

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - February 25, 2024 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO \$2,200 ATB) FOR FILLIES AND MARES FOUR YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since November 25, 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$10,000. (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$7,500
Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Joyful Victory - 1:42.30 - January 26, 2013)
Purse: \$11,000
Available Money: \$11,000
Value of Race: \$11,000 1st \$6,480, 2nd \$2,160, 3rd \$1,188, 4th \$648, 5th \$324, 6th \$100, 7th \$100
Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 1:00 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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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
3Feb24 ² HOU ²	7	Nordic Queen (Sanchez, Obed)	121	L	h	7	5	6 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹ /2	1.10*	svdgd,led1/4,drw off
9Feb24 ³ HOU ²	4	Its My Money Too (Diego, Iram)	121	L	b	4	3	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	2 ⁶	2.00	prs2w,gamely,outfnshd
9Feb24 ³ HOU ⁶	6	Cat Tale Sky (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	121	L		6	6	7	7	5 ⁸	3 ¹	16.90	set2-3w,gaining late
9Feb24 ³ HOU ⁸	3	Highway Sixty One (Wiseman, Isaiah)	121	L	b	3	4	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	5 ¹⁸	28.90	settle in, no threat
9Feb24 ³ HOU ⁹	1	Crimson Lady (Diaz, Rene)	121	L	b	1	2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	3 ² 1/2	4 ²	5.10	pc in,faltered far trn
3Feb24 ² HOU ⁷	5	Pondered (Alvarez, Jose)	123	L	b	5	7	4 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	6 ⁶	6 ¹⁰	5.90	set2w, failed to rally
20Jan24 ⁴ HOU ⁵	2	Sheza Hunk (Morales, Adrian)	121	L	b	2	1	2 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	7	7	26.80	brief chs in,flat1/2

Fractional Times: 24.66 49.05 1:14.29 1:41.79 **Final Time:** 1:49.03
Split Times: (24:39) (25:24) (27:50) (7:24)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Nordic Queen, Bay Mare, by Read the Footnotes out of Awesome Emma, by Ghostzapper. Foaled Jan 26, 2019 in Minnesota.
Breeder: Eureka Thoroughbred Farm
Owner: Michael Grossman
Trainer: Bravo, Francisco

1 Claimed Horse(s): Nordic Queen New Trainer: Sarah Nicole Davidson New Owner: CATTTTS Family Racing

Claiming Prices: 7 - Nordic Queen: \$7,500; 4 - Its My Money Too: \$10,000; 6 - Cat Tale Sky: \$7,500; 3 - Highway Sixty One: \$7,500; 1 - Crimson Lady: \$7,500; 5 - Pondered: \$7,500; 2 - Sheza Hunk: \$10,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$3,998

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Nordic Queen	4.20	2.80	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	7-4	5.90	1,859
4	Its My Money Too		2.80		\$0.50 Trifecta	7-4-6	11.70	1,873
6	Cat Tale Sky			5.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-4-6-3	9.96	1,370

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Nordic Queen	5	6 ³ 1/4	3 ²	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹ /2	1 ⁴ 3/4
4	Its My Money Too	3	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ /2	2 ⁴ 3/4
6	Cat Tale Sky	6	7 ⁴ 3/4	7 ³ 1/2	5 ² 3/4	3 ⁶ 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/4
3	Highway Sixty One	4	5 ³ 1/4	4 ³	4 ² 3/4	5 ⁹ 1/2	4 ¹⁶ 1/2
1	Crimson Lady	2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ⁷ 1/2	5 ¹⁸ 3/4
5	Pondered	7	4 ³	6 ³ 1/4	6 ¹⁰ 3/4	6 ²⁷ 1/2	6 ⁵⁶ 1/2
2	Sheza Hunk	1	2 ¹ 1/2	5 ³ 1/4	7 ¹⁶ 3/4	7 ³⁷ 1/2	7 ⁶⁶ 1/4

Trainers: 7 - Bravo, Francisco; 4 - Baldillez Jr., Alejandro; 6 - Young, Scott; 3 - Davidson, Sarah; 1 - Caldwell, J.; 5 - Davis, Shawn; 2 - Ascencio, Juan

Owners: 7 -Michael Grossman; 4 - HDT Allied Management, LLC; 6 - Bay, David and Tammie; 3 -Richard Varner; 1 - Black Fence Racing Stables and Caldwell, J. R.; 5 -George A. Sharp; 2 -Uriel Maya;

Footnotes

NORDIC QUEEN reserved ground down the backstretch while two to three wide, then edged past inner rivals on the far turn to gain command entering the home stretch then drew off under a strong drive to prevail in the end. ITS MY MONEY TOO pressed the pace from the two path down the backstretch, then moved up entering the far turn to duel briefly with the pace setter, took command momentarily then was surpassed by an outer rival at the quarter pole then kept on for the place prize in the end. CAT TALE SKY settled two to three wide behind the field in the early furlongs, then urged eagerly on the far turn to rally in the stretch and was gaining ground but it was not enough in the end. HIGHWAY SIXTY ONE settled along the inside and was no threat. CRIMSON LADY set the pace into the first turn from the inside, was in the clear down the backstretch, then was over taken for the lead entering the far turn and flattened out the remainder of the course. PONDERED settled in the two path towards the back of the pack and failed to rally. SHEZA HUNK chased the pace briefly down the backstretch from the inside then flattened out after the half and needed rally.

