

**SARATOGA - September 2, 2013 - Race 9**

STAKES Hopeful S. Grade 1 - For Thoroughbred Two Year Old  
Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Darby Creek Road - 1:20.40 - August 8, 1978)



**Purse:** \$300,000 Guaranteed

**Available Money:** \$300,000

**Value of Race:** \$300,000 1st \$180,000, 2nd \$60,000, 3rd \$30,000, 4th \$15,000, 5th \$9,000, 6th \$1,200, 7th \$1,200, 8th \$1,200, 9th \$1,200, 10th \$1,200

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)

**Off at:** 4:51 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17Aug13 <sup>2</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	9	Strong Mandate (Ortiz, Jose)	120	L b	9 3	3	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	7.30	3w,geared down late
20Jul13 <sup>3</sup> CRC <sup>1</sup>	3	Casiguapo (Saez, Luis)	120	L f	3 8	5	5 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3/4</sup>	30.50	2-3w,4w 1/4,up place
11Aug13 <sup>10</sup> SAR <sup>4</sup>	7	Lunarwarfare (Leyva, Juan)	120	L f	7 10	7	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3/4</sup>	6.40	bmpd brk,3w,drftd 3/16
22Jul13 <sup>1</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	6	Big Sugar Soda (Smith, Mike)	120	L	6 5	10	10	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3/4</sup>	4.80	bmpd brk,off rail turn	
11Aug13 <sup>10</sup> SAR <sup>2</sup>	8	Wired Bryan (Bridgmohan, Shaun)	120	L	8 2	2	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>3/4</sup>	4.20	pressed,chased 2p,wknd
29Jul13 <sup>6</sup> DEL <sup>1</sup>	2	Long On Value (Prado, Edgar)	120	L	2 6	4	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	10.00	inside turn, empty
21Jul13 <sup>9</sup> SAR <sup>4</sup>	5	All in Blue (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	120	L	5 4	6	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	13.10	3-4w turn, no response
5Aug13 <sup>3</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	10	King Cyrus (Castellano, Javier)	120	L	10 7	8	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>3/4</sup>	6.20	4-5wide turn,no threat
11Aug13 <sup>10</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	4	Corfu (Velazquez, John)	120	L	4 1	1	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	3.95*	pace,inside,gave way
21Jul13 <sup>9</sup> SAR <sup>2</sup>	1	Southern Blessing (Napravnik, Rosie)	120	L	1 9	9	9 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	10	10	22.00	near inside,no threat

**Fractional Times:** 22.47 45.15 1:09.96

**Final Time:** 1:23.55

**Split Times:** (22:68) (24:81) (13:59)

**Run-Up:** 20 feet

**Winner:** Strong Mandate, Bay Colt, by [Tiznow](#) out of Clear Mandate, by Deputy Minister. Foaled Feb 08, 2011 in Kentucky.



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

**Breeder:** G. Watts Humphrey Jr.. **Winning Owner:** Baker, Robert C. and Mack, William L.

**Total Horse Pool:** \$723,518

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Strong Mandate	16.60	9.50	6.40	\$2.00 Exacta	9-3	461.00	593,234
3	Casiguapo		24.40	10.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	9-3-7	3,341.00	329,814
7	Lunarwarfare			5.40	\$2.00 Grand Slam	2/6/9-5/6/10-6/9/11-9 (4 correct)	24.40	34,821
					\$2.00 Pick 3	10-9-9 (3 correct)	80.00	68,512
					\$2.00 Daily Double	9-9	41.40	111,612
					\$2.00 Superfecta	9-3-7-6	16,524.00	186,904

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
9	Strong Mandate	3	3 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>9 3/4</sup>
3	Casiguapo	8	5 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>9 3/4</sup>
7	Lunarwarfare	10	7 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>9</sup>	3 <sup>10 1/2</sup>
6	Big Sugar Soda	5	10 <sup>4</sup>	10 <sup>10</sup>	8 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>11 1/4</sup>
8	Wired Bryan	2	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup>	5 <sup>12</sup>
2	Long On Value	6	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>12 3/4</sup>
5	All in Blue	4	6 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	7 <sup>13 1/4</sup>
10	King Cyrus	7	8 <sup>3</sup>	9 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>11</sup>	8 <sup>14 3/4</sup>
4	Corfu	1	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	9 <sup>16 1/2</sup>
1	Southern Blessing	9	9 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>	10 <sup>12</sup>	10 <sup>19 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 9 - Lukas, D.; 3 - Morales, Mario; 7 - Yates, Michael; 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 8 - Dilger, Michael; 2 - Mott, William; 5 - Pletcher, Todd; 10 - Pletcher, Todd; 4 - Pletcher, Todd; 1 - Asmussen, Steven

**Owners:** 9 - Baker, Robert C. and Mack, William L.; 3 - All American Horses; 7 -Michael Yates; 6 - Robison, J. Kirk and Judy; 8 - Anstu Stables, Inc.; 2 - Wachtel Stable and Kerr, George J.; 5 - Starlight Racing; 10 - WinStar Farm LLC; 4 - Tabor, Michael, Magnier, John and Smith, Derrick; 1 -Mike McCarty;

**Footnotes**

STRONG MANDATE broke out at the start, was never far back while racing on the outside, ranged up while three wide on the turn, made a bid at the five-sixteenths, turned into the stretch under one crack of a right-handed whip, quickly moved clear, drifted out a path or two when given one crack of a left-handed whip near the three-sixteenths, switched back to the right-hand and was given one final crack at the eighth-pole, powered further away from the rest of the field under a hand ride and was geared down in the final sixteenth in a big performance. CASIGUAPO was urged along while just off the pace, went two then three wide on the turn, moved to four wide near the quarter-pole and secured the place while no match for the winner. LUNARWARFARE bumped solidly with a rival at the start, was urged along while amongst horses, went three wide on the turn, drifted out under a left-handed whip in upper stretch and got up for the show. BIG SUGAR SODA bumped solidly with LUNARWARFARE at the start, was ridden along at the back, raced off the rail on the turn and improved position without threatening. WIRED BRYAN brushed with an opponent at the start, pressed the pace on the outside of the leader, dropped back a bit at the half-mile pole, chased off the rail on the turn and tired. LONG ON VALUE was well placed just off the pace, chased inside on the turn and came up empty. ALL IN BLUE was coaxed along between rivals, raced three to four wide on the turn and failed to respond. KING CYRUS was carried out at the start, raced on the outside while ridden along, went five then four wide on the turn and was no factor. CORFU showed good speed, set the pace under some pressure, moved clear with a half-mile to run, vied inside on the turn, was asked at the five-sixteenths, lost the lead near the quarter-pole and gave way. SOUTHERN BLESSING was urged along towards the back, saved ground on the turn and never reached contention.