

SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 1
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
(PURSE \$105,000 FOR NON-NYB) (UP TO \$23,751 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs.
(Non-Starters For A Claiming Price Of \$40,000 Or Less In The Last 3 Starts Preferred).
Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Darby Creek Road - 1:20.40 - August 8, 1978)
Purse: \$136,500
Available Money: \$136,500
Value of Race: \$111,300 1st \$57,750, 2nd \$27,300, 3rd \$12,600, 4th \$6,300, 5th \$4,200, 6th \$1,575, 7th \$1,575
Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 1:13 **Start:** Good for all except 2,4,5 **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	6	Wonder Ride (Leparoux, Julien)	119	--	6	2	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	10.20	bobbld brk,bmp,ins-3p
---	3	Stellamaris (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	119	--	3	3	5 ²	5 ²	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	1.85*	2-4p turn,5p1/4,bid
---	5	Genetics (Lezcano, Jose)	119	--	5	6	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	3 ^{5 1/2}	5.70	off slw,3w,led3/16-1/8
13Jul23 ² SAR ⁴	7	Clearly a Test (Ortiz, Jose)	119	--	7	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ⁶	4 ^{8 1/2}	2.40	bmpd brk,2p turn,tired
8Jul23 ¹ BEL ³	1	Exhilarate (Alvarado, Junior)	119	--	1	4	6 ³	6 ¹⁴	5 ²	5 ^{3 1/2}	5.00	angled out5-1/2,3-4w
2Jun23 ¹ BEL ³	4	Magic Eight Ball (Castellano, Javier)	119	h	4	5	4 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	6 ²⁵	6 ^{40 1/2}	8.00	awkwrd brk,bit slw,2p
---	2	Tahiti Iti (Rosario, Joel)	119	--	2	7	7	7	7	7	24.25	off slw,ins,eased,wlkd

Fractional Times: 23.13 46.09 1:11.21 **Final Time:** 1:24.60
Split Times: (22:96) (25:12) (13:39)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Wonder Ride, Gray or Roan Filly, by Gun Runner out of Wonderment, by Cosmonaut. Foaled Feb 02, 2021 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Walking L Thoroughbreds LLC & Fest Miles
Owner: Walking L Thoroughbreds, LLC
Trainer: McPeek, Kenneth

Total WPS Pool: \$469,734

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Wonder Ride	22.40	7.60	5.20	\$1.00 Exacta	6-3	42.25	321,484
3	Stellamaris		5.40	3.50	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-3-5	115.62	135,207
5	Genetics			4.30	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-3-5-7	49.05	59,503

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Wonder Ride	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ¹	1 ^{1/2}
3	Stellamaris	3	5 ³	5 ⁴	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}
5	Genetics	6	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}
7	Clearly a Test	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ⁷
1	Exhilarate	4	6 ⁵	6 ⁶	5 ^{8 1/2}	5 ^{15 1/2}
4	Magic Eight Ball	5	4 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}	6 ¹⁹
2	Tahiti Iti	7	7 ⁸	7 ²⁰	7 ^{35 1/2}	7 ^{59 1/2}

Trainers: 6 - McPeek, Kenneth; 3 - De Paz, Horacio; 5 - Mott, William; 7 - Camejo, Jose; 1 - Mott, William; 4 - Morley, Thomas; 2 - Albertrani, Thomas

Owners: 6 - Walking L Thoroughbreds, LLC; 3 -Lawrence Goichman; 5 - Glassman Racing; 7 - Brittlyn Stable, Inc.; 1 - Claiborne Farm and Dilschneider, Adele B.; 4 - Rocco, Steven and Jones, Brereton C.; 2 -John M. B. O'Connor;

Footnotes

WONDER RIDE bobbled at the start then bumped with a foe, pressed the pace on the inside of a rival, dropped just off the pace at the half-mile pole, chased inside for most of the turn then shifted to the two path, spun three wide into the stretch, pursued the leader while just behind that foe and still on her inside lead, found clear space between foes outside the furlong marker, gained to take the lead outside the sixteenth-pole and prevailed under strong urging. STELLAMARIS was urged along off the pace, moved from the two path to the four path on the turn, was driven five wide into the stretch then came in some near the three-sixteenths, chased outside into the final furlong, made a bid outside the sixteenth-pole, fought with the winner to the finish and missed but earned the place. GENETICS was off slow and spotted the front a few lengths, angled to the outside of the field then moved up to stalk the pace on the outside, was asked in the three path on the turn, drifted in some while taking the advantage into upper stretch, remained on her left lead under a drive into the final furlong, lost the advantage outside the sixteenth-pole and weakened but was well clear for the show. CLEARLY A TEST bumped with a rival while breaking in front, showed the way down the backstretch, vied in the two path on the turn, was asked outside the five-sixteenths, lost the advantage into upper stretch, dropped back into the final furlong and tired. EXHILARATE angled out outside the five-eighths, was urged along off the pace, went three then four wide on the turn and failed to threaten. MAGIC EIGHT BALL broke awkwardly and was off a bit slow then drifted in before being corrected by the rider, angled out early then moved up to race just off the pace, dropped in outside the five-eighths pole, chased in the two path on the turn, dropped back at the five-sixteenths and capitulated. TAHITI ITI stood in the gate and was off slow, spotted the front several lengths, dropped well behind the rest of the field, saved ground on the turn and was eased but walked off.

SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 2**EQUIBASE**

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF (PURSE \$105,000 FOR NON-NYB) (UP TO \$23,751 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD.

Weight, 119 lbs. (Non-Starters For A Claiming Price Of \$40,000 Or Less In The Last 3 Starts Preferred).

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Inner turf **Current Track Record:** (Zagora (FR) - 1:39.07 - August 25, 2012)**Purse:** \$136,500**Available Money:** \$136,500**Value of Race:** \$105,000 1st \$57,750, 2nd \$21,000, 3rd \$12,600, 4th \$6,300, 5th \$4,200, 6th \$788, 7th \$788, 8th \$788, 9th \$786**Weather:** Showery, 80° **Track:** Firm**Off at:** 1:47 **Start:** Good for all except 9 **Timing Method:** Electronic[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17Jul23 ⁵ PID ²	10	Dancing Spirit (Ortiz, Jose)	119	b	9	8	3 ¹	3 ²	2 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}	8.00	3w 1st turn, gamely
7Jul23 ² BEL ⁴	3	Sea Dancer (Davis, Dylan)	119	--	2	3	5 ¹	5 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ³	7.70	5w upper, good energy
---	6	Latte Lizzie (Franco, Manuel)	119	--	5	9	8 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	9	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{Neck}	18.50	impede foe 1/8, kept on
---	7	Vino Rouge (Velazquez, John)	119	--	6	7	9	9	7 ¹	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{3 1/4}	20.40	3w 1st turn, kept on
---	2	Nikitis (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	119	--	1	1	6 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	9	5 ¹	1.15*	cut corner, improved
---	5	Ba Dee Yah (Carmouche, Kendrick)	119	--	4	5	7 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	8 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	6 ^{3 1/2}	17.70	6w uppr, no response
7Jul23 ² BEL ³	9	Dr. Ray D. (Castellano, Javier)	119	--	8	6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ^{Head}	7 ^{3/4}	6.50	awkward st, bobble 5/16
---	8	Out too Late (GB) (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	119	b	7	4	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	8 ^{3 1/4}	20.50	steady 7 1/2, led, tired
13Jul23 ² SAR ³	4	Lady Blitz (Saez, Luis)	119	--	3	2	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	7 ⁵	9	4.50	checked, impeded 1/8p

Fractional Times: 23.30 48.64 1:13.36 1:38.63**Final Time:** 1:45.03**Split Times:** (25:34) (24:72) (25:27) (6:40)**Run-Up:** 50 feet**Winner:** Dancing Spirit, Bay Filly, by Social Inclusion out of Dancing Sparks, by Jump Start. Foaled Jan 26, 2021 in Pennsylvania.**Breeder:** Glenn E. Brok, LLC**Owner:** Adam Rice**Trainer:** Rice, Adam**Scratched Horse(s):** Strife (Veterinarian)**Total WPS Pool:** \$597,796

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Dancing Spirit	18.00	8.80	5.60	\$1.00 Exacta	10-3	67.75	464,507
3	Sea Dancer		7.70	4.40	\$1.00 Quinella	3-10	25.25	20,424
6	Latte Lizzie			8.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	10-3-6	472.00	198,780
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-10	109.75	214,086
					\$0.10 Superfecta	10-3-6-7	846.55	97,532


Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
10	Dancing Spirit	8	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}
3	Sea Dancer	3	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}
6	Latte Lizzie	9	8 ⁶	8 ⁶	9 ^{4 3/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}
7	Vino Rouge	7	9 ^{6 1/2}	9 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{3 3/4}	4 ^{3 3/4}
2	Nikitis	1	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ³	9 ^{9 1/4}	5 ⁷
5	Ba Dee Yah	5	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ⁵	8 ^{4 1/4}	8 ^{8 3/4}	6 ⁸
9	Dr. Ray D.	6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	7 ^{11 1/2}
8	Out too Late (GB)	4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ³	8 ^{12 1/4}
4	Lady Blitz	2	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	5 ²	7 ^{3 3/4}	9 ^{15 1/2}

Trainers: 10 - Rice, Adam; 3 - Morey, William; 6 - Brown, Chad; 7 - Dutrow, Anthony; 2 - Brown, Chad; 5 - Amoss, Thomas; 9 - Maker, Michael; 8 - Maker, Michael; 4 - Pletcher, Todd**Owners:** 10 -Adam Rice; 3 - CUYATHY LLC; 6 - Madaket Stables LLC, Doheny, Michael and Coleman, Thomas; 7 - Harold Lerner LLC and Team D; 2 - Schermerhorn, Richard, Team Hanley, Esler, Kristen L. and Esler, Matt; 5 - Gold Standard Racing Stable, LLC; 9 - Caruso, Michael J. and Dubb, Michael; 8 - Pura Vida Investments LLC; 4 - MyRacehorse;**Footnotes**

DANCING SPIRIT raced three wide through the first turn just off the pace, went five paths off the inside down the backstretch before steadily tucking back three wide three furlongs from home into the far turn, stacked three wide outside the top pair before emerging with OUT TOO LATE taking narrow command from that rival swinging four wide into upper stretch, edged away briefly before coming under challenge from the runner up inside the final sixteenth and gamely fended off that foe to prevail kept to task. SEA DANCER just off the inside through the first turn, chased four then three wide from mid pack, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, angled five wide into upper stretch and rallied with good energy to issue a challenge through the final eighth latching on the top one a sixteenth from home but was ultimately staved off. LATTE LIZZIE saved ground near the rear of the field, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, spun two to three wide for home paused in behind rivals, tipped out to the four path near the eighth pole looking for a clear lane roused and impeding LADY BLITZ and forcing that rival to check in very tight between foes, then kept on to secure the show honors in the final jumps. VINO ROUGE three wide through the opening bend, raced four to five paths off the inside down the backstretch before going three wide through the far turn placed to coaxing with five-sixteenths to go, went five wide into upper stretch, came in slightly getting a piece of LADY BLITZ and placing that foe in tight as the aforementioned foe tipped out along the inside of them a furlong out, then kept on but missed for the show honors. NIKITIS just off the inside in pursuit from mid pack, tucked inside three furlongs from home, came under coaxing near the quarter pole and cut the corner into upper stretch, improved position to the finish with a mild bid. BA DEE YAH chased three then two wide coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, angled six wide into upper stretch and offered no response. DR. RAY D. stumbled awkwardly at the start, then ranged up to engage OUT TOO LATE early on spinning just off the inside into the first turn and coming inwards forcing that rival to steady seven and a half furlongs from home, showed the way from the two path in hand, tucked inside near the three-eighths, bobbed twice nearing the five-sixteenths while along the hedge and yielded the front at that juncture, swung three wide into upper stretch and tired. OUT TOO LATE (GB) led early on after taking over from LADY BLITZ and showed the way from the two path into the turn before being steadied by DR. RAY D seven and a half furlongs out, tracked that foe three to four paths off the inside down the backstretch, tucked to the two path into the turn advancing to take command near the five-sixteenths, came under urging and took the inside route into upper stretch displaced from the front by the eventual

winner and tired. LADY BLITZ led briefly early on, raced along the inside through the first turn, chased three then two wide coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, swung four to five wide into upper stretch, had LATTE LIZZIE tip out from along her inside and VINO ROUGE come in slightly and was forced to check squeezed out between foes just outside the eighth pole, lost all momentum and two to three lengths of ground as a result and weakened to the end unable to recover. Please note the one mile split was hand timed.

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SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 3**EQUIBASE**

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$11,136 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races In 2023 Allowed 3 lbs. A Race In 2023 Allowed 5 lbs. Claiming Price \$32,000 (Maiden And Claiming Races For \$25,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). **Claiming Price:** \$32,000

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Quality Road - 1:13.74 - August 3, 2009)**Purse:** \$64,000**Available Money:** \$64,000**Value of Race:** \$64,000 1st \$35,200, 2nd \$12,800, 3rd \$7,680, 4th \$3,840, 5th \$2,560, 6th \$640, 7th \$640, 8th \$640**Weather:** Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 2:20 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22Jul23 ¹¹ SAR ³	7	Senor Jobim (Franco, Manuel)	118	L b	7	5	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}	9.60	out,4p,5p1/4,lead1/8
25Jun23 ⁵ BEL ¹	5	Lastchanceatglory (Ortiz, Jose)	123	L b	5	6	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	1.90*	bmp brk,drftd in late
26Feb23 ² AQU ³	2	Jemography (Lezcano, Jose)	118	L bf	2	2	4 ¹	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Neck}	9.50	ins,chasd,in hand late
14Jul23 ⁸ SAR ⁶	6	Nifty (Davis, Dylan)	123	L b	6	7	6 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	7.00	bmp brk,5w turn,6w1/4
6Jun23 ⁴ PRX ²	1	Float On (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	118	L b	1	3	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ⁵	6 ⁵	5 ^{Neck}	3.40	3-4w turn,stedied late
9Jul23 ⁹ MTH ⁶	3	Swiftsure (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	119	L f	3	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	6 ⁵	7.50	ins-2p,headed3/16,wknd
23Jul23 ⁹ SAR ²	4	Scilly Cay (Gaffalione, Tyler)	118	L f	4	4	8	7 ²	7 ^{2 1/2}	7 ⁷	5.70	broke out,2path turn
5Aug23 ¹² SAR ¹⁰	8	Alfio (Castellano, Javier)	123	L b	8	8	7 ^{1/2}	8	8	8	21.40	last away,3wide turn

Fractional Times: 22.42 45.36 1:10.20**Final Time:** 1:16.88**Split Times:** (22:94) (24:84) (6:68)**Run-Up:** 100 feet**Winner:** Senor Jobim, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Distorted Humor out of Forest Music, by Unbridled's Song. Foaled Jan 30, 2014 in Kentucky.**Breeder:** Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC**Owner:** David Jacobson**Trainer:** Jacobson, David

4 Claimed Horse(s):	Float On	New Trainer: Robertino Diodoro	New Owner: Robertino Diodoro
	Lastchanceatglory	New Trainer: Jose Francisco D'Angelo	New Owner: Jose Francisco D'Angelo
	Scilly Cay	New Trainer: David G. Donk	New Owner: Spouty Racing LLC
	Senor Jobim	New Trainer: Steven M. Asmussen	New Owner: Steven M. Asmussen

Claiming Prices: 7 - Senor Jobim: \$32,000; 5 - Lastchanceatglory: \$32,000; 6 - Nifty: \$32,000; 1 - Float On: \$32,000; 3 - Swiftsure: \$32,000; 4 - Scilly Cay: \$32,000; 8 - Alfio: \$32,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$452,629

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Senor Jobim	21.20	6.80	4.40	\$1.00 Exacta	7-5	30.00	398,099
5	Lastchanceatglory		3.80	2.90	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-5-2	114.37	183,195
2	Jemography			5.10	\$1.00 Pick 3	6-10-7 (3 correct)	1,617.00	146,549
					\$1.00 Daily Double	10-7	182.50	96,747
					\$0.10 Superfecta	7-5-2-6	136.50	71,564

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Senor Jobim	5	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}
5	Lastchanceatglory	6	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}
2	Jemography	2	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/4}	3 ^{1 1/4}
6	Nifty	7	6 ⁴	4 ¹	4 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}
1	Float On	3	5 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{1 3/4}	6 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{1 1/2}
3	Swiftsure	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1 3/4}
4	Scilly Cay	4	8 ⁶	7 ^{6 3/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}
8	Alfio	8	7 ^{5 1/2}	8 ^{8 3/4}	8 ^{9 1/4}	8 ^{13 3/4}

Trainers: 7 - Jacobson, David; 5 - Rice, Linda; 2 - Englehart, Chris; 6 - Diodoro, Robertino; 1 - Jacobson, David; 3 - De Paz, Horacio; 4 - Reynolds, Patrick; 8 - Quartarolo, Anthony

Owners: 7 -David Jacobson; 5 - Winning Move Stable and DiSanto, Brendon J.; 2 - Epona Racing Stable, Jasinski, Clyde X. and Toga Party Racing Stable; 6 - Flying P Stable; 1 - JKX Racing; 3 - Liberty House Racing, Twenty-Two Stable, Take a Shot Stables and Club Sixty Five Racing; 4 - Two B and One C Stable; 8 - Quartarolo, Anthony T. and Ashley;

