EIGHTH RACE

La. Downs

JUNE 2, 2012

1 MILE. (Turf) (1.34[1]) 9TH RUNNING OF THE JOHN FRANKS MEMORIAL. Purse $50,000 (includes $50,000 Other Sources) FOR ACCREDITED LOUISIANA BRED THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. (Includes $50,000 from Slot Revenue). No nomination fee. $250 to pass the entry box and an additional $250 to start. $50,000 Guaranteed to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth. Weights: Three Year Olds 119 lbs.; Older 124 lbs. Non–winners of a sweepstakes at a mile or over in 2012 allowed 2 lbs.; non–winners of two races other than maiden, claiming or starter at a mile or over in 2012 allowed 4 lbs.; non–winners of a race other than maiden, claiming or starter at a mile or over in 2012 allowed 6 lbs. The John Franks Memorial will be limited to twelve (12) starters. Preference to horses with the highest earnings in 2011–2012. The second part of same owner entries will have no consideration over a single interest. Failure to draw into the race cancels all fees. Trophy to the winning owner. Nominations closed Saturday, May 19, 2012 with 29 nominees. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at 1 Mile and 70 Yards).

Value of Race: $50,000 Winner $30,000; second $10,000; third $5,500; fourth $3,000; fifth $1,500. Mutuel Pool $53,646.00 Exacta Pool $37,699.00 Trifecta Pool $29,224.00 Superfecta Pool $17,163.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
12May12 ^{8}LaD^{1}	String King	L	4	120	8	8	3½	3^{1}	2^{1}	1^{1}	1½	Rodriguez F T	6.00
2Mar12 ^{6}FG^{1}	Wildrally	L	8	120	5	7	7^{3}½	7^{3}	6½	4½	2^{nk}	Jacinto J	5.30
1Apr12 ^{13}FG^{1}	Kissimmee Kyle	L	6	120	3	3	4^{1}	4½	4^{1}1½	3^{1}	3½	Theriot H J II	2.70
2Mar12 ^{6}FG^{4}	Old Bushmill	L	4	124	4	5	9	9	8^{1}	6^{2}½	4½	Guidry M	3.40
12May12 ^{8}LaD^{3}	Heavenville	L	5	118	7	9	8½	8½	9	7^{4}	5^{1}¼	Simington D E	31.80
12May12 ^{9}EvD^{3}	Idefromthebayou	L bf	5	118	2	2	2^{1}½	1^{1}	1½	2½	6^{2}½	LeBlanc K P	14.60
12May12 ^{8}LaD^{2}	Productive Envoy	L	5	118	1	1	1½	2^{1}	3^{hd}	5^{hd}	7^{6}	Rosier C R	19.50
24Sep11 ^{10}LaD^{5}	Tonto Too	L	4	118	9	6	6^{1}	5^{1}	7^{hd}	8^{4}	8^{16}	Diego I V	24.70
28Apr12 ^{10}EvD^{2}	Classic Cascade	L f	5	118	6	4	5½	6^{hd}	5½	9	9	Eramia R E	3.30

OFF AT 4:59 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :23[2], :46[4], 1:11, 1:35[4] (:23.57, :46.86, 1:11.12, 1:35.87)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

8 –STRING KING	**14.00**	**6.20**	**3.40**
1A–WILDRALLY		**6.60**	**4.00**
4 –KISSIMMEE KYLE			**2.80**

$2 EXACTA 8–1 PAID $75.60 $2 TRIFECTA 8–1–4 PAID $528.40

$2 SUPERFECTA 8–1–4–5 PAID $938.80

B. g, (Apr), by Crowned King – String Dancer , by Fly a Kite–Ire . Trainer Smith Charles C. Bred by Charlie Smith (La).

STRING KING bit tight break, close from the start, stalked the pace three wide up the backstretch, ranged up to challenge midway on the second turn, gained the advantage, dug in late to prevail in game fashion. WILDRALLY outrun in the early going while saving ground, in some traffic while continuing inside midway on the final turn, angled out for room turning for home, late bid outside the winner, not enough. KISSIMMEE KYLE within striking distance, tracked the leader and winner into the stretch, lodged a late bid between the top two final strides, also did not have enough at the wire. OLD BUSHMILL void of speed, continued well back into the stretch, dropped inside, made a late run through traffic to improve position and was going well at the end. HEAVENVILLE in tight, steadied at the start, raced well back, trailed second turn while outside, four wide into the lane, found best stride too late while well out in the course. IDEFROMTHEBAYOU pressed the early leader, took over before a half, weakened when headed by the winner turning into the lane. PRODUCTIVE ENVOY showed the way early, chased the leader the middle half mile, backed up in the drive. TONTO TOO broke in to tighten up inner rivals, raced four wide through the first turn, had little left for the drive. CLASSIC CASCADE settled off the pace, gave way in the drive, eased under the wire.

Owners– 1, Smith Charles C; 2, Zacney Charles and Johnston Edward; 3, Red Oak Stable (Brunetti); 4, Johnson Larry L; 5, Keene Danny; 6, Peltier Allen C; 7, Oak Leaf TC LP; 8, Moak Stacey; 9, Turner Patti

Trainers– 1, Smith Charles C; 2, Johnston Edward J; 3, Stall Albert M Jr; 4, Nicks Morris G; 5, Pish Danny; 6, Courville Ricky; 7, Richey Tony J; 8, Hodges James E; 9, Roberts Stanley W

Scratched– Gustav Bay (05May12 ^{9}EvD^{1})

$2 Pick Three (4–8–ALL) Paid $262.60 ; Pick Three Pool $2,133 .
$2 Pick Three (ALL–8–8) Paid $150.60 .
$2 Pick Three (4–ALL–8) Paid $33.00 .

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