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - February 25, 2024 - Race 2

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$2,400 ATB) FOR MAIDENS, THREE, FOUR, AND FIVE YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

Claiming Price \$15,000. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$17,500. (Rail at 30 feet). **Claiming Price:** \$15,000

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Tiz Gianni - 1:35.55 - February 10, 2015)

Purse: \$12,000

Available Money: \$12,000

Value of Race: \$12,000 1st \$7,020, 2nd \$2,340, 3rd \$1,287, 4th \$702, 5th \$351, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 1:28 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Jan24 ⁹ HOU ⁶	4	El Smooch (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	123	L	4	2	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	5.90	pc in, string drv, held on
11Feb24 ⁵ HOU ⁴	3	Nerky Rose (Diaz, Rene)	123	L b	3	5	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ¹	4 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{4 1/4}	0.50*	svgd, 4w2nd, 2nd best
28Jan24 ⁹ HOU ⁶	5	R R Empire (Guerra, Rodolfo)	123	L b	5	7	7 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 3/4}	17.90	set in, even late
27Aug23 ⁷ GIL ²	7	Iron Moon (Benavides, Daniel)	123	L b	7	3	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ³	13.10	prs2w, stdydrv, gv way
19Jan24 ⁹ DED ⁶	2	Uncle Chan (Sanchez, Obed)	123	L b	2	1	3 ^{Head}	7 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{3 1/2}	5 ³	5 ^{1 1/2}	30.00	mdpk in, lack late rly
28Jan24 ⁹ HOU ¹¹	1	Prince Curlin (Ceballos, Franklin)	123	L b	1	4	8	8	7 ^{1/2}	6 ¹⁰	6 ^{21 1/2}	37.10	unhurried, no threat
29Dec23 ¹ TP ⁷	8	Give Him Time (Asmussen, Erik)	118	L	8	6	4 ^{Head}	5 ¹	8	8	7 ^{1 1/2}	4.80	mdpk2w, faded2nd
10Feb24 ³ HOU ⁵	6	Baffin's Best Shot (Salazar, Teresa)	114	L	6	8	5 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	7 ¹	8	15.50	prs3w, 6-7wfar turn

Fractional Times: 23.46 47.93 1:13.63 1:26.77

Split Times: (24:47) (25:70) (13:14) (13:07)

Run-Up: 247 feet Temporary Rail: 30 feet

Final Time: 1:39.84

Winner: El Smooch, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Jess's Dream out of Wildheartsneverdie, by Gators N Bears. Foaled Mar 18, 2020 in South Carolina.
Breeder: Jellicoe Creek LLC
Owner: Jellicoe Creek LLC
Trainer: Pish, Danny

Claiming Prices: 4 - El Smooch: \$15,000; 3 - Nerky Rose: \$15,000; 5 - R R Empire: \$15,000; 7 - Iron Moon: \$15,000; 2 - Uncle Chan: \$15,000; 1 - Prince Curlin: \$15,000; 8 - Give Him Time: \$15,000; 6 - Baffin's Best Shot: \$15,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$4,681

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	El Smooch	13.80	4.20	3.00	\$1.00 Daily Double	7-4	14.90	378
3	Nerky Rose		2.40	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	4-3	10.30	1,918
5	R R Empire			4.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-3-5	13.30	1,393
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-3-5-7	18.98	1,118

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	El Smooch	2	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}
3	Nerky Rose	5	6 ^{1 3/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
5	R R Empire	7	7 ^{3 1/4}	4 ⁴	3 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{4 3/4}
7	Iron Moon	3	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/2}
2	Uncle Chan	1	3 ¹	7 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{4 3/4}	5 ⁴	5 ^{10 1/2}
1	Prince Curlin	4	8 ^{5 3/4}	8 ¹⁰	7 ^{8 1/4}	6 ⁷	6 ¹²
8	Give Him Time	6	4 ^{1 1/4}	5 ^{4 1/2}	8 ^{8 3/4}	8 ¹⁸	7 ^{33 1/2}
6	Baffin's Best Shot	8	5 ^{1 1/4}	2 ^{1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	7 ¹⁷	8 ³⁵

Trainers: 4 - Pish, Danny; 3 - Caldwell, J.; 5 - Keithan, Rachael; 7 - Hernandez, Alex; 2 - Laday, Ashton; 1 - Eoff, Terry; 8 - Asmussen, Steven; 6 - George, Wayne

Owners: 4 - Jellicoe Creek LLC; 3 -Richard L. Davis; 5 - Relentless Racing, Inc.; 7 -Hector H. Luna; 2 -Ashton Laday; 1 - Evans, Johnny B. and Eoff, Terry; 8 -Steven M. Asmussen; 6 -Wayne F. George;

Footnotes
EL SMOOCH led the way into the first turn to set the pace down the early backstretch, was briefly met with contention then continued to remain clear throughout the far turn, was challenged for the lead by an outer rival but retain a strong drive to prevail in the end. NERKY ROSE saved ground in the early furlongs, then moved up from the four path on the far turn to rally in the upper stretch but lacked the winning bid and was best for second place. R R EMPIRE settled along the inside in the early furlongs, then moved up the backstretch while three wide, rallied leaving the far turn but came up evenly in the late stretch. IRON MOON pressed the pace while two wide, then vied briefly in the early backstretch before settling back on the far turn, rallied in the early stretch before giving way in the end. UNCLE CHAN raced in the middle of the pack from the inside, then bid mildly on the far turn and did not spark in the home stretch. PRINCE CURLIN was unhurried early then bid leaving the far turn and was no threat. GIVE HIM TIME raced in the middle of the field under a steady drive while two wide down the backstretch, then faded on the far turn and was no menace. BAFFIN'S BEST SHOT pressed the pace while three wide in the early backstretch, then vied briefly with inner rivals, began to lose ground, then bore out six to seven wide on the far turn and was no rally in the end.

