

SARATOGA - August 26, 2007 - Race 6

CLAIMING - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$35,000
 One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Inner turf **Track Record:** (Zagora (FR) - 1:39.07 - August 25, 2012)



Purse: \$34,000

Available Money: \$34,000

Value of Race: \$34,000 1st \$20,400, 2nd \$6,800, 3rd \$3,400, 4th \$1,700, 5th \$1,020, 6th \$170, 7th \$170, 8th \$170, 9th \$170

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 3:42 **Start:** Good for all except 2

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Aug07 ¹⁰ SUF ¹	9	Dr Rico (Leparoux, Julien)	118	L	9	7	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	31.50	rambled home 4wide
6Jul07 ⁹ CD ³	1	Friar (Gomez, Garrett)	120	L f	1	3	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}	1.15*	got through on rail
4Aug07 ¹⁰ SAR ¹	2	Sweet Brush (Velazquez, John)	120	L	2	2	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3.30	stumbled start, inside
13Aug07 ¹⁰ SAR ¹	5	Gold Pageantry (Garcia, Alan)	120	L b	5	4	4 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{Neck}	11.30	speed outside, tired
8Aug07 ⁴ MTH ⁶	3	Kaufman (Castellano, Javier)	120	L b	3	1	2 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	5 ¹	21.80	3 wide move, tired
9Aug07 ⁵ SAR ⁴	7	Broadway Bud (Velasquez, Cornelio)	120	L	7	6	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ¹	9.00	inside, no response
11Aug07 ⁹ LRL ¹³	4	Monsieur Henri (Dominguez, Ramon)	120	L	4	9	9	8 ^{Head}	8 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1 1/4}	10.90	outrun inside
15Jul07 ⁵ BEL ⁴	6	Stratonic (Coa, Eibar)	120	L	6	5	5 ¹	5 ³	4 ^{Head}	7 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{3/4}	6.70	3 wide move, tired
15Jul07 ⁵ BEL ⁹	8	I'ma a Fax (Samyn, Jean-Luc)	120	L	8	8	8 ^{1 1/2}	9	9	9	9	59.00	no response

Fractional Times: 24.44 49.64 1:12.94 1:37.17 **Final Time:** 1:42.65

Split Times: (25:20) (23:30) (24:23) (5:48)

Run-Up: 0 feet **Temporary Rail:** 18 feet

Winner: Dr Rico, Chestnut Gelding, by Disco Rico out of Dr Margaret, by Dr. Blum. Foaled May 19, 2004 in Maryland.

Breeder: Joseph DiRico. **Winning Owner:** Rosalie Dirico

2 Claimed Horse(s): **Friar** New Trainer: Debra Divitto New Owner: Michael Devitto, Sr.
Sweet Brush New Trainer: Roger A. Horgan New Owner: Harold A. Via, Jr.

Claiming Prices: 9 - Dr Rico: \$35,000; 1 - Friar: \$35,000; 2 - Sweet Brush: \$35,000; 5 - Gold Pageantry: \$35,000; 3 - Kaufman: \$35,000;
 7 - Broadway Bud: \$35,000; 4 - Monsieur Henri: \$35,000; 6 - Stratonic: \$35,000; 8 - I'ma a Fax: \$35,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Exton (Also-Eligible), Hacker Craft (Main-Track-Only), Proudly Pyrite (Main-Track-Only), Quick Comeback (Also-Eligible), Ready Enough (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$588,564

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Dr Rico	65.00	16.80	6.70	\$2.00 Exacta	9-1	255.50	558,516
1	Friar		3.40	2.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	9-1-2	670.00	447,857
2	Sweet Brush			3.00	\$2.00 Pick 3	6-2-9 (3 correct)	4,018.00	117,895

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Dr Rico	7	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{5 3/4}	4 ^{3/4}	1 ^{1 1/4}
1	Friar	3	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/4}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}
2	Sweet Brush	2	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}
5	Gold Pageantry	4	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ⁴
3	Kaufman	1	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/4}	5 ^{4 1/4}
7	Broadway Bud	6	7 ⁴	7 ⁷	7 ^{6 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/4}
4	Monsieur Henri	9	9 ⁷	8 ^{8 1/2}	8 ^{7 3/4}	8 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{6 1/4}
6	Stratonic	5	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁴	7 ^{3 3/4}	8 ^{7 1/2}
8	I'ma a Fax	8	8 ^{5 1/2}	9 ^{8 1/2}	9 ^{8 1/4}	9 ^{5 3/4}	9 ^{8 1/4}

Trainers: 9 - Ritvo, Timothy; 1 - Stall, Jr., Albert; 2 - Pletcher, Todd; 5 - Teshler, Howard; 3 - Hills, Timothy; 7 - Donk, David; 4 - Motion, H.; 6 - Tagg, Barclay; 8 - Kelly, Patrick

Owners: 9 -Rosalie Dirico; 1 - Claiborne Farm; 2 - Wertheimer and Frere; 5 - Snookum Farms; 3 -Lawrence A. Durocher, Jr.; 7 - Shanley, Michael and Lynn; 4 -Francis J. O'Toole; 6 - Tagg, Barclay and Cook, Alan R.; 8 -Thomas J. Kelly;

Footnotes

DR RICO was unhurried early, raced under a firm hold while four wide along the backstretch, raced well back to the turn, launched a bid from outside entering the stretch then unleashed a strong late move while lugging in under left hand whipping to win going away. FRIAR tucked in along the rail on the first turn, saved ground to the turn, slipped through along the rail to take the lead in upper stretch, continued on the front into deep stretch but couldn't withstand the winner's late charge. SWEET BRUSH stumbled badly at the start, took the lead long the rail on the first turn, relinquished the lead after going a half, pressed along the inside to the top of the stretch then finished willingly to gain a share. GOLD PAGEANTRY stalked three wide on the first turn, lodged a middle move to take the lead before going a half, set the pace into upper stretch and weakened in the final eighth. KAUFMAN pressed the early pace between horses, dropped back on the far turn and steadily tired thereafter. BROADWAY BUD was under a firm hold along the rail, closed the gap on the rail to reach contention on the turn then lacked a strong closing bid. MONSIEUR HENRI never reached contention after breaking slowly. STRATONIC raced in midpack, lodged a three wide move to threaten on the turn and flattened out. I'MA A FAX was under a firm hold along the inside leaving the first turn and was never close thereafter.