

**SARATOGA - July 29, 2006 - Race 8**

STAKES Diana S. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. By subscription of \$500 each, which should accompany the nomination; \$2,500 to pass the entry box, \$2,500 to start. The purse to be divided 60% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among remaining finishers. Three year olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a Grade 1 twice on the turf in 2005-06 or a Grade 2 twice on the turf in 2006 allowed 3 lbs.; a Grade 1 in 2005-06 or a Grade 2 in 2006, 5 lbs. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the Main Track. In the event that this race is taken off the turf, it may be subject to downgrading upon review by the Graded Stakes Committee. Closed Saturday, July 15, 2006 with 24 Nominations. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at One Mile and One Eighth on the main track.).

One And One Eighth Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Hard Not to Like - 1:45.22 - July 25, 2015)



**Purse:** \$500,000 Guaranteed

**Available Money:** \$500,000

**Value of Race:** \$500,000 1st \$300,000, 2nd \$100,000, 3rd \$50,000, 4th \$25,000, 5th \$15,000, 6th \$10,000

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Yielding

**Off at:** 5:12 **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
24Jun06 <sup>8</sup> BEL <sup>2</sup>	2	Angara (GB) (Jara, Fernando)	120	L	2	4	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3.80	resolutely, got up
1Jul06 <sup>6</sup> HOL <sup>2</sup>	4	Sweet Talker (Dominguez, Ramon) 	120	L	4	1	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 1/2	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Nose</sup>	4.60	gamely between rivals
24Jun06 <sup>8</sup> BEL <sup>3</sup>	3	Argentina (IRE) (Prado, Edgar)	118	L	3	2	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 3/4	4.10	traffic, split rivals
17Jun06 <sup>11</sup> CD <sup>1</sup>	7	My Typhoon (IRE) (Velasquez, Cornelio)	118	L	6	5	1 1/2	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 1/2	2 1 1/2	4 <sup>Head</sup>	8.50	stubbornly on hedge
17Jun06 <sup>8</sup> CD <sup>1</sup>	6	Lady of Venice (FR) (Leparoux, Julien)	113	L	5	6	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 <sup>Head</sup>	5 1 3/4	1.15*	3 wide both turns
1Jul06 <sup>9</sup> PHA <sup>2</sup>	1	Sabellina (Castellano, Javier) 	118	L	1	3	6	6	6	6	6	32.50	rank under restraint

**Fractional Times:** 23.95 47.94 1:12.22 1:36.58

**Final Time:** 1:49.20

**Split Times:** (23:99) (24:28) (24:36) (12:62)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Angara (GB), Bay Mare, by Alzao out of Ange Bleu, by Alleged. Foaled Mar 21, 2001 in Great Britain.

**Breeder:** Dayton Investments Ltd. **Winning Owner:** Sangster Family Stable

**Scratched Horse(s):** Wend (Trainer)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$1,012,964

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Angara (GB)	9.60	4.10	3.10	\$2.00 Exacta	2-4	41.60	735,248
4	Sweet Talker		4.80	3.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-4-3	154.00	449,403
3	Argentina (IRE)			3.40	\$2.00 Pick 3	3-1-2 (3 correct)	276.00	135,871

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Angara (GB)	4	5 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 1 3/4	1 <sup>Head</sup>
4	Sweet Talker	1	3 1 1/2	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 1/2	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>
3	Argentina (IRE)	2	2 1 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 1 1/2	3 <sup>Head</sup>
7	My Typhoon (IRE)	5	1 1/2	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 1/2	2 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>
6	Lady of Venice (FR)	6	4 1 3/4	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 1 1/2	4 1 3/4	5 <sup>1</sup>
1	Sabellina	3	6 3/4	6 <sup>5</sup>	6 4 1/2	6 4 3/4	6 <sup>2</sup> 3/4

**Trainers:** 2 - Mott, William; 4 - Motion, H.; 3 - Frankel, Robert; 7 - Mott, William; 6 - Biancone, Patrick; 1 - Aquilino, Joseph

**Owners:** 2 - Sangster Family Stable; 4 - Donald A. Adam; 3 - Wildenstein Stable; 7 - Live Oak Plantation; 6 - Martin S. Schwartz; 1 - Jay A. Lieberman;

**Footnotes**

ANGARA (GB) checked slightly in tight soon after the start, was taken in hand along the inside on the first turn, raced just off the pace along the backstretch, gained a bit between horses midway on the turn, was forced to wait for room while in traffic nearing the quarter pole, split rivals to get clear in upper stretch then finished with a flourish between horses to get up in the final stride. SWEET TALKER stalked the pace between horses along the backstretch, made her move from outside to challenge midway on the turn, overtook MY TYPHOON to gain a slim advantage in midstretch, battled heads apart into deep stretch and yielding grudgingly while narrowly holding for the place. ARGENTINA (IRE) tucked in along the rail on the first turn, settled in good position while saving ground the backstretch, raced just off the pace while continuing to save ground through the turn, was caught behind horses entering the stretch, awaited room in traffic approaching the furlong marker, split rivals to get clear a sixteenth out, drew on even terms with SWEET TALKER in deep stretch and narrowly missed the place. MY TYPHOON (IRE) sprinted clear in the early stages and angled to the inside, set the pace along the rail into midstretch and weakened in the final sixteenth. LADY OF VENICE (FR) in hand early, was caught four wide on the first turn, stalked the leaders while continuing wide to the top of the stretch, battled into midstretch and yielded late. SABELLINA steadied sharply while rank in the early stages, trailed to the turn, swung five wide entering the stretch and rallied mildly.

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