Footnotes

SENIOR JOBIM stalked the pace on the outside, turned up the pressure in the four path on the turn, was given his cue at the five-sixteenths, spun five wide into the stretch, took a short lead near the eighth-pole, responded well while fighting outside several foes in the final furlong and narrowly prevailed under strong urging. LASTCHANCEATGLORY was forced out at the start then bumped with an opponent, pressed the pace on the outside, vied in the two to three path on the turn, took a short lead at the top of the stretch, drifted out some under a left-handed crop while on even terms for the lead near the furlong marker, fought on well into the final sixteenth, drifted in about three paths late then bothered foes and missed while able to get the place. JEMOGRAPHY was well placed just off the pace, saved ground in dead-aim of the leaders on the turn, chased inside with a clear rail opening in upper stretch, pursued the leaders into the final sixteenth, was taken in hand while trying to give foes in trouble to his outside some relief in the final strides and just earned the show. NIFTY was bumped at the start, raced off the pace under urging, chased five wide on the turn, came six wide into the stretch, pursued the leaders on the far outside to the finish and just missed the show while earning the last spot in the superfecta. FLOAT ON was taken in hand early then moved out, settled off the pace, went three then four wide on the turn, was asked near the quarter-pole, chased behind LASTCHANCEATGLORY while shadowed out by that foe in front into the final furlong, moved in outside the sixteenth-pole, gained into the final sixteenth, steadied when the aforementioned foe came inward a few strides from the wire and bumped with a foe then lost his best chance. SWIFTSURE was hustled to the front, set the pace under pressure to his outside,

vied inside to the two path on the turn, was asked near the five-sixteenths, lost the advantage at the top of the stretch, fought on into the final sixteenth and weakened then was taken in hand while in tight late and missed the superfecta. SCILLY CAY broke out then was corrected by the rider, was urged along off the pace, went around the turn in the two path and failed to threaten. ALFIO was last away while a bit awkwardly into stride, raced on the outside while ridden along, moved in late on the backstretch, went three wide on the turn and was no factor.

SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 4

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
(PURSE \$105,000 FOR NON-NYB) (UP TO \$23,751 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (Non-Starters For A Claiming Price Of \$40,000 Or Less In The Last 3 Starts Preferred). (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at Five and One Half Furlongs on the Main Track). (Rail at 27 feet).

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Cogburn - 59.80 - June 8, 2024)

Purse: \$136,500

Available Money: \$136,500

Value of Race: \$105,000 1st \$57,750, 2nd \$21,000, 3rd \$12,600, 4th \$6,300, 5th \$4,200, 6th \$1,575, 7th \$1,575

Weather: Clear, 80° Track: Firm

Off at: 2:54 Start: Good for all except 1,2,7 Timing Method: Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Jul23 ¹¹ SAR ²	4	City Fever (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	119	L	4	1	¹ 1/2	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ 1/2	1.15*	in hand ins, edged clr
15Jul23 ¹¹ SAR ³	5	American Know How (Castellano, Javier)	119	L b	5	4	² 1 1/2	² 1 1/2	² 3 1/2	² 4 1/4	6.30	3w uppr, second best
15Jul23 ¹¹ SAR ⁴	2	Cigarette Boat (Franco, Manuel)	119	L b	2	5	⁴ Head	⁵ 3 1/2	⁴ 3	³ 1/2	4.50	stumbled st, improved
24Jun23 ¹⁰ ELP ²	1	Be There (Torres, Jaime)	119	L	1	2	³ Head	³ Head	³ Head	⁴ 3	11.10	hit gate st, weakened
1Jul23 ⁵ BEL ⁵	8	Gold Franc (IRE) (Leparoux, Julien)	119	L	7	6	⁶ 7	⁶ 8	⁵ 5 1/2	⁵ 2 1/2	13.70	broke in st, weakened
3Jun23 ⁷ BEL ⁶	7	Cumberland (Rosario, Joel)	119	L b	6	7	⁷	⁷	⁷	⁶ 5	4.10	bump betw, pinched st
15Oct22 ² KEE ⁴	3	Spanish Doubloon (Davis, Dylan)	119	b	3	3	⁵ 3	⁴ 1/2	⁶ 1	⁷	12.90	bumped 9/16 & 1/2p

Fractional Times: 22.61 44.96 56.35

Final Time: 1:02.43

Split Times: (22:35) (11:39) (6:08)

Run-Up: 55 feet Temporary Rail: 27 feet

Winner: City Fever, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by [City of Light](#) out of Cool Flame, by Dixie Union. Foaled Mar 02, 2020 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Pam and Martin Wygod & Oliver and EmilyBushnell

Owner: Sonata Stable

Trainer: Trombetta, Michael

Scratched Horse(s): Alexis Zorba (GB) (Stewards), Unclecharliesgift (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$620,157

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	City Fever	4.30	3.10	2.40	\$1.00 Exacta	4-5	9.50	486,462
5	American Know How		5.80	3.00	\$1.00 Quinella	4-5	6.20	16,416
2	Cigarette Boat			2.70	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-5-2	10.90	206,572
					\$1.00 Pick 3	10-7-4 (3 correct)	552.00	78,962
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-4	19.70	90,443
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-5-2-1	9.07	99,964

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
4	City Fever	1	¹ 1/2	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ 1/2
5	American Know How	4	² 1/2	² Head	² Head	² 1 1/2
2	Cigarette Boat	5	⁴ 2	⁵ 2 1/4	⁴ 3 3/4	³ 5 3/4
1	Be There	2	³ 2	³ 1 1/2	³ 3 1/2	⁴ 6 1/4
8	Gold Franc (IRE)	6	⁶ 5 1/4	⁶ 5 3/4	⁵ 6 3/4	⁵ 9 1/4
7	Cumberland	7	⁷ 12 1/4	⁷ 13 3/4	⁷ 13 1/4	⁶ 11 3/4
3	Spanish Doubloon	3	⁵ 2 1/4	⁴ 1 3/4	⁶ 12 1/4	⁷ 16 3/4

Trainers: 4 - Trombetta, Michael; 5 - Morley, Thomas; 2 - Maker, Michael; 1 - Zito, Nicholas; 8 - McPeck, Kenneth; 7 - Weaver, George; 3 - Casse, Mark

Owners: 4 - Sonata Stable; 5 - Reagan Jack Racing, Hickey, John M., McKenna, Michael and Pepe, Anthony T.; 2 - Pura Vida Investments LLC, Hutson, Cindy M. and Setzer, Brett; 1 - My Meadowview Farm LLC; 8 - Magdalena Racing (Sherri McPeck); 7 - Harrell Ventures, LLC; 3 - Bloom Racing Stable LLC (Jeffrey Bloom);

Footnotes

CITY FEVER established the front from the get go and showed the way in hand along the inside under some pressure from AMERICAN KNOW HOW to the outside, remained patiently handled until set down spinning just off the inside into upper stretch, edged away under a drive to the finish. AMERICAN KNOW HOW broke out at the start bumping and pinching back CUMBERLAND in tandem with GOLD FRANC, who broke inwards, prompted the pace of the aforementioned foe from the outside in the two path coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, swung three wide into upper stretch, dug in latched on to the sixteenth marker before being repelled and shaken off late, ran on clear of the rest to be along second best. CIGARETTE BOAT stumbled at the start but only conceded about a length to the front, chased just off the inside bumping with SPANISH DOUBLOON at the nine-sixteenths and then again at the half mile pole, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, angled out three to four wide into upper stretch and improved position to secure the show honors. BE THERE struck the near side stall at the start but only conceded about a length to the front despite it, chased along the inside coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, spun just off the inside into upper stretch at that station and weakened in the late stages. GOLD FRANC (IRE) broke in at the start bumping and pinching back CUMBERLAND in tandem with AMERICAN KNOW HOW, chased three then two wide coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, took the inside route into upper stretch, weakened. CUMBERLAND got bumped between foes who each broke his way and was pinched back at the start conceding four to five lengths before settling into stride, chased two to three wide coaxed along from the get go, swung three wide into upper stretch and made no impact. SPANISH DOUBLOON chased three wide outside of CIGARETTE BOAT and was bumped by that foe at the nine-sixteenths and half mile pole, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, went five wide into upper stretch and tired.

SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 5

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
INNER TURF (PURSE \$115,000 FOR NON-NYB) (UP TO \$26,013 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$18,000 OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$62,500. Weight,122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Claiming Or Starter At A Mile Or Over Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Other Than Claiming Or Starter At Any Distance Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$62,500 (Allowance Horses Preferred)(1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At TimeOf Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). (NW1\$ X)
Claiming Price: \$62,500

Distance: One And One Eighth Miles On The Inner turf **Current Track Record:** (Criminologist - 1:45.61 - August 29, 2007)

Purse: \$149,500

Available Money: \$149,500

Value of Race: \$115,000 1st \$63,250, 2nd \$23,000, 3rd \$13,800, 4th \$6,900, 5th \$4,600, 6th \$1,725, 7th \$1,725

Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 3:29 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
16Oct22 ⁹ BAQ ¹	1A	Activist Investing (GB) (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	122	L b	3	3	4 ¹	2 ¹	2 ²	1 ¹	1 ^{1 3/4}	2.15	ins-2p,lead3/16,respnd
2Jun23 ⁶ BEL ²	2	Clever Thought (Saez, Luis)	122	L	5	6	7	6 ^{Head}	5 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{3 3/4}	2.60	2p1st,3-4p2nd,chased
25Jun23 ⁴ BEL ²	4	Operation Torch (Alvarado, Junior)	122	L	4	4	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 1/4}	1.70*	ratd3p,ask1/4,chsds,wkn
14May23 ⁸ CD ⁷	3	Our Dream Rye'd (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	122	L	2	7	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ¹⁵	4 ⁴	16.30	ins turns,mvd out 1/8
7Jan23 ⁸ AQU ⁶	6	Narciso Dali (Davis, Dylan)	118	- -	7	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	5 ^{15 1/4}	22.80	ins turns,headed3/16
14May23 ⁸ CD ²	5	Escapologist (Leparoux, Julien)	122	L b	6	5	5 ²	7	6 ¹⁴	6 ³⁰	6 ^{34 1/4}	6.50	3-4w trns,drp in,faltr
24Jun23 ⁶ MTH ⁴	1	Justice Department (Ortiz, Jose)	122	L	1	2	2 ¹	4 ^{Head}	7	7	7	2.15	drop out5/8,eased,wlkd

Fractional Times: 24.42 49.53 1:13.68 1:37.99

Final Time: 1:49.99

Split Times: (25:11) (24:15) (24:31) (12:00)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Activist Investing (GB), Bay Colt, by =Kingman (GB) out of =Astronomy's Choice (GB), by =Redoute's Choice (AUS). Foaled Feb 05, 2020 in Great Britain.

Breeder: Mr R. J. H. Geffen

Owner: Klaravich Stables, Inc.

Trainer: Brown, Chad

Claiming Prices: 6 - Narciso Dali: \$62,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Crupi (Main-Track-Only), Paddington (Main-Track-Only), Winters Lion (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$629,162

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payout	Pool
1A	Activist Investing (GB)	6.30	3.50	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	1-2	9.10	400,500
2	Clever Thought		3.80	2.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-2-4	7.00	174,507
4	Operation Torch			2.10	\$1.00 Pick 3	7-4-1 (3 correct)	61.25	141,909
					\$0.50 Pick 4	10-7-4/6/9-1 (4 correct)	691.25	394,751
					\$0.50 Pick 5	6-10-7-4/6/9-1 (5 correct)	6,634.25	1,105,178
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-1	8.40	118,521
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-2-4-3	4.55	92,493

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1A	Activist Investing (GB)	3	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1 3/4}
2	Clever Thought	6	7 ^{5 3/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ⁴	2 ¹	2 ^{1 3/4}
4	Operation Torch	4	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{5 1/2}
3	Our Dream Rye'd	7	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁶	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ⁴	4 ^{9 3/4}
6	Narciso Dali	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ³	5 ^{13 3/4}
5	Escapologist	5	5 ^{3 1/2}	7 ^{6 3/4}	6 ⁵	6 ¹⁹	6 ²⁹
1	Justice Department	2	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ⁶	7 ¹⁹	7 ⁴⁹	7 ^{63 1/4}

Trainers: 1A - Brown, Chad; 2 - Pletcher, Todd; 4 - McGaughey III, Claude; 3 - Wilkes, Ian; 6 - Chichakly, Amira; 5 - McPeck, Kenneth; 1 - Brown, Chad

Owners: 1a- Klaravich Stables, Inc.; 2 - Repole Stable, Phipps Stable and St. Elias Stable; 4 - Allen Stable, Inc.; 3 - Bourbon Lane Stable (J. Hill, M. McMahon) and Circle N Thoroughbreds; 6 - Chichakly, Amira, Irwin, Mark and Diamond, William R.; 5 - Walking L Thoroughbreds, LLC; 1 - Klaravich Stables, Inc.;

Footnotes

ACTIVIST INVESTING (GB) broke out at the start, dropped to the hedge early, saved ground on the first turn, was rated off the pace while following the leader, moved closer coming to the half-mile pole, made an outside bid at the seven-sixteenths, vied in the two path on the final turn, was asked at the quarter-pole, took over in upper stretch, responded well under a right-handed crop into the final furlong and held under steady urging. CLEVER THOUGHT broke near the back of the field, went around the first turn in the two path, settled at the rear, moved closer with a half-mile to run, was roused while three then four wide on the far turn, gained outside into upper stretch, chased the winner under a right-handed crop into the final furlong and was second best. OPERATION TORCH was taken under a snug hold while into the bit, went three wide on the first turn, was rated on the outside, moved closer with a half-mile to run, ranged up three wide on the far turn, was asked outside the quarter-pole, chased under a drive into the final furlong and weakened while clear for the show. OUR DREAM RYE'D leaned out and brushed the gate while last to commence then dropped back early, settled on the inside at the rear, moved closer with a half-mile to run, saved ground on the far turn, was roused outside the quarter-pole, raced behind horses in upper stretch, altered out at the furlong marker and came up empty. NARCISO DALI broke out and brushed the gate, went to the front, moved in before the first turn, showed the way on the inside with an uncontested advantage, was asked near the five-sixteenths, lost the advantage to the winner around the three-sixteenths, dropped back into the final furlong and tired. ESCAPOLOGIST was taken under tight restraint while outside on the opening straightaway then tucked into the three path into the first turn, was reserved outside without cover on the backstretch, came under urging near the seven-sixteenths, went four wide on the far turn, dropped in into the stretch and had nothing left. JUSTICE DEPARTMENT moved out early, traveled around the opening bend in the two path, dropped out outside the five-eighths then fell well behind and was eased but walked off.

SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 6

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
(UP TO \$14,442 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. (For Horses That Sold or RNA for \$50,000 Or Less In Their Most Recent Sale).

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Imperial Hint - 1:07.92 - July 27, 2019)

Purse: \$83,000

Available Money: \$83,000

Value of Race: \$83,000 1st \$45,650, 2nd \$16,600, 3rd \$9,960, 4th \$4,980, 5th \$3,320, 6th \$498, 7th \$498, 8th \$498, 9th \$498, 10th \$498

Weather: Clear, 80° Track: Fast

Off at: 4:03 Start: Good for all except 7 Timing Method: Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7Jul23 ³ ELP ³	2	Zadorsky (Lezcano, Jose)	119	--	2	2	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ ² 1/2	¹ ² 1/4	4.90	dueled ins, edged clr
16Jul23 ⁶ ELP ²	7	Shimmering Allure (Leparoux, Julien)	119	--	7	6	⁵ ¹ 1/2	⁴ ¹ / ₂	³ ⁴ 1/2	² Head	10.20	bobbled, bumped st
19Jul23 ⁶ SAR ³	1	Crazy Cami (Gaffalione, Tyler)	119	b	1	5	³ Head	³ ² 1/2	² ¹ / ₂	³ ⁸ 1/2	2.00*	chased 4-3w, ran on
---	10	Extra Dirty (Franco, Manuel)	119	--	10	3	⁴ ²	⁵ ³	⁵ ¹	⁴ Head	8.20	chased 4w, weakened
---	8	Day Away (Castellano, Javier)	119	--	8	8	⁸ ² 1/2	⁷ ² 1/2	⁶ ³	⁵ ³ 1/2	24.50	3w, passed tired foes
---	9	Lady Prospect (Saez, Luis)	119	f	9	1	² ¹	² ¹	⁴ ¹ / ₂	⁶ Neck	5.90	dueled 3-2w, tired
---	5	Echo Lake (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	119	--	5	7	⁷ ¹ / ₂	⁶ ¹ 1/2	⁷ ⁵ 1/2	⁷ ¹² 3/4	3.45	4w upper, tired
---	3	Bornforgreatness (Huayas, Gherson (Jason))	119	--	3	4	⁶ Head	⁸ ⁵	⁸ ⁸	⁸ ¹² 3/4	52.50	chased 2p, folded
---	6	Elusive Fashion (Carmouche, Kendrick)	119	--	6	10	¹⁰	⁹ ¹ / ₂	⁹ ⁵	⁹ ¹⁹ 1/2	25.75	chased 4w, eased
---	4	Althena (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	119	b	4	9	⁹ Head	¹⁰	¹⁰	¹⁰	28.00	chased 2p, eased home