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SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - February 25, 2024 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO \$2,200 ATB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 25, 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$10,000. (NW3 L) **Claiming Price: \$7,500**
Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Joyful Victory - 1:42.30 - January 26, 2013)
Purse: \$11,000
Available Money: \$11,000
Value of Race: \$11,000 1st \$6,480, 2nd \$2,160, 3rd \$1,188, 4th \$648, 5th \$324, 6th \$100, 7th \$100
Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 1:57 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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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
18Feb24 ³ HOU ⁶	6	Prairie Dollar (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	121	L b	6	3	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁴	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/2}	14.40	ch3w,kck clr late,drv
3Feb24 ⁴ HOU ³	3	Special Moment (Morales, Adrian)	121	L b	3	4	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ⁷	1 ^{2 1/2}	2 ⁶	2 ^{6 1/2}	3.20	pc in,lngdrv,duel,outk
28Jan24 ⁶ HOU ⁶	1	Uptown Bigbadjon (Diego, Iram)	121	L	1	5	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 3/4}	0.70*	mod pc in,need more
13Jan24 ⁴ HOU ⁶	4	Gamma Ray (Sanchez, Obed)	121	L b	4	2	5 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁶	47.20	set2w,rily upr,empty
28Jan24 ⁶ HOU ¹⁰	7	Declare War (Bracho, Richard)	121	L b	7	7	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{2 1/4}	38.50	set3w,5w,no menace
28Jan24 ⁶ HOU ¹¹	5	Big Pete (Ceballos, Franklin)	121	L f	5	1	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1 3/4}	9.50	chs2w,4w,flat late
3Feb24 ⁴ HOU ⁵	2	Discovery Peak (Jara, Fernando)	121	L b	2	6	7	7	7	7	7	3.50	no rally

Fractional Times: 25.34 49.75 1:14.85 1:41.88 **Final Time:** 1:48.52
Split Times: (24:41) (25:10) (27:03) (6:64)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Prairie Dollar, Bay Gelding, by Save Big Money out of Mizoes Ready, by More Than Ready. Foaled May 09, 2019 in Oklahoma.
Breeder: Center Hills Farm
Owner: L and G Racing Stables
Trainer: Cravens, III, Ronnie

Claiming Prices: 6 - Prairie Dollar: \$7,500; 3 - Special Moment: \$7,500; 1 - Uptown Bigbadjon: \$7,500; 4 - Gamma Ray: \$7,500; 7 - Declare War: \$7,500; 5 - Big Pete: \$7,500; 2 - Discovery Peak: \$7,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Infinite Moro (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$4,871

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
6	Prairie Dollar	30.80	13.00	4.20	\$1.00 Exacta	6-3	191.30	2,808	
3	Special Moment		4.00	2.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-3-1	206.30	2,174	
1	Uptown Bigbadjon			2.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-3-1-ALL	11.64	1,253	
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-4-ALL (3 correct)	26.00	513	
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-6	40.40	138	
					\$0.20 Z-5 Super Hi-5	6-3-1-4-7		430	1,889

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Prairie Dollar	3	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/2}
3	Special Moment	4	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ⁷	1 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 1/2}
1	Uptown Bigbadjon	5	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁷	3 ^{6 1/2}	3 ⁶	3 ⁹
4	Gamma Ray	2	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{9 1/4}	6 ^{8 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{10 3/4}
7	Declare War	7	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁹	5 ^{8 1/2}	5 ¹¹	5 ^{16 3/4}
5	Big Pete	1	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ⁷	4 ⁷	6 ^{11 1/4}	6 ¹⁹
2	Discovery Peak	6	7 ⁷	7 ^{9 3/4}	7 ¹¹	7 ^{12 3/4}	7 ^{20 3/4}

Trainers: 6 - Cravens, III, Ronnie; 3 - Saucedo, Jesse; 1 - Padilla, Carlos; 4 - Eoff, Terry; 7 - Govea, Cesar; 5 - Rengstorf, Tony; 2 - Ashford, Tristan

Owners: 6 - L and G Racing Stables; 3 -Wesley R. Stevens; 1 -Krista Henningsgard; 4 -Terry Eoff; 7 - L and G Racing Stables; 5 -Victor Morales; 2 -Gaylon McGee;

Footnotes

PRAIRIE DOLLAR chased the pace while three wide, then disposed of the inner rivals and was gaining ground on the far turn, dug in gamely to duel briefly with the pace setter then kicked clear to prevail under a strong drive. SPECIAL MOMENT led the way well ahead of his rivals down the backstretch, was in a long drive throughout the far turn, then was met with an outer rival to duel for the lead and was outkicked in late stretch and was second best. UPTOWN BIGBADJON chased the pace from the inside at at moderate pace throughout and needed more in late stretch. GAMMA RAY settled while two wide in the back pack in the early furlongs, then rallied leaving the far turn but it was not enough in the end. DECLARE WAR settled in the three path, then bid on the far turn while coming out five and was no menace. BIG PETE chased the pace between rivals, then came out five wide leaving the far turn and came up flat in the home stretch. DISCOVERY PEAK was no rally.

