

EIGHTH RACE

Laurel

AUGUST 13, 2023

1³/₁₆ MILES. (Turf) (1.53³) BALD EAGLE DERBY Purse \$100,000 **FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS.** Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time. By free subscription. \$500 to pass the entry box, \$500 additional to start, with \$100,000 Guaranteed, of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 1% to sixth. Weight: 124 lbs. Non-winners of a Sweepstakes at a mile or over allowed 2 lbs.; of \$50,000 once at a mile or over, 4 lbs.; of \$40,000 once at a mile or over, 6 lbs. (Maiden, Claiming and Starter races not considered in estimating allowances). Trophy to the owner of the winner. Closed Sunday, July 30, 2023 with 33 nominations. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race on the Turf course, it will be run on the main track at One Mile and Three Sixteenths). (Rail at 52 feet).

Value of Race: \$100,000 Winner \$60,000; second \$20,000; third \$10,000; fourth \$6,000; fifth \$3,000; sixth \$1,000. Mutuel Pool \$175,202.00 Exacta Pool \$141,231.00 Trifecta Pool \$81,186.00 Superfecta Pool \$52,127.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1	
28Jun23 ⁵ Del1	Dataman	b	3	118	4	4	3 ^{hd}	41	41	21	1 ³ / ₄	Ruiz J	12.40
20Jly23 ⁹ Sar6	Ari Gold	b	3	118	3	2	11 ¹ / ₂	11 ¹ / ₂	11	12	22 ³ / ₄	Rodriguez J	2.90
8Jly23 ⁵ Lr11	Circling the Drain	b	3	118	5	5	41 ¹ / ₂	31	31	34	35	Russell S	1.60
8Jly23 ¹⁰ Bel6	MendelssohnsMrch		3	122	6	6	7	61	61	53	4 ³ / ₄	Karamanos HA	2.20
5Aug23 ³ Del1	Eldest Son	b	3	119	1	1	61	7	7	4 ^{hd}	55 ¹ / ₄	Lopez C E	37.30
6May23 ⁸ GP2	English Painter	b	3	119	7	7	51	52	51	7	6 ¹ / ₂	Conner T	10.70
1Jly23 ^{CH} Y9	Sirtaki-FR		3	118	2	3	21 ¹ / ₂	21 ¹ / ₂	2 ^{hd}	6 ¹ / ₂	7	Carrasco V R	8.70

OFF AT 4:11 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :23², :47², 1:10⁴, 1:35¹, 1:53 (:23.58, :47.40, 1:10.92, 1:35.23, 1:53.07)

(New Course Record)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

5 – DATAMAN	26.80	9.60	4.60
3 – ARI GOLD		4.20	2.80
6 – CIRCLING THE DRAIN			2.20

\$1 EXACTA 5-3 PAID \$55.80 50 CENT TRIFECTA 5-3-6

PAID \$77.10 \$1 SUPERFACTA 5-3-6-7 PAID \$315.50

Gr/ro. g, (May), by Tapit – Soldata , by Maria’s Mon . Trainer Motion H Graham. Bred by Wertheimer et Frere (Ky).

DATAMAN rated forwardly while saving ground, took closer order under some coaxing nearing the lane, eased out for room leaving the three sixteenths marker, closed determinedly under right handed asks, reeled in ARI GOLD with about a sixteenth remaining, switched over to his left lead when taking over in deep stretch and was edging away at the wire. ARI GOLD was nudged clear soon after the break, angled in and secured the inside and set a rated pace while shadowed by SIRTAKI (FR), responded when set down soon into the lane, held a clear advantage under a hearty ride past the furlong grounds, dug in when confronted nearing the sixteenth pole then gave way grudgingly through the final yards. CIRCLING THE DRAIN broke a touch outward and brushed with MENDELSSOHN'S MARCH, moved up three wide to a tracking position early on, remained outside with aim leaving the far turn, ranged up under a ride to loom near the five sixteenths, gave hard chase to mid stretch but failed to seriously kick on from there. MENDELSSOHN'S MARCH, brushed at the start, was taken to rate early on, raced off the rail into the far turn while getting a bit closer, circled four wide into the stretch but lacked a solid finish. ELDESTSON saved ground off the pace, mild a mild rail advance in upper stretch then flattened out. ENGLISH PAINTER settled in the clear, edged up off the rail into the far turn, pursued under a solid ride past the three eighths, failed to go on in upper stretch and faded. SIRTAKI (FR) shied inward as the leader was crossing over in the opening sixteenth, was corrected and angled out a bit, pulled his way forward to prompt ARI GOLD from his outside, remained in touch to the far turn, came under asking near the three eighths, could not keep pace approaching the stretch and retreated through the final three sixteenths. THE RACE WAS HAND TIMED.

Owners– 1, Wertheimer and Frere; 2, Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners; 3, Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds LLC; 4, Harold Lerner LLC Nehoc Stables AWC Stables and Team Stallion Racing Stable; 5, Kernan Jr Morris E and Jagger Inc; 6, Big Frank Stable Ascione Enrico and Mad Dog Racing Stable; 7, Team Valor International and Barber Gary

Trainers– 1, Motion H Graham; 2, Pletcher Todd A; 3, Russell Brittany T; 4, McPeck Kenneth G; 5, Ness Jamie; 6, Joseph Saffie A Jr; 7, Delacour Arnaud

Scratched– Georgie W (08Jul23 12Ind5)

50 CENT Pick Three (6-4-5) Paid \$384.45 ; Pick Three Pool \$9,322 .

\$1 Daily Double (4-5) Paid \$90.90 ; Daily Double Pool \$8,258 .