

SARATOGA - July 31, 2011 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since May 27 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$14,000 (Races where entered for \$10,000 or less not considered). **Claiming Price:** \$14,000

One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Lawyer Ron - 1:46.64 - July 28, 2007)

Purse: \$33,000

Includes: \$6,000 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$33,000

Value of Race: \$33,000 1st \$10,800 1st \$10,800, 3rd \$2,700, 4th \$1,620, 5th \$1,080, 6th \$1,000, 7th \$1,000, 8th \$1,000, 9th \$1,000, 10th \$1,000, 11th \$1,000

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:02 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Jun11 ⁷ BEL ⁸	3	Marquet Rebel (Cohen, David)	121 L bf	3	2	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	3 ³	1 ¹	1 ^{2 3/4}	7.70	3 wide, drift out lane
24Jun11 ⁶ BEL ³	5	Stud Muffin (Velasquez, Cornelio)	121 L b	5	4	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ²	4 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 3/4}	3.60	4w into lane, gradually
15Jul11 ⁵ BEL ⁴	6	Most Happy Fella (Lezcano, Jose)	121 L b	6	3	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{3/4}	10.20	vied btwn, held show
4Jul11 ⁶ BEL ³	10	Sheraguska (Cruz, Manoel)	121 L f	9	11	11	10 ^{1/2}	7 ³	5 ⁴	4 ^{3/4}	15.00	bump st, ang, spl't 5/16
29Jun11 ⁴ BEL ⁴	12	Wishful Tomcat (Castellano, Javier)	121 L	11	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ¹	2 ²	5 ^{2 1/4}	2.55*	3w to front, weakened
4Jul11 ⁶ BEL ¹	4	Show Trial (Dominguez, Ramon)	121 L	4	9	10 ^{1 1/2}	11	10 ³	6 ³	6 ⁷	3.70	no factor
4Jul11 ⁶ BEL ⁵	1	Merlin Bay (Maragh, Rajiv)	121 L bf	1	10	7 ^{Head}	8 ¹	8 ¹	8 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{4 1/4}	34.00	5w upper, no kick
3Jul11 ⁷ BEL ¹	11	Hill Crossing (Castro, Eddie)	121 L b	10	5	5 ⁴	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	8 ^{5 1/2}	17.40	3 wide both turns
16Jul11 ⁴ BEL ⁶	7	French Transition (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	116 ⁵ L f	7	7	9 ^{1 1/2}	9 ²	11	10 ^{1 1/2}	9 ³	66.50	bump after brk, outrun
22Jul11 ¹ FL ¹	9	Security Guard (Mena, Miguel)	121 L bf	8	8	8 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	9 ¹	11	10 ⁶	45.00	bump st, 4w 1st turn
4Jul11 ⁵ MTH ⁶	2	Miner's Escape (Nakatani, Corey)	121 L b	2	6	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	9 ²	11	9.10	inside, vie with duo

Fractional Times: 23.48 47.27 1:12.21 1:38.15

Final Time: 1:52.24

Split Times: (23:79) (24:94) (25:94) (14:09)

Run-Up: 66 feet

Winner: Marquet Rebel, Chestnut Gelding, by Marquetry out of Sheldon's View, by Buckaroo. Foaled Mar 21, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Stone Trace Farm LLC.

Winning Owner: Valente, Roddy J., Casale, Charles and Lemme, Tom

Winner: Stud Muffin, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Raffle's Majesty out of Saratoga Princess, by Seattle Dancer. Foaled Feb 27, 2004 in New York.

Breeder: Majesty Stud LLC.

Winning Owner: Michael Dubb

1 Claimed Horse(s): Show Trial

New Trainer: Linda Rice

New Owner: Linda Rice

Claiming Prices: 3 - Marquet Rebel: \$14,000; 5 - Stud Muffin: \$14,000; 6 - Most Happy Fella: \$14,000; 10 - Sheraguska: \$14,000; 12 - Wishful Tomcat: \$14,000; 4 - Show Trial: \$14,000; 1 - Merlin Bay: \$14,000; 11 - Hill Crossing: \$14,000; 7 - French Transition: \$14,000; 9 - Security Guard: \$14,000; 2 - Miner's Escape: \$14,000;

Dead Heats: 1st place - # 3 Marquet Rebel
1st place - # 5 Stud Muffin

Scratched Horse(s): Paisano Creek (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$313,523