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - February 25, 2024 - Race 4

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$640 ATB) FOR TEXAS ACCREDITED THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 25, 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$15,000, if for \$12,500, allowed 2 lbs. (S)

Claiming Price: \$15,000 - \$12,500

Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt

Current Track Record: (Bucharest - 1:21.29 - May 4, 1996)

Purse: \$16,000

Available Money: \$16,000

Value of Race: \$16,000 1st \$9,480, 2nd \$3,160, 3rd \$1,738, 4th \$948, 5th \$474, 6th \$100, 7th \$100

Weather: Clear, 80° Track: Fast

Off at: 2:27 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

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Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Sep23 ⁶ RP ⁵	6	Quarterback Dak (Asmussen, Erik)	118	L	5	3	2 ¹ / ₂	3 ¹ ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ ¹ / ₂	1 ¹	2.80*	vie3w,led upr,heldwell
26Aug23 ¹¹ GIL ⁵	7	Champagne Stooper (Diego, Iram)	121	L	6	4	5 ¹	4 ¹	2 ¹	2 ⁷ ³ / ₄	5.20	rate2w,4w1/4,willingly
27Jan24 ⁶ HOU ⁶	9	Witt's Taquito (Morales, Adrian)	121	L b	7	5	4 ¹ / ₂	5 ¹ ¹ / ₂	5 ¹ / ₂	3 ²	9.80	rc3w,5w1/4,upshow
12Jan24 ⁴ HOU ³	5	Darylslittlediablo (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	121	L bf	4	2	3 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹ / ₂	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Neck}	5.00	stk2w,duel1/4,gv wy
4Feb24 ² HOU ¹	4	Pickupstrangers (Diaz, Rene)	123	L	3	6	6 ¹⁸	6 ²⁵	6 ³⁰	5 ⁸	3.00	mild bid ins, empty
24Nov23 ² LS ¹	2	Play Rule (Cabrera, David)	121	L	1	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	4 ² ¹ / ₂	6 ⁴⁸ ¹ / ₄	4.80	vie in,duel1/4,tired
12Oct23 ⁴ RP ¹¹	3	Mr. Nightblinger (Sanchez, Obed)	121	L	2	7	7	7	7	7	7.20	trailed throughout

Fractional Times: 23.37 46.02 1:11.80

Split Times: (22:65) (25:78) (13:35)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Final Time: 1:25.15

Winner: Quarterback Dak, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Alternation out of My Girl Bess, by More Than Ready. Foaled Feb 25, 2017 in Texas.

Breeder: Ed Few

Owner: Steven M. Asmussen

Trainer: Asmussen, Steven

1 Claimed Horse(s): Quarterback Dak

New Trainer: J. R. Caldwell

New Owner: Farmers Fillies Racing

Claiming Prices: 6 - Quarterback Dak: \$15,000; 7 - Champagne Stooper: \$15,000; 9 - Witt's Taquito: \$15,000; 5 - Darylslittlediablo: \$15,000; 4 - Pickupstrangers: \$15,000; 2 - Play Rule: \$15,000; 3 - Mr. Nightblinger: \$15,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Carbon Stryker (Veterinarian), Clipper Cove (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$5,358

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Quarterback Dak	7.60	4.20	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	6-7	23.00	2,385
7	Champagne Stooper		5.60	4.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-7-9	41.60	2,055
9	Witt's Taquito			5.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-7-9-5	32.52	1,648
					\$1.00 Pick 3	4-ALL-6 (2 correct)	20.70	238
					\$1.00 Pick 3	ALL-6-6/8 (2 correct)	20.70	0
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-ALL	39.10	220
					\$1.00 Daily Double	ALL-6	2.60	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Quarterback Dak	3	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ ¹ / ₂	1 ¹
7	Champagne Stooper	4	5 ¹ ¹ / ₂	4 ²	2 ¹ ¹ / ₂	2 ¹
9	Witt's Taquito	5	4 ¹	5 ³	5 ⁵	3 ⁸ ³ / ₄
5	Darylslittlediablo	2	3 ¹ / ₂	2 ^{Head}	3 ² ¹ / ₂	4 ¹⁰ ³ / ₄
4	Pickupstrangers	6	6 ² ¹ / ₂	6 ⁴ ¹ / ₂	6 ⁵ ¹ / ₂	5 ¹¹
2	Play Rule	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	4 ² ¹ / ₂	6 ¹⁹
3	Mr. Nightblinger	7	7 ²⁰ ¹ / ₂	7 ²⁹ ¹ / ₂	7 ³⁵ ¹ / ₂	7 ⁶⁷ ¹ / ₄

Trainers: 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 7 - Schneider, Eric; 9 - Saucedo, Jesse; 5 - Castellanos, Jaime; 4 - Caldwell, J.; 2 - Roubion, Steve; 3 - Clary, Jaylan

Owners: 6 -Steven M. Asmussen; 7 -Stephen P. Whiting; 9 -Wesley R. Stevens; 5 -Darrell W. Bravenec; 4 - Farmers Fillies Racing; 2 - Hamlin Ventures; 3 -Jaylan Renay Clary;

Footnotes

QUARTERBACK DAK was under a steady hand ride while vying for the lead with inner rivals, remained well reserved on the turn, then dug in to gain the lead in the upper stretch and held on well to the wire. CHAMPAGNE STOOPER was nicely rated while two wide down the backstretch, then bid steadily on the turn, came out four wide and closed willingly down the lane. WITT'S TAQUITO raced while three wide, then bid while five wide leaving the turn, and was up for the show prize in the end. DARYLSLITLEDIABLO was well placed between rivals while stalking the pace, then moved up to duel with an inner rival leaving the turn and was over taken by outer rivals before giving way in the end. PICKINGUPSTRANGERS was unhurried early, then made a mild bid from the inside on the turn and came up empty in the end. PLAY RULE was under a steady drive while vying for the lead from the inside, then dueled with an outer foe leaving the bend and into the turn, was used up and weakened in late stretch. MR. NIGHTBLINGER trailed throughout.

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(PLUS UP TO \$6,600 ATB) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For A Claiming Price Of Less Than \$25,000). (Rail at 30 feet).

