

SIXTH RACE
Thistledown
AUGUST 12, 2023

6 FURLONGS. (108²) BEST OF OHIO HONEY JAY S. Purse \$100,000 (includes \$35,000 OTF – Ohio Thoroughbred Fund) FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD, REGISTERED OHIO FOALS (WHICH REFLECTS \$35,000 FROM THE OHIO THOROUGHbred FUND). Foaled in the State of Ohio as per requirements set forth by the Ohio State Racing Commission. Nomination fee of \$50. \$350 to enter with an additional \$650 to start, with a purse of \$100,000, of which 60% to winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% to sixth. Weights: Three-Year-Olds 119 lbs. Older 123. Non-Winners of \$30,000 Twice in 2023 allowed 2 lbs. Two races other than Maiden, Claiming, Optional or Starter in 2023 allowed 4 lbs. A race other Maiden, Claiming, Optional or Starter in 2023 allowed 6 lbs. Nominations Close Wednesday, August 2nd, 2023. Starters to be named through the entry box Monday August 7th, 2023. A Trophy will be presented to the Winning Owner, Trainer, and Jockey. This stake will not split. In the event more than fourteen (14) horses pass the entry box at the time of closing of entries, preference will be given to those horses having accumulated the highest 2022–2023 earnings as published by Equibase. Fees to be refunded to excluded horses.

Value of Race: \$100,000 Winner \$60,000; second \$20,000; third \$10,000; fourth \$5,000; fifth \$3,000; sixth \$2,000. Mutuel Pool \$62,356.00 Exacta Pool \$14,509.00 Trifecta Pool \$12,838.00 Superfecta Pool \$9,419.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1		
19Jly23	3PID1	Diamond Dust	7	117	3	1	3 11/2	2 1/2	1 1/2	11 3/4	Martinez W	9.40	
13Jly23	1Tdn1	Mr Loooch	f	4	121	4	2	5 11/2	3hd	3 11/2	2 11/4	Diaz A I	12.40
20Jly23	3Tdn4	Altissimo	b	10	119	6	3	4 1 1/2	41	42	3nk	Pilares C P	19.40
18Jly23	7Tdn1	Fair and Square	f	3	121	1	5	1hd	1hd	21	44 1/2	Sanchez J	2.40
2Jun23	7BtP1	Dougie D Oro	b	7	119	5	4	6	52	58	52 2 3/4	Feliciano R	0.40
5May23	8BtP7	Media Darling	b	3	117	2	6	2hd	6	6	6	Rivera L R	23.50

OFF AT 3:11 Start Good. Won driving. Track good (Sealed).

TIME :221, :45³, :58, 1:11 (:22.22, :45.68, :58.04, 1:11.00)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:
3 – DIAMOND DUST _____ 20.80 9.80 47.20
4 – MR LOOCH _____ 11.60 19.00
8 – ALTISSIMO _____ 47.20

\$1 EXACTA 3-4 PAID \$128.20 \$1 TRIFECTA 3-4-8 PAID \$849.00 10 CENT SUPERFACTA 3-4-8-1 PAID \$114.54

B. g, (Apr), by Paynter – Radiant Sky, by Leroidesanimaux–Brz. Trainer Davis Scooter. Bred by Blazing Meadows Farm & WinStar Farm LLC (Ohio).

DIAMOND DUST prompted the early pace three then two wide through the turn, gained a narrow advantage at the top of the stretch, was asked with right handed urging nearing the furlong marker and edged clear late under brisk handling. MR LOOCH stalked the pace from the three path into the stretch, rallied two wide through deep stretch and finished second best. ALTISSIMO stalked the pace four wide, drifted entering the stretch and finished with good courage in the six path. FAIR AND SQUARE drifted in at the start, rushed to the lead inside rivals, set a pressured pace to the top of the stretch then was outfinished. DOUGIE D ORO wide early, inched closer four wide on the turn then came up empty. MEDIA DARLING was antsy in the gate, pressed the early pace two wide, retreated on the turn and jogged to the wire.

Owners– 1, Klein Samuel Jr; 2, Acree Lori and Meyers Judy; 3, Lavrich Nancy and Zielinski Ronald; 4, WinStar Farm & Blazing Meadows Fm; 5, Sparks Jerry S; 6, Lavrich Nancy

Trainers– 1, Davis Scooter; 2, Meyer's Shane; 3, Zielinski Richard; 4, Hamm Timothy; 5, Sparks Jerry S; 6, Zielinski Richard

Scratched– Uottalikeit (07Aug23 6Tdn³), Hip Hip Hooray (10Jul23 6Tdn³)

\$1 Pick Three (6-2-3) Paid \$178.90; Pick Three Pool \$7,392.