



## **Miss Addison earns black-type in the \$50,000 Matron Stakes at Evangeline Downs**

**Opelousas, Louisiana—Benefitting from a ground saving stalking trip behind pacesetters Little Miss Polka & Silent Legacy, Miss Addison (\$13.40) rallied in the stretch to win the \$50,000 Matron Stakes for fillies and mares at Evangeline Downs Racetrack & Casino on Saturday evening. Ridden by Richard Eramia, Miss Addison slipped thru on the inside of Little Polka Dot in the final furlong to win by more than one length. The running time for the about one mile on a turf course labeled firm was 1:36.42.**

**Little Polka Dot, the 1.40 to 1 betting favorite, held on to finish second after setting fractions of 23.95, 47.96, and 1:12.66. Burning Creole was next across the finish line, followed by Queenie Vic and Silent Legacy. Beverly Belle and True Brew rounded out the complete order of finish. Touch Magic, Satin Gold, and Tensas Harbor were scratched.**

**Winning rider Eramia stated “She was nice and relaxed the whole way, I wasn’t sure if a hole was going to open up but one finally did along the rail in mid-stretch and she went right on thru for me and won going away.”**

**A six-year-old Orientate mare, Miss Addison earned \$30,000 for the victory, her first in a stakes race and fifth overall from twenty starts. Owned by Evelyn Benoit’s Brittlyn Stable Inc. and trained by Ron Faucheux, the Florida bred has now earned more than \$120,000.**

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