Distance: One Mile On The Turf Current Track Record: (Tiz Gianni - 1:35.55 - February 10, 2015)

Purse: \$33,000

Available Money: \$33,000

Value of Race: \$33,000 1st \$19,620, 2nd \$6,540, 3rd \$3,597, 4th \$1,962, 5th \$981, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Clear, 81° Track: Firm

Off at: 2:57 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic



Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30Dec23 ⁸ FG ⁹	9	Louis the Champ (Elliott, Stewart)	122	L	8	2	⁴ Head	⁴ 1/2	⁴ 3	¹ 1 1/2	¹ 2 1/2	2.80	settled, 4w, driving
4Feb24 ⁹ HOU ³	1	Dinero de La Casa (Manrique, Freddy)	122	L b	1	7	² Head	³ 2 1/2	³ 1	³ 1	² 3 1/2	2.00*	block 1/4, 4w 1/8,
4Feb24 ⁹ HOU ⁸	3	Isommarshall (Guerra, Rodolfo)	122	- -	3	6	8	⁶ 1/2	⁶ 2	⁵ 2	³ 1/2	33.70	pinch start, 4w late
7Jan24 ⁶ HOU ³	4	Macho Grande (Cabrera, David)	122	L b	4	4	⁷ 3	⁷ 1/2	⁷ 2	⁶ 1	⁴ 2	4.90	broke in, bump start
13Jan24 ⁵ HOU ⁴	5	Toolittletoolate (Gonzalez, Elvin)	122	L b	5	3	¹ 1	¹ 1	¹ 1	² 1/2	⁵ 1	5.50	pace inside, faltered
21Aug23 ² LAD ⁹	7	Delta Front (Diego, Iram)	122	L b	6	1	³ 2	² 1/2	² Head	⁴ Head	⁶ 5 1/2	7.40	pressed, 2w, gave way
28Dec23 ⁵ TP ¹¹	2	Woodford Holler (Alvarez, Jose)	122	L	2	5	⁵ 3	⁵ 5	⁵ Head	⁷ 5	⁷ 4	10.30	bump start, faltered
12Jan24 ⁷ HOU ⁶	8	Cole Trickle (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	122	L b	7	8	⁶ Head	8	8	8	8	11.90	unhurried, no threat

Fractional Times: 22.99 47.03 1:12.44 1:25.99 Final Time: 1:39.26

Split Times: (24:04) (25:41) (13:55) (13:27)

Run-Up: 247 feet Temporary Rail: 30 feet

Winner: Louis the Champ, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Justify out of Victory Party, by Yankee Victor. Foaled Feb 05, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Newstead Corp

Owner: CJ Thoroughbreds and Lewis, Robert L.

Trainer: Asmussen, Steven

Scratched Horse(s): Snow King (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$6,691

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Louis the Champ	7.60	3.80	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	9-1	7.30	2,925
1	Dinero de La Casa		3.20	3.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-1-3	112.05	1,990
3	Isommarshall			7.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-1-3-4	33.16	1,941
					\$1.00 Pick 3	ALL-6-9 (3 correct)	12.30	282
					\$0.50 Pick 4	4-6-1/6/8-9 (3 correct)	67.50	592
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-9	35.50	304

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Louis the Champ	2	⁴ 3	⁴ 4	⁴ 2	¹ 1 1/2	¹ 2 1/2
1	Dinero de La Casa	7	² 1	³ 1 1/2	³ 1	³ 2	² 2 1/2
3	Isommarshall	6	⁸ 9 1/4	⁶ 9 1/2	⁶ 5 1/4	⁵ 3	³ 6
4	Macho Grande	4	⁷ 6 1/4	⁷ 10	⁷ 7 1/4	⁶ 5	⁴ 6 1/2
5	Toolittletoolate	3	¹ 1	¹ 1	¹ 1	² 1 1/2	⁵ 8 1/2
7	Delta Front	1	³ 1	² 1	² 1	⁴ 3	⁶ 9 1/2
2	Woodford Holler	5	⁵ 3 1/4	⁵ 4 1/2	⁵ 5	⁷ 6	⁷ 15
8	Cole Trickle	8	⁶ 6 1/4	⁸ 10 1/2	⁸ 9 1/4	⁸ 11	⁸ 19

Trainers: 9 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Gustafson, Austin; 3 - Keithan, Rachael; 4 - Eoff, Terry; 5 - Davis, Shawn; 7 - Gelner, Jayde; 2 - Calhoun, W.; 8 - Young, Scott

Owners: 9 - CJ Thoroughbreds and Lewis, Robert L.; 1 - Mazoch, Linda, Mazoch, Michael J. and Gustafson, Austin; 3 - Relentless Racing, Inc.; 4 - Eoff, Terry, Evans, Johnny B. and Eoff, Clint; 5 - Run It Twice Racing; 7 - Simmons and Associates, Inc.; 2 - Woodgate Farm and Clarmont Racing; 8 - Kelly Thiesing;

Footnotes

LOUIS THE CHAMP was allowed to settled then raced three wide on the backstretch, rallied four wide on the far turn and was in a strong drive to be best in the end. DINERO DE LA CASA stalked the pace while inside and under strong handled, was making a bid but was blocked behind the lead on the far turn to upper stretch, angled out to be four wide in mid stretch and was making up ground to be second best. ISOMARSHALL was pinched back after the start then settled, rallied on the fare turn and moved out to be four wide in upper stretch and closed willingly in the end. MACHO GRANDE broke in after the start and bumped hard then settled, rallied three wide in the stretch but was no menace in late stretch. TOOLITTLETOOLATE set the early pace while inside, was in a long drive into the stretch but faltered in the end. DELTA FRONT pressed the pace while two wide on the backstretch, was hard used on the far turn then gave way in the stretch. WOODFORD HOLLER was bumped hard just after the start then settled inside on the backstretch then faltered. COLE TRICKLE was unhurried early and was no threat throughout.

