

**NINTH RACE
Belmont at
the Big A**

SEPTEMBER 16, 2023

1 1/2 MILES. (Turf) (2.121) **FASIG-TIPTON JOCKEY CLUB OAKS INVITATIONAL S.** Grade III. Purse \$350,000 **AN INVITATIONAL FOR FILLIES, THREE-YEARS-OLD.** Non-Lasix Race pursuant to 4043.2 (7)(e)(5) Lasix not permitted within 48 hours of post time. \$1,750 to enter and an additional \$1,750 to start. The purse for the Fasig-Tipton Jockey Club Oaks Invitational shall be divided as follows: \$192,500 to the owner of the winner, \$70,000 to second, \$42,000 to third, \$21,000 to fourth, \$14,000 fifth and \$10,500 divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. Weight: 122 lbs. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the Main Track. In the event that this race is taken off the turf it may be subject to downgrading upon review by the Graded Stakes Committee. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at One Mile and One Quarter on the Main Track.) (Rail at 9 feet).

Value of Race: \$350,000 Winner \$192,500; second \$70,000; third \$42,000; fourth \$21,000; fifth \$14,000; sixth \$5,250; seventh \$5,250. Mutuel Pool \$485,661.00 Exacta Pool \$320,932.00 Superfecta Pool \$103,574.00 Trifecta Pool \$168,378.00 Grand Slam Pool \$42,008.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
20Aug23 5DEA ³	Eternal Hope-Ire	3	122	6	7	7	7	7	4hd	1nk	Spencer J P	1.00
21Aug23 12Prx ¹	Necie Marie	3	122	3	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	61	51	21	Adorno A	14.70
13Aug23 6Lrl ²	Speirling Beag-Ire	3	122	7	6 2	6 1 1/2	6 2	5 1/2	3hd	3 1 3/4	Franco M	6.80
4Jly23 10Bel ¹	Highland Grace	3	122	5	4 1/2	41	41	3 1/2	21	4 1 1/2	Castellano J J	3.45
1Sep23 7Sar ¹	Quarrel	b 3	122	2	2 3	2 7 1/2	26	24	11	5 8 1/2	Ortiz J L	16.00
1Sep23 7Sar ⁴	Stephanie's Charm	b 3	122	4	14	112	115	111	6 3	6 13	Alvarado J	52.50
3Sep23 10KD ⁴	Last Call	3	122	1	3 1 1/2	31	3 1/2	41	7	7	Ortiz I Jr	3.80

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

TIME :24, :47², 1:13¹, 1:38³, 2:04⁴, 2:16² (:24.12, :47.52, 1:13.32, 1:38.71, 2:04.82, 2:16.47)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:
6-ETERNAL HOPE-IRE 4.00 3.10 2.80
3-NEECIE MARIE 10.20 5.50
7-SPEIRLING BEAG-IRE 3.60

**\$1 EXACTA 6-3 PAID \$26.00 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 6-3-7-5
 PAID \$29.55 50 CENT TRIFECTA 6-3-7 PAID \$56.12**

Ch. f, (Feb), by Teofilo-Ire - Voice of Truth-Ire, by Dubawi-Ire. Trainer Appleby Charles. Bred by Godolphin (Ire).

ETERNAL HOPE (IRE) was last into stride, raced in the two path while unhurried at the rear, was roused while moving from the three path to the five path on the final turn, rallied six wide into the stretch, closed strongly to make a bid outside the sixteenth-pole, fought with the runner-up to the finish and narrowly prevailed under strong urging. NEECIE MARIE was hustled from the gate then taken in hand early, settled while inside to the two path, was urged in the two path on the final turn, gained three wide into the stretch, moved in while chasing into the final furlong, made a bid outside the sixteenth-pole, battled with the winner to the finish and just missed while able to get the place. SPEIRLING BEAG (IRE) settled in the two to three path, was asked while three then four wide on the final turn, rallied five wide into the stretch, closed well to make a bid inside the furlong marker but was out finished late while able to get the show. HIGHLAND GRACE settled in the two to three path, was asked on the final turn, came four wide into the stretch, rallied to make a bid inside the furlong marker but was out-kicked and missed the trifecta. QUARREL showed in front early, was taken in hand when joined on the outside into the first turn, raced in the two to three path while placed under vigorous restraint on that bend, followed the solo leader while rated in clear second position, gained on the tiring pacesetter while moving from the rail to the three path on the far turn, took the lead while asked for her best in upper stretch, lost the advantage outside the sixteenth-pole and weakened. STEPHANIE'S CHARM went to the front entering the first turn, sped clear while in the four to five path on that bend, opened up a huge advantage, traveled around the second turn in the three then four path, continued with a very large advantage down the backstretch, shortened stride in the two path on the final turn, was collared into upper stretch and capitulated. LAST CALL settled on the inside, was urged along on the final turn and faltered.

Owners- 1, Godolphin LLC; 2, Milam Michael; 3, Walmac Farm Gainesway Stable (Antony Beck) and Haras d'Etreham; 4, Young Joyce B; 5, Keller Marc; 6, RT Racing Stable; 7, Lanni Bloodstock and SF Racing LLC

Trainers- 1, Appleby Charles; 2, Reid Robert E Jr; 3, Motion H Graham; 4, Tagg Barclay; 5, Ribaud Robert J; 6, Jimenez Jose M; 7, Attard Kevin

\$1 Pick Three (2-1-6) Paid \$87.75 ; Pick Three Pool \$40,291 .

\$1 Daily Double (1-6) Paid \$4.45 ; Daily Double Pool \$79,617 .

\$1 Grand Slam (2/4/6/7-1/2/3-1/3/6-6) Paid \$11.30 ; Grand Slam Pool \$42,008 .

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