

## SARATOGA - August 16, 2008 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$12,730 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a race since June 18 Allowed 2 lbs. (Races where entered for \$50,000 or less not considered). (NW2 L)

Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Darby Creek Road - 1:20.40 - August 8, 1978)

**Purse:** \$67,000

**Available Money:** \$67,000

**Value of Race:** \$67,000 1st \$40,200, 2nd \$13,400, 3rd \$6,700, 4th \$3,350, 5th \$2,010, 6th \$447, 7th \$447, 8th \$446

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 1:01 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
2Aug08 <sup>9</sup> SAR <sup>7</sup>	5	National Pride (Garcia, Alan)	117	L	5	5	7 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3.05	5wide, long drive
2Aug08 <sup>9</sup> SAR <sup>3</sup>	4	Posse Cat (Castellano, Javier)	117	L	4	6	8	7 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	4.50	rallied 6wide
26Jul08 <sup>6</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	3	Joppa Flat's (Morales, Sebastian)	118 <sup>5</sup>	L b	3	8	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	2.25*	brushed rail boxed in
23Jul08 <sup>3</sup> SAR <sup>3</sup>	6	Icetate (Bridgmohan, Shaun)	121	L	6	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	8.60	speed rail, weakened
28Jul08 <sup>9</sup> PHA <sup>2</sup>	8	Run With Me (Velazquez, John)	117	L b	8	2	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	13.30	4wide bid, tired
23Jul08 <sup>3</sup> SAR <sup>5</sup>	2	Bordeaux Bandit (Leparoux, Julien)	117	L c	2	4	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>12</sup>	6 <sup>3/4</sup>	11.20	steadied traffic turn
13Jul08 <sup>8</sup> FE <sup>7</sup>	7	Pewter (Maragh, Rajiv)	117	L	7	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>25 1/2</sup>	5.50	forced pace, tired
20Jul08 <sup>7</sup> MTH <sup>5</sup>	1	Obscurity (Velasquez, Cornelio)	119	L b	1	7	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	8	8	8	25.50	gave way

**Fractional Times:** 22.91 46.28 1:10.30

**Final Time:** 1:22.60

**Split Times:** (23:37) (24:02) (12:30)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** National Pride, Chestnut Colt, by Macho Uno out of Corporate Vision, by Corporate Report. Foaled May 22, 2005 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Liberation Farm & Brandywine Farm, LLC (Jim & Pam Robinson).

**Winning Owner:** Godolphin Racing, LLC

**Total WPS Pool:** \$470,660

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	National Pride	8.10	4.60	2.90	\$2.00 Exacta	5-4	36.20	464,832
4	Posse Cat		5.20	3.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	5-4-3	68.00	254,223
3	Joppa Flat's			2.50	\$2.00 Superfecta	5-4-3-6	307.00	68,702

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	National Pride	5	7 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>
4	Posse Cat	6	8 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>
3	Joppa Flat's	8	6 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>3/4</sup>	4 <sup>3/4</sup>	3 <sup>1 3/4</sup>
6	Icetate	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 3/4</sup>
8	Run With Me	2	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>4 1/4</sup>
2	Bordeaux Bandit	4	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>4 3/4</sup>
7	Pewter	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>5 1/2</sup>
1	Obscurity	7	4 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>7 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>14 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>31</sup>

**Trainers:** 5 - bin Suuroo, Saeed; 4 - Wilkes, Ian; 3 - Ribaldo, Robert; 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 8 - Iwinski, Allen; 2 - Zito, Nicholas; 7 - Bond, H.; 1 - McDonald, Michael

**Owners:** 5 - Godolphin Racing, LLC; 4 -Patrick D. Donahoe; 3 -Marc Keller; 6 - Heiligbrodt Racing Stable; 8 - Wachtel Stable, Brous Stable and Kowalewski, Alfred; 2 - My Meadowview Farm LLC; 7 -William L. Clifton, Jr.; 1 - McDonald, Michael K. and Matthews Stable;

### Footnotes

NATIONAL PRIDE was shuffled back slightly just after the start, was unhurried while well back through the opening quarter, rapidly moved into contention from outside on the turn, split rivals while five wide rallying into the stretch, made a steady move to challenge in midstretch then outfinished POSSE CAT after a long hard drive. POSSE CAT trailed along the backstretch, made his move in tandem with the winner on the turn, circled six wide at the quarter pole, fought gamely outside NATIONAL PRIDE into deep stretch but could not get up. JOPPA FLAT'S was outrun early after breaking slowly, made a steady advance along the inside to reach contention midway on the turn, brushed the rail on the turn, lacked room when boxed in approaching the quarter pole, angled out in midstretch then closed late between horses to gain a share. ICETATE angled in soon after the start, set the pace along the rail for a half, stayed on the rail while maintaining a slim lead in upper stretch then weakened in the final sixteenth. RUN WITH ME stalked the leaders from outside, lodged a brief four wide bid at the quarter pole and steadily tired thereafter. BORDEAUX BANDIT raced in midpack between horses, steadied in traffic while lacking room midway on the turn and failed to threaten thereafter. PEWTER forced the pace between horses for a half and faltered. OBSCURITY showed only brief speed and gave way on the turn.