SARATOGA - August 14, 2010 - Race 10

EQUIBASE COMPANY

STAKES Sword Dancer Invitational S. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. By invitation only with no subscription fees. 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 the remaining finishers. Selection of fourteen (14) invitees, Saturday, July 31. Acceptance to participate in the Sword Dancer Invitational by Saturday, August 7. Alternate list Monday, August 9. Three Year Olds, 115 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. TURF: Non-winners of a Grade 1 on theturf in 2010 allowed 3 lbs.; a Grade 1 on the turf in 2009 or a Grade 2 twice on the turf in 2009-10, 5 lbs; a Grade 2 on the turf in 2009-10, 7 lbs. DIRT: Non-winners of a Graded Sweepstake over a mile on the dirt in 2009-10 allowed 3 lbs.; A sweepstake over a mile on the dirt in 2009-10, 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 where dirt allowance weights will apply. In the eveent that this race it 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 $50,000, 4th $25,000, 5th $15,000, 6th $2,500, 7th $2,500, 8th $2,500, 9th $2,500

Video Race Replay

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 5:50 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
3Jul10 ^{10}MTH^{6}	8	Telling (Gomez, Garrett)	120	L f	8	$6^{1\ 1/2}$	$5^{2\ 1/2}$	$5^{4\ 1/2}$	$5^{1/2}$	$2^{1/2}$	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	10.30	rail rally,closed well
10Jul10 ^{9}BEL^{4}	6	Bearpath (Borel, Calvin)	118	L	6	$7^{2\ 1/2}$	$7^{1\ 1/2}$	$6^{1\ 1/2}$	$6^{2\ 1/2}$	3^{Head}	$2^{1\ 1/4}$	4.40	hit gate,5w into lane
8Jul10 ^{8}BEL^{1}	5	Al Khali (Desormeaux, Kent)	116	L	5	4^{2}	$3^{1/2}$	2^{1}	1^{1}	1^{Head}	3^{1}	7.20	2-3w,led,outfinished
10Jul10 ^{9}BEL^{6}	3	Interpatation (Lezcano, Jose)	120	L f	3	2^{2}	2^{1}	$3^{1\ 1/2}$	2^{Head}	5^{4}	4^{Neck}	36.50	exchanged bumps
10Jul10 ^{9}BEL^{3}	4	Expansion (Castellano, Javier)	118	L	4	3^{Head}	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	4^{3}	3^{Head}	4^{Head}	$5^{1\ 3/4}$	1.95*	exchanged bumps
10Jul10 ^{9}BEL^{7}	10	Grand Couturier (GB) (Garcia, Alan)	118	L f	9	9	9	9	8^{1}	$6^{1/2}$	$6^{1\ 1/4}$	10.50	3w 3rd turn,no rally
2Jul10 ^{8}BEL^{1}	7	Grassy (Dominguez, Ramon)	116	L	7	$8^{1\ 1/2}$	8^{Head}	7^{Head}	$7^{1/2}$	7^{2}	7^{2}	6.60	failed to threaten
10Jun10 ^{3}HOL^{2}	2	Romp (ARG) (Maragh, Rajiv)	116	L	2	5^{Head}	6^{1}	8^{Head}	9	8^{Head}	$8^{10\ 3/4}$	22.30	saved ground,no factor
18Jul10 ^{9}HOL^{1}	1	Marlang (Velazquez, John)	116	L	1	1^{1}	1^{2}	1^{1}	4^{2}	9	9	4.70	pace,headed 5/16,faded

Fractional Times: 24.28 48.27 1:13.23 1:36.62 2:00.76 **Final Time:** 2:25.29

Split Times: (23:99) (24:96) (23:39) (24:14) (24:53)

Run-Up: 178 feet **Temporary Rail:** 18 feet

Winner: Telling, Bay Horse, by A.P. Indy out of Well Chosen, by Deputy Minister. Foaled Apr 12, 2004 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Darley. **Winning Owner:** Lieblong, Alex and JoAnn

Scratched Horse(s): Marsh Side (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: $870,097

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Telling	22.60	9.50	6.20	$2.00 Exacta	8-6	150.00	634,585
6	Bearpath		5.80	4.50	$2.00 Trifecta	8-6-5	1,028.00	387,949
5	Al Khali			5.30	$2.00 Superfecta	8-6-5-3	14,245.00	179,972
					$2.00 Pick 3	11-1-8 (3 correct)	93.00	115,287
					$2.00 Daily Double	1-8	70.50	121,660
					$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	11-4-8 (3 correct)	35.60	0
					$2.00 Grand Slam	7,8,9-3,8,11-1,10,12-8 (4 correct)	62.50	43,798

