SARATOGA - August 13, 2011 - Race 7

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - For Thoroughbred Two Year Old

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf Track Record: (Fourstardave - 1:38.91 - July 29, 1991)

Purse: \$55,000

Includes: \$5,000 Starters Bonus Available Money: \$55,000

Value of Race: \$55,000 1st \$30,000, 2nd \$10,000, 3rd \$5,000, 4th \$3,000, 5th \$2,000, 6th \$1,000, 7th \$1,000, 8th \$1,000, 9th

\$1,000, 10th \$1,000 Weather: Clear Track: Firm

Off at: 4:08 Start: Good for all except 6



Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
3Jul11 ⁶ CD ¹⁰	1	Tiz Sardonic Joe (Nakatani, Corey)	119 L	1	2	11	11	11	12 1/2	1 ^{1/2}	9.00	well rated,clear,held
3Jul11 6CD5	10	Dullahan (Desormeaux, Kent)	119 L	10	1	$2^{2 \cdot 1/2}$	2 ²	2.1	2 ²	21 1/4	2.50*	willingly,gaining late
	8	Patrice Merion (Velazquez, John)	116 L	8	8	7 ¹ 1/2	7	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3 ²	2.55	off bit slow,5w 1/4
	7	Apse (Velasquez, Cornelio)	119 L	7	4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{3/4}	35.25	brushed early,3w turns
	9	Actuarial (Castro, Eddie)	119 L	9	9	9 ^{3 1/2}	8 ¹	7 ^{1/2}	7 ³	5 ^{1 1/4}	13.40	lacked room final 1/8
	2	Liquidity Trap (Lezcano, Jose)	119 L	2	6	8 ^{Head}	9^{3}	9 ¹	8 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Neck}	5.50	luggd in 3/16,no rally
	4	Our Midnight Run (Castellano, Javier)	119	4	7	5 ¹	5 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	7 ² 1/4	8.90	off bit slw,stdied1/16
	3	But You Promised (Solis, Alex)	119 Lb	3	3	6 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1 1/2}	9 ^{Head}	8 ^{3/4}	18.00	inside turns,bmpd 1/8
	5	Atigun (Cruz, Manoel)	119	5	5	4 ¹	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	9 ^{Neck}	48.75	brshd early,chckd 1/16
	6	Eben Alsafa (Garcia, Alan)	119	6	10	10	10	10	10	10	8.60	dwelt, bumped 1/8

Fractional Times: 25.25 50.16 1:15.31 1:38.67

Split Times: (24:91) (25:15) (23:36) (5:96)

Run-Up: 118 feet Temporary Rail: 18 feet

Winner: Tiz Sardonic Joe, Bay Colt, by Tiznow out of Distorted Blaze, by Distorted Humor. Foaled Feb 28, 2009 in Kentucky.

Final Time: 1:44.63

Winner's sire standing at WinStar Farm, a Taylor Made/WinStar venture

Breeder: Joseph T. Witek MD. Winning Owner: Joseph Witek

Scratched Horse(s): Politicallycorrect (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$646,995

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Tiz Sardonic Joe	20.00	7.70	5.20	\$2.00 Exacta	1-10	76.00	551,169
10	Dullahan		4.60	3.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-10-8	321.00	283,085
8	Patrice Merion			3.10	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-1	132.50	128,412
					\$2.00 Pick 3	4-2-1 (3 correct)	614.00	145,374
					\$2.00 Superfecta	1-10-8-7	6.653.00	134.808

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Tiz Sardonic Joe	2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹	12 1/2	1 ^{1/2}
10	Dullahan	1	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
8	Patrice Merion	8	7 ⁷	7 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{1 3/4}
7	Apse	4	3 ^{3 1/2}	3^{3}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{3 3/4}
9	Actuarial	9	98 1/2	8 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{5 3/4}	5 ^{4 1/2}
2	Liquidity Trap	6	8 ^{8 1/2}	9 ^{7 1/2}	9 ^{6 1/2}	8 ^{8 3/4}	6 ^{5 3/4}
4	Our Midnight Run	7	5 ⁵	5 ⁴	5 ³	5 ^{4 3/4}	7 ⁶
3	But You Promised	3	6^{6}	6 ⁵	8 ⁵	9 ^{9 1/4}	8 ^{8 1/4}
5	Atigun	5	4^4	4 ³	3 ²	6 ^{4 3/4}	9 ⁹
6	Eben Alsafa	10	10 ¹²	10 ^{10 1/2}	10 ^{7 1/2}	10 ^{9 1/2}	10 ^{9 1/4}

Trainers: 1 - Asmussen, Steven; 10 - Romans, Dale; 8 - Pletcher, Todd; 7 - Hennig, Mark; 9 - Albertrani, Thomas; 2 - Brown, Chad; 4 - McPeek, Kenneth;

3 - McGaughey III, Claude; 5 - McPeek, Kenneth; 6 - McLaughlin, Kiaran

Owners: 1 -Joseph Witek; 10 - Donegal Racing; 8 - Zayat Stables, LLC; 7 -Mark B. Grier; 9 - West Point Thoroughbreds; 2 - Klaravich Stables, Inc. and Lawrence, William H.; 4 - Lady Sheila Stable; 3 -Stuart S. Janney, III; 5 - Shortleaf Stable, Inc.; 6 - Shadwell Stable;

Footnotes

TIZ SARDONIC JOE broke out and bumped lightly with LIQUIDITY TRAP then was pulled off that rival, went to the lead then was taken in hand, was well rated through tepid fractions, responded well when asked at the top of the stretch, extended the advantage into the final furlong and held under strong hand urging. DULLAHAN stalked the pace on the outside, was asked near the five-sixteenths pole, dropped further behind the winner while under left hand urging in upper stretch, switched to a right-handed whip nearing the eighth-pole, came back willingly in the final furlong and was gaining but missed. PATRICE MERION broke a bit slow, went two then three wide on the first turn, settled well off the pace, went three then four wide on the far turn, was asked near the five-sixteenths pole, swung five wide into the stretch, came under the whip and finished willingly for the show. APSE brushed with ATIGUN in the early going, went three wide on the first turn, settled towards the front of the field while on the outside, was urged along while three wide on the far turn and lacked the needed kick. ACTUARIAL broke a bit slow, settled towards the rear, was roused on the final turn, came under a drive in upper stretch, lacked room in the final furlong and lost his best chance. LIQUIDITY TRAP was bumped lightly at the start, lingered near the back of the field, shifted three wide around the five-sixteenths pole, lugged inward in upper stretch and failed to rally. OUR MIDNIGHT RUN broke a step slow, was reserved while off the inside, moved closer with a half-mile to run, waited intermittently from the five-sixteenths pole to the quarter-pole, was put to a drive in upper stretch, steadied between rivals near the sixteenth-pole and failed to menace. BUT YOU PROMISED brushed with ATIGUN early, settled on the inside, was urged along while continuing to save ground on the far turn, bumped with EBEN ALSAFA near the furlong marker and failed to rally. ATIGUN brushed with rivals on both sides early, settled on the inside, moved closer with a half-mile to run, drafted behind the leader on the far turn, was asked at the top of the stretch, had a clear opening along the rail, raced under a drive into the final furlong, checked when put in tight nearing the sixteenth-pole and dropped out. EBEN ALSAFA dwelt at the start, spotted the field well over five lengths, lagged near the back, was roused on the far turn, shied from LIQUIDITY TRAP in upper stretch, came in and bumped with BUT YOU PROMISED then failed to threaten. (Rail at 18 Feet)

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