

TENTH RACE
Saratoga
August 5th, 2012

6 FURLONGS. (1.08) STAKES. Purse \$400,000 ALFRED G. VANDERBILT H. (GRADE I) A HANDICAP FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. No nomination fee. \$4,000 to pass the entry box. A supplemental nomination fee of \$8,000 in addition to the entry fee will be accepted at any time prior to the publication of weights. All starters including supplemental nominees will receive a \$2,000 rebate. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among the remaining finishers. Any horse that competes in both the Alfred G. Vanderbilt Handicap and the Forego will have their entry fee waived for the Forego. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. Closed Saturday, July 21, 2012 with 22 Original Nominations and 1 Supplement. (Cloudy 84)

Value of Race: \$400,000 Winner \$240,000; second \$80,000; third \$40,000; fourth \$20,000; fifth \$12,000; sixth \$2,667; seventh \$2,667; eighth \$2,666. Mutuel Pool \$652,124 Pick 3 Pool \$71,222 Daily Double Pool \$146,828 Exacta Pool \$537,205 Superfecta Pool \$172,398 Trifecta Pool \$316,247 Grand Slam Pool \$29,183

Last Raced	#	Horse	M/Eqt.	A/S	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
08 Jly 12	9Mth ⁵	5 Poseidon's Warrior	L	4C	114	5	2	4 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{1½}	1nk	Ortiz, Jr. I	36.25
08 Jly 12	9Mth ³	3 Justin Phillip	L b	4C	115	3	7	5 ^{2½}	4 ^½	4 ²	2nk	Dominguez R A	6.00
05 May 12	6Bel ¹	2 Emcee	L	4C	115	2	4	1 ¹	1hd	1½	3 ^{1¼}	Garcia A	2.40
09 Jun 12	7Bel ⁴	8 Hamazing Destiny	L	6H	117	8	1	8	7 ¹	6 ¹	4 ^{1½}	Rosario J	30.75
29 Jun 12	9Prm ²	4 Rothko	L	4C	116	4	5	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹	5 ^{1¼}	Leparoux J R	7.30
31 Mar 12	2GP ²	7 Jersey Town	L	6H	116	7	8	6hd	6½	5hd	6½	Prado E S	8.00
07 Jly 12	10Mth ³	6 Sloane Ranger	L b	6G	115	6	3	7 ^{1½}	8	7 ¹	7 ^{3½}	Lezcano J	46.25
28 May 12	10Bel ¹	1 Shackelford	L	4C	121	1	6	3hd	5 ¹	8	8	Velazquez J R	1.20

OFF AT 5:56 Start Good. Won driving. Track Muddy.
TIME :214, :443, :562, 1:092 (:21.99, :44.61, :56.55, 1:09.40)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

5- POSEIDON'S WARRIOR 74.50 8.10
3- JUSTIN PHILLIP 6.10 3.50
2- EMCEE 3.40

\$2 EXACTA 5-3 PAID \$359.00 \$2 SUPERFACTA 5-3-2-8 PAID \$15,133.00

\$2 TRIFECTA 5-3-2 PAID \$1,554.00 \$2 GRAND SLAM 1/7/16-4/5/8-3/4/8-5 PAID \$583.00 4 Correct

Dark Bay or Brown Colt, (Apr), by Speightstown - Poised to Pounce by Smarten. Trainer Reid, Jr. E. Robert. Bred by Dark Hollow Farm & William P. Beatson(MD).

POSEIDON'S WARRIOR sat perched in the three path just behind the front twosome, patiently kept a watchful eye on them for nearly a half, was let out a notch a short distance from the quarter pole then for much more once into the stretch, lost ground making his way through the furlongs grounds, commencing to drift outward noticeably in the vicinity of the three-sixteenths pole, forged on ahead, closed in steadily leaving the furlong marker, still on a non straight course, and resisting right handed pressure coming from the pilot, took over about two strides prior to the wire then held off the runner up in time to preserve the decision. JUSTIN PHILLIP settled just behind the front runners, was put to some coaxing to keep pace from the two path for the opening half, swung wider for the stretch drive, drafted behind the eventual winner for a few strides, had the rider take a quick peek back over his right shoulder and commit to being angled outward just as the top one starting on a course in the direction of the grandstand apron, drifted out even more than that opponent did, fed a steady diet of right handed stick work all the while, continued on with good courage but came up short. EMCEE quickly tucked over to the rail on a freshly harrowed track, argued to maintain control, was set down shortly before reaching the quarter pole, feeling intensified pressure from the closest pursuers at this juncture, held on gallantly but got reeled in late. HAMAIZING DESTINY came in slightly at the start, making light contact with the nearest rival, raced from well off the inside throughout, was parked along the overland from about midway on the turn, steadily worked his way farther and farther away from the rail proceeding down the stretch, was taken inward for final stages and kicked in with some late foot to secure the last major check. ROTHKO assumed a forward position soon after the start, moved up during the later stages of the run around the bend setting up a stiff challenge by the quarter pole, sparred on nearly even terms with EMCEE during the ensuing furlong, weakened once past the eighth pole. JERSEY TOWN bobbed slightly then brushed with HAMAIZING DESTINY who was coming inward at that time, settled along and rode the rail until the three-eighths pole, commenced to angle outward under his own power, taking the three path away from SLOANE RANGER soon afterwards, swung into the stretch and was asked for a response, made little headway on the front runners. SLOANE RANGER departed the backstretch three wide, lost position to JERSEY TOWN coming to the five-sixteenths pole, leaving that station four wide, entered the stretch and lacked the needed response. SHACKLEFORD was used hard early, getting put to strong hand encouragement as soon as about a jump or so out of the starting gate, got geared down after securing the pocket, but remained under lighter encouragement while tracking the front runners, underwent a ground-saving journey, failed to fire when called upon for the stretch and retreated.

Owners- 5, Swilcan Stable LLC ; 3, Zayat Stables, LLC ; 2, Godolphin Racing LLC ; 8, Butzow, Barry and Westrock Stables LLC ; 4, Padua Stables ; 7, Fipke Charles E.; 6, Schowe Vicki ; 1, Lauffer, Michael, Cubbedge, W. D. and Phillips Racing Partnership

Trainers- 5, Reid, Jr. Robert E.; 3, Asmussen Steven M.; 2, McLaughlin Kieran P.; 8, Lukas D. Wayne; 4, Asmussen Steven M.; 7, Tagg Barclay ; 6, Ciresa Martin E.; 1, Romans Dale L.

Breeders- 5, Dark Hollow Farm & William P. Beatson (MD); 3, Oakbrook Farm (KY); 2, Darley (KY); 8, Destinaire Farm (KY); 4, Padua Stables (KY); 7, Charles Fipke (KY); 6, Vicky Schowe (PA); 1, Mike Lauffer & Bill Cubbedge (KY)

\$2 Daily Double (3-5) Paid \$244.00; Daily Double Pool \$146,828.

\$2 Pick Three (4-3-5) Paid \$2,404.00; Pick Three Pool \$71,222.

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