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SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - February 25, 2024 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO \$2,200 ATB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE NOVEMBER 25, 2023 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 25, 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$10,000. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$7,500

Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Bucharest - 1:21.29 - May 4, 1996)

Purse: \$11,000

Available Money: \$11,000

Value of Race: \$11,000 1st \$6,300, 2nd \$2,100, 3rd \$1,155, 4th \$630, 5th \$315, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100, 9th \$100, 10th \$100 [Video Race Replay](#)

Weather: Clear, 81° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:27 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
9Feb24 ⁶ HOU ⁵	10	Lions Not Sheep (Goncalves, Leandro)	123	L	10	1	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3 3/4}	2.10*	3w, turn, strong drive
3Feb24 ⁶ HOU ⁵	9	Stans Home Run (Gonzalez, Elvin)	121	L b	9	2	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3 ²	2 ^{3/4}	9.80	stalk, 4w, 2nd best
6Jan24 ⁷ HOU ⁵	4	Colonel Klink (Diaz, Rene)	121	L b	4	4	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 ²	5.80	press 2w, weaken late
9Feb24 ⁶ HOU ⁷	3	Hamazing Wisdom (Guerra, Rodolfo)	121	L	3	8	8 ²	8 ³	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	21.00	rallied, 4w, no menace
9Feb24 ⁷ DED ³	8	Big Rojo (Bracho, Richard)	121	L bf	8	5	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹	12.70	3w, bid, flattened out
9Feb24 ⁶ HOU ⁸	6	Requisition (Triana Jr., Alfredo)	121	L bf	6	6	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	7 ²	6 ¹	9.20	2w turn, flattened out
3Feb24 ⁷ HOU ¹	1	Tam's Time (Bridgmohan, Jermaine)	123	L b	1	10	9 ³	10	9 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{3/4}	4.40	ducked in start
9Feb24 ⁶ HOU ⁴	5	Thunder Road (Ceballos, Franklin)	123	L bf	5	9	10	9 ^{Head}	8 ^{Head}	8 ^{4 1/4}	6.50	unhurried, no threat
7Jan24 ⁶ HOU ⁶	7	Tag Me (Elliott, Stewart)	121	L b	7	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	9 ¹	21.80	pace inside, gave way,
19Jan24 ⁶ HOU ⁵	2	Just a Irish Lad (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	121	L	2	7	7 ¹	7 ¹	10	10	8.60	inside, used up, stop

Fractional Times: 23.37 46.47 1:11.88

Final Time: 1:24.88

Split Times: (23:10) (25:41) (13:00)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Lions Not Sheep, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Graydar out of Prepared, by Giant's Causeway. Foaled Apr 17, 2019 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD.

Owner: L and G Racing Stables

Trainer: Govea, Cesar

1 Claimed Horse(s): Lions Not Sheep

New Trainer: Danny Pish

New Owner: Gee Family Racing LLC

Claiming Prices: 10 - Lions Not Sheep: \$7,500; 9 - Stans Home Run: \$10,000; 4 - Colonel Klink: \$7,500; 3 - Hamazing Wisdom: \$7,500; 8 - Big Rojo: \$7,500; 6 - Requisition: \$7,500; 1 - Tam's Time: \$7,500; 5 - Thunder Road: \$7,500; 7 - Tag Me: \$7,500; 2 - Just a Irish Lad: \$7,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$6,507

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Lions Not Sheep	6.20	4.00	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	10-9	26.60	3,032
9	Stans Home Run		8.40	6.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	10-9-4	51.35	2,535
4	Colonel Klink			3.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	10-9-4-3	74.77	1,927
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6-9-10 (3 correct)	35.10	393
					\$1.00 Daily Double	9-10	37.30	316

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
10	Lions Not Sheep	1	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3 3/4}
9	Stans Home Run	2	4 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{3 3/4}
4	Colonel Klink	4	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}
3	Hamazing Wisdom	8	8 ^{2 3/4}	8 ^{3 1/4}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/2}
8	Big Rojo	5	5 ^{1 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/4}	5 ⁴	5 ⁸
6	Requisition	6	6 ^{1 1/4}	5 ^{1 3/4}	7 ^{4 1/4}	6 ⁹
1	Tam's Time	10	9 ^{4 3/4}	10 ^{6 1/2}	9 ^{6 1/4}	7 ¹⁰
5	Thunder Road	9	10 ^{7 3/4}	9 ^{6 1/4}	8 ^{6 1/4}	8 ^{10 3/4}
7	Tag Me	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	6 ⁴	9 ¹⁵
2	Just a Irish Lad	7	7 ^{1 3/4}	7 ^{2 1/4}	10 ^{8 3/4}	10 ¹⁶

Trainers: 10 - Govea, Cesar; 9 - Ashford, Jr., H.; 4 - Caldwell, J.; 3 - Padilla, Carlos; 8 - Govea, Cesar; 6 - Davidson, M.; 1 - Hjort, Donna; 5 - Dodson, Clifford; 7 - Caldwell, J.; 2 - Young, Scott

Owners: 10 - L and G Racing Stables; 9 -John R. Romero; 4 -Tyrone Miller; 3 - Bankroll Racing, Shaw III, Samuel E. and Morgan, Ronald; 8 - L and G Racing Stables; 6 - Riley, Martin, Scott, Chris, Carroll, David and Latimer, Frances; 1 -John Moresco; 5 -Cody Moore; 7 - Covey, Seth and Caldwell, J. R.; 2 -Jerry Lowry;

Footnotes

LIONS NOT SHEEP was well placed while three wide into the turn, rallied on the turn and powered up to the lead then drew off and was kept to task in the end. STANS HOME RUN stalked the pace while four wide3 into the turn, made a strong bid in upper stretch and was gaining ground but was second best in the end. COLONEL KLINK pressed the pace while two wide into the turn, put a head in front at the top of the stretch but weakened in late stretch. HAMAZING WISDOM was unhurried early then rallied four wide on the turn, made a bid but was no menace in late stretch. BIG ROJO was settled then raced three wide into the turn, made a bid but flattened out in the drive. REQUISITION was settled then raced two wide on the turn but flattened out in the stretch. TAM'S TIME ducked in at the start then was settled while inside and was no threat. THUNDER ROAD was unhurried early and no threat. TAG ME set a pressured pace from the inside, was hard used on the turn then gave way in the stretch. JUST A IRISH LAD chased the early pace while inside, was used up and stopped.

