

NINTH RACE Belmont

6 FURLONGS. (Turf) (105³) LICENSE FEE \$5. Purse \$150,000 FOR FILLIES AND MARES FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. (Rail at 18 feet).

MAY 7, 2023

Value of Race: \$150,000 Winner \$82,500; second \$30,000; third \$18,000; fourth \$9,000; fifth \$6,000; sixth \$1,125; seventh \$1,125; eighth \$1,125; ninth \$1,125. Mutuel Pool \$728,053.00 Exacta Pool \$481,538.00 Trifecta Pool \$290,941.00 Superfecta Pool \$188,702.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1	
16Apr23	4Kee2	Bubble Rock	4	124	7	4	6 1½	61	1hd	1½	Rosario J	3.15
14Apr23	3Aqu3	Poppy Flower	b 4	122	1	1	7½	7½	4½	21¼	Ortiz J L	5.50
14Apr23	3Aqu1	Goin' Good	5	118	4	2	51	5hd	2hd	31	Franco M	8.60
20Nov22	7Aqu5	Messidor-Ire	5	118	2	8	9	9	7hd	4½	Castellano JJ	11.90
11Mar23	11GP6	Imagery	b 5	119	5	3	41	41	5hd	5hd	Carmouche K	41.00
16Apr23	2Aqu1	Hot Fudge	4	120	6	7	32	3hd	6hd	6¾	Cancel E	15.90
15Apr23	8Kee3	Star Devine-Ire	5	122	9	6	2hd	21	31½	71½	Ortiz I Jr	2.10
15Apr23	8Kee7	Minaun-Ire	5	118	3	9	81	81	8hd	84¼	Velazquez J R	9.80
8Apr23	7Kee5	Yuugiri	b 4	124	8	5	11½	11	9	9	Prat F	7.10

OFF AT 5:22 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :21³, :45¹, :57, 1:08³ (:21.66, :45.33, :57.02, 1:08.61)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

8 - BUBBLE ROCK	8.30	4.40	3.60
2 - POPPY FLOWER	6.10	4.20	
5 - GOIN' GOOD		4.50	

**\$1 EXACTA 8-2 PAID \$34.75 50 CENT TRIFECTA 8-2-5
PAID \$71.62 10 CENT SUPERFACTA 8-2-5-3 PAID \$69.40**

Dk. bor br. f. (Apr), by More Than Ready - Reef Point, by Giant's Causeway. Trainer Cox Brad H. Bred by Shortleaf Stable (Ky).

BUBBLE ROCK angled in while rated off the pace, was bumped by a foe near the nine-sixteenths, went three then four wide on the turn, bumped with a foe while rallying five wide into the stretch, closed well to get the lead before the eighth-pole, responded well in the final furlong and prevailed under strong urging. POPPY FLOWER bumped with a rival at the start then was hustled, settled off the pace, saved ground early on the turn, shifted three wide late on that bend, spun four wide into the stretch the tipped further out, pursued the winner into the final furlong and gained with good courage but missed while able to get the place. GOIN' GOOD settled off the pace, came out some and bumped with a foe near the nine-sixteenths, went around the turn in the two path, was roused three wide into the stretch, made a bid near the three-sixteenths, fought between foes into the final furlong, fought with the winner into the final furlong and was outfinished while able to get the show. MESSIDOR (IRE) bumped with rivals on both sides at the start, settled towards the rear, went two then three wide on the turn, swung seven wide into the stretch and improved position. IMAGERY was taken in hand then rated under a snug hold, moved out nearing the half-mile pole, was let out three wide on the turn, bumped with an opponent while four wide into the stretch and lacked the needed kick. HOT FUDGE showed speed then was taken in hand, was well placed just off the pace, saved ground around the turn, was asked in the two path at the quarter-pole, chased behind foes into the final furlong and lacked the needed response. STAR DEVINE (IRE) tracked the pace on the outside then in the three path on the turn, took a short lead in upper stretch, lost the advantage under a drive before the furlong marker and tired. MINAUN (IRE) broke in and hit the gate then bumped with a rival, was urged towards the rear, went three to four wide on the turn, spun six wide into the stretch, move into a reasonable striking position but came up empty. YUUGIRI went to the front, showed the way with a clear advantage, vied inside on the turn, lost the advantage under urging in upper stretch and gave way.

Owners- 1, Shortleaf Stable Inc; 2, Armoire Thoroughbreds LLC; 3, Klein Racing; 4, Blue Devil Racing Stable (Holiday); 5, Barber Gary; 6, KEM Stables; 7, Goichman Lawrence; 8, Bradley Thoroughbreds Iris Smith Stable LLC and Rigney Racing LLC; 9, Yoshihara Tsunebumi and Sekie

Trainers- 1, Cox Brad H; 2, Mott William I; 3, Cox Brad H; 4, Clement Christophe; 5, Cassé Mark; 6, Rice Linda; 7, Abreu Jorge R; 8, Walsh Brendan P; 9, Brisset Rodolphe

Scratched- Spun Glass (14Apr23 3Aqu4)

\$1 Daily Double (6-8) Paid \$30.75 ; Daily Double Pool \$206,467 .

\$1 Pick Three (6-6-8) Paid \$89.75 ; Pick Three Pool \$213,920 .

50 CENT Pick Four (13-3/6-6-8) Paid \$762.25 ; Pick Four Pool \$564,949 .

\$1 Pick Six (2/3/9/11/12-3-13-3/6-6-8) 6 Correct Paid \$31,682.50 ; Pick Six Pool \$99,958 .

\$1 Pick Six (2/3/9/11/12-3-13-3/6-6-8) 5 Correct Paid \$255.50 .

50 CENT Pick Five (3-13-3/6-6-8) 5 Correct Paid \$7,592.25 ; Pick Five Pool \$384,093 .

50 CENT Pick Five (X-COUNTRY P5) 3-3-13-6-8)

5 Correct Paid \$1,922.00 ; Pick Five Pool \$65,323 .

Belmont Park Attendance: Unavailable Mutuel Pool: \$0.00

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