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin
8	Telling	$6^{5\ 1/4}$	5^{5}	$5^{6\ 1/2}$	$5^{3\ 1/4}$	2^{Head}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$
6	Bearpath	$7^{6\ 3/4}$	$7^{8\ 1/2}$	6^{11}	$6^{3\ 3/4}$	$3^{1/2}$	$2^{1\ 1/2}$
5	Al Khali	4^{3}	3^{3}	2^{1}	1^{1}	1^{Head}	$3^{2\ 3/4}$
3	Interpatation	2^{1}	2^{2}	3^{2}	2^{1}	$5^{3/4}$	$4^{3\ 3/4}$
4	Expansion	3^{3}	$4^{3\ 1/2}$	$4^{3\ 1/2}$	3^{1}	$4^{3/4}$	5^{4}
10	Grand Couturier (GB)	$9^{10\ 3/4}$	9^{10}	$9^{12\ 3/4}$	$8^{6\ 3/4}$	$6^{4\ 3/4}$	$6^{5\ 3/4}$
7	Grassy	$8^{9\ 1/4}$	8^{10}	$7^{12\ 1/2}$	$7^{6\ 1/4}$	$7^{5\ 1/4}$	7^{7}
2	Romp (ARG)	5^{5}	$6^{7\ 1/2}$	$8^{12\ 1/2}$	$9^{7\ 3/4}$	$8^{7\ 1/4}$	8^{9}
1	Marlang	1^{1}	1^{2}	1^{1}	$4^{1\ 1/4}$	$9^{7\ 1/2}$	$9^{19\ 3/4}$

Trainers: 8 - Hobby, Steve; 6 - Wilkes, Ian; 5 - Mott, William; 3 - Barbara, Robert; 4 - Brown, Chad; 10 - Ribaudo, Robert; 7 - Clement, Christophe; 2 - Sheppard, Jonathan; 1 - Drysdale, Neil

Owners: 8 - Lieblong, Alex and JoAnn; 6 - Lothenbach Stables, Inc.; 5 - Brous Stable LLC and Wachtel Stable; 3 -Elliot Mavorah; 4 - West, Gary and Mary; 10 -Marc Keller; 7 - Claiborne Farm and Dilschneider, Adele B.; 2 - Sisters in Racing Stable and Siskin, Jeff; 1 -Gustav Schickedanz;

Footnotes

TELLING settled nicely into stride, saved ground on the final two turns, moved around a fading rival entering the stretch, dropped back to the inside near the three-sixteenths pole, rallied along the rail, closed well to get the lead late and prevailed under good handling. BEARPATH hit the gate at the start, settled while off the rail, was roused on the final turn, swung five wide into the stretch, loomed a threat into the final furlong, drifted in a bit shortly thereafter and was outfinished while able to garner the place. AL KHALI broke inward at the start, raced three wide on the first turn, settled on the outside, moved closer nearing the second turn, went three wide on that turn, tracked the leader down the backstretch, took over the lead while two to three wide on the final turn, led into the final furlong but was headed then also outfinished while able to save the show. INTERPATATION tracked the leader while off the rail, was urged a bit with a half-mile to run, tried to get out on the far turn but was kept in by EXPANSION, came three wide into the stretch, lacked room behind horses in the final furlong, exchanged bumps with EXPANSION and lost his best chance at a minor award. EXPANSION hit the gate at the start, settled on the inside, moved out nearing the final turn, kept INTERPATATION in on that turn, came four wide into the stretch, loomed a threat into the final furlong, exchanged bumps with INTERPATATION and weakened late. GRAND COUTURIER (GB) raced inside on the initial turn, moved out down the stretch the first time, was unhurried for the opening mile, came under a ride while three wide on the final turn and failed to rally. GRASSY settled on the inside, moved off the rail on

the backstretch, was urged along while between rivals on the final turn and failed to threaten. ROMP (ARG) settled on the inside, saved ground throughout and was no factor. MARLANG moved to the early lead, set the clear pace, came under some urging with a half-mile to run, lost the lead on the final turn and faded. (Rail at 18 Feet)

KEENELAND 2nd Place horse sold through Keeneland Association, Inc.

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