

SARATOGA - August 11, 2001 - Race 9

STAKES Sword Dancer Invitational H. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF.(Up to \$57,000 NYSBFOA)A HANDICAP FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. By invitation only with no subscription, entry or starting fees. 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.

One And One Half Miles On The Inner turf **Track Record:** (Awad - 2:23.20 - August 9, 1997)


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:** Good

Off at: 5:33 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	1m	1 1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Jul01 ¹⁰ MTH ²	10	With Anticipation (Day, Pat)	114	L b	9	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}	6.30	vied outside, driving
7Jul01 ⁸ BEL ¹	1	King Cugat (Bailey, Jerry)	120	L	1	9	8 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	4 ²	2 ^{1 1/4}	1.95*	steadied, checked
7Jul01 ⁸ BEL ²	7	Slew Valley (Velazquez, John)	114	L f	7	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ³	3 ^{3/4}	9.80	stubbornly on hedge
1Jul01 ⁷ AP ³	6	Williams News (Albarado, Robby)	114	L	6	8 ^{Head}	9	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	22.00	inside run third turn
1Jul01 ¹⁰ MTH ³	3	Gritty Sandie (Prado, Edgar)	114	L bf	3	7 ²	7 ^{1/2}	9	7 ^{Head}	7 ¹²	5 ^{Neck}	24.25	4 wide run third turn
17Jun01 MIL ²	5	Ela Athena (GB) (Stevens, Gary) 	117	L	5	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	5 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Neck}	3.75	wide, no response
25Apr01 ⁸ KEE ³	2	Craigsteel (GB) (Migliore, Richard)	114	L	2	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{14 1/4}	11.30	inside run third turn
7Jul01 ⁸ BEL ⁴	4	State Shinto (Castellano, Javier)	114	L b	4	5 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}	8 ²	9	9	8 ^{1/2}	48.25	wide throughout, tired
22Jul01 ³ DEL ¹	8	John's Call (Samyn, Jean-Luc)	120	- -	8	3 ^{5 1/2}	3 ¹	4 ^{Head}	8 ^{2 1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	9	3.85	chased pace, tired

Fractional Times: 23.61 47.93 1:12.87 1:37.80 2:02.28 **Final Time:** 2:26.41

Split Times: (24:32) (24:94) (24:93) (24:48) (24:13)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: With Anticipation, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Relaunch out of Fran's Valentine, by Saros (GB). Foaled Mar 27, 1995 in Pennsylvania.

Breeder: George Strawbridge, Jr.. **Winning Owner:** Augustin Stable

Scratched Horse(s): Honor Glide (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$1,221,539

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	With Anticipation	14.60	5.90	4.20	\$2.00 Exacta	10-1	47.00	899,546
1	King Cugat		3.60	2.70	\$2.00 Trifecta	10-1-7	306.50	726,461
7	Slew Valley			5.40				

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	1m	1 1/4	Str	Fin
10	With Anticipation	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}
1	King Cugat	9 ^{14 1/2}	8 ^{6 1/2}	7 ³	6 ⁵	4 ^{3 1/4}	2 ^{3/4}
7	Slew Valley	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3 ²
6	Williams News	8 ^{14 1/2}	9 ⁹	6 ^{2 3/4}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ³	4 ^{2 3/4}
3	Gritty Sandie	7 ^{12 1/2}	7 ⁶	9 ⁵	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{7 1/4}	5 ^{3 3/4}
5	Ela Athena (GB)	4 ^{8 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ¹	5 ⁴	6 ^{6 3/4}	6 ⁴
2	Craigsteel (GB)	6 ¹¹	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/4}	3 ²	5 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{4 1/4}
4	State Shinto	5 ⁹	5 ⁴	8 ³	9 ⁸	9 ^{19 3/4}	8 ^{18 1/2}
8	John's Call	3 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/4}	8 ^{5 1/2}	8 ^{19 1/4}	9 ¹⁹

Trainers: 10 - Sheppard, Jonathan; 1 - Mott, William; 7 - Dickinson, Michael; 6 - Amoss, Thomas; 3 - Toner, James; 5 - Jarvis, Michael; 2 - Clement, Christophe; 4 - bin Suroor, Saeed; 8 - Voss, Thomas

Owners: 10 - Augustin Stable; 1 - Centennial Farms; 7 - Rich Meadow Farm; 6 - Cerullo, Rose B. and Paulus, Nicole K.; 3 - Kimmel, Caesar P. and Nicholson, Ronald A.; 5 - Gary A. Tanaka; 2 - Catherine M. Wills; 4 - Godolphin Racing LLC; 8 - Trillium Stable;

Footnotes

WITH ANTICIPATION argued the pace from the outside from the outset, dug in determinedly when roused in upper stretch and prevailed under a drive. KING CUGAT was rated along inside, was steadied in tight quarters along the hedge on the second turn, was checked from between rivals, entering the third turn, swung to the outside into the stretch and finished gamely but could not get by the winner. SLEW VALLEY argued the pace along the inside and stayed on stubbornly on the hedge. WILLIAMS NEWS was rated along early, put in a run along the inside on the third turn and stayed on well through the stretch. GRITTY SANDIE was outrun early, put in a four wide run on the final turn and lacked a solid finishing kick. ELA ATHENA (GB) was rated along outside, raced wide and had no response when roused. CRAIGSTEEL (GB) was rated along inside, put in a run along the inside on the last turn, came wide into the stretch and had no rally. STATE SHINTO raced wide throughout and tired in the stretch. JOHN'S CALL chased the pace for the opening mile and tired.

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