

**FAIR GROUNDS - December 2, 2011 - Race 5**

CLAIMING - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (SNW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000  
 One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Zevson - 1:41.00 - November 26, 1936)

**Purse:** \$13,000

**Includes:** \$5,000 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$13,000

**Value of Race:** \$13,000 1st \$7,512, 2nd \$2,504, 3rd \$1,387, 4th \$761, 5th \$356, 6th \$80, 7th \$80, 8th \$80, 9th \$80, 10th \$80, 11th \$80

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 2:41 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

| Last Raced | Pgm                            | Horse Name (Jockey)                    | Wgt | M/E  | PP | Start | 1/4                 | 1/2                 | 3/4                | Str                | Fin                | Odds  | Comments               |
|------------|--------------------------------|--|-----|------|----|-------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 17Nov11    | <sup>9</sup> DED <sup>8</sup>  | 4 Pleasant Choice (Clark, Kerwin)      | 121 | L b  | 4  | 5     | 2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2  | 2 <sup>1</sup>      | 1 <sup>Head</sup>  | 2 <sup>2</sup> 1/2 | 1 <sup>2</sup> 1/4 | 77.70 | 3w 1st turn,edgd clear |
| 4Nov11     | <sup>10</sup> DED <sup>3</sup> | 3 Cajun Sky (St. Julien, Marlon)       | 121 | L    | 3  | 3     | 3 <sup>2</sup>      | 3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2  | 3 <sup>3</sup> 1/2 | 1 <sup>Head</sup>  | 2 <sup>2</sup> 1/2 | 2.60* | drifted out 1/16       |
| 4Nov11     | <sup>10</sup> DED <sup>2</sup> | 7 Tapped to the Max (Chapa, Roman)     | 121 | L b  | 7  | 11    | 11                  | 11                  | 10 <sup>Head</sup> | 6 <sup>1</sup>     | 3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2 | 14.40 | last away,6w into lane |
| 25Nov11    | <sup>11</sup> FG <sup>10</sup> | 6 Roy Lee (McMahon, C.J.)              | 113 | L b  | 6  | 7     | 4 <sup>Head</sup>   | 5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2  | 4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2 | 4 <sup>2</sup>     | 4 <sup>1</sup> 2   | 8.00  | 3-4wide turns,no rally |
| 2Nov11     | <sup>10</sup> DED <sup>7</sup> | 10 Runningforthegold (Diego, Iram)     | 118 | L    | 10 | 4     | 10 <sup>4</sup> 1/2 | 9 <sup>Head</sup>   | 11                 | 7 <sup>Head</sup>  | 5 <sup>3</sup> 4   | 44.30 | improved position      |
| 10Nov11    | <sup>9</sup> DED <sup>4</sup>  | 5 Precious Metal Man (Graham, James)   | 121 | L    | 5  | 10    | 9 <sup>Head</sup>   | 10 <sup>3</sup> 1/2 | 9 <sup>1</sup>     | 8 <sup>Head</sup>  | 6 <sup>1</sup> 2   | 3.20  | failed to threaten     |
| 11Nov11    | <sup>9</sup> DED <sup>8</sup>  | 2 What Secret (Jacinto, John)          | 118 | L fb | 2  | 8     | 1 <sup>1</sup>      | 1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2  | 2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2 | 3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2 | 7 <sup>3</sup> 4   | 13.20 | inside pace, gave way  |
| 2Nov11     | <sup>10</sup> DED <sup>2</sup> | 11 Bound for Glory (Bridgmohan, Shaun) | 121 | L    | 11 | 1     | 6 <sup>Head</sup>   | 8 <sup>2</sup>      | 8 <sup>Head</sup>  | 10 <sup>5</sup>    | 8 <sup>1</sup> 1/4 | 4.40  | 4-5w1st trn3-4w2nd trn |
| 26Aug11    | <sup>4</sup> EVD <sup>4</sup>  | 9 Mr. Chub (LeBlanc, Don)              | 121 | L fb | 9  | 2     | 7 <sup>1</sup> 1/2  | 6 <sup>2</sup>      | 5 <sup>3</sup> 1/2 | 5 <sup>3</sup>     | 9 <sup>1</sup>     | 5.30  | 5wide 1/4,no response  |
| 2Sep11     | <sup>6</sup> LAD <sup>4</sup>  | 8 Duck Gumbo (Richard, Ronald)         | 116 | L b  | 8  | 6     | 8 <sup>4</sup>      | 7 <sup>Head</sup>   | 6 <sup>Head</sup>  | 9 <sup>1</sup>     | 10 <sup>9</sup>    | 58.60 | 3-4w 1st trn,no factor |
| 23Sep11    | <sup>8</sup> LAD <sup>9</sup>  | 1 Castnet Kent (Riquelme, Jose)        | 121 | L    | 1  | 9     | 5 <sup>2</sup>      | 4 <sup>Head</sup>   | 7 <sup>2</sup>     | 11                 | 11                 | 16.80 | saved ground, empty    |

