

**NINTH RACE
Aqueduct**

DECEMBER 16, 2023

7 FURLONGS. (1.20) NEW YORK STALLION SERIES S. Purse \$500,000 FOR TWO YEARS OLD ELIGIBLE FOR THE NEW YORK STALLION STAKES. All foals by Nominated Stallions will be automatically eligible for all of the New York Stallion Stakes Series races. Non-Lasix Race pursuant to 4043.2 (7)(e)(5) Lasix not permitted within 48 hours of post time. By subscription of \$500 which should accompany the nomination. \$3,000 to pass the entry box and an additional \$4,500 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental nomination payment of \$2,500 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. All monies to be divided 55% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 6% to fourth, 4% to fifth and 3% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. 5% of purses won to be awarded to the stallion nominator. Weight: 122 lbs. Non-winners of a race other than maiden or claiming allowed 2 lbs.; maidens allowed 4 lbs. Winners preferred. Any ties will be broken by total earnings. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, December 2nd, 2023 with 18 nominations.

Value of Race: \$500,000 Winner \$275,000; twelfth \$2,142; second \$100,000; third \$60,000; fourth \$30,000; fifth \$20,000; sixth \$2,143; seventh \$2,143; eighth \$2,143; ninth \$2,143; tenth \$2,143; eleventh \$2,143. Mutuel Pool \$502,080.00 Exacta Pool \$463,590.00 Trifecta Pool \$226,382.00 Grand Slam Pool \$34,779.00 Superfecta Pool \$152,231.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
25Sep23 4FL4	Antonio of Venice	b	2	120	1	2	3½	3½	3¾	1¾	Franco M	6.30
17Nov23 5Aqu1	Brick Ambush		2	120	11	6	5 1	4hd	2 1	2 1½	Alvarado J	3.70
	Heavyweight Chmps		2	119	3	1	1 1	1½	1hd	3 1	Silvera R	14.60
12Nov23 9Aqu2	The Big Torpedo		2	118	7	4	4½	5 3	5hd	4nk	Castellano JJ	6.50
2Dec23 1Aqu2	Liberty Central		2	118	6	11	12	12	10 3	5 1	Gomez J A	28.75
29Oct23 8BAQ2	B D Saints	b	2	120	8	12	11 3½	10 1	7 1½	6¾	Carmouche K	1.75
20Nov23 4FL2	Profitability		2	118	5	8	10hd	9hd	9½	7 2	Cancel E	46.75
2Dec23 4Aqu1	King Freud	b	2	120	4	3	7 2½	7½	6hd	8 1¾	McCarthy T	28.50
30Nov23 9Aqu1	Solo in Paris	b	2	120	9	10	9½	8 2	4½	9 2	Luzzi L J	27.75
	Palace Boss	b	2	118	12	7	6½	6hd	8hd	10 2 1	Davis K	51.75
2Dec23 1Aqu4	Solo Empire		2	118	2	9	8 1½	11 1½	12	11 2 7	Rivera L R Jr	54.50
29Oct23 8BAQ9	Solo's Fury		2	120	10	5	2½	2½	11 7	12	Lezcano J	6.80

☐ - Brick Ambush disqualified and placed 12th

OFF AT 3:44 Start Good For All But LIBERTY CENTRAL, B D SAINTS, SOLO IN PARIS. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :222, :45 3, 1:11 1, 1:24 2 (:22.49, :45.78, 1:11.20, 1:24.40)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:
1 - ANTONIO OF VENICE _____ 14.60 6.30 4.80
3 - HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPS _____ 14.60 8.20
7 - THE BIG TORPEDO _____ 6.40

**\$1 EXACTA 1-3 PAID \$65.75 50 CENT TRIFECTA 1-3-7
 PAID \$242.00 10 CENT SUPERFACTA 1-3-7-6 PAID \$554.60**

B. c, (May), by Laoban - Stella Performance, by Trappe Shot. Trainer Rodriguez Rudy R. Bred by Cypress Creek Equine LLC (NY).

ANTONIO OF VENICE was well placed on the inside, drafted inside while behind the leader on the turn, was blocked nearing the quarter-pole, came out and bumped with arrival and then took up leaving the bend, angled out in upper stretch, made a bid inside the furlong marker and got up late to prevail. BRICK AMBUSH tracked the early pace, made a four wide bid by the quarter-pole while being bumped in the hind-end, vied for command off the turn, lost the crop near the three sixteenths, gained a short lead by the sixteenth marker but could not hold off the winner late. HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPS was away alertly to set the pace, vied two path to the inside on the turn, was headed off the bend and dug in gamely but was outfinished late. THE BIG TORPEDO tracked the early pace, drafted two wide behind the leaders on the turn, was bumped and had to check hard by the quarter-pole, then recovered and finished well late. LIBERTY CENTRAL was bumped between horses at the start then threw her head while pinched back and checked, dropped out to trail the field, swung out wide leaving the turn and had a laterally. B D SAINTS was off slowly, then was reserved and three to four wide on the turn, advanced on the turn but had no punch in the drive. PROFITABILITY was settled back early, went around the turn in the two path, came off the inside leaving the bend, weaved through traffic in upper stretch and gained some but failed to threaten. KING FREUD chased the pace inside, saved ground on the turn, cut the corner leaving the bend and lacked the needed response. SOLO IN PARIS stumbled at the start, then raced on the outside, advanced five wide on the turn but lacked a late response. PALACE BOSS chased the early pace, went three to four wide on the turn, wandered in briefly outside the quarter-pole then was corrected by the rider, came between horses in upper stretch and weakened. SOLO EMPIRE was allowed to settle on the inside, saved ground on the turn and failed to threaten then was eased but walked off. SOLO'S FURY prompted the pace three wide, went up to press the pace on the turn, was bumped and checked hard by the quarter-pole and stopped then was eased in the final furlong but walked off. FOLLOWING A STEWARDS INQUIRY, BRICK AMBUSH WAS DISQUALIFIED FROM SECOND AND PLACED LAST FOR INTERFERENCE AT THE QUARTER-POLE

Owners- 1, Imperio Michael Cotrone Robert Hibiscus Stables LLC and Rodriguez Rudy R; 2, Reeves Thoroughbred Racing; 3, Big Dom Racing Stable and Big Toe Stables LLC; 4, Albrecht Thomas C Fusaro Vincent J and Klein James; 5, Thummps Racing Stable LLC Jacoutot Peter and Paradise Farms Corp; 6, Cypress Creek Equine; 7, Windylea Farm LLC; 8, Rodriguez Rudy R and Witz Frank; 9, Persaud Randi; 10, Dragon Slayer Stable; 11, Buchakjian Kyle and Buchakjian Richard; 12, Greyhound Stables and Dunn Christopher T

Trainers- 1, Rodriguez Rudy R; 2, Gargan Danny; 3, Rodriguez Rudy R; 4, Morley Thomas; 5, Quick Patrick J; 6, Rice Linda; 7, Weaver George; 8, Rodriguez Rudy R; 9, Persaud Randi; 10, De Paz Horacio; 11, Ferraro James W; 12, Endlehart Jeremiah C

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Scratched - Wo Hop, Kaz Mega Bank

\$1 Daily Double (2-1) Paid \$16.70 ; Daily Double Pool \$142,349 .

\$1 Pick Three (1-2-1) Paid \$128.50 ; Pick Three Pool \$68,477 .

\$1 Grand Slam (3/5/9-1/4/9-2/8/9-1) Paid \$110.75 ; Grand Slam Pool \$34,779 .