

SEVENTH RACE Oaklawn

DECEMBER 31, 2023

6 FURLONGS. (1074) RENAISSANCE S. Purse \$150,000 **TWO YEAR OLDS.** No nomination fee. \$750 to pass the entry box and \$750 additional to start. Supplementary nominations may be made by the closing time of entries for a fee of \$2,000 which qualifies to start. \$150,000 Guaranteed. After paying 2.5% of original purse to the owners of horses finishing 6th through last, 60% of the remaining purse will be paid to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 6% to fourth and 4% to fifth. **WEIGHTS:** 124 lbs. Non-winners of \$60,000 in 2023 allowed 3 lbs.; \$50,000 in 2023 allowed 5 lbs.; \$35,000 in 2023 allowed 7 lbs. (Maiden and Claiming races not considered in allowances). In Allowance Stakes starting preference will be given to horses that have accumulated the highest earnings. Starters to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. The Owner of the winner to receive a trophy. **Nominations Closed Saturday, December 16, 2023 with 18 Nominations.**

Value of Race: \$150,000 **Winner** \$87,750; **second** \$29,250; **third** \$14,625; **fourth** \$8,775; **fifth** \$5,850; **sixth** \$3,750. **Mutuel Pool** \$191,480.00 **Exacta Pool** \$82,830.00 **Trifecta Pool** \$49,109.00 **Superfecta Pool** \$30,664.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
8Dec23 9OP1	Valentine Candy		2 124	2	4	4 1½	4hd	1½	11½	Rosario J	0.70
19Nov23 8Dmr3	Tejon Pass	b	2 117	5	5	5 1½	5²	4½	2¾	Prat F	3.40
24Nov23 9FG1	Googol Joke	b	2 117	1	6	6	6	5 ⁸	3 ⁵	Torres C A	16.70
8Dec23 9OP6	General Shipman		2 121	4	1	2½	1hd	3hd	4nk	Arrieta F	35.50
8Dec23 9OP7	Frost Free		2 118	6	2	3½	2hd	2hd	521½	Juarez N	27.20
25Nov23 9CD3	Normandy Hero		2 124	3	3	1hd	3½	6	6	Achard A	2.50

OFF AT 3:21 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :22, :45⁴, :58⁴, 1:11¹ (:22.04, :45.81, :58.82, 1:11.29)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

2 - VALENTINE CANDY	3.40	2.20	2.40
6 - TEJON PASS		3.20	3.00
1 - GOOGOL JOKE			3.60

**\$1 EXACTA 2-6 PAID \$5.00 50 CENT TRIFECTA 2-6-1
PAID \$15.75 10 CENT SUPERFACTA 2-6-1-5 PAID \$10.51**

Ch. c. (Feb), by Justify - Taste Like Candy, by Candy Ride - Arg. Trainer Asmussen Steven M. Bred by Pine Creek LP (Ky).

VALENTINE CANDY pulled while forwardly placed inside, tapped on the brakes when in hand early turn, continued in traffic and waited a bit turning for home, shifted out a bit, accelerated and took command past the furlong marker, held the runner up safe comfortably safe in the waning strides. TEJON PASS behind the pace outside, three to four wide for the drive, roused, finished willingly be garner the place, little late gain on the winner. GOOGOL JOKE off a step slow, back off the pace, moved out widest for the drive, also was going well at the end. GENERAL SHIPMAN set or forced the pace while between foes for a half, weakened through the stretch. FROST FREE pressed the issue from the outside, held a slight advantage upper stretch then gave way the final furlong. NORMANDY HERO contest the pace while closest to the inside for four furlongs, stopped and jogged in late.

Owners- 1, Heiligbrodt L William Heiligbrodt Corinne Jackpot Farm Whispering Oaks Farm LLC; 2, Williamson Racing LLC; 3, Ruthies Ride II LLC Lancaster House Thoroughbreds LLC and Medina Robert; 4, Cline Jason; 5, Keene Thoroughbreds LLC; 6, Yoshida Naoya

Trainers- 1, Asmussen Steven M; 2, Miller Peter; 3, Medina Robert; 4, Schleis Casey; 5, Creighton Brett; 6, Brisset Rodolphe

Scratched- Booth (25Nov23 9CD 5)

50 CENT Pick Three (2-11-2/3) Paid \$45.70 ; Pick Three Pool \$31,869 .

\$1 Daily Double (11-2) Paid \$9.30 ; Daily Double Pool \$15,404 .