

OAK TREE AT SANTA ANITA - November 6, 2009 - Race 3

STAKES Breeders' Cup Marathon - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward
 One And Three Fourth Miles On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Man of Iron - 2:54.11 - November 6, 2009)



Purse: \$500,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$500,000

Value of Race: \$454,500 1st \$270,000, 2nd \$90,000, 3rd \$49,500, 4th \$30,000, 5th \$15,000

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:37 **Start:** Good for all



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/2	1m	11/4	11/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
16Oct09 DUN ¹	9	Man of Iron (Murtagh, John)	122	BL	9	9 ^{1 1/2}	8 ²	7 ³	3 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Nose}	6.40	angled in hard drive
22Oct09 ⁸ KEE ¹	4	Cloudy's Knight (Homeister, Jr., Rosemary)	126	L	4	7 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{2 1/4}	7.80	yielded grudgingly
12Sep09 DON ¹	6	Mastery (GB) (Dettori, Lanfranco)	122	BL	6	5 ¹	5 ³	5 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ⁷	3 ^{11 1/2}	1.40*	carried out weakened
12Sep09 ⁹ TP ⁴	10	Gangbuster (Desormeaux, Kent)	126	BL	10	10	9 ^{1/2}	8 ^{2 1/2}	7 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	30.40	wide trip no bid
27Sep09 ASC ⁵	2	Muhannak (IRE) (Moore, Ryan)	126	BL	2	4 ¹	3 ¹	3 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	5 ³	5 ⁸	23.90	steadied rail turn
12Sep09 DON ⁴	5	Father Time (GB) (Ahern, Eddie)	122	BL	5	6 ²	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	8 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	3.40	steadied pinched break
30Oct09 ⁷ HAW ¹⁰	8	Eldaafer (Bejarano, Rafael)	126	BL	8	8 ²	10	9 ²	9 ¹²	8 ²	7 ¹	29.40	no threat
30Oct09 ⁷ HAW ²	3	Nite Light (Velazquez, John)	126	BL	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	8 ^{10 1/4}	6.20	pressed gave way
30Aug09 ⁸ DMR ¹⁰	1	Black Astor (Solis, Alex)	126	BL	f	1 ²	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	9	9	22.20	used in pace eased
11Oct09 ⁷ OSA ⁷	7	Sir Dave (Rosario, Joel)	126	BL	b	7	3 ^{Head}	7 ¹	10	10	---	42.60	3wide eased

Fractional Times: 48.23 1:13.66 1:39.11 2:04.36 2:29.59 **Final Time:** 2:54.11

Split Times: (25:43) (25:45) (25:25) (25:23) (24:52)

Run-Up: 85 feet

Winner: Man of Iron, Chestnut Colt, by Giant's Causeway out of Better Than Honour, by Deputy Minister. Foaled Mar 06, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Shell Bloodstock. **Winning Owner:** Smith, Derrick, Magnier, Mrs. John and Tabor, Michael

Total WPS Pool: \$2,008,849

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Man of Iron	14.80	7.20	4.40	\$1.00 Exacta	9-4	60.10	1,216,453
4	Cloudy's Knight		7.40	4.60	\$1.00 Trifecta	9-4-6	225.10	929,167
6	Mastery (GB)			2.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	9-4-6-10	2,845.50	502,716
					\$2.00 Daily Double	11-9	128.60	101,487
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6-11-9 (3 correct)	421.80	234,533

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/2	1m	11/4	11/2	Str	Fin
1	Black Astor	1	1 ²	1 ²	4 ^{5 1/2}	9 ¹⁸	9 ^{35 1/2}
2	Muhannak (IRE)	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	6 ^{7 1/2}	5 ¹¹	5 ^{14 3/4}
3	Nite Light	2 ²	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	5 ⁶	6 ¹⁴	8 ^{25 1/4}
4	Cloudy's Knight	7 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{Nose}
5	Father Time (GB)	6 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ³	8 ¹⁰	7 ^{14 1/2}	6 ^{22 3/4}
6	Mastery (GB)	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	2 ¹	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/4}
7	Sir Dave	3 ^{2 1/2}	7 ⁷	10 ¹³	10 ^{24 1/2}	---	---
8	Eldaafer	8 ^{6 3/4}	10 ^{10 1/2}	9 ¹¹	9 ^{12 1/2}	8 ¹⁶	7 ^{24 1/4}
9	Man of Iron	9 ^{8 3/4}	8 ⁸	7 ^{5 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{Nose}
10	Gangbuster	10 ^{10 1/4}	9 ¹⁰	8 ^{8 1/2}	7 ⁸	4 ^{9 1/2}	4 ^{13 3/4}

Trainers: 9 - O'Brien, Aidan; 4 - Sheppard, Jonathan; 6 - bin Suroor, Saeed; 10 - Desormeaux, J.; 2 - Beckett, Ralph; 5 - Cecil, Henry; 8 - Alvarado, Diane; 3 - Pletcher, Todd; 1 - Lewis, Lisa; 7 - Carava, Jack

Owners: 9 - Smith, Derrick, Magnier, Mrs. John and Tabor, Michael; 4 - S J Stables LLC; 6 - Godolphin Racing, LLC Lessee; 10 - Allshouse Racing Stable LLC; 2 - Richard Pegum; 5 - Juddmonte Farms, Inc.; 8 - Alghuwayriyah Stable LLC; 3 - Edward P. Evans; 1 - A Breed Apart, LLC and Humphrey, Steven R.; 7 - La Canada Stables, LLC;

Footnotes

MAN OF IRON was unhurried while racing well back for a mile, rapidly closed the gap while three wide midway on the turn, angled to the inside while rallying inside the quarter pole, made a run to threaten leaving the furlong marker, battled inside CLOUDY'S KNIGHT into deep stretch and prevailed under strong right hand encouragement. CLOUDY'S KNIGHT was rated in hand while in the middle of the pack along the backstretch, moved quickly into contention from outside on the turn, opened a clear advantage nearing the quarter pole, drifted out a bit in upper stretch, dug in when challenged in deep stretch and fought back gamely while yielding grudgingly in the final strides. MASTERY (GB) settled in good position for six furlongs, raced between horses leaving the far turn, made a steady move to reach contention midway on the turn, was carried out a bit at the top of the stretch, battled into midstretch and weakened in the final sixteenth. GANGBUSTER raced four wide while being outrun for a good portion of the way, continued wide leaving the turn and passed mostly tiring horses. MUHANNAK (IRE) raced just off the pace while saving ground for a mile, steadied along the inside behind the tiring pacesetter on the turn, altered course to the outside when blocked at the quarter pole and steadily tired thereafter. FATHER TIME (GB) steadied after being pinched back at the start, was rated in good position on the backstretch, raced just off the pace between horses to the turn and steadily tired thereafter. ELDAAFER failed to mount a serious rally while racing well back for most of the trip. NITE LIGHT pressed the pace in the two path for a mile and steadily tired thereafter. BLACK ASTOR set the pace under mild pressure to the turn and gave way then was eased late. SIR DAVE raced up close while three wide in the early stages, gave way on the far turn and was eased in the stretch.