

FORT ERIE - August 6, 2006 - Race 7

STAKES Parnitha Cup S. - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward

About Five Furlongs On The Turf (Temp Rail Set At 15 Feet) **Track Record:** (Fire the Firm - 58.28 - August 6, 2006)**All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise****Purse:** \$30,000 Guaranteed**Available Money:** \$30,000**Value of Race:** \$30,000 (US\$26,589) 1st \$18,000 (US\$15,953) , 2nd \$6,000 (US\$5,318) , 3rd \$3,000 (US\$2,659) , 4th \$1,200 (US\$1,064) , 5th \$300 (US\$266) , 6th \$300 (US\$266) , 7th \$300 (US\$266) , 8th \$300 (US\$266) , 9th \$300 (US\$266) , 10th \$300 (US\$266)**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Firm**Off at:** 3:55 **Start:** Good for all**EQUIBASE**
C O M P A N Y

| Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 3/16 | 3/8 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|-----|---------------------------------------|-----|------|----|-------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| 10 | Fire the Firm (Griffith, Christopher) | 118 | L | 10 | 2 | 2 ^{Head} | 3 ³ | 3 ¹ | 1 ^{Neck} | 6.35 | otstd speed game effort |
| 8 | Wire Editor (Hemsley, Dale) | 116 | L f | 8 | 4 | 3 ² | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ^{1/2} | 31.15 | speed, game to wire |
| 1 | Chemistry Class (Bochinski, Brian) | 118 | b | 5 | 7 | 5 ² | 5 ³ | 5 ⁴ | 3 ^{1/2} | 2.60* | stalked, fin well |
| 5 | Penthouse Prince (David, Daniel) | 120 | L bf | 4 | 6 | 4 ^{Head} | 4 ^{Head} | 4 ^{Head} | 4 ^{1/2} | 3.30 | no path str steadied |
| 2 | Handlebar Hank (Quong, Michael) | 118 | L b | 1 | 5 | 7 ^{Head} | 7 ¹ | 7 ¹ | 5 ^{Neck} | 7.85 | going well late |
| 4 | Portofino Creek (King, Jr., Robert) | 118 | L b | 3 | 8 | 6 ³ | 6 ² | 6 ^{Head} | 6 ^{1/2} | 8.30 | mild bid needed more |
| 7 | Ontario Road (Beckon, Chad) | 118 | L | 6 | 9 | 9 ³ | 8 ¹ | 8 ² | 7 ^{3/4} | 10.55 | mild late try |
| 1A | Major Zee (Poznansky, Neil) | 118 | L bf | 7 | 1 | 1 ² | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ^{Head} | 8 ¹ | 2.60* | spd, bumped late rail |
| 3 | Tyler's Jewel (McMullen, Michael) | 122 | L f | 2 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 9 ² | 9 ^{3/4} | 4.10 | passed tired one |
| 9 | Sea Scone (Clark, Cory) | 118 | L b | 9 | 3 | 8 ^{Head} | 9 ^{1/2} | 10 | 10 | 33.55 | never close |

Fractional Times: 22.27 46.04**Final Time:** 58.28**Winner:** Fire the Firm, Bay Gelding, by Lite the Fuse out of Firm Defiance, by Affirmed. Foaled Feb 10, 1999 in Kentucky.**Breeder:** Dr. Donald S. Dreyfuss.**Winning Owner:** Bruno Schickedanz**Scratched Horse(s):** Baramundi Jan, Jenkins' Ferry, Kain's Dancer, Remembertowager, Silver Strip, Stuck in Vegas**Total WPS Pool:** \$49,852

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-----------------|-------|-------|------|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------|
| 10 | Fire the Firm | 14.70 | 6.70 | 4.70 | \$2 Exactor | 10-8 | 295.00 | 20,112 |
| 8 | Wire Editor | | 20.90 | 8.00 | \$2 Triactor | 10-8-1 | 1,042.40 | 32,207 |
| 1 | Chemistry Class | | | 3.10 | \$1 Pick 3 | 8-7-10 (3 correct) | 119.50 | 2,060 |
| | | | | | \$1 Win Four | 3-8-7-10 (4 correct) | 383.80 | 11,884 |

Trainers: 10 - Fournier, Mark; 8 - Cone, Rodney; 1 - Wills, Daniel; 5 - Crete, Pierre; 2 - Hinds, Austin; 4 - Quaranta, Ralph; 7 - Wilson, Campbell; 1A - Giliforte, Jason; 3 - McMullen, Marilyn; 9 - Quaranta, Ralph**Owners:** 10 - Bruno Schickedanz; 8 - Slavik, Michael, Holmes, Bryan and Eleanor and Smith, J.; 1 - Ryan, J. and Hicks, William; 5 - Young, Basil and Crete, Pierre; 2 - Derby Day Farms; 4 - Deborah Quaranta; 7 - Douglas M. Tufts; 1A - Giliforte, Jason and Partner; 3 - Robert James McGee; 9 - Wright, J. and B.;**Footnotes**

FIRE THE FIRM had good outside speed to be a factor from the outset, pressed the pace on the turn and was three wide and battling in the drive then prevailed late in a game effort. WIRE EDITOR had speed to be close, was between foes and battling to the wire and missed in the final strides. CHEMISTRY CLASS stalked the speed battle then put in a bid in the drive, angled out for a clear run in the final yards, finished well but too late. PENTHOUSE PRINCE stalked the pace then made an inside run through the stretch, bumped inside foe while looking for a path, was steadied and evened out. HANDLEBAR HANK came from off the pace to angle outside of foes and then bid from the 6-path, was going well late to no avail. PORTOFINO CREEK came from mid field to put in a mild 5-path bid but needed more. ONTARIO ROAD had a mild late try after coming from off the pace but did not menace. MAJOR ZEE had early speed, led the way, was in a front end tussle turning for home then gave way late on the rail while being bumped by rival. TYLER'S JEWEL passed a tired one. SEA SCONE was off the pace and never close.