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - February 25, 2024 - Race 7

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO \$7,000 ATB) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since November 25, 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. (NW2 X)
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Brass Jacks - 1:15.77 - May 21, 1994)

Purse: \$35,000

Available Money: \$35,000

Value of Race: \$35,000 1st \$20,700, 2nd \$6,900, 3rd \$3,795, 4th \$2,070, 5th \$1,035, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100, 9th \$100, 10th \$100



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Weather: Clear, 81° Track: Fast

Off at: 3:56 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
26Jan24 ⁵ HOU ⁸	9	Midnight Pranks (Jara, Fernando)	123	L b	9	5	6 ¹	4 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁶	5.40	bmp,5w,drw off late
2Feb24 ⁸ HOU ¹	7	Available Star (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	121	L b	7	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	7.80	bmp,stk2w,held plc
4Feb24 ⁷ HOU ⁶	8	Toddchero (Manrique, Freddy)	121	L f	8	3	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	11.50	bmpbthsds,stk3w,hld3rd
4Feb24 ⁷ HOU ²	3	Gozilla (Diaz, Rene)	121	L b	3	8	8 ^{1 1/2}	9 ¹	8 ¹	4 ^{Neck}	2.70*	svgd,4-5w1/4,nt enough
2Feb24 ⁴ HOU ³	10	First Avenue (Bridgmohan, Jermaine)	121	L f	10	10	10	8 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	7.70	unhrrd,3w,bid2lii2late
28Jan24 ⁴ HOU ¹	6	Charliecando (Diego, Iram)	121	L b	6	1	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{Neck}	13.00	mod pace in,nd more
4Feb24 ⁷ HOU ⁹	5	Lamutanaatty (Elliott, Stewart)	121	L b	5	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	9.20	pc ins,weaken late
18Feb24 ⁸ HOU ¹	4	Malibu S S (Gonzalez, Elvin)	121	L b	4	9	9 ^{1/2}	10	10	8 ^{Neck}	10.20	unhurried, empty
4Feb24 ⁷ HOU ⁴	1	Blue Light (Asmussen, Erik)	118	L	1	6	4 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	9 ^{1 1/2}	9 ¹	8.80	chs ins,need more
15Dec23 ⁶ RP ¹	2	Soul Sacrifice (Alvarez, Jose)	123	b	2	7	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ¹	10	6.50	chs2w,mildbid in,gv wy

Fractional Times: 22.47 45.55 1:11.32

Final Time: 1:17.67

Split Times: (23:08) (25:77) (6:35)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Midnight Pranks, Bay Gelding, by [Into Mischief](#) out of Midnight Girl, by Drosselmeyer. Foaled Mar 12, 2020 in Kentucky.

Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: Twin Hopes Farm, LLC

Owner: Tom R. Durant

Trainer: Ashford, Jr., H.

Total WPS Pool: \$6,443

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Midnight Pranks	12.80	4.80	7.00	\$1.00 Daily Double	10-9	23.70	236
7	Available Star		8.80	6.60	\$1.00 Exacta	9-7	45.60	3,517
8	Toddchero			8.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-7-8	451.10	2,413
					\$0.10 Superfecta	9-7-8-3	545.97	2,189
					\$1.00 Pick 3	ALL-10-9 (3 correct)	145.90	177

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
9	Midnight Pranks	5	6 ^{2 3/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁶
7	Available Star	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ⁶
8	Toddchero	3	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	3 ⁶
3	Gozilla	8	8 ^{5 1/4}	9 ^{6 1/4}	8 ⁵	4 ^{7 1/2}
10	First Avenue	10	10 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{5 3/4}	7 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{7 3/4}
6	Charliecando	1	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{8 1/4}
5	Lamutanaatty	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}
4	Malibu S S	9	9 ^{6 3/4}	10 ^{7 1/4}	10 ^{7 1/2}	8 ¹⁰
1	Blue Light	6	4 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/4}	9 ⁶	9 ^{10 1/4}
2	Soul Sacrifice	7	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	10 ^{11 1/4}

Trainers: 9 - Ashford, Jr., H.; 7 - Jacks, Karen; 8 - Gelner, Jayde; 3 - Caldwell, J.; 10 - Hurley, Tina; 6 - Cravens, III, Ronnie; 5 - Asmussen, Steven; 4 - Broberg, Karl; 1 - Asmussen, Steven; 2 - Davis, Shawn

Owners: 9 -Tom R. Durant; 7 - Carl R. Moore Management LLC; 8 - Norman, Mark and Norman Stables LLC; 3 - Dupy, Steve and Chelf, Randy; 10 - Century Acres Farm; 6 -Kirk Dwaine Stanley; 5 -Steven M. Asmussen; 4 -Zachary Roush; 1 - L and N Racing LLC and Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; 2 - Casner Racing, LP;