Fractional Times: 22.56 46.04 58.62

Final Time: 1:11.59

Split Times: (23:48) (12:58) (12:97)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Zadorsky, Bay Filly, by Tapiture out of Fingerprint, by Competitive Edge. Foaled Mar 24, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Peace Of Heaven Thoroughbreds

Owner: Legion Racing

Trainer: Catalano, Wayne

Scratched Horse(s): Azteca Stardust (Also-Eligible), Flowers for Me (Also-Eligible), Handle On You (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$677,693

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Zadorsky	11.80	6.10	3.90	\$1.00 Exacta	2-7	28.00	555,795
7	Shimmering Allure		8.70	5.50	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-7-1	62.00	248,400
1	Crazy Cami			3.40	\$1.00 Pick 3	4-1-2 (3 correct)	34.75	85,123
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-2	16.80	98,231
					\$0.10 Superfecta	2-7-1-10	89.60	119,876

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	Zadorsky	2	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ ² 1/2	¹ ² 1/4
7	Shimmering Allure	6	⁵ ³ 1/4	⁴ ³ 1/2	³ ³	² ² 1/4
1	Crazy Cami	5	³ ¹	³ ¹	² ² 1/2	³ ² 1/4
10	Extra Dirty	3	⁴ ¹ 1/4	⁵ ⁴	⁵ ⁸	⁴ ¹⁰ 3/4
8	Day Away	8	⁸ ⁵ 1/4	⁷ ⁸ 1/2	⁶ ⁹	⁵ ¹¹
9	Lady Prospect	1	² Head	² Head	⁴ ⁷ 1/2	⁶ ¹⁴ 1/2
5	Echo Lake	7	⁷ ⁴ 3/4	⁶ ⁷	⁷ ¹²	⁷ ¹⁴ 3/4
3	Bornforgreatness	4	⁶ ⁴ 3/4	⁸ ¹¹	⁸ ¹⁷ 1/2	⁸ ²⁷ 1/2
6	Elusive Fashion	10	¹⁰ ⁸	⁹ ¹⁶	⁹ ²⁵ 1/2	⁹ ⁴⁰ 1/4
4	Althena	9	⁹ ⁷ 3/4	¹⁰ ¹⁶ 1/2	¹⁰ ³⁰ 1/2	¹⁰ ⁵⁹ 3/4

Trainers: 2 - Catalano, Wayne; 7 - McPeck, Kenneth; 1 - Maker, Michael; 10 - Brown, Chad; 8 - Contessa, Gary; 9 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 5 - Brown, Chad; 3 - Hills, Timothy; 6 - Brion, Keri; 4 - Paragallo, Jennifer

Owners: 2 - Legion Racing; 7 - Walking L Thoroughbreds, LLC; 1 - Nice Guys Stables; 10 - ERJ Racing, LLC, Madaket Stables LLC and Kenney, Dave; 8 - Up and Up Racing; 9 - Hibiscus Stables LLC, Big Dom Racing Stable, Big Toe Stables LLC and Rodriguez, Rudy R.; 5 - First Row Partners; 3 - Tee N Jay Stable; 6 - Three Diamonds Farm; 4 - LUNA Racing Stable;

Footnotes

ZADORSKY coaxed from the gate, dueled inside of LADY PROSPECT from the get go, remained patiently handled and took the inside route into upper stretch shaking off her main pace rival, got roused at the three-sixteenths and edged clear under a drive holding well to the finish. SHIMMERING ALLURE bobbed at the break and was bumped at the start conceding three lengths to the front, chased four paths off the inside down the backstretch before tucking to the two path through the turn, got placed to coaxing near the three-eighths, angled four wide into upper stretch and kicked on belatedly to just get up for the place honors in the final jumps to the finish. CRAZY CAMI coaxed from the start, chased four then three wide coming under coaxing at the seven-sixteenths, swung three wide into upper stretch and ran on to secure the show honors. EXTRA DIRTY coaxed from the gate, chased four wide under coaxing from the three-eighths, swung four to five wide into upper stretch and weakened. DAY AWAY broke in at the start bumping SHIMMERING ALLURE, chased five paths off the inside down the backstretch before tucking three wide through the turn coming under coaxing at the seven-sixteenths, continued three wide into upper stretch and passed tired rivals. LADY PROSPECT broke out at the start and was corrected, dueled three then two wide with ZADORSKY to her inside, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, spun just off the inside into upper stretch getting shaken off by the top one and tired through to the finish. ECHO LAKE chased three to four paths off the inside down the backstretch and then just off the inside through the turn coaxed along from the three-eighths, tipped four wide into upper stretch and tired. BORNFORGREATNESS chased just off the inside until tucked inside through the turn, came under coaxing midway on the turn, angled three to four wide into upper stretch and folded. ELUSIVE FASHION chased four wide under coaxing from the seven-sixteenths, went six to seven wide into upper stretch, made no impact and was eased through the final furlong to the finish. ALTHENA broke out at the start, chased just off the inside coming under coaxing three furlongs from home, angled five wide into upper stretch and was eased home through to the finish.

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SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 7**EQUIBASE**

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PURSE \$120,000 FOR NON-NYB) (UP TO \$27,144 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$18,000 TWICE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$62,500. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Other Than Claiming Or Starter In 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race In 2023 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$62,500 (Allowance Horses Preferred)(1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). (NW2\$ X)

Claiming Price: \$62,500**Distance:** Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Darby Creek Road - 1:20.40 - August 8, 1978)**Purse:** \$156,000**Available Money:** \$156,000**Value of Race:** \$120,720 1st \$66,000, 2nd \$24,000, 3rd \$14,400, 4th \$7,200, 5th \$4,800, 6th \$1,560, 7th \$1,560, 8th \$1,200**Weather:** Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 4:36 **Start:** Good for all except 6 **Timing Method:** Electronic[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
8Jul23 ⁷ BEL ⁵	8	Business Model (Ortiz, Jose)	122	L b	8	3	⁷ 1/2	⁷ 1/2	² 1/2	¹ 3 1/4	11.60	3w trn,6w1/4,rally,clr
8Jul23 ⁷ BEL ³	1	Vittorio (Ortiz, Jr., Irad) 	122	L b	1	4	⁴ 1/2	⁴ 1	¹ 1	² 2 1/4	1.30*	bmp brk,2-4p trn,5p1/4
3Aug23 ⁸ SAR ²	2	Guntown (Lezcano, Jose)	124	L b	2	6	8	8	⁴ 1/2	³ Neck	2.90	bmp brk,tkn up,ins,2p
14Jul23 ⁶ MTH ³	7	Secret Rules (Torres, Jaime)	119	L b	7	1	² 1	² 1	³ 1 1/2	⁴ 3	15.50	2p turn,led3p1/4,wknd
24Jun23 ⁸ GP ²	3	Khozeiress (Carmouche, Kendrick)	122	L f	3	5	³ 1/2	³ 1	⁵ 1/2	⁵ 7	9.50	angld out,3w,4w1/4,wknd
24Jul23 ³ FL ¹	6	Lobsta (Coa, Keiber)	124	L	6	8	⁵ 1 1/2	⁶ 2 1/2	8	⁶ 1 1/2	23.80	stumbled brk,4-5w turn
26Jun23 ⁸ FL ¹	5	Looms Boldly (Franco, Manuel)	122	L	5	2	¹ 1/2	¹ Head	⁶ 3	⁷ 4 1/2	9.40	ins,headed1/4,faded
19Jan23 ⁷ AQU ⁷	4	Saint Tapit (Saez, Luis)	122	L	4	7	⁶ 6	⁵ 1 1/2	⁷ 2	8	6.00	off bit slw,3-5w,7w1/4

Fractional Times: 22.64 45.17 1:10.13**Final Time:** 1:22.72**Split Times:** (22:53) (24:96) (12:59)**Run-Up:** 45 feet**Winner:** Business Model, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by [Candy Ride \(ARG\)](#) out of Innovative Idea, by Bernardini. Foaled Mar 13, 2018 in Kentucky. Winner's sire standing at Lane's End**Breeder:** Godolphin**Owner:** David Jacobson**Trainer:** Jacobson, David**Voided Claims:** Secret Rules(Vet)**Claiming Prices:** 8 - Business Model: \$62,500; 7 - Secret Rules: \$62,500; 6 - Lobsta: \$62,500;**Total WPS Pool:** \$675,345


Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Business Model	25.20	7.10	3.70	\$1.00 Exacta	8-1	29.50	523,746
1	Vittorio		3.60	2.50	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-1-2	31.87	262,884
2	Guntown			2.40	\$1.00 Daily Double	2-8	88.00	91,249
					\$1.00 Pick 3	1-2-8 (3 correct)	163.50	103,691
					\$0.50 Pick 4	4/6/9-1-2-8 (4 correct)	234.00	270,872
					\$0.10 Superfecta	8-1-2-7	28.90	144,920

