

NINTH RACE Fair Grounds

FEBRUARY 24, 2009

ABOUT 5½ FURLONGS. (Turf) (1.024) 65TH RUNNING OF THE MARDI GRAS. Purse \$60,000 FOR THREE YEAR OLD FILLIES. No Nomination Fee; \$325 to enter; \$350 additional to start. Supplemental nominations of \$1,000 will be accepted at time of entry which shall include all fees. \$60,000 Guaranteed of which \$60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth. Weight: 122 lbs. Non-winners of \$45,000 on the turf in 2008-2009 allowed 2 lbs. Two races other than maiden or claiming on the turf allowed 4 lbs. One such race allowed 6 lbs. Starters to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. This Stake will be limited to 12 starters should race not be split. Failure to draw into the race will cancel all fees. THE OWNER OF THE WINNER TO RECEIVE A TROPHY. Closed Saturday, February 7, 2009, with 18 nominations. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at 5 and 1/2 Furlongs.) (Rail at 20 feet).

Value of Race: \$60,000 Winner \$36,000; second \$12,000; third \$6,600; fourth \$3,600; fifth \$1,800. Mutuel Pool \$102,622.00 Exacta Pool \$83,771.00 Trifecta Pool \$67,524.00 Superfecta Pool \$39,050.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	⅜	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
10Jan09	8FG2	L	3	116	1	5	11	11	11½	11¾	Albarado R J	0.90
9Jan09	9FG1	L	3	116	6	7	5hd	5½	3½	2nk	Lanerie C J	8.60
16Jan09	7DeD2	L	3	116	5	3	3hd	31	22	3½	Saez G	3.60
29Jan09	7FG7	L	3	116	7	6	8	8	61½	42	Hernandez B J Jr	21.80
25Jan09	10Sun2	L	3	116	8	1	61½	62	41½	51¾	Bridgmohan S X	12.50
29Nov08	8FG1	L	3	116	3	4	43½	42	51½	61	Graham J	29.80
30Oct08	6WO1	L	3	118	2	8	7hd	7½	71½	71¼	Theriot H J II	7.50
2Feb09	5FG1	L	3	118	4	2	21½	2hd	8	8	Perrodin E J	7.70

OFF AT 4:19 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :22, :46³, :58¹, 1:04³ (:22.13, :46.60, :58.33, 1:04.63)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

2 – SELVA	3.80	2.80	2.20
7 – FLEET STREAK		5.20	3.00
6 – ON THE MENU			3.20

\$2 EXACTA 2-7 PAID \$25.80 \$2 TRIFECTA 2-7-6 PAID \$101.60

\$2 SUPERFACTA 2-7-6-8 PAID \$766.60

Dk. b or br. f, (Mar), by Forest Wildcat - Bayou Mist, by Silver Deputy. Trainer Carroll David. Bred by Alexander-Groves Thoroughbreds (Ky).

SELVA vied inside QUEEN ERNESTINE down the backstretch, got clear from that one before the drive, then proved best while kept to the task. FLEET STREAK settled early, rallied outside and got up for second. ON THE MENU allowed to settle, loomed outside SELVA entering the drive, then missed second. WIVES TALE devoid speed, rallied wide and closed late. A DAY FOR DANCING raced wide and had no late response. TRULY LUCKY raced inside to no avail. MULLINS BEACH raced inside and was outrun. QUEEN ERNESTINE showed speed to the drive, then stopped.

Owners- 1, Alexander Helen C and Groves Helen K; 2, Elite Racing Company; 3, Jones Brereton C; 4, Twin Creeks Racing Stable; 5, Padua Stables; 6, Darley Stable; 7, Melnyk Racing Stables Inc; 8, Winemiller Becky

Trainers- 1, Carroll David; 2, Carroll David; 3, Jones J Larry; 4, Asmussen Steven M; 5, Asmussen Steven M; 6, Stidham Michael; 7, Pierce Malcolm; 8, Mouton Patrick

Scratched- She's Extreme (24Jan09 80P 2)

\$2 Pick Three (2-7-2) Paid \$248.60; Pick Three Pool \$12,065.