

BELMONT PARK - September 7, 2002 - Race 9



STAKES Woodward S. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

(Up to \$57,000 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD AT WEIGHT FOR AGE. By subscription of \$500 each, which should accompany the nomination; \$2,500 to pass the entry box and \$2,500 to start. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Weights for age. Three year olds, 122 lbs.; older, 126 lbs. The estate of Mrs. William Woodward, Sr. to add the Woodward Challenge Cup, to be won three times, not necessarily consecutively, by the same owner before becoming his or her property. The owner of the winner will also receive a trophy for permanent possession and trophies will be presented to the winning trainer and jockey. Closed Saturday, August 24, 2002 with 23 Nominations.

One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Secretariat - 1:45.40 - September 15, 1973)

Purse: \$500,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$500,000

Value of Race: \$500,000 1st \$300,000, 2nd \$100,000, 3rd \$55,000, 4th \$30,000, 5th \$15,000

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:18 **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 |
|--|-----|-----------------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| 3Aug02 ⁹ SAR ³ | 1 | Lido Palace (CHI) (Chavez, Jorge) | 126 | L b | 1 | 6 | 3 ^{Head} | 3 ^{Head} | 4 ⁷ | 3 ⁷ | 1 ^{3/4} | 0.45* | came wide, driving |
| 17Aug02 ⁸ SAR ¹⁰ | 5 | Gander (Migliore, Richard) | 126 | L b | 5 | 1 | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ^{Neck} | 8.00 | gamely between rivals |
| 27Jul02 ⁹ MTH ⁶ | 2 | Express Tour (Velazquez, John) | 126 | L | 2 | 5 | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{7 3/4} | 6.50 | stayed on stubbornly |
| 17Aug02 ⁸ SAR ⁷ | 6 | Baseball Champion (Day, Pat) | 126 | L b | 6 | 2 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 ^{Neck} | 17.10 | inside trip, no rally |
| 21Jul02 ⁸ BEL ¹ | 4 | Sherpa Guide (Santos, Jose) | 126 | L f | 4 | 4 | 5 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ^{3 1/2} | 5 ^{1/2} | 5 ^{1 1/4} | 18.80 | 3 wide, no response |
| 18Aug02 ¹⁰ MTH ¹ | 3 | Cat's At Home (Prado, Edgar) | 126 | L b | 3 | 3 | 4 ⁶ | 4 ⁸ | 3 ^{Head} | 4 ³ | 6 | 6.80 | chased 3 wide, tired |

Fractional Times: 23.28 45.93 1:09.61 1:34.82

Final Time: 1:47.75

Split Times: (22:65) (23:68) (25:21) (12:93)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Lido Palace (CHI), Chestnut Horse, by Rich Man's Gold out of Sonada (CHI), by Quick Decision. Foaled Sep 24, 1997 in Chile.

Breeder: Haras Figuron. **Winning Owner:** Amerman Racing LLC

Total WPS Pool: \$900,585

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-------------------|------|-------|------|-----------------|-----------------|--------|---------|
| 1 | Lido Palace (CHI) | 2.90 | 2.30 | 2.10 | \$2.00 Exacta | 1-5 | 10.60 | 512,659 |
| 5 | Gander | | 3.80 | 2.10 | \$2.00 Trifecta | 1-5-2 | 46.00 | 357,273 |
| 2 | Express Tour | | | 2.10 | | | | |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Lido Palace (CHI) | 6 | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 4 ² | 3 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{3/4} |
| 5 | Gander | 1 | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ^{3/4} |
| 2 | Express Tour | 5 | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{Head} | 3 ¹ |
| 6 | Baseball Champion | 2 | 6 ^{9 1/4} | 6 ¹¹ | 6 ^{12 1/2} | 6 ¹¹ | 4 ^{8 3/4} |
| 4 | Sherpa Guide | 4 | 5 ^{7 3/4} | 5 ^{9 1/2} | 5 ⁹ | 5 ^{10 1/2} | 5 ⁹ |
| 3 | Cat's At Home | 3 | 4 ^{1 3/4} | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ² | 4 ^{7 1/2} | 6 ^{10 1/4} |

Trainers: 1 - Frankel, Robert; 5 - Terranova, II, John; 2 - bin Suroor, Saeed; 6 - McGaughey III, Claude; 4 - Bush, Thomas; 3 - Hennig, Mark

Owners: 1 - Amerman Racing LLC; 5 - Gatsas Thoroughbreds LLC; 2 - Godolphin Racing LLC; 6 - Phipps, Ogden Mills, et al; 4 - Berkshire Stud; 3 - Edward P. Evans;

Footnotes

LIDO PALACE (CHI) raced close up inside, angled out entering the stretch, closed determinedly from the outside and was up in time under steady pressure, driving. GANDER pressed the pace from the outside, earned a short lead turning for home and dug in gamely while between rivals in the drive. EXPRESS TOUR quickly showed in front, set the pace along the inside and stayed on stubbornly on the rail. BASEBALL CHAMPION was outrun early, raced inside and had no rally. SHERPA GUIDE was outrun early, raced three wide and had no response when roused. CAT'S AT HOME chased the pace while three wide and tired in the stretch.