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
8	Business Model	3	⁷ 10	⁷ 7	² 1	¹ 3 1/4
1	Vittorio	4	⁴ 2	⁴ 2	¹ 1	² 3 1/4
2	Guntown	6	⁸ 10 1/2	⁸ 7 1/2	⁴ 3	³ 5 1/2
7	Secret Rules	1	² 1/2	² Head	³ 1 1/2	⁴ 5 3/4
3	Khozeiress	5	³ 1 1/2	³ 1	⁵ 3 1/2	⁵ 8 3/4
6	Lobsta	8	⁵ 2 1/2	⁶ 4 1/2	⁸ 9	⁶ 15 3/4
5	Looms Boldly	2	¹ 1/2	¹ Head	⁶ 4	⁷ 17 1/4
4	Saint Tapit	7	⁶ 4	⁵ 3	⁷ 7	⁸ 21 3/4

Trainers: 8 - Jacobson, David; 1 - Mott, William; 2 - Rice, Linda; 7 - Falcone, Jr., Robert; 3 - Pompay, Teresa; 6 - Sells, Rachel; 5 - Cox, Brad; 4 - Pletcher, Todd**Owners:** 8 -David Jacobson; 1 - Kaleem Shah, Inc.; 2 -Robert Bruno; 7 - Beast Mode Racing LLC; 3 - My Purple Haze Stables; 6 - Eddie F's Racing; 5 - Ten Strike Racing; 4 - Whisper Hill Farm, LLC;**Footnotes**

BUSINESS MODEL broke out at the start, was urged along while well back on the outside, went three wide on the turn, rallied six wide into the stretch, closed strongly to get the lead outside the sixteenth-pole then drove clear to prove much the best. VITTORIO came out at the start then bumped with a foe, was well placed just off the pace, drafted in the two path for most of the turn, was asked while shifting three then four wide late on that bend, rallied five wide into the stretch, took the lead while dropping inward at the three-sixteenths, led under a drive into the final furlong but was overtaken and proved no match for the winner while clear for the place. GUNTOWN was bumped at the start then taken up in tight between horses, raced at the rear under urging, saved ground on the turn, turned into the stretch in the two path, gained passing the three-sixteenths, pursued the leader into the final furlong and flattened out while just able to get the show. SECRET RULES pressed the pace on the outside then in the two path on the turn, took the lead near the quarter-pole, spun three wide into the stretch, lost the advantage to the runner-up at the three-sixteenths, dropped back into the final furlong and tired. KHOZEIRESS was hustled from the gate then angled out early, raced up close on the outside, chased three wide on the turn, was driven four wide at the quarter-pole, dropped back while drifting out in upper stretch and capitulated. LOBSTA stumbled at the start and was off slow, was urged along on the outside, dropped back four then five wide under strong encouragement on the turn and failed to respond. LOOMS BOLDLY went to the front, set the pace under pressure to his outside, vied along the rail on the turn, lost the lead near the quarter-pole and faded. SAINT TAPIT broke a bit slow, was urged along off the pace, moved from three to five wide on the turn, came seven wide into the stretch and failed to respond.

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SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
(PURSE \$115,000 FOR NON-NYB) (UP TO \$26,013 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$18,000 OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Claiming Or Starter At A Mile Or Over Allowed 2 lbs. (NW1\$ X)

Distance: One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Lawyer Ron - 1:46.64 - July 28, 2007)

Purse: \$149,500

Available Money: \$149,500

Value of Race: \$117,070 1st \$63,250, 2nd \$23,000, 3rd \$13,800, 4th \$8,970, 5th \$4,600, 6th \$3,450

Weather: Clear, 80° Track: Fast

Off at: 5:10 Start: Good for all except 3,6 Timing Method: Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30Jun23 ⁷ ELP ²	7	Magic Tap (Gaffalione, Tyler)	120	L	6	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ² 1/2	2 ⁷ 1/2	1 ¹ Neck	3.40	attended 2p, up late
16Jul23 ⁷ SAR ²	5	Film Star (Ortiz, Jose)	125	L	4	1	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹	1 ² 1/2	2 ⁸ 1/4	7.40	in hand inside, nailed
16Jul23 ⁶ SAR ¹	2	He's Got Swagger (Leparoux, Julien)	118	L	2	4	7	7	7	5 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 1/4	34.75	bumped st, belatedly
1Jul23 ³ BEL ³	8	Whittington Park (Carmouche, Kendrick)	125	L b	7	3	4 ¹	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ³ 1/4	9.70	3-4w uppr, no headway
14Jul23 ² SAR ¹	3	Dreamlike (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	120	L b	3	6	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁷	5 ^{Head}	6 ⁵ 1/2	5 ¹ 2	0.90*	stumbled st, tired
8Jul23 ¹⁰ BEL ¹⁰	1	Cyber Ninja (Alvarado, Junior)	120	L	1	5	5 ¹ 2	5 ¹ 2	6 ⁶	4 ¹ 2	6	19.40	chased 2p, tired
10Jun23 ¹² BEL ⁹	6	Tapit Shoes (Saez, Luis)	120	L b	5	7	3 ¹ 2	3 ¹ 2	4 ¹ 1/2	7	---	5.30	stumbled st, eased

Fractional Times: 24.06 47.77 1:11.27 1:36.47 Final Time: 1:50.24

Split Times: (23:71) (23:50) (25:20) (13:77)

Run-Up: 90 feet

Winner: Magic Tap, Gray or Roan Colt, by Tapit out of American Story, by Ghostzapper. Foaled Apr 21, 2020 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Don Alberto Corporation

Owner: Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC

Trainer: Asmussen, Steven

Scratched Horse(s): Saqeel (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$709,890

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Magic Tap	8.80	5.00	3.60	\$1.00 Exacta	7-5	23.70	477,756
5	Film Star		6.10	4.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-5-2	185.25	208,724
2	He's Got Swagger			7.50	\$1.00 Pick 3	2-8-7 (3 correct)	324.50	95,784
					\$1.00 Daily Double	8-7	53.00	106,207
					\$0.10 Superfecta	7-5-2-8	155.65	110,580

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Magic Tap	2	2 ¹ 2	2 ¹ 2	2 ¹	2 ² 1/2	1 ¹ Neck
5	Film Star	1	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹	1 ² 1/2	2 ¹ Neck
2	He's Got Swagger	4	7 ⁹ 1/2	7 ¹¹	7 ¹¹ 1/4	5 ¹¹ 1/2	3 ⁸ 1/2
8	Whittington Park	3	4 ² 1/2	4 ²	3 ³ 1/2	3 ¹⁰	4 ⁹ 3/4
3	Dreamlike	6	6 ⁴	6 ⁴	5 ⁵	6 ¹¹ 1/2	5 ¹³
1	Cyber Ninja	5	5 ³ 1/2	5 ³ 1/2	6 ⁵ 1/4	4 ¹¹	6 ¹³ 1/2
6	Tapit Shoes	7	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	7 ¹⁷	---

Trainers: 7 - Asmussen, Steven; 5 - Rice, Linda; 2 - McPeek, Kenneth; 8 - Englehart, Jeremiah; 3 - Pletcher, Todd; 1 - Mott, William; 6 - Cox, Brad

Owners: 7 - Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; 5 -Ronald P. Stewart; 2 - Magdalena Racing (Sherri McPeek), C and H Diamond Racing, LLC and Riccio, Alfred; 8 - Ten Strike Racing; 3 - Repole Stable and St. Elias Stables LLC; 1 -George Krikorian; 6 - Spendthrift Farm LLC, Landers, Steve, Schwartz, Martin S., Dubb, Michael, Ten Strike Racing, Bakke, Jim, Titledtown Racing Stables, Kueber Racing, LLC, Big Easy Racing LLC, Kanter, Rick and Caruso, Michael J.;

Footnotes

MAGIC TAP appeared to lose some rear footing at the start, came under brief coaxing and attended the leader from the outside in the two path, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, dug in under a drive and was shaken off by the top one a furlong out, dug in to continue to steadily close in and was up in the final jumps to prevail. FILM STAR coaxed from the gate, showed the way in hand along the inside patiently handled until roused cutting the corner into upper stretch, edged away under a drive to the eighth pole, dug in under growing threat and tussled inside the sixteenth marker with the aforementioned foe and was nailed in the final jumps to the wire. HE'S GOT SWAGGER got bumped at the start by DREAMLIKE who recovered inwards from a stumble, chased along the inside devoid of speed early on quickly growing detached at the tail of the field, came under prolonged coaxing with half a mile to run, angled six to seven wide into upper stretch and kicked on belatedly to secure the show honors while never threatening the top pair. WHITTINGTON PARK four then three wide through the first turn, chased three wide coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, swung three to four wide into upper stretch and made no headway. DREAMLIKE stumbled at the start and recovered inwards into HE'S GOT SWAGGER, chased three to four wide coming under coaxing at the seven-sixteenths, angled five to six wide into upper stretch and tired. CYBER NINJA chased just off the inside coming under coaxing three furlongs from home while tucked to the inside, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, tired. TAPIT SHOES stumbled to his knees at the start, chased along the inside just off the top pair, came under coaxing at the seven-sixteenths, took the inside route into upper stretch and was eased home to the finish stopping to a near walk at the end, then walked off under his own power.

SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 9**EQUIBASE**

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PURSE \$120,000 FOR NON-NYB) (UP TO \$27,144 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$18,000 TWICE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$62,500. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Other Than Claiming Or Starter In 2023 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race In 2023 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$62,500 (Allowance Horses Preferred)(1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). (NW2\$ X)

Claiming Price: \$62,500**Distance:** Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Darby Creek Road - 1:20.40 - August 8, 1978)**Purse:** \$156,000**Available Money:** \$156,000**Value of Race:** \$120,000 1st \$66,000, 2nd \$24,000, 3rd \$14,400, 4th \$7,200, 5th \$4,800, 6th \$1,200, 7th \$1,200, 8th \$1,200**Weather:** Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 5:45 **Start:** Good for all except 5 **Timing Method:** Electronic[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30Jun23 ⁹ ELP ⁶	7	He'smyhoneybadger (Gaffalione, Tyler)	126	L	7	3	3 ¹	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Neck}	3.60	out,4p,lead inside 1/8
23Jul23 ⁷ MTH ³	5	Castle Chaos (Torres, Jaime)	119	L	b	5	8	8	7 ²	2 ^{Nose}	36.25	hit gate,off bit slow
8Jul23 ⁷ BEL ⁷	3	Twenty Four Mamba (Rosario, Joel)	122	L	b	3	2	7 ³	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Neck}	8.80	frctious gate,2-3p trn
1Jul23 ¹⁰ GP ⁶	2	Willy Boi (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	122	L	2	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	8.50	3p turn,led1/4 to 1/8
2Jul23 ⁶ GP ³	8	Candy Tycoon (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	122	L	bf	8	5	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{2 1/2}	4.90	5w,4w1/4,blkcd,altered
16Jul23 ⁸ SAR ⁴	6	Shooters Shoot (Saez, Luis)	122	L	6	7	6 ^{Head}	6 ²	4 ¹	6 ^{3 1/2}	2.30*	6w trn,5w1/4,chsds,wknd
8Jul23 ⁷ BEL ⁶	4	Sagamore Mischief (Davis, Dylan)	122	L	b	4	6	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	6 ²	22.00	2path turn,empty
20May23 ¹⁰ BEL ²	1	H P Moon (Ortiz, Jose)	124	L	f	1	4	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	8	3.35	ins,falter,eased,wlkd

Fractional Times: 22.47 45.02 1:11.44**Final Time:** 1:23.74**Split Times:** (22:55) (26:42) (12:30)**Run-Up:** 50 feet**Winner:** He'smyhoneybadger, Chestnut Gelding, by [Daredevil](#) out of Majestic Miss, by Majestic Warrior. Foaled Feb 17, 2018 in Kentucky.

Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Richard Forbush**Owner:** David A. Bernsen LLC, Groene, Ron and Aldabbagh, Omar**Trainer:** Amoss, Thomas

3 Claimed Horse(s):	He'smyhoneybadger	New Trainer: Rob Atras	New Owner: Michael Dubb
	Shooters Shoot	New Trainer: Robertino Diodoro	New Owner: Kenneth L. Ramsey
	Willy Boi	New Trainer: Melanie Giddings	New Owner: Flying P Stable

Voided Claims: Candy Tycoon(Vet)**Claiming Prices:** 7 - He'smyhoneybadger: \$62,500; 2 - Willy Boi: \$62,500; 8 - Candy Tycoon: \$62,500; 6 - Shooters Shoot: \$62,500; 4 - Sagamore Mischief: \$62,500;**Total WPS Pool:** \$709,731

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	He'smyhoneybadger	9.20	5.50	3.90	\$1.00 Exacta	7-5	123.50	555,704
5	Castle Chaos		24.20	11.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-5-3	416.00	239,432
3	Twenty Four Mamba			7.00	\$1.00 Grand Slam	1/2/7-1/2/8-2/5/7-7 (4 correct)	32.50	63,445
					\$1.00 Pick 3	8-7-7 (3 correct)	460.50	70,951
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-7	16.40	105,995
					\$0.10 Superfecta	7-5-3-2	675.15	130,157

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	He'smyhoneybadger	3	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Neck}
5	Castle Chaos	8	8 ⁷	8 ^{7 1/2}	7 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{Neck}
3	Twenty Four Mamba	2	7 ⁴	7 ^{4 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{Neck}
2	Willy Boi	1	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}
8	Candy Tycoon	5	5 ³	5 ²	5 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}
6	Shooters Shoot	7	6 ⁴	6 ^{2 1/2}	4 ¹	6 ⁴
4	Sagamore Mischief	6	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ²	6 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{7 1/2}
1	H P Moon	4	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	8 ^{6 1/2}	8 ²⁰

Trainers: 7 - Amoss, Thomas; 5 - Falcone, Jr., Robert; 3 - Baker, Charlton; 2 - Delgado, Jorge; 8 - Jacobson, David; 6 - Sharp, Joe; 4 - Hills, Timothy; 1 - Rice, Linda**Owners:** 7 - David A. Bernsen LLC, Groene, Ron and Aldabbagh, Omar; 5 - Goldfarb, Sanford J., Nice Guys Stables and Beast Mode Racing LLC; 3 - PlayingTheField Racing, Final Turn Racing Stable, LLC, WLIR Racing Stables and Acqua Nova Stable; 2 - Lea Farms, LLC; 8 -Lawrence P. Roman; 6 - Bella Cavello Stables LLC; 4 - Sea Gull Capital; 1 - KEM Stables and Five Hellions Farm;**Footnotes**

HE'SMYHONEYBADGER was hustled from the gate, tracked the pace on the outside, was asked in the four path on the turn, made a bid coming to the furlong marker, took a short lead outside the sixteenth-pole and just held under strong urging. CASTLE CHAOS broke out then hit the gate and was off a bit slow, was urged along at the rear, went four wide on the turn then was driven five wide into the stretch, moved out while remaining on his inside lead around the three-sixteenths, swapped to the proper lead while picking up momentum approaching the sixteenth-pole and finished fast to just miss while narrowly up for the place. TWENTY FOUR MAMBA was fractious in the gate, settled off the pace, chased two to three wide on the turn, turned into upper stretch under a drive, gained to make a bid inside the furlong marker, fought with the winner to the finish and just missed while denied the place but earned the show. WILLY BOI became restless in the gate when his neighbor to the outside was fractious, drifted out under a loose right-rein entering the main-track, pressed

the pace on the outside of the leader, vied in the three path on the turn, took the lead near the quarter-pole, led under a drive into the final furlong, was headed outside the sixteenth-pole, fought with multiple opponents to the finish and just missed the trifecta. CANDY TYCOON broke out at the start, settled on the outside, ranged up five wide on the turn, was joined on the outside late on that bend, came four wide into the stretch while caught behind foes, waited while blocked from that point to inside the three-sixteenths then altered out, chased outside into the final furlong and finished willingly then was taken in hand near the wire. SHOOTERS SHOOT brushed with a rival at the start, was urged along on the outside, chased six wide on the turn, dropped to the five path while putting CANDY TYCOON in behind horses at the quarter-pole, chased outside into the final furlong, dropped back into the final sixteenth and weakened. SAGAMORE MISCHIEF moved in near the three-quarter pole then was well placed, came under urging in the two path on the turn, turned into upper stretch under a drive and lacked the needed response. H P MOON moved up to take the lead, set the pace under pressure to his outside, vied along the rail on the turn, was headed near the quarter-pole and stopped then was eased but walked off. THE THREE-QUARTER FRACTION WAS HAND TIMED.

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SARATOGA - August 13, 2023 - Race 10

STAKES Mahony S. Listed - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS . Non-Lasix race pursuant to 4043.2 (7)(e)(5) Lasix not permitted within 48 hours of post time. By subscription of \$150 each which should accompany the nomination; \$750 to pass the entry box and an additional \$750 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$750 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. The purse to be divided 55% to the winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 6% to fourth, 4% to fifth and 3% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. Weight 122 lbs. Non-winners of a sweepstake allowed 2 lbs.; of two races other than maiden, claiming, starter or State-bred allowance in 2023 allowed 4 lbs. A presentation will be made to the winning owner. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the main track. Closed Saturday, July 29, 2023 with 21 Original Nominations and 1 Supplement. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at Five and One Half Furlongs on the Main Track). (Rail at 27 feet).

