

EIGHTH RACE
Fair Grounds
NOVEMBER 17, 2023

1 MILE 70 YARDS. (1394) JOHN VALENE MEMORIAL S. Purse \$75,000 (includes \$25,000 LTBA Supplement) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD, ACCREDITED LOUISIANA BRED. Free nomination by Saturday, November 11. \$400 to enter, \$400 additional to start. Supplemental nominations of \$1,500 will be accepted at time of entry which shall include all fees. \$75,000 Guaranteed of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Any unpaid purse monies will revert to the winner. Weight: Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 124 lbs. Non-winners of \$25,000 since September 17 allowed 2 lbs. \$20,000 since August 17 allowed 4 lbs. \$15,000 since then allowed 6 lbs. (Maiden, claiming, and starter races not considered in estimating allowances.) Starters to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. The John Valene Memorial Stakes will be limited to fourteen (14) starters. First preference to stakes winners, second preference to horses that have accumulated the highest total earnings in 2023 and then horses with the highest lifetime earnings Any horse excluded from running because of the aforementioned preference shall be refunded the entry fee or supplementary nomination fee if applicable. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, November 11, 2023 with 18 nominations.

Value of Race: \$75,000 Winner \$45,000; second \$15,000; third \$8,250; fourth \$4,500; fifth \$2,250. Mutuel Pool \$77,236.00 Exacta Pool \$57,355.00 Trifecta Pool \$34,690.00 Superfecta Pool \$23,482.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1	
25Oct23 5Ind ⁸	Vale Male	L	4	118	7	1	11	11	11	12	11	Graham J	9.50
5Aug23 3LaD ⁵	A G's Charlotte	L	4	118	5	3	3½	3hd	41½	22½	23¼	Pedroza M Jr	1.10
23Sep23 9CD ⁴	Sabra Tuff	L b	3	115	2	4	64	63	5hd	4hd	32¼	Gutierrez R	1.20
5Aug23 3LaD ⁷	Fort Polk	L	7	118	4	6	4½	41	3½	3½	42¾	Nieves E	12.80
6Oct23 6DeD ⁶	Tensas Candy	L f	3	117	6	2	2½	2½	2hd	52	53½	Castillo A	44.40
4Aug23 8EvD ¹	Box of Pictures	L	5	118	3	5	5hd	5hd	7	7	62¼	Guerrero J A	11.60
6Oct23 6DeD ⁷	Louisiana Liberty	L	3	115	1	7	7	7	62	62½	7	Melancon G	40.20

OFF AT 4:18 Start Good For All But BOX OF PICTURES. Won driving. Track good.

TIME :25, :492, 1:143, 1:404, 1:451 (:25.00, :49.45, 1:14.74, 1:40.90, 1:45.20)

9 - VALE MALE 21.00 6.60 3.00
 6 - A G'S CHARLOTTE 2.80 2.10
 2 - SABRA TUFF 2.10

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

\$1 EXACTA 9-6 PAID \$34.80 50 CENT TRIFECTA 9-6-2

PAID \$53.20 10 CENT SUPERFACTA 9-6-2-4 PAID \$39.49

Dk. b or br. f, (Apr), by Bodemeister - Wildwood Kantharos, by Kantharos. Trainer Hodges James E. Bred by J Adcock & Hume Wornall (La).

VALE MALE saved ground around the first turn, led the way up the backstretch, continued to show the way from the rail around the far bend and held clear to the wire. A G'S CHARLOTTE raced in the two path early, tracked the leader on the inside up the backstretch, saved ground around the far turn, began a bid passing the quarter pole and gained ground late. SABRA TUFF bumped with the horse to her outside at the start, saved ground around the first turn, settled in the middle of the pack on the inside for the run up the backstretch, navigated the far bend from the two path and improved position from there. FORT POLK bumped with the horse to her inside leaving the gate, recovered to stalk the leader on the outside through the opening half mile, came around the far turn in the three path and was outkicked in the lane. TENSAS CANDY raced in the two path around the first turn, chased the leader on the outside up the backstretch, began a bid from the two path coming around the second turn and weakened in the stretch. BOX OF PICTURES bumped with the horses to both sides at the start, bobbling in the process, raced in the two path around the first bend, settled in the middle of the pack on the outside for the run up the backstretch, navigated the far bend from the three path and tired in the lane. LOUISIANA LIBERTY saved ground early, trailed the field up the backstretch, began a bid from the four path coming around the far turn and flattened out in the stretch.

Owners- 1, D and S Stables LLC; 2, Galvin Thomas; 3, Valene Farms LLC; 4, Roe Steve D and Roe Patricia L; 5, Jarrett Jr Terrell; 6, Brittllyn Stable Inc; 7, Whispering Oaks Farm LLC

Trainers- 1, Hodges James E; 2, West Patricia G; 3, Stewart Dallas; 4, Mouton Patrick; 5, Lara Jorge; 6, Wilson Shane; 7, Castille Carrol

Scratched- Free Like a Girl (06Oct23 6DeD³), For Harper (27Aug23 6LaD⁴)

50 CENT Pick Three (5-2-9) Paid \$368.15 ; Pick Three Pool \$8,838 .

\$1 Daily Double (2-9) Paid \$141.90 ; Daily Double Pool \$11,188 .

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