**Fractional Times:** 23.91 47.52 1:13.40 1:41.45 **Final Time:** 1:46.05

**Split Times:** (23:61) (25:88) (28:05) (4:60)

**Run-Up:** 30 feet

**Winner:** Pleasant Choice, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Pleasant Tap out of Bettina's Choice, by Private Terms. Foaled Jan 30, 2007 in Louisiana.

**Breeder:** Danny M. Brown & Donna B. Brown. **Winning Owner:** Pre K Training Center, Inc. and Brown, Danny and Donna

**Claiming Prices:** 4 - Pleasant Choice: \$5,000; 3 - Cajun Sky: \$5,000; 7 - Tapped to the Max: \$5,000; 6 - Roy Lee: \$5,000; 10 - Runningforthegold: \$5,000; 5 - Precious Metal Man: \$5,000; 2 - What Secret: \$5,000; 11 - Bound for Glory: \$5,000; 9 - Mr. Chub: \$5,000; 8 - Duck Gumbo: \$5,000; 1 - Castnet Kent: \$5,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$96,361

| Pgm | Horse             | Win    | Place | Show  | Wager Type          | Winning Numbers         | Payoff    | Pool   |
|-----|-------------------|--------|-------|-------|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------|--------|
| 4   | Pleasant Choice   | 157.40 | 61.60 | 23.60 | \$2.00 Exacta       | 4-3                     | 646.80    | 87,804 |
| 3   | Cajun Sky         |        | 4.60  | 4.00  | \$2.00 Trifecta     | 4-3-7                   | 4,639.60  | 58,925 |
| 7   | Tapped to the Max |        |       | 7.00  | \$2.00 Pick 3       | 5-5-4 (3 correct)       | 2,617.80  | 8,730  |
|     |                   |        |       |       | \$2.00 Pick 4       | 3-5-5/8/9-4 (4 correct) | 4,474.80  | 29,841 |
|     |                   |        |       |       | \$2.00 Superfecta   | 4-3-7-6                 | 56,828.40 | 34,121 |
|     |                   |        |       |       | \$2.00 Daily Double | 5-4                     | 309.80    | 7,782  |