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Turf Current Track Record: (Cogburn - 59.80 - June 8, 2024)

Purse: \$150,000 Added

Available Money: \$150,000


Value of Race: \$150,000 1st \$82,500, 2nd \$30,000, 3rd \$18,000, 4th \$9,000, 5th \$6,000, 6th \$1,125, 7th \$1,125, 8th \$1,125, 9th \$1,125

Weather: Clear, 80° Track: Firm

Off at: 6:19 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Jun23 ⁷ PID ²	3	Closethegame Sugar (Lezcano, Jose)	118	--	3	4	⁴ Head	⁵ ¹	² ¹	¹ ^{1/2}	19.50	3w upper, gamely
13May23 ¹⁰ CD ⁵	7	Private Creed (Rosario, Joel)	122	bf	7	6	⁶ Head	⁶ Head	³ Head	² ^{1/2}	11.20	bumped 1/16, willingly
20May23 ² BEL ¹	6	Eye Witness (Ortiz, Jose)	122	--	6	9	9	9	⁵ ^{1/2}	³ Neck	6.70	beh foe,bump foes 1/16
13May23 ¹⁰ CD ¹	5	No Nay Hudson (IRE) (Graham, James)	122	--	5	3	³ ¹	³ ¹	¹ Head	⁴ ^{1/2}	2.70*	bumped 1/16,outfinishd
20May23 ² BEL ⁶	9	Son of a Birch (Castellano, Javier)	118	--	8	8	⁸ ^{2 1/2}	⁸ ^{1 1/2}	⁷ ^{1/2}	⁵ ^{3/4}	22.70	7w upper, outkicked
13May23 ¹⁰ CD ³	2	Gaslight Dancer (Gaffalione, Tyler) 	122	b	2	7	⁷ ¹	⁷ ^{1/2}	⁴ Head	⁶ ^{5 1/4}	4.50	bumped st, wknd late
28Jul23 ¹⁰ SAR ³	10	Drew's Gold (Carmouche, Kendrick)	122	b	9	5	⁵ ¹	⁴ ^{1/2}	⁶ Head	⁷ ^{1/2}	5.90	4-3w pursuit, weakened
16Jul23 ⁹ SAR ¹	4	Uncashed (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	122	--	4	1	¹ Head	¹ Head	⁸ ^{5 1/2}	⁸ ^{9 1/2}	3.20	dueled 2p, weakened
20May23 ¹² GP ²	1	Harry Time (IRE) (Saez, Luis)	118	--	1	2	² ⁴	² ^{2 1/2}	9	9	16.30	dueled inside, tired

Fractional Times: 21.49 44.64 56.45

Final Time: 1:02.54

Split Times: (23:15) (11:81) (6:09)

Run-Up: 55 feet Temporary Rail: 27 feet

Winner: Closethegame Sugar, Bay Gelding, by Girvin out of Casual Cocktail, by Magna Graduate. Foaled Apr 21, 2020 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Brereton C. Jones

Owner: Rice, Adam and Sugar Diaz, LLC

Trainer: Rice, Adam

Scratched Horse(s): Crispy Cat (GB) (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$924,983

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
3	Closethegame Sugar	41.00	16.00	9.00	\$1.00 Exacta	3-7	178.00	729,148	
7	Private Creed		12.40	7.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-7-6	469.75	352,472	
6	Eye Witness			5.30	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-7-6-5	295.45	207,373	
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-3	107.50	310,917	
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-7-3 (3 correct)	798.50	356,730	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	8-7-7-3 (4 correct)	4,405.50	613,836	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	(X-COUNTRY) 3-1-9-3-3	16,000.00	94,122	
						(5 correct)			
					\$0.50 Pick 5	2-8-7-7-3 (5 correct)	33,939.00	1,033,693	
					\$1.00 Pick 6	1-2-8-7-7-3 (5 correct)	1,762.00	282,262	179,736

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
3	Closethegame Sugar	4	⁴ ⁵	⁵ ⁴	² Head	¹ ^{1/2}
7	Private Creed	6	⁶ ^{6 1/4}	⁶ ⁵	³ ¹	² ^{1/2}
6	Eye Witness	9	⁹ ^{9 3/4}	⁹ ^{7 1/4}	⁵ ^{1 1/4}	³ ¹
5	No Nay Hudson (IRE)	3	³ ⁴	³ ^{2 1/2}	¹ Head	⁴ ^{1 1/4}
9	Son of a Birch	8	⁸ ^{7 1/4}	⁸ ^{5 3/4}	⁷ ²	⁵ ^{1 3/4}
2	Gaslight Dancer	7	⁷ ^{6 1/4}	⁷ ^{5 1/4}	⁴ ^{1 1/4}	⁶ ^{2 1/2}
10	Drew's Gold	5	⁵ ^{5 1/4}	⁴ ^{3 1/2}	⁶ ^{1 3/4}	⁷ ^{7 3/4}
4	Uncashed	1	¹ Head	¹ Head	⁸ ^{2 1/2}	⁸ ^{8 1/4}
1	Harry Time (IRE)	2	² Head	² Head	⁹ ⁸	⁹ ^{17 3/4}


Trainers: 3 - Rice, Adam; 7 - Asmussen, Steven; 6 - Ward, Wesley; 5 - Ward, Wesley; 9 - Morley, Thomas; 2 - Maker, Michael; 10 - Chapman, James; 4 - Rivelli, Larry; 1 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie

Owners: 3 - Rice, Adam and Sugar Diaz, LLC; 7 -Mike McCarty; 6 - Westerberg, Magnier, Mrs. John, Poulin, Jonathan, Smith, Derrick and Tabor, Michael B.; 5 - Andrew Farm and For the People Racing Stable LLC; 9 - Santa Rey Stable and Morley, Thomas; 2 - Paradise Farms Corp., Staudacher, David, Skychai Racing LLC and Carlesimo, Angelo; 10 - Chapman, James K. and Tsujimoto, Stuart; 4 - Patricia's Hope LLC; 1 -Michael Iavarone;

Footnotes

CLOSETHEGAME SUGAR broke in a step at the start bumping GASLIGHT DANCER, chased just off the inside until tucked inside into the turn, swung three wide into upper stretch set down for the drive, rallied to take command just inside the eighth pole, dug in gamely to prevail at the end head cocked to the infield. PRIVATE CREED bumped after the start askew by SON OF A BIRCH, chased three then two wide coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, got let out six wide into upper stretch, rallied coming in slightly a furlong out, got bumped behind by EYE WITNESS near the sixteenth marker as that rival attempted to widen a seam to make it usable, dug in willingly to secure the place honors in a blanket finish on the wire. EYE WITNESS chased three wide down the backstretch at the tail of the field, tucked inside into the turn, came under coaxing near the quarter pole and swung three to four wide into upper

stretch set down for the drive, was in behind NO NAY HUDSON and brushed with GASLIGHT DANCER a furlong out, had a tight seam develop between PRIVATE CREED outside and NO NAY HUDSON inside and went for it bumping with PRIVATE CREED attempting to widen the seam and was denied, then bumped NO NAY HUDSON in behind CLOSETHEGAME SUGAR and was roused on through late to best that bumped rival for the show honors. NO NAY HUDSON (IRE) chased three then two wide just off the duel, came under coaxing near the quarter pole, swung four wide into upper stretch and took over command straightened away, dug in under threat and was collared just inside the eighth pole, battled on and was bumped behind nearing the sixteenth marker, then got nudged out of the way and in behind the leader late and was outfinished in the final jumps. SON OF A BIRCH chased four wide coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, angled out seven wide into upper stretch, offered up a mild bid but was outkicked in the late stages. GASLIGHT DANCER got bumped at the start by CLOSETHEGAME SUGAR, chased along the inside getting set down spinning just off the inside into upper stretch, offered up a bid a furlong out, then weakened in the late stages. DREW'S GOLD four then three wide in pursuit, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, tipped four to five wide into upper stretch, weakened in the final furlong. UNCASHED hustled from the gate, dueled from the two path with HARRY TIME to his inside, got let out spinning just off the inside into upper stretch and weakened. HARRY TIME (IRE) hustled from the start, dueled inside of UNCASHED from the get go coming under urging just outside the quarter pole, took the inside route into upper stretch and tired. There was a Claim of foul by the rider of EYE WITNESS alleging interference against PRIVATE CREED in the stretch run. After review, the claim was dismissed and the result was allowed to stand prior to the race being declared official.

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