

BELMONT PARK - May 7, 2003 - Race 8

STAKES Westchester H. Grade 3 - Thoroughbred

(Up to \$19,400 NYSBFOA) A HANDICAP FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. By subscription of \$100 each, which should accompany the nomination; \$500 to pass the entry box; \$500 to start, with \$100,000 added. The added money and all fees to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. Closed Saturday, April 26, 2003 with 27 Nominations.

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Najran - 1:32.24 - May 7, 2003)





Purse: \$100,000 Added

Available Money: \$109,700

Value of Race: \$109,700 1st \$65,820, 2nd \$21,940, 3rd \$12,067, 4th \$6,582, 5th \$3,291

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:41 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
13Apr03 ⁸ KEE ⁷	1	Najran (Prado, Edgar) 	113	L	c	1 2	¹ 2 1/2	¹ 3 1/2	¹ 5 1/2	¹ 8	¹ 4 1/2	5.40	shown whip stretch
11Apr03 ⁷ AQU ¹	4	Saarland (Velazquez, John)	114	L	bf	4 7	7	7	⁵ Head	³ 1/2	² 3	1.35*	5 wide move, gamely
23Apr03 ⁸ AQU ¹	3	Justification (Luzzi, Michael)	113	L	c	3 4	⁵ 1/2	⁵ 1	⁶ 2	⁵ Head	³ 1/2	12.60	4 wide, no rally
21Mar03 ⁹ GP ¹	2	Gander (Migliore, Richard)	116	L	b	2 5	⁶ 2	⁶ Head	7	7	⁴ Head	4.00	came wide, no rally
27Mar03 ⁷ AQU ¹	6	Regal Sanction (Santos, Jose) 	114	L	c	6 1	² 1/2	² Head	² 1 1/2	² Head	⁵ 1 1/4	16.50	chased inside, tired
11Apr03 ⁹ KEE ³	5	Bowman's Band (Bailey, Jerry) 	116	L		5 3	⁴ 1 1/2	⁴ 2	³ 1/2	⁴ 1	⁶ 2	4.40	no response
5Apr03 ⁶ GP ¹	7	Saint Appeal (Chavez, Jorge) 	113	L		7 6	³ Head	³ 3 1/2	⁴ Head	⁶ Head	7	13.20	stumbled start, tired

Fractional Times: 22.65 44.67 1:07.76

Final Time: 1:32.24

Split Times: (22:02) (23:09) (24:48)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Najran, Gray or Roan Colt, by Runaway Groom out of Line Command, by Capote. Foaled Feb 06, 1999 in Kentucky.

Breeder: France Weiner & Irv Weiner. **Winning Owner:** Buckram Oak Farm

Total WPS Pool: \$441,972

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Najran	12.80	4.70	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	1-4	37.40	385,126
4	Saarland		3.10	2.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-4-3	255.50	294,317
3	Justification			4.50				

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Najran	2	¹ 2 1/2	¹ 3 1/2	¹ 5 1/2	¹ 8	¹ 4 1/2
4	Saarland	7	⁷ 7	⁷ 10 1/4	⁵ 7 1/2	³ 8	² 4 1/2
3	Justification	4	⁵ 4 1/2	⁵ 9	⁶ 7 3/4	⁵ 9 1/2	³ 7 1/2
2	Gander	5	⁶ 5	⁶ 10	⁷ 9 3/4	⁷ 9 3/4	⁴ 8
6	Regal Sanction	1	² 2 1/2	² 3 1/2	² 5 1/2	² 8	⁵ 8
5	Bowman's Band	3	⁴ 3	⁴ 7	³ 7	⁴ 8 1/2	⁶ 9 1/4
7	Saint Appeal	6	³ 3	³ 3 1/2	⁴ 7 1/2	⁶ 9 3/4	⁷ 11 1/4

Trainers: 1 - Zito, Nicholas; 4 - McGaughey III, Claude; 3 - Jerkens, H.; 2 - Terranova, II, John; 6 - Jerkens, James; 5 - Matz, Michael; 7 - Jolley, LeRoy

Owners: 1 - Buckram Oak Farm; 4 -Cynthia Phipps; 3 -Joseph V. Shields, Jr.; 2 - Gatsas Thoroughbreds LLC; 6 - Moore, Susan and John; 5 -Martin S. Schwartz; 7 - Stronach Stables;

Footnotes

NAJRAN quickly sprinted clear, set the pace while away from the inner railing, widened on the turn, drew away entering the stretch and remained well clear while being shown the whip through the stretch. SAARLAND was outrun early, rallied five wide approaching the stretch and finished gamely to earn the place award. JUSTIFICATION was hustled along early, raced four wide on the turn and lacked a rally. GANDER was outrun early, came wide entering the stretch and had no rally. REGAL SANCTION was hustled from the gate, chased the pace along the inside and tired in the stretch. BOWMAN'S BAND was urged along early, chased the pace while three wide on the turn, angled to the inside for the drive and tired in the stretch. SAINT APPEAL stumbled at the start, hit the gate, was hustled outside, chased the pace and tired after three quarters.

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