

SARATOGA - July 18, 2010 - Race 3

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

TO BE RUN OVER NATIONAL FENCES FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 135 lbs.; Four Year Olds, 147 lbs.; Older, 154 lbs.

Two And One Sixteenth Miles On The Hurdle **Track Record:** (Equistar - 3:36.28 - August 22, 2002)



Purse: \$20,000

Available Money: \$20,000

Value of Race: \$20,000 1st \$12,000, 2nd \$3,600, 3rd \$2,000, 4th \$1,000, 5th \$800, 6th \$600

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 2:42 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/2	1m	11/2	13/4	Str	Fin	Comments
18Jun10 ¹ PEN ⁴	2	Parker's Project (Hodsdon, Danielle)	147	L	2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ⁴	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	well managed,game 1/4
4Jun10 ⁴ PHA ³	5	Straight to It (Aizpuru, Xavier) 	147	L	4	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ³	2 ⁵	2 ¹⁰	2 ²⁶	needed more,2nd best
18Jun10 ¹ PEN ⁸	8	Salinja (Petty, Jody) 	154	L	7	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5	4 ³	4 ⁴	3 ^{6 1/2}	mild bid,empty lane
18Jun10 ¹ PEN ¹¹	1	Bag of Hammers (Slater, James)	154	L	1	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	5	5	4 ^{7 1/2}	through after 1 1/2 m
19Jun10 ¹² CNL ³	4	Two Ticks (Murphy, Jeff)	147	L	3	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ⁶	3 ¹	3 ^{6 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	5	through after 1 1/2 m
19Aug06 ¹ SAR ¹⁰	6	Belarion (Young, Paddy)	154	L	5	7	7	---	---	---	---	pulled up past 6th fnc
18Jun10 ¹ PEN ³	7	Boyhood Dream (Crowley, Brian)	147	L	6	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	---	---	---	---	pulled up lame 5th fnc

Final Time: 4:02.00

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Parker's Project, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Parker's Storm Cat out of Let's Canoodle, by Oh Say. Foaled Apr 25, 2006 in Pennsylvania.

Breeder: Jonathan Sheppard.

Winning Owner: Hudson River Farms

Scratched Horse(s): Ascertain (IRE) (Trainer)

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	1/2	1m	11/2	13/4	Str	Fin
2	Parker's Project	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ⁴	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}
5	Straight to It	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ⁴	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}
8	Salinja	5 ²	5 ³	5 ^{10 1/2}	4 ^{12 1/2}	4 ^{11 1/2}	3 ^{27 1/2}
1	Bag of Hammers	3 ¹	4 ²	4 ⁸	5 ^{15 1/2}	5 ^{15 1/2}	4 ³⁴
4	Two Ticks	6 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	3 ⁷	3 ⁶	3 ^{11 1/2}	5 ^{41 1/2}
6	Belarion	7 ^{4 3/4}	7 ^{10 1/2}	---	---	---	---
7	Boyhood Dream	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	---	---	---	---

Trainers: 2 - Sheppard, Jonathan; 5 - Fisher, Jack; 8 - Neilson, Sanna; 1 - Slater, Brianne; 4 - Fout, Paul; 6 - Young, Leslie; 7 - Voss, Thomas

Owners: 2 - Hudson River Farms; 5 - Williams, Sheila J. and Brewster, Andre W.; 8 -Nina S. Strawbridge; 1 -Irvin S. Naylor; 4 -James Piper; 6 - Diamond M Stable; 7 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.;

Footnotes

PARKER'S PROJECT was well managed on the front end, dug in to the challenge of the runner up into the final turn and responded gamely the last quarter while being directed around the last fence. STRAIGHT TO IT stalked the winner throughout, took aim into the final turn and though dueled close from the quarter pole, was ultimately turned back and directed around the last fence. SALINJA rated off the pace, made a mild bid toward the final turn though was not encouraged in the stretch and directed around the last fence. BAG OF HAMMERS was through after a mile and a half and directed around the last fence. TWO TICKS was through after a mile and a half and directed around the last fence. BELARION was pulled up past the sixth fence. BOYHOOD DREAM was pulled up lame over the fifth fence. All traffic was directed around the last fence due to Boyhood Dream being pulled up and unable to be taken off the course .This race was run as a non betting race.

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate