CHURCHILL DOWNS - November 26, 2023 - Race 11

STAKES Commonwealth Turf S. - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS.

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt - Originally Scheduled For 1 1/16 Miles On Turf Current Track Record: (Successful Dan

- 1:41.04 - May 4, 2012)

Purse: \$300,000 Added

Includes: \$50,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$300,000

Value of Race: \$257,500 1st \$150,350, 2nd \$48,500, 3rd \$29,250, 4th \$12,125, 5th \$8,775, 6th \$2,835, 7th \$2,835, 8th \$2,830

Weather: Showery Track: Fast

Off at: 5:47 Start: Good for all Timer: Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Oct23 8KEE6	9	Gigante (Machado, Luan)	123 b	4	3	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	4 ²	11/2	14 1/2	10.03	stalk trio,4p1/4,clear
6Oct23 ² BAQ ¹	1	Northern Invader (Ortiz, Jose) Tose)	120	1	8	8	8	5 ^{Head}	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	0.61*	gained 4-5p2nd,leveled
28Oct23 8KEE4	2	Smokey Mandate (Graham, James)	118	2	2	3 ²	3 ²	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	3 ^{1 3/4}	5.88	vied ins pair,bestd1/8
3Nov23 ⁹ AQU ²	10	Winters Lion (Gaffalione, Tyler)	118 b	5	7	7 ²	7 ¹ 1/2	7 ¹	64	4 ^{1 3/4}	4.37	ins,3-4p2nd,moved up
19Oct23 ⁷ KEE ¹	12	Lincoln Highway (Saez, Luis)	118 f	6	4	6 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ³	5 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	10.09	3p,urged 2nd,no menace
31Oct23 ¹ IND ¹	14	Wild Sean (Leahey, Hannah)	118 b	7	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	6 ¹⁰	57.45	vied 2wd btwn, faded
28Oct23 8KEE ⁷	4	Worthington (Leparoux, Julien)	118	3	1	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	8	8	7 ²	25.06	stdy into1st,ins,faded
3Jun23 ⁷ CD ⁶	15	J. P. Race (Gomez, Agustin)	118 f	8	6	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	7 ²	8	41.48	vied 3wd, wknd 5p1/4

Fractional Times: 23.86 47.56 1:12.12 1:37.84

Split Times: Run-Up: 50 feet (23:70) (24:56) (25:72) (6:62)

Winner: Gigante, Bay Colt, by Not This Time out of Summertime Green, by Empire Maker. Foaled Feb 20, 2020 in Virginia.

Breeder: Ann Mudge Backer & Smitten Farm Owner: lapetus Racing and Diamond T Racing

Trainer: Asmussen, Steven

Scratched Horse(s): Anglophile (Off-Turf), Bal a Kazoo (Off-Turf), Clyde's Got a Gun (Off-Turf), Irish Aces (Off-Turf), Ohana Honor (Off-Turf),

Final Time: 1:44.46

Runaway Storm (Off-Turf), Santorini (Off-Turf)

Total WPS Pool: \$290,179

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Gigante	22.06	6.18	3.66	\$2.00 Exacta	9-1	48.78	142,425
1	Northern Invader		2.56	2.10	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-1-2	41.04	85,509
2	Smokey Mandate			2.90	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-1-2-10	23.28	58,228
					\$1.00 Daily Double	8-9	52.57	36,423
					\$0.50 Pick 3	6-8-9 (3 correct)	89.83	40,414
					\$1.00 Super High Five	9-1-2-10-12	379.74	7.365

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Gigante	3	42 1/4	42 1/4	4 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	14 1/2
1	Northern Invader	8	8 ^{8 1/4}	8 ^{8 1/4}	5 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{4 1/2}
2	Smokey Mandate	2	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}
10	Winters Lion	7	7 ^{6 1/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}	7 ^{6 1/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/4}
12	Lincoln Highway	4	6 ⁵ 1/4	6 ⁵ 1/4	6 ^{3 1/4}	5 ⁴	5 ⁸
14	Wild Sean	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{3 1/2}	6 ⁹
4	Worthington	1	54 3/4	5 ⁵ 1/4	8 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{10 1/2}	7 ¹⁹
15	J. P. Race	6	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}	8 ²¹

Trainers: 9 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - DeVaux, Cherie; 2 - Maker, Michael; 10 - Sharp, Joe; 12 - Oliver, Victoria; 14 - Elliott, Michael; 4 - Maker, Michael; 15

- Gorostieta, Cirilo

Owners: 9 - Japetus Racing and Diamond T Racing; 1 - West Point Thoroughbreds and Ingordo, David; 2 -Freddy Lewis, Jr.; 10 - Calumet Farm; 12 -G.

Watts Humphrey, Jr.; 14 - Elliott Racing, LLC and Morrison, Megan; 4 - Watters Edge, LLC; 15 -Juan Piedra;

GIGANTE prompted between the leaders before easing back from tight quarters into the first turn, stalked the embattled leading trio from the two to three path, split them to take aim from the four path entering the lane, bid in upper stretch and drove clear. NORTHERN INVADER broke a step slow, trailed in the two path, gained in the four path around the far turn, shifted to the five path entering the lane, but leveled off in upper stretch, sustained stride to bid for place in the final sixteenth and reeled in that position at the wire. SMOKEY MANDATE vied for the lead inside of a pair of rivals, led entering the lane, but was bested by an outer foe in midstretch, dug in for place in the final sixteenth but was nailed at the wire. WINTERS LION laid off of the pace along the inside, was urged along towards the rear in the three to four path around the far turn, then moved up. LINCOLN HIGHWAY brushed with an outer rival at the start, laid off of the pace in the three path, came under urging around the far turn and failed to menace. WILD SEAN brushed with an inner foe at the start, vied two wide and between horses, entered the lane in the three path but faded. WORTHINGTON steadied out of tight quarters into the first turn, pursued along the inside and faded around the far turn. J. P. RACE vied three wide then weakened entering the lane in the five path.