

**EIGHTH RACE****Sunland****MARCH 29, 2024**

**1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>16</sub> MILES. ( 1.40<sup>3</sup> ) NEW MEXICO BREEDERS' DERBY Purse \$250,000 ( includes \$150,000 NMHBA – New Mexico Horse Breeders Assoc. ) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS REGISTERED NEW MEXICO BRED. Lasix not permitted per Hisa Rule 4212(d). Free to nominate; \$600 to enter. (\$150,000)(est) from the NMHBA Purse Enhancement Fund). Weight; 122 lbs. Fillies; 117 lbs. Total lifetime earnings will be used to determine the order of preference of horses at time of closing nominations. This race will be limited to twelve starters. Nominations closed Thursday, March 21, 2024 At 4:00 PM with Seven.**

**Value of Race: \$250,000 Winner \$150,000; second \$50,000; third \$25,000; fourth \$12,500; fifth \$7,500; sixth \$5,000. Mutuel Pool \$80,153.00 Exacta Pool \$14,400.00 Trifecta Pool \$13,371.00 Superfecta Pool \$12,600.00**

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
18Feb24 3Sun1	Community Leader	b 3	122	1	4	6	4½	2hd	23½	1nk	Valdez F S	0.10
18Feb24 3Sun3	Marking Canyon	b 3	126	4	6	5½	54	41	1hd	212½	Carreno J	5.30
18Feb24 3Sun4	Holy Bullet		3	122	3	3	32	2hd	1hd	33	Medellin A	16.60
18Feb24 3Sun5	Sinai	b 3	122	6	5	4hd	31	51½	51	42	Fuentes M T Jr	35.90
18Feb24 3Sun6	Horns N Halos	b 3	122	5	2	2hd	11	3½	4½	52½	Juarez A J Jr	24.90
14Mar24 4Sun1	Shame On Whiskey	b 3	122	2	1	1hd	6	6	6	6	Vergara D P	16.20

**OFF AT 3:33 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.****TIME :23<sup>3</sup>, :48, 1:13<sup>3</sup>, 1:39<sup>3</sup>, 1:46<sup>1</sup> ( :23.79, :48.12, 1:13.70, 1:39.69, 1:46.20 )**

**\$2 Mutuel Prices:**

<b>1 – COMMUNITY LEADER</b> _____	<b>2.20</b>	<b>2.10</b>	<b>2.10</b>
<b>4 – MARKING CANYON</b> _____		<b>2.40</b>	<b>4.60</b>
<b>3 – HOLY BULLET</b> _____			<b>9.80</b>

**\$1 EXACTA 1-4 PAID \$260 \$1 TRIFECTA 1-4-3 PAID \$11.50 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 1-4-3-7 PAID \$6.19**

**Ch. g, (Mar), by Diabolical – Midnight Summer, by Midnight Lute. Trainer Fincher Todd W. Bred by J Kirk Robison & Judy Robison (NM).**

COMMUNITY LEADER was unhurried early, made a five wide middle move through the second turn, took control at the quarter pole, met the bid of MARKING CANYON mid stretch, dueled with that rival to the wire and prevailed. MARKING CANYON was reserved early, ranged up six wide through the second turn, made a bid on the winner through the stretch, dueled to the wire and finished a gem second. HOLY BULLET was up close early, raced along the inside into the home turn, weakened late and held for third. SINAI was allowed to settle early, raced four wide through the second turn and flattened out. HORNS N HALOS pressed the early pace, raced three wide into the second turn and gave way. SHAME ON WHISKEY set a pressured early pace from the inside into the first turn, was eased back and was finished early.

**Owners**– 1, Robison J Kirk and Robison Judy; 2, Fincher Leroy and Maur een; 3, Arzabala Jr Alejandro Ramirez Ruben and Fuentes Yesika; 4, Allen Joe and Adams Jim; 5, Bryant Scott; 6, Balch Mary W

**Trainers**– 1, Fincher Todd W; 2, Fincher Leroy; 3, Pierce Thomas W; 4, Marr Joel H; 5, Fincher Todd W; 6, Lambert Casey T

**Scratched**– Our Valentino ( 22Feb24 9Sun1 )