

**BELMONT PARK - May 27, 2013 - Race 1**

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD FOALED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of \$34,000 At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since March 27, 2013 Allowed 2 lbs. (Races where entered for \$35,000 or less not considered in allowances) (Preference by condition eligibility). (SNW1 X)

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Inner turf **Track Record:** (Onus - 1:38.86 - May 21, 2016)

**Purse:** \$62,000

**Available Money:** \$62,000

**Value of Race:** \$62,000 1st \$37,200, 2nd \$12,400, 3rd \$6,200, 4th \$3,100, 5th \$1,860, 6th \$248, 7th \$248, 8th \$248, 9th \$248, 10th \$248

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Firm

**Off at:** 1:05 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
14Jul12 <sup>5</sup> BEL <sup>7</sup>	3	Royal Blessing (Chamafi, Jilver)	122	L	3	2	6 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Neck</sup>	36.25	4w run 2nd, confident
4May13 <sup>8</sup> BEL <sup>4</sup>	2	Noosh's Tale (Solis, Alex)	116	L b	2	5	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>3/4</sup>	10.00	ins to 1/4, 3w 3/16pl
26Apr13 <sup>7</sup> BEL <sup>1</sup>	1	With Exultation (Lezcano, Jose)	118	L	1	1	5 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	0.85*	rank in pocket early
4May13 <sup>8</sup> BEL <sup>2</sup>	9	Toy Cannon (Alvarado, Junior)	122	L	9	10	9 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	3.60	ran into traffic late
5May13 <sup>2</sup> BEL <sup>5</sup>	7	Petrocelli (Castellano, Javier)	116	L b	7	4	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	19.60	rated inside, faltered
13Oct12 <sup>3</sup> MED <sup>4</sup>	11	Hepatologist (Rosario, Joel)	122	L b	10	7	4 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	11.10	stalked 2p, no rally
1Dec12 <sup>9</sup> AQU <sup>1</sup>	6	Status of Forces (Prado, Edgar)	122	L	6	6	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>Neck</sup>	43.75	pressed 3w, gave way
4May13 <sup>8</sup> BEL <sup>3</sup>	4	Gossip Column (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	122	L b	4	9	10	10	10	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>7 3/4</sup>	8.60	svd ground 2nd turn
3Nov12 <sup>3</sup> AQU <sup>5</sup>	5	Sam's Buck (Velasquez, Cornelio)	122	L b	5	3	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	19.00	4w upper, no impact
11May13 <sup>8</sup> BEL <sup>8</sup>	8	Sky Colors (Ortiz, Jose)	122	L b	8	8	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	10	10	84.25	4w 1st turn, folded

**Fractional Times:** 24.46 48.63 1:13.23 1:37.12

**Final Time:** 1:43.18

**Split Times:** (24:17) (24:60) (23:89) (6:06)

**Run-Up:** 28 feet **Temporary Rail:** 27 feet

**Winner:** Royal Blessing, Chestnut Colt, by [Kitten's Joy](#) out of Kamaina Rose, by Royal Academy. Foaled Mar 17, 2009 in New York.

Winner's sire standing at Ramsey Farm

**Breeder:** Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey. **Winning Owner:** High Horse Racing

**Scratched Horse(s):** Charlie's Punch (Main-Track-Only), Ego Friendly (Main-Track-Only), Ghostly Vision (Main-Track-Only), Hyman Roth (Also-Eligible), Irish Moon (Main-Track-Only), Knock Quietly (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$308,207

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Royal Blessing	74.50	28.80	12.20	\$2.00 Exacta	3-2	817.00	333,985
2	Noosh's Tale		11.00	5.20	\$2.00 Superfecta	3-2-1-9	15,290.00	101,548
1	With Exultation			2.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-2-1	2,706.00	197,656

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Royal Blessing	2	6 <sup>4</sup>	7 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Neck</sup>
2	Noosh's Tale	5	8 <sup>5</sup>	6 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Neck</sup>
1	With Exultation	1	5 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>
9	Toy Cannon	10	9 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>5</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>
7	Petrocelli	4	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>
11	Hepatologist	7	4 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>5 1/4</sup>
6	Status of Forces	6	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
4	Gossip Column	9	10 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>6 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>7</sup>	8 <sup>5 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
5	Sam's Buck	3	7 <sup>5</sup>	8 <sup>6</sup>	9 <sup>6</sup>	9 <sup>6 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>14 1/4</sup>
8	Sky Colors	8	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>16 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 3 - Albertrani, Thomas; 2 - Kelly, Patrick; 1 - Clement, Christophe; 9 - Mott, William; 7 - Hills, Timothy; 11 - Servis, Jason; 6 - Torelli, Stacy; 4 - Orseno, Joseph; 5 - Weaver, George; 8 - Ortiz, Juan

**Owners:** 3 - High Horse Racing; 2 - Fox Ridge Farm, Inc.; 1 - Live Oak Plantation; 9 - Pompa, Jr., Paul, P. and Dee Tee Stable; 7 - Hills, Timothy A., Nichols, William H. and Sacco, Ernest; 11 - Four Tags Stable; 6 - Stacy Torelli; 4 - Brian G. Miller; 5 - George Weaver; 8 - Juan C. Fernandez;

**Footnotes**

ROYAL BLESSING settled into midpack from off the inside, was tipped out four wide a short distance before reaching the end of the backstretch, unleashed a sustained run from the half mile pole to greatly improve position by the end of that bend, maintained the momentum turning for home and continued to gain real estate, won an abbreviated fight with another pair in the final stages, and edged away under confident handling. NOOSH'S TALE saved ground until the quarter pole, got angled outward until three wide a short ways into the stretch run, cut into the leader's margin readily, vied for a few strides for command from between rivals eventually gaining the place. WITH EXULTATION put to snug hold by the pilot, rated unkindly until about midpoint on the backstretch, patiently tracked the front runners more professionally thereafter, slipped out of the pocket and into the two path leaving the five-sixteenths marker, waited to arrive at the head of the stretch then got turned loose, picked up the pace noticeably and took over the lead with an eighth to go, came under heavy pressure from the first two finishers, themselves rallying as a team and yielded to their challenge in the final seventy yards. TOY CANNON strung out three wide on the opening bend, was closer to the rail but between rivals proceeding for most of the way down the backstretch, ducked over to the inside route during the later stages of the run around the far turn and cut the corner into the lane, responded willingly when asked for a response, ran into a temporary blindswitch in the vicinity of the sixteenth pole, and was steadied for just one jump, tipped outward and held on well for the last major check. PETROCELLI rated along on a loosely-contested from the rail until the quarter pole, yielded running through the furlong grounds and backed away. HEPATOLOGIST within range, stalked the pacesetter from the two path, had no rally. STATUS OF FORCES pressed the issue three wide for six furlongs and gave way. GOSSIP COLUMN took the inside route on the far turn and had failed to menace. SAM'S BUCK four wide at the head of the stretch, made no impact. SKY COLORS travelled four wide on the opening bend, moved up in tandem with STATUS OF FORCES after entering the backstretch to

increase his presence, remained well off the rail staying in contention for three-quarters and folded.

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