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B.c.3 Into Mischief-Five N Forty by Distorted Humor

Bred in Ontario by Chiefswood Stables Limited (Apr 28, 2019)

24Jul22	7	WO	ft	◇	1%	:48 ⁵ 4	1:12 ⁶ 2	1:50 ⁶ 2	3	Stk - PlateTriB - 150k	97-84	5	11	11	2½	5¾	34	Flores E	126	bL	4.20	Sir for Sure126 ² III of Dreams126 ² Causin' Mayhem126 ^{hd} 2w, pressured, kept on 9
03Jun22	9	Bel	mys	◇	1m	:45 ⁹ 3	1:11 ² 6	1:36 ⁸ 4	31	Msw 90000	103-95	4	11	11	12	1½		Franco M	118	bL	*1.05	Cusin' Myhm118½ Oglethorpe118½ The Prince's Spur118½ ▶hard to load, 2p turn 8
12Mar22	6	GP	gd	◇	*7%	--		1:31 ⁷ 6	3	Msw 60000	9-90	6	2	3 ³	3 ³	3½	2nk	Jaramillo E	120	L	10.00	Riot House120nk Causin' Mayhem120½ Khufu120 ³ 3-2wd, rallied inside 9

Workout(s): 13 Aug 22 Sar 4F ft :48.3b 19/88 6 Aug 22 Sar 4F ft :50.1b 78/104 16 Jul 22 Sar 5F ft 1:01.2b 11/25 9 Jul 22 Sar 5F ft 1:02.2b 14/19

- The son of leading sire Into Mischief was unraced as a two-year-old and comes into #QP22 as one of the more lightly raced hopefuls, with just three career starts. "He's inexperienced but we believe he has a lot of talent," said Robert Landry, General Manager at Chiefswood Stables.
- In June, he broke his maiden at second asking over a mile on the dirt. The race was originally scheduled for the turf and Causin' Mayhem led gate to wire. "That race was in the slop, and he broke well, but he does have a lot of natural speed," said Landry. "You're not going to discourage a horse like that. He took the rider there and you don't want to take too much run out of them and take away what comes easy for them."
- The colt made his Canadian debut in the Plate Trial, at 9 furlongs on the Tapeta. Once again, he made the early lead before finishing third. "We were kind of hoping to get a stalking trip, but things didn't work out that way," said Landry. "It looks like there might be a little more pace in the Plate, which might be able to get us our trip. I just don't know if he's the type of horse who can do it the whole way on the lead going 1 1/4 miles. But we are confident he will move forward off his last race."
- Causin' Mayhem is a second generation homebred for Chiefswood Stables, who also bred his unraced mother Five N' Forty. He's a half-brother to fellow Chiefswood Stables homebred Ghostly Presence, who was a stakes winner at two and three. "A homebred is extra special. You're involved in the whole program from start to finish," said Landry. "To win with a homebred is really gratifying, as a breeder that's what you aim for, you want to win the big races."

Owner - Chiefswood Stables

Chiefswood Stables, nom de course of Robert and Mark Krembil, is a family owned and operated thoroughbred racing farm that breeds its own stock with an eye to competing in Classic races. Robert Krembil is the co-founder and CEO of Trimark Financial Corp, and his son, Mark, leads The Krembil Foundation, a philanthropic initiative with an initial focus on neuroscience which has now expanded to include focused research pillars in the areas of neurodegeneration, the immune system and arthritis. As perennial top owners by purse money at Woodbine, Chiefswood Stables has earned Sovereign Award honours as Canada's Outstanding Owner in 2017 and 2018. Canadian Classic winners for Chiefswood Stables include 2004 Queen's Plate winner Niigon, 2013 Woodbine Oaks winner Nipissing and 2018 Breeders' Stakes champ Neepawa. Niigon was guided to his Queen's Plate score by Hall of Fame jockey Robert Landry, who is now general manager for Chiefswood Stables. The Chiefswood After Care Program, led by Stacey Krembil, pledges to find lifelong adoptive homes for their horses.

Trainer - Todd Pletcher

Born in Dallas, Todd Pletcher is a seven-time winner of the Eclipse Award for Outstanding Trainer and was elected to the National Horse Racing Hall of Fame in 2021. Pletcher got his start in the horse racing business as a hot walker for his father, Jake Pletcher, at the age of 7 at Ruidoso Downs in New Mexico. He saddled his first winner in 1996 at the age of 28, and since then has led North America in earnings 10 times. Pletcher has won six American Classics, four Belmont Stakes, and two Kentucky Derbys. His most recent Triple Crown win was with Mo Donegal in the 2022 Belmont Stakes. Pletcher won the 1998 Queen's Plate with Archers Bay, who also went on to win the 1998 Prince of Wales Stakes.

Jockey - Antonio Gallardo

Antonio Gallardo, who moved to his tack to Woodbine in July 2021, has been one of North America's top leading riders, by wins, the past seven seasons. Hailing from Jerez de la Frontera, in Cadiz, Spain, he made his U.S. debut with one mount on New Year's Eve in 2008. It was 2013 when Gallardo established himself as a rider on the rise with one highlight coming aboard Flatter in the 2013 Challenger Stakes. He counts five riding championships at Tampa and four riding titles at Presque Isle Downs. He recorded his 2,000th career win on February 3, 2021, at Tampa Bay Downs. His two biggest wins to date came with Hotshot Anna, winning back-to-back editions of the Grade 2 Presque Isle Downs Masters in 2018 and 2019.