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

| Pgm | Horse Name         | Start | 1/4                  | 1/2                  | 3/4                  | Str                  | Fin                |
|-----|--------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| 4   | Pleasant Choice    | 5     | 2 <sup>1</sup>       | 2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2   | 1 <sup>Head</sup>    | 2 <sup>Head</sup>    | 1 <sup>2</sup> 1/4 |
| 3   | Cajun Sky          | 3     | 3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2   | 3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2   | 3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2   | 1 <sup>Head</sup>    | 2 <sup>2</sup> 1/4 |
| 7   | Tapped to the Max  | 11    | 11 <sup>16</sup> 3/4 | 11 <sup>14</sup> 1/4 | 10 <sup>13</sup> 1/4 | 6 <sup>10</sup>      | 3 <sup>4</sup> 3/4 |
| 6   | Roy Lee            | 7     | 4 <sup>4</sup> 1/2   | 5 <sup>5</sup>       | 4 <sup>5</sup>       | 4 <sup>5</sup>       | 4 <sup>7</sup> 1/4 |
| 10  | Runningforthegold  | 4     | 10 <sup>12</sup> 1/4 | 9 <sup>10</sup> 3/4  | 11 <sup>13</sup> 1/2 | 7 <sup>11</sup>      | 5 <sup>7</sup> 3/4 |
| 5   | Precious Metal Man | 10    | 9 <sup>12</sup> 1/4  | 10 <sup>10</sup> 3/4 | 9 <sup>12</sup> 1/4  | 8 <sup>11</sup> 1/4  | 6 <sup>8</sup> 1/2 |
| 2   | What Secret        | 8     | 1 <sup>1</sup>       | 1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2   | 2 <sup>Head</sup>    | 3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2   | 7 <sup>9</sup>     |
| 11  | Bound for Glory    | 1     | 6 <sup>6</sup> 1/2   | 8 <sup>8</sup> 3/4   | 8 <sup>12</sup> 1/4  | 10 <sup>12</sup> 1/4 | 8 <sup>9</sup> 3/4 |
| 9   | Mr. Chub           | 2     | 7 <sup>6</sup> 3/4   | 6 <sup>6</sup> 1/2   | 5 <sup>6</sup> 1/2   | 5 <sup>7</sup>       | 9 <sup>11</sup>    |
| 8   | Duck Gumbo         | 6     | 8 <sup>8</sup> 1/4   | 7 <sup>8</sup> 1/2   | 6 <sup>10</sup>      | 9 <sup>11</sup> 1/4  | 10 <sup>12</sup>   |
| 1   | Castnet Kent       | 9     | 5 <sup>4</sup> 1/2   | 4 <sup>5</sup>       | 7 <sup>10</sup> 1/4  | 11 <sup>17</sup> 1/4 | 11 <sup>21</sup>   |

**Trainers:** 4 - Deville, Carl; 3 - Duhon, Joe; 7 - Savoy, John; 6 - Desormeaux, J.; 10 - Balderas, Alfonso; 5 - Viator, Dwight; 2 - Husak, Jr., Robert; 11 - Faul, Leo; 9 - King, Joseph; 8 - Schmidt, Denise; 1 - Morreale, Jake

**Owners:** 4 - Pre K Training Center, Inc. and Brown, Danny and Donna; 3 - Joe R. Duhon; 7 - Melancon, Dorothy and Broussard, Sr. Nolan J.; 6 - Don't Tell My Wife Stables RC #3 LLC; 10 - Alfonso Balderas; 5 - Dodd, Leland and Viator, Dwight; 2 - Roycie Bellard; 11 - Candace Altman; 9 - Ashley King; 8 - Schmidt, Denise and McGinty, Rush; 1 - Jake V. Morreale;

**Footnotes**

PLEASANT CHOICE brushed with a rival entering the first turn, raced three wide on that turn, tracked the pace, chased on the far turn, made a bid at the top of the stretch, battled with CAJUN SKY into the final sixteenth and edged clear under strong urging. CAJUN SKY was well placed just off the pace, chased on the far turn, made a bid in upper stretch, battled with PLEASANT CHOICE on the outside, drifted out near the sixteenth-pole and was outfinished while clear for the place. TAPPED TO THE MAX was last away, saved ground on the first turn, lagged at the rear, went three then four wide on the far turn, moved to five wide in the vicinity of the five-sixteenths pole, came six wide into the stretch and finished willingly for the show. ROY LEE broke out at the start, brushed with PLEASANT CHOICE entering the first turn, raced three to four wide on that turn, settled on the outside, was ridden along while three then four wide on the far turn and lacked the needed response. RUNNINGFORTHGOLD raced off the rail on the initial turn, lingered well back in the field, was urged along while two then three wide on the far turn and improved position. PRECIOUS METAL MAN settled towards the rear while on the inside, was urged along on the far turn, came off the rail outside the quarter-pole and failed to threaten. WHAT SECRET was asked from the start, set the pace through solid fractions, lost the lead the top of the stretch and gave way. BOUND FOR GLORY went five then four wide on the first turn, settled off the pace, was urged along while three then four wide on the far turn and failed to respond. MR. CHUB went two to three wide on the first turn, was reserved off the pace, moved out on the far turn, came five wide into the stretch and also failed to respond. DUCK GUMBO raced three to four wide on the first turn and was no factor. CASTNET KENT broke in at the start, settled on the inside, saved ground on both turns and came up empty.

