

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS

RACING NOTES

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Presque Isle Review and Preview

All In The Family

When Outsider and Jenadriyah won on Tuesday, July 28th, the event secured wins all over for Owner/Trainer Randy Russell and his immediate and equine family. Both Outsider and Jenadriah are both out of the mare Dr Megann, albeit with different sires which makes them half-brother and sister respectively. The latter is a four-year-old filly by Klimt, while Outsider's sire is Outwork. Meanwhile, Outhustle, a seven-year-old who also races under Randy Russell's banner, is a full brother to Outsider as they share the same sire. He last saw the winner's circle on July 6th in a mid-level claiming race.

And who was the breeder of these siblings? Dr Ross Russell, Randy's son.

More Kingsley

Apprentice Jockey Taylor Kingsley is finding Presque Isle Downs to be to her liking. On Tuesday, she picked up two victories, one of which was with a catch ride taking the place of Martina Rojas. Even though she currently gets a seven-pound weight allowance, she has captured two wins without the benefit of the double bug. Taylor is slated to ride at Presque Isle on Monday. She is the daughter of noted Steeplechase trainer Arch Kingsley, Jr.

Jockey and Trainer standings

Gaddiel Martinez won seven races this week to take the lead in wins among riders with 46. Antonio Gallardo is second with 44 victories. Israel Rodriguez is third with 35 wins. Edwin Gonzolez and Martina Rojas are fourth and fifth respectively with 24 and 17 wins.

Kevin Rice leads the trainer standings with 24 wins. Scooter Davis is second with 20 wins. Juan Arriagada led all trainers with three wins this week and is now even with Randy Russell for third in wins at the meet with 19, while Ron Potts ranks fifth with 16 victories.

Satin and Lace Stakes on Monday

The 19th running of the \$100,000 guaranteed Satin and Lace Stakes features nine fillies and mares going six furlongs in a race that is a preview to next month's Grade 2 Masters Stakes at Presque Isle Downs. Trainer Brittany Russell's Lost and Found has been installed as the morning line favorite. After a third-place finish in the Very One G3 at Laurel during Preakness weekend, she followed that up with an impressive allowance win over the Erie Tapeta surface. In fact, she is undefeated in three starts racing over the synthetic surface.

Local horses have won three of four stakes races at Presque Isle Downs, three local horses have entered to go in the Satin and Lace: Styley for trainer Matthew Kintz, owner/trainer Randy Russell's Mitole Magic

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