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Marquet Rebel	8.00	8.50	6.40	\$2.00 Exacta	3-5	37.80	337,307
5	Stud Muffin	5.00	4.60	3.90	\$2.00 Exacta	5-3	32.60	0
6	Most Happy Fella			7.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-5-6	278.50	155,700
					\$2.00 Trifecta	5-3-6	219.00	0
					\$2.00 Superfecta	3-5-6-10	3,397.00	83,889
					\$2.00 Superfecta	5-3-6-10	3,038.00	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Marquet Rebel	2	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/4}	3 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{2 3/4}
5	Stud Muffin	4	6 ^{7 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/4}	6 ⁵	4 ³	1 ^{2 3/4}
6	Most Happy Fella	3	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ³	3 ^{2 3/4}
10	Sheraguska	11	11 ^{12 1/2}	10 ^{10 3/4}	7 ⁷	5 ^{3 1/4}	4 ^{3 1/2}
12	Wishful Tomcat	1	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	5 ^{4 1/4}
4	Show Trial	9	10 ¹¹	11 ^{11 1/4}	10 ¹²	6 ^{7 1/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}
1	Merlin Bay	10	7 ⁹	8 ^{7 3/4}	8 ¹⁰	8 ^{10 3/4}	7 ^{13 1/2}
11	Hill Crossing	5	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{10 1/4}	8 ^{17 3/4}
7	French Transition	7	9 ^{9 1/2}	9 ^{8 3/4}	11 ¹⁵	10 ^{14 1/4}	9 ^{23 1/4}
9	Security Guard	8	8 ⁹	7 ^{7 3/4}	9 ¹¹	11 ^{15 3/4}	10 ^{26 1/4}
2	Miner's Escape	6	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁴	9 ^{12 1/4}	11 ^{32 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Levine, Bruce; 5 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 6 - Badgett, Jr., William; 10 - Terracciano, Neal; 12 - Jacobson, David; 4 - Callejas, Bernardo; 1 - Shivmangal, Doodnauth; 11 - Barker, Edward; 7 - Martin, Sr., Frank; 9 - Barrera, III, Oscar; 2 - Zito, Nicholas

Owners: 3 - Valente, Roddy J., Casale, Charles and Lemme, Tom; 5 - Michael Dubb; 6 - Robert J. Quigley; 10 - Bree-N-Me; 12 - David Jacobson; 4 - P Z Racing Stable; 1 - Shivmangal Racing Stable, LLC; 11 - Jaba Stable, Sky for Three Stable and Barker, Edward R.; 7 - Team Jomar Stable; 9 - Vent, Mike and Giangreco, Larry and Terry; 2 - Lucky Shamrock Stable and LaPenta, Robert V.;

Footnotes

MARQUET REBEL chased the pace dispute while racing along the outside, advanced three wide to challenge WISHFUL TOMCAT coming to the five-sixteenths pole, was put to a hard drive and took over during the run through the furlong grounds, drifted outward when put to a strong left handed whip, held on in time to earn a share of the win. STUD MUFFIN sat in midpack from off the inside, bided his time for nearly three-quarters, began to pick up the pace while WISHFUL TOMCAT emerged as the survivor of the earlier pace battle, was driven from the four path into the stretch, gained gradually proceeding down the stretch, as he ground his way to earn a tie for first. MOST HAPPY FELLA was hustled away from the starting gate, vied between rivals until midway down the backstretch, before going head to head with WISHFUL TOMCAT, was seemingly shaken off heading for the quarter pole, staged a mild comeback to grab the show. SHERAGUSKA was bumped after the start, settled towards the back of the pack, contently remained positioned there until the half mile pole, scurried towards the front runners with a rail run on the far turn, angled outward, splitting rivals at the five-sixteenths pole, but could not sustain the move in the stretch. WISHFUL TOMCAT broke alertly but was forced to make a three wide run to assume a forward position, disputed the pace the widest of a threesome until midway down the backstretch, then one on one with MOST HAPPY FELLA, had just put that opponent away when pounced upon by MARQUET REBEL, offered some resistance during the initial portion of the stretch run before yielding the lead, weakened from his earlier efforts during the last eighth. SHOW TRIAL was no factor. MERLIN BAY saved ground, was taken off the rail late on the far turn, got placed five wide at the head of the stretch, had no offering to deliver. HILL CROSSING came inward at the break, causing some congestion and bumping a short distance from the starting gate, raced three wide around each bend, was through after completing six furlongs. FRENCH TRANSITION bumped after the start, was outrun. SECURITY GUARD bumped just after the start, was strung out in the four path on the first turn, tired. MINER'S ESCAPE along the inside, vied with a pair for just over a half and gave way.