ROMANCER

yo c. by CARPE DIEM

ELITE

HIP 672



ROMANCER dominates the field by 6+ lengths.

Last Race: 6/29/21 MCL\$25k at IND Result: 1st by 6 1/2-lengths Trainer: CSteve Asmussen Conditions Left: Alw-N1X /Str/Stk Preferred Surface: Dirt

ANALYSIS

ROMANCER added blinkers in his most recent start and they did the trick quite well as he showed an abundance of speed before easily running away from the field to break his maiden by 6 ¼ lengths.

The two-year-old son of Carpe Diem has **taken a step forward in each of his three races** to date and he appears poised to take another step in the right direction in his next start. While he broke his maiden against MCL\$35k company, ROMANCER's win margin put him in a class of his own and his speed figures are very comparable to those of 2-year-old colts running at the Stakes level.

DRF PPs

Individual Horse Past Performances - Lifetime: Romancer

Romancer				Dk. borb. c. 2 (Mar) Sire: Carpe Diem (Giant's Causeway) \$7,500	\$16,450 53 \$0 -					
Own: Siena Farms LLC and Asmussenequine.co				Dam: Romance Is Roman (In Excess*Ire) 2021 3 1 0 0 \$16,450 53 Synth 0 0 0 0	\$0 -					
				Br: Siena Farms LLC (Ky) 2020 0 M 0 0 \$0 - Turf(327) 0 0 0 0	\$0 -					
				Tr: Asmussen Steven M						
29Jun21-9Ind fst 5f	222 :462	:584	Md 35000	53 1/8 2 2hd 2hd 11½ 16¼ Arrieta F L119b 2.90 87–14 Romancer1196¼ Venice Beach1182¾ Ain'tStraight119½ Rail,dre	w off str,drvg					
12Jun21-1CD fst 5f	224 :464	:591	Md 40000	30 3/6 3 43 54 54½ 54½ Santana R Jr 119 3.00 83–09 ClimbndMintin1193⅔ CheynnWind119½ WilliHsHrt119™ Ins tu	rn, leveled off					
25May21-7Ind fst 5f	221 :462	:593	Md Sp Wt 31k	19 8/10 1 44 78 712 6103 Bridgmohan J V L119 *1.30 72-16 Whatstheconnection1193 Mowins11912 OroAztec11963 Stalke	d early, no bid					

ROMANCER showed a **new dimension in his maiden win while wearing blinkers** for the first time, helping to **set a quick pace** and winning with a **final time nearly a second quicker than the Maiden Special Weight event that he debuted in. (Click to view or scan QR code).**

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ROMANCER's winning Beyer is just one point lower than the Beyer that VODKA N WATER earned when finishing 2nd in the G3 Bashford Manor as well as the Kentucky Juvenile Stakes, showing that he has the speed to compete at a Stakes caliber level within his age group as we head into the summer.

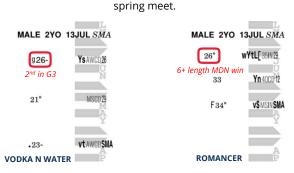


On Thoromanager, ROMANCER earned a (12) which makes him the **second fastest 2-year-old maiden winner of the meet** at Indiana Grand **out of 16 other 2-year-old maiden races to date.**



SPEED FIGURES

Not only is ROMANCER's **recent Beyer figure in line with his fellow class men** who are competing at the Graded Stakes level, but his **Ragozin sheet number matches up** too. In his **dominant maiden win**, ROMANCER earned a **(26)** which is just a tick off of the **(25 3/4) VODKA N WATER earned when 2nd in the G3 Bashford Manor** on closing day of Churchill's



RACE SCHEDULE

ROMANCER has already shown his ability on the dirt, but considering his **1/2-sister TESORA (Scat Daddy) is a Stakes winner on the turf** and that **his sire CARPE DIEM has shown the propensity to produce successful turf horses**, that surface certainly seems like a viable option down the road.

Looking ahead, possible future targets include but are not limited to:

Date	Track	Race	Purse	Age	Dist/Surf
JUL-23	ELP	AOC-NW2	\$52,000	2yo	6f, D
AUG-7	MTH	Tyro S.	\$100,000	2yo	5f, T
AUG-7	GG	ALW-N1X	\$27,000	2yo	6f, AW
AUG-14	PRM	Prarie Gold Juvenile	\$100,000	2yo	6f, D
AUG-15	ELP	Ellis Park Juvenile	\$125,000	2yo	7f, D
AUG-20	SAR	Skidmore	\$120,000	2yo	5.5f, T
AUG-21	WO	Soarin Free	\$125,000	2yo	6.5f, T
AUG-28	AP	Arlngtn-Wshngtn Fut.	\$75,000	2yo	7f, AW
AUG-31	CNL	Rosie's S.	\$100,000	2yo	6.5f, T
SEP-9	KD	KY Downs Juv. Sprint	\$500,000	2yo	6.5f, T
SEP-9	KD	ALW-N1X	\$135,000	2yo	6.5f, T



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