

SARATOGA - August 10, 2006 - Race 4

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEAR OLDS FOALD IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY. Weight, 118 lbs. (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.). (S)

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Ring Weekend - 1:38.29 - September 5, 2016)

Purse: \$48,000

Available Money: \$48,000

Value of Race: \$48,000 1st \$28,800, 2nd \$9,600, 3rd \$4,800, 4th \$2,400, 5th \$1,440, 6th \$240, 7th \$240, 8th \$240, 9th \$240

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Firm

Off at: 2:40 **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
---	6	Admiral Bird (Gomez, Garrett)	118	--	7	9	9	8 ^{Head}	7 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1.50*	split rivals, got up
---	1	Thunderestimate (Velazquez, John)	118	L	2	5	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	1 ²	2 ^{3 3/4}	3.40	got through on rail
15Jul06 ² BEL ⁵	8	Tobruk (Espinoza, Jose)	118	L b	9	7	7 ²	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{Neck}	8.10	3 wide, mild rally
19Jul06 ⁴ BEL ⁶	7	Officer Macturf (Bridgmohan, Shaun)	118	L	8	4	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 3/4}	25.50	wide both turns
3Jul06 ² BEL ⁷	2	Fortissi More (Velasquez, Cornelio)	118	L	1	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	7.70	set pace, tired
19Jul06 ⁴ BEL ⁴	4	Lights of Broadway (Bejarano, Rafael)	118	L	5	2	5 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ²	6 ²	4.40	between foes, no rally
16Jun06 ² BEL ³	1A	Graduating Class (Prado, Edgar)	118	L f	4	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	7 ²	7 ^{1 1/2}	3.40	between rivals, tired
---	5	Shifter (Leparoux, Julien)	113 ⁵	b	6	6	6 ^{Head}	7 ¹	8 ⁶	8 ⁸	8 ^{10 1/4}	10.20	steadied first turn
---	3	Sweep Bright (Coa, Eibar)	118	--	3	8	8 ^{1/2}	9	9	9	9	56.00	steadied start, inside

Fractional Times: 24.52 50.11 1:15.08 1:38.99

Final Time: 1:44.92

Split Times: (25:59) (24:97) (23:91) (5:93)

Run-Up: 0 feet **Temporary Rail:** 12 feet

Winner: Admiral Bird, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Royal Academy out of Sea Puffin, by Mt. Livermore. Foaled Feb 26, 2004 in New York.

Breeder: Berkshire Stud. **Winning Owner:** Dogwood Stable

Total WPS Pool: \$434,818

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Admiral Bird	5.00	3.20	2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	6-1	15.60	383,721
1	Thunderestimate		3.80	2.50	\$2.00 Quinella	1-6	9.40	39,827
8	Tobruk			4.50	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-1-8	81.50	263,115
					\$2.00 Pick 3	3-3-6 (3 correct)	173.50	117,821

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Admiral Bird	9	9 ^{5 3/4}	8 ⁴	7 ^{4 3/4}	2 ²	1 ^{Head}
1	Thunderestimate	5	3 ²	4 ¹	4 ²	1 ²	2 ^{Head}
8	Tobruk	7	7 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/4}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{3 3/4}
7	Officer Macturf	4	4 ²	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{2 3/4}	4 ⁴
2	Fortissi More	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	3 ²	5 ^{6 3/4}
4	Lights of Broadway	2	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{7 1/4}
1A	Graduating Class	3	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	7 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{9 1/4}
5	Shifter	6	6 ³	7 ³	8 ⁵	8 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{10 3/4}
3	Sweep Bright	8	8 ^{5 1/4}	9 ^{4 1/4}	9 ¹¹	9 ^{15 1/4}	9 ²¹

Trainers: 6 - Clement, Christophe; 1 - Martin, Carlos; 8 - Sciacca, Gary; 7 - Cedano, Heriberto; 2 - Hernandez, Ramon; 4 - Romans, Dale; 1A - Serpe, Philip; 5 - Biancone, Patrick; 3 - O'Brien, Keith

Owners: 6 - Dogwood Stable; 1 - Flying Zee Stable; 8 - Philip Marcantonio; 7 - Say A Prayer Stable; 2 - John A. Cantarella; 4 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 1a - Flying Zee Stable; 5 - Lewis G. Lakin; 3 - Nick-Mike Stables;

Footnotes

ADMIRAL BIRD was unhurried for a half after breaking a bit slowly, waited patiently while behind a wall of horses leaving the turn, got through between horses to launch his bid in upper stretch, made a strong run to challenge in deep stretch and wore down THUNDERESTIMATE in the final strides. THUNDERESTIMATE raced in close contention while saving ground for six furlongs, waited briefly on the turn, charged through along the rail to gain a clear advantage in upper stretch, led into deep stretch and yielded grudgingly. TOBRUK was unhurried while three wide along the backstretch, circled four wide while gaining at the quarter pole then closed late in the middle of the course to gain a share. OFFICER MACTURF moved up from outside on the first turn, stalked the leaders while three wide for six furlongs, lodged a mild bid from outside on the turn and weakened in the stretch. FORTISSI MORE sprinted clear in the early stages, set the pace along the inside to the turn, relinquished the lead in upper stretch and gradually tired thereafter. LIGHTS OF BROADWAY raced in the middle of the pack three wide between horses to the far turn and lacked a further response. GRADUATING CLASS pressed the pace between horses for six furlongs, angled out on the turn and faded in the stretch. SHIFTER steadied in traffic on the first turn and failed to seriously threaten thereafter. SWEEP BRIGHT steadied in tight at the start and never reached contention while saving ground.

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