

# CLOSING ARGUMENT

2002 Bay - Dosage Profile: 5-3-6-0-0; DI: 3.67; CD: +0.93

## RACE AND (STAKES) RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earnings
2	5	2(1)	2(2)	1(1)	\$421,984
3	4	1(1)	1(1)	1(1)	565,000
	9	3(2)	3(3)	2(2)	\$986,984

At 2, **WON NATC Futurity-LR** at Delaware Park (6 fur., by 4 lengths), a maiden special weight race at Saratoga (5 fur., by 3 lengths), **2nd Boyd Gaming's Delta Jackpot S.-L** at Delta Downs (1 1/16 mi.), **Jack Price Juvenile S.-LR** at Calder Race Course (7 fur.), **3rd Florida Stallion/In Reality S.-LR** at Calder Race Course (1 1/16 mi.).

At 3, **WON Holy Bull S.-G3** at Gulfstream Park (1 1/8 mi.), **2nd Kentucky Derby-G1** at Churchill Downs (1 1/4 mi.), **3rd Toyota Blue Grass S.-G1** at Keeneland (1 1/8 mi.).

## IN THE STUD

**CLOSING ARGUMENT** entered stud in 2006.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY

8 crops	Lifetime	Lifetime 2yo
Foals of racing age	446	446
Starters (/Fls)	347(78%)	203(46%)
Winners (/Str)	262(76%)	88(43%)
Total Starts	5,113	630
Total Wins (/Starts)	825(16%)	108(17%)
Total Earnings	\$21,362,173	\$3,072,265
Avg. Earnings (/Str)	\$61,562	\$15,134
Avg. Earnings (/Start)	\$4,178	\$4,877
Stakes Wnrs (/Str)	21(6%)	6(3%)
Stakes Horses (/Str)	41(12%)	14(7%)
Avg. Earnings Index	1.24	1.17
Comparable Index	1.17	
<b>2016 Statistics</b>		
Starters	78	
Winners (/Str)	37(47%)	
Total Starts	385	
Total Wins (/Starts)	59(15%)	
Total Earnings	\$1,646,311	
Avg. Earnings (/Str)	\$21,107	
Avg. Earnings (/Start)	\$4,276	
Stakes Wnrs (/Str)	2(3%)	

## CLOSING ARGUMENT HAS Sired

**EMPEROR HALL** (2008 c., dam by Touch Gold). 7 wins at 3 and 4 in Jamaica, champion imported stayer, CTL Imported Mile, Prime Minister's S., 2nd Harry Jackson Memorial Cup, 3rd CTL Gold Cup.

**LITTLE GERDA** (2009 f., Buddha). 7 wins, 3 to 5 in Japan, Centaur S.-G2, TV Nishinippon Corp. Sho Kitakyushu Kinen-G3, 3rd Ibis Summer Dash-G3, Silk Road S.-G3.

**SMACK SMACK** (2011 c., Victory Gallop). 10 wins to 5, 2016, \$886,430, Prarie Meadows Cornhusker H.-G3, etc.

**CLOSE IT OUT** (2008 c., End Sweep). 8 wins, \$466,151, Jack Dudley Sprint H.-LR, Champali S., Shake You Down Starter S.-R, 2nd Housebuster S., Ponche H., Kenny Noe Jr. H., Whippleton S., 3rd Smile Sprint H.-G2, etc.

**CAPITAL ACCOUNT** (2007 c., Private Account). 5 wins at 3 and 5, \$455,080, Pat O'Brien S.-G2, 2nd Santa Anita Sprint Championship S.-G1, San Carlos S.-G2, etc.

**DETERMINATO** (2008 c., Jeblar). 11 wins, 2 to 7, \$405,307, Spectacular Bid S.-L, Kaiser H., etc.

**CAGE FIGHTER** (2010 c., Pulpit). 6 wins, 3 to 5, \$388,471, PTHA President's Cup S.-L, etc.

**JONATHAN'S GIRL** (2007 f., Siphon (BRZ)). 7 wins, 2 to 5, \$306,942, Ligature S.-LR.

**FUZZY MUZZLE** (2009 c., Victory Gallop). 6 wins, 3 to 7, 2016, \$245,492, Dan Horn H., Charles Hesse III H.-R, etc.

**MY IRISH GIRL** (2007 f., Rizzi). 8 wins to 5, \$221,802, Miss Woodford S.-L, Claiming Crown Glass Slipper S., etc.

			Intentionally		Intent
			In Reality	My Dear Girl	My Recipe
Successful Appeal (1996)	Valid Appeal	Desert Trial	Moslem Chief	*Alibhai	Rough'n Tumble
			Scotch Verdict	Up the Hill	Ittis
	Successful Dancer	Fortunate Prospect	Northern Prospect	Mr. Prospector	Sleek Dancer
			Fortunate Bid	Lucky Debonair	Biddy Big
Mrs. Greeley (1997)	Mr. Greeley	Debonair Dancer	Staff Writer	Northern Dancer	Twill
			In the Bag	Lucky Debonair	Equiria
	Rare Review	Gone West	Mr. Prospector	Raise a Native	Gold Digger
			Secrettame	Secretariat	Tamerett
		Long Legend	Reviewer	Bold Ruler	Broadway
			Lianga	Dancer's Image	Leven Ones
		Groovy	Norcliffe	Buckpasser	Drama School
			Tinnitus	Restless Wind	Dors
	Royal Tantrum	Cornish Prince	Bold Ruler	Teleran	
		Hannimo	Blasting Signal	Carolwood	

**CLOSING REPORT** (2011 f., Corporate Report). 4 wins in 8 starts at 2 and 3, \$220,528, Louisiana Bred Premier Night Starlet S.-R, Azalea S.-R, etc.

