DED ⁴	2 Magical Cascade (Patin, Billy)	122	L b	2	3	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ²	5 ^{1 1/4}	7.40	stalk inside, no menace
17Nov10	¹ DED ³	5 Geno (Melancon, Jansen)	120	L b	5	8	10	10	9 ^{1/2}	8 ⁴	6 ^{3 1/2}	42.40	4w 2nd turn, no threat
26Nov10	⁷ DED ¹⁰	8 Rodeo Racer (LeBlanc, Kirk)	122	L	8	5	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{Head}	7 ³	6 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	7.40	bump start, no menace
11Nov10	⁹ DED ²	4 Austin's Buddy (Faul, Jeffrey)	123	L	4	10	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹	7 ^{Head}	8 ^{11 1/4}	3.60	3w, bid, faltered late
3Nov10	⁹ DED ⁶	9 Groovy Dinababe (Diego, Iram)	123	L	9	9	9 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1 1/2}	10	10	9 ^{1 1/4}	31.30	unhurried, no factor
17Nov10	⁹ DED ⁷	7 Tiger Taylor (Marquez, Carlos)	120	L b	7	7	8 ^{2 1/2}	9 ³	8 ²	9 ³	10	94.00	broke out, bumped

Fractional Times: 22.67 47.34 1:13.23

Final Time: 1:41.73

Split Times: (24:67) (25:89) (28:50)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Couple of Hours, Chestnut Ridgling, by Finest Hour out of My Sunshine, by Allegedly Wild. Foaled Apr 12, 2007 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Danny Cazaubon & Rita Cazaubon. **Winning Owner:** Dont Tell My Wife Stable

Claiming Prices: 10 - Couple of Hours: \$10,000; 6 - Bust and Loose: \$10,000; 3 - Classic Lil Hooves: \$10,000; 1 - High I. Q.: \$10,000; 2 - Magical Cascade: \$10,000; 5 - Geno: \$8,000; 8 - Rodeo Racer: \$10,000; 4 - Austin's Buddy: \$10,000; 9 - Groovy Dinababe: \$10,000; 7 - Tiger Taylor: \$8,000;

Scratched Horse(s): I'm Indy Gold (Also-Eligible), Native Boy (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$40,450

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Couple of Hours	14.40	6.60	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	10-6	143.00	33,458
6	Bust and Loose		8.20	5.00	\$2.00 Quinella	6-10	67.40	2,968
3	Classic Lil Hooves			3.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	10-6-3	659.40	27,482
					\$2.00 Superfecta	10-6-3-1	4,227.40	19,464
					\$2.00 Pick 3	6-1-10 (3 correct)	731.80	3,916

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
10	Couple of Hours	6	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{1 1/4}
6	Bust and Loose	4	7 ⁷	7 ^{5 3/4}	5 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}
3	Classic Lil Hooves	1	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 3/4}
1	High I. Q.	2	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ⁴
2	Magical Cascade	3	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ³	6 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/4}
5	Geno	8	10 ¹¹	10 ^{11 3/4}	9 ⁸	8 ^{5 3/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}
8	Rodeo Racer	5	5 ⁴	6 ^{5 1/2}	7 ³	6 ^{5 1/2}	7 ¹⁰
4	Austin's Buddy	10	3 ³	2 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	7 ^{5 1/2}	8 ^{10 1/2}
9	Groovy Dinababe	9	9 ^{9 1/2}	8 ^{7 1/4}	10 ^{8 1/2}	10 ^{12 3/4}	9 ^{21 3/4}
7	Tiger Taylor	7	8 ⁷	9 ^{8 3/4}	8 ⁶	9 ^{9 3/4}	10 ²³

Trainers: 10 - Desormeaux, J.; 6 - Segura, Kearney; 3 - Gomez, Rafael; 1 - Richey, Tony; 2 - Begnaud, Charles; 5 - Landry, Fred; 8 - Hassenpflug, Chad; 4 - Bergeron, John; 9 - Deville, Carl; 7 - Balthazar, Donald

Owners: 10 - Dont Tell My Wife Stable; 6 - Charles Carlton; 3 - Earl Wayne Comer; 1 - John Hulsey; 2 - Richard Tate; 5 - Fred J. Landry; 8 - Blackwater Racing Stable LLC; 4 - Shirley Boudreaux; 9 - The Five Horseman LLC; 7 - David C. Haydel;

Footnotes

COUPLE OF HOURS was allowed to settle while racing two wide on the backstretch, was blocked in upper stretch then angled inside in upper stretch, was gaining ground while in a strong drive and proved best in the end. BUST AND LOOSE was allowed to settle while racing two wide on the backstretch, rallied four wide in upper stretch making a strong bid to late stretch but came up empty in the end. CLASSIC LIL HOOVES pressed the early pace while racing two wide on the backstretch, was in a long drive in the stretch but tired in late stretch. HIGH I. Q. set a pressured pace from the inside, was in a long drive on the far turn, dug in gamely throughout the stretch but tired in late stretch. MAGICAL CASCADE stalked the early pace while inside, saved ground on the far turn then failed to menace in the stretch drive. GENO was unhurried early then raced four wide on the far turn but was no threat in the stretch drive. RODEO RACER was bumped at the start then raced three wide on the backstretch and failed to menace. AUSTIN'S BUDDY was well placed while racing three wide on the first turn, made a bid on the backstretch then faltered in the stretch drive. GROOVY DINABABE was unhurried early and was no factor. TIGER TAYLOR broke out and bumped at the start then raced two wide on the backstretch and far turn but was no threat.