

SARATOGA - July 27, 2024 - Race 6

STAKES Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred  
A HANDICAP FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Lasix not allowed within 48 hours of post time pursuant to HISA Rule 4212. By subscription of \$350 each which should accompany the nomination; \$1,750 to pass the entry box and an additional \$1,750 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$1,750 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the publication of weights. 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. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. Closed Saturday, July 13, 2024 with 20 Nominations.

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

Purse: \$350,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$350,000

Value of Race: \$350,000 1st \$192,500, 2nd \$70,000, 3rd \$42,000, 4th \$21,000, 5th \$14,000, 6th \$10,500

Weather: Clear, 84° Track: Fast

Off at: 3:22 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	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30Mar24 MEY <sup>3</sup>	1	Nakatomi (Gaffalione, Tyler)	120	--	1	2	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3.65	ins-2p,5p1/4,bid,clear
1Jun24 <sup>7</sup> CD <sup>2</sup>	6	Skelly (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	123	b	6	6	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>3/4</sup>	1.15*	2-3p turn,drift out1/8
3Jul24 <sup>9</sup> PRX <sup>2</sup>	2	Twisted Ride (Carmouche, Kendrick)	118	b	2	1	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	34.50	3p turn,6p1/4,willing
8Jun24 <sup>4</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	4	Baby Yoda (Cancel, Eric)	122	--	4	5	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Neck</sup>	3.40	5path turn,8p1/4,tired
1Jul24 <sup>7</sup> PID <sup>2</sup>	3	My Buddy B (Aviles, Yan)	116	b	3	4	6	6	6	5 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	31.00	2path turn,no threat
29Jun24 <sup>9</sup> BAQ <sup>1</sup>	5	Subrogate (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	119	--	5	3	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	6	3.20	4path turn,7p1/4,empty

Fractional Times: 22.20 44.95 57.03

Final Time: 1:09.97

Split Times: (22:75) (12:08) (12:94)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Nakatomi, Chestnut Gelding, by Firing Line out of Applelicious, by Flatter. Foaled Mar 29, 2019 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Arnold Zetcher LLC & Crestwood Farm

Owner: Qatar Racing LLC and Hay, Mrs. Fitriani

Trainer: Ward, Wesley

Total WPS Pool: \$1,081,692

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Nakatomi	9.30	3.90	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	1-6	14.60	643,135
6	Skelly		2.70	2.50	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-6-2	44.50	267,385
2	Twisted Ride			5.60	\$1.00 Pick 3	5-10-1 (3 correct)	83.25	104,620
					\$1.00 Daily Double	10-1	42.25	142,401
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-6-2-4	27.20	137,206

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Nakatomi	2	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>
6	Skelly	6	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>
2	Twisted Ride	1	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/4</sup>
4	Baby Yoda	5	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
3	My Buddy B	4	6 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6 3/4</sup>
5	Subrogate	3	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>12 1/2</sup>

Trainers: 1 - Ward, Wesley; 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 2 - Moore, Michael; 4 - Mott, William; 3 - Hetrick, Krista; 5 - Duarte, Jr., Jorge

Owners: 1 - Qatar Racing LLC and Hay, Mrs. Fitriani; 6 - Red Lane Thoroughbreds LLC; 2 - Kasey K Racing Stable LLC, Day, Michael R. and Final Turn Racing Stable LLC; 4 - Pantofel Stable, LLC, Wachtel Stable, Barber, Gary, and Zaro, Jerold L.; 3 -Krista Nicole Hetrick; 5 - Colts Neck Stables LLC;

Footnotes

NAKATOMI showed speed on the inside of foes then dropped just off the pace, saved ground on the turn, moved to the two path outside the quarter-pole, swung into the five path under a left-handed crop while gaining into the stretch, chased the runner-up on the outside, drew alongside that foe inside the furlong marker, took the advantage outside the sixteenth-pole, brushed with the runner-up inside that pole and proved best under good handling. SKELLY was last to commence, moved up on the outside to get the lead, shook clear near the nine-sixteenths pole, extended the advantage in the two path at the seven-sixteenths pole then moved to the three path, controlled the action under extra left-rein pressure going around the turn, responded well when set down after straightening for the drive, drifted out outside the furlong marker, lost the advantage to the winner outside the sixteenth-pole, brushed with that foe inside that pole and was outfinished while able to hold the place. TWISTED RIDE showed speed between foes then chased the pace, moved out late on the backstretch, was ridden along in the three path on the turn, turned into the stretch in the six path, pursued the top two in the drive and finished with good courage to safely secure the show. BABY YODA dropped back early then moved out, was ridden along on the outside, navigated the turn in the five path, turned into upper stretch in the eighth path and weakened. MY BUDDY B dropped to the rear then was urged along at the back, went around the turn in the two path and failed to threaten. SUBROGATE was hustled from the gate then ridden along off the pace, moved out near the five-eighths pole, traveled around the turn in the four path, spun into stretch in the seven path, dropped back while remaining on his inside lead into the final furlong and had nothing left.