**TIZ THE ARGUMENT** (2008 f., Tiznow). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$195,067, Jameela S.-L, Let Me Linger S., etc.

**APPEALING STELLA** (2008 f., Rubiano). 4 wins at 4, \$187,455, Minaret S., 2nd My Juliet S.-L, etc.

**MISS GOODTHING** (2010 f., Thunder Gulch). 4 wins at 2 and 4, placed at 6, 2016, \$185,437, Louisiana Cup Juvenile Fillies S.-R, 2nd Louisiana Cup Oaks-R, etc.

**MIDST** (2007 f., Quiet American). 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$166,810, My Dear S.-L.

**PLEASANT CLOSING** (2009 c., Pleasant Colony). 7 wins, 2 to 4, \$164,452, Wheat City S., Harry Jeffrey S., etc.

**FOREIGN ARGUMENT** (2007 c., Alwuhush). 4 wins at 3, \$141,656, Danzig S.-LR.

**EFFIE** (2009 f., Gold Fever). 2 wins at 2, \$119,134, Louisiana Futurity-R, 2nd Louisiana Jewel S.-LR.

**CAJUN CONOSEIR** (2013 f., Gone West). 3 wins at 2, placed at 3, 2016, \$111,430, D. S. "Shine" Young Futurity-R, etc.

**CLOSING INTENTIONS** (2009 f., Forestry). 6 wins, 4 to 6, placed at 7, 2016, \$93,128, Champions Distaff Starter Series Final H.-R.

**HIGHLY FAVOURED** (2007 c., Holy Bull). 11 wins, 3 to 7, \$80,385, Prairieland Park H.

**Fiftyfour Forever** (2009 f., Silver Charm). 4 wins, \$275,206, 2nd Bouwerie S.-LR, 3rd Dream Supreme S.-L, etc.

**Silver Summation** (2007 c., Silver Deputy). 6 wins, 2 to 8, \$221,340, 2nd Cool Frenchy S.

**Shrewd Move** (2012 c., Benchmark). 6 wins, 2 to 4, 2016, \$144,357, 2nd Jeff and Jack Coady, Sr. S., etc.

**Made Bail** (2012 c., Emancipator). 3 wins at 2 and 4, 2016, \$140,287, 2nd Punch Line S.-R.

**Brazyn Appeal** (2011 f., Runaway Groom). 4 wins at 3 and 5, 2016, \$133,577, 2nd Pretty Jenny S.-R, etc.

**Miss Aristocrat** (2007 f., Glitterman). 4 wins at 2 and 4, \$113,309, 2nd Suncoast S., 3rd Gasparilla S.

**Crider** (2007 c., Meadowlake). 2 wins at 2, \$101,066, 2nd Lone Star Derby-G3. **Sire.**

## MALE LINE

**CLOSING ARGUMENT** is by **SUCCESSFUL APPEAL**, stakes winner of 8 races, 2 to 4, \$654,681, A. G. Vanderbilt H.-G2, etc. Sire of 59 stakes winners, including--

**SOLID APPEAL**. 6 wins to 5, \$608,554, champion grass mare in Canada, Nassau S.-G2 twice, Dance Smartly S.-G2, 3rd Dance Smartly S.-G2, Cardinal H.-G3, etc.

**WIND CHILL FACTOR**. 4 wins at 2, placed at 4, 2016, \$267,274, champion 2-year-old filly in Louisiana, Louisiana Jewel S.-R, etc.

**BEANWAH'S MACHINE**. 4 wins at 2, \$177,152, champion 2-year-old colt in Louisiana, Louisiana Champions Day Juvenile S.-LR, Louisiana Futurity-R.

**SUCCESSFUL DAN**. 8 wins in 15 starts, 3 to 7, \$998,154, Alysheba S.-G2-nt, Greenbrier Fayette S.-G2, etc.

**CLOSING ARGUMENT**. Subject stallion.

**J P'S GUSTO**. 5 wins, \$811,760, Del Mar Futurity-G1, etc.

**AGELESS**. 11 wins to 6, placed at 7, 2016, \$764,940, Royal North S.-G3-ecr, Royal North S.-G3-ncr, etc.

## FEMALE LINE

### 1st dam

**MRS. GREELEY**, by Mr. Greeley. Unraced. Dam of--

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Oral Argument (f. by Outofthebox). Winner at 3, \$12,500. Dam of **Tupancy Links** (f. by Kodiak Kowboy, 3 wins, \$151,153, 2nd Gin Talking S., Hilltop S.),

Master Appeal (c. by Successful Appeal). Winner, \$56,000.

### Broodmare Sire

**MR. GREELEY**, 1992. Sire of 474 dams of 1711 foals, 1168 mrs (68%), 785 wns (46%), 227 2yo wns (13%), 1.18 AEI, 1.38 CI, 46 stakes winners.

### 2nd dam

**Rare Review**, by Groovy. 3 wins at 3, \$61,440, 2nd Mata Hari Breeders' Cup S.-L. Dam of 2 winners, incl.--

Her Secret. Winner at 3, \$35,320. Dam of **CARMAN-DIA** (f. by Wild Rush, 6 wins, \$376,213, Bed o' Roses Breeders' Cup H.-G2, First Flight H.-G2, 2nd Kentucky Cup Juvenile Fillies S.-L, Thirty Flags S.).

**2017 FEE: \$3,000 - LIVE FOAL**

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