Footnotes

MIDNIGHT PRANKS bumped rival at the stat, then chased the pace while five wide, then moved up steadily on the turn to edge past inner rivals in the early stretch then drew off to prevail in the end. AVAILABLE STAR was bumped at the start then vied for the lead between rivals before stalking the pace into the turn, retained second position under a gamely drive in the early stretch and was best for the place prize in the end. TODDCHERO was bumped on both sides, vied briefly with inner rivals before stalking the pace on the turn, then bid in the upper stretch and held onto the show prize in the end. GOZILLA saved ground in the early furlongs, then rallied leaving the bend while four to five wide but it was not enough in the end. FIRST AVENUE was unhurried early, then bid three wide on the turn to rally in the stretch but it was too little too late. CHARLIECANDO raced from the inside in the middle of the field, then bid on the turn and came up flat in the stretch. LAMUTANAATTY vied briefly then set the pace from the inside into the turn, was met with incoming outer rivals at the quarter then weakened in the stretch. MALIBU S S was unhurried early, then bid from the inside on the turn and came up empty. BLUE LIGHT chased the pace from the inside, then settled back on the turn, re bid in the upper stretch and needed more in the end. SOUL SACRIFICE chased the pace while two wide, then bid mildly from the inside on the turn before giving way in late stretch.

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SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - February 25, 2024 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$8,400 ATB) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 25, 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. (Preference to money earned 2023-2024). (Rail at 30 feet).

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Tiz Gianni - 1:35.55 - February 10, 2015)

Purse: \$42,000

Available Money: \$42,000


Value of Race: \$42,000 1st \$25,020, 2nd \$8,340, 3rd \$4,587, 4th \$2,502, 5th \$1,251, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Clear, 81° Track: Firm

Off at: 4:24 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

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Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Jan24 ¹¹ HOU ²	6	Ocelot (Gonzalez, Elvin) 	123	b	6	6	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ²	1 ^{Neck}	0.30*	rate2w,duel1/4,upwire
11Feb24 ⁸ HOU ²	8	Carlea's Dream (Diego, Iram)	121	L b	8	1	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	14.70	duel2w,2ndbest
11Feb24 ⁸ HOU ³	3	Tap the Dot (Elliott, Stewart)	121	L	3	3	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	3 ¹	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁵	6.80	stlk in,gaining late
27Jan24 ¹¹ HOU ⁵	1	Sword Zorro (IRE) (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	121	- -	1	4	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	6.80	mdpk in,rilyupr,evenly
25Nov23 ⁷ RP ²	7	Release McCracken (Alvarez, Jose)	121	L b	7	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	4 ^{Head}	5 ¹	5 ^{Head}	12.00	pc in,duel,gv wy2nd
4Feb24 ⁸ HOU ³	2	Mano Dura (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	121	L bh	2	5	6 ¹	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ¹	6 ^{2 3/4}	26.90	mdpk2w,nd more late
5Jan24 ⁷ HOU ⁵	4	Mor Lana Spirit (Goncalves, Leandro)	121	L b	4	8	7 ²	7 ²	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	35.30	set in, no menace
18Feb24 ⁶ HOU ⁶	5	Sniveling (Guerra, Rodolfo)	121	L b	5	7	8	8	8	8	8	21.80	unhurried, no threat

Fractional Times: 23.99 48.41 1:12.34 1:24.56

Split Times: (24:42) (23:93) (12:22) (12:60)

Run-Up: 247 feet Temporary Rail: 30 feet

Final Time: 1:37.16

Winner: Ocelot, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Big Blue Kitten out of More Miss Crissy, by More Than Ready. Foaled Mar 24, 2018 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Calumet Farm

Owner: End Zone Athletics, Inc.

Trainer: Broberg, Karl

Scratched Horse(s): Dame Plata (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$6,160

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Ocelot	2.60	2.60	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	6-8	8.70	2,741
8	Carlea's Dream		7.40	3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-8-3	13.40	2,466
3	Tap the Dot			2.10	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-8-3-1	7.47	3,179
					\$1.00 Pick 3	10-9-6 (3 correct)	57.40	244
					\$1.00 Daily Double	9-6	21.80	320

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Ocelot	6	3 ¹	3 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}
8	Carlea's Dream	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}
3	Tap the Dot	3	4 ^{1 1/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{1 1/4}
1	Sword Zorro (IRE)	4	5 ^{2 3/4}	6 ^{2 3/4}	5 ^{3 3/4}	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/4}
7	Release McCracken	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{8 3/4}
2	Mano Dura	5	6 ^{3 1/4}	5 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{7 1/2}	6 ^{8 3/4}
4	Mor Lana Spirit	8	7 ^{4 1/4}	7 ^{3 1/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}	7 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{11 1/2}
5	Sniveling	7	8 ^{6 1/4}	8 ^{5 1/4}	8 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{8 3/4}	8 ¹²

Trainers: 6 - Broberg, Karl; 8 - Jacks, Karen; 3 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Keithan, Rachael; 7 - Calhoun, W.; 2 - Davidson, Sarah; 4 - Craddock, Kari; 5 - Govea, Cesar

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Footnotes

OCELOT was well rated while three wide down the backstretch, then moved up on the far turn to duel with an inner rival down the home stretch and just had more and was at the wire. CARLEA'S DREAM was forwardly placed while two wide, then dueled with an inner rival down the backstretch, disposed of that rival and was met with OCELOT on the far turn, sparred gamely down the lane and just missed in the end. TAP THE DOT stalked the pace from the inside under a steady drive, then bid on the far turn to menace in the home stretch and was gaining ground but it was not enough in the end. SWORD ZORRO (IRE) raced in the middle of the field from the inside and into the far turn, then rallied in the early stretch and came up evenly in the stretch. RELEASE MCCRAKEN set the pace into the first turn, then dueled with an outer rival down the backstretch, was used up and gave way on the far turn. MANO DURA raced in the middle of the pack while two wide, was under a steady drive on the far turn and needed more in the end. MOR LANA SPIRIT settled along the rail and was no menace. SNIVELING was unhurried early, then bid while two wide on the far turn and was no threat.

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