

**FIFTH RACE**  
**Santa Anita**  
**DECEMBER 26, 2023**

**1 1/4 MILES. (Turf) (1.57) AMERICAN OAKS Grade I Purse \$300,000 DOWNHILL TURF FOR FILLIES THREE-YEARS-OLD.** By subscription of \$100 each if made on or before Tuesday, December 12, 2023, closed with 9 or by Supplementary nomination of \$6,000 due at time of entry. \$2,250 to enter and an additional \$2,250 to start with \$300,000 guaranteed, of which \$180,000 to first, \$60,000 to second, \$36,000 to third, \$18,000 to fourth and \$6,000 to fifth. Weight: 124 lbs. Graded or Group winners have first preference, followed by Graded or Group placed horses, followed by Stakes winners, Stake placed horses and horses with the highest earnings in Non-Claiming races at time of entry. Starters to be named through the entry box by closing time of entries. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner.

**Value of Race: \$300,000 Winner \$180,000; second \$60,000; third \$36,000; fourth \$18,000; fifth \$6,000. Mutuel Pool \$502,444.00 Exacta Pool \$225,865.00 Trifecta Pool \$125,095.00 Superfecta Pool \$60,737.00**

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
5Nov23 8SA2	Anisette-GB	3	124	1	41	3hd	3hd	3 1/2	2 1/2	1 3/4	Rispoli U	0.60
4Nov23 2SA8	Be Your Best-Ire	3	124	4	11	1 1/2	11	11	1 1/2	22	Ortiz I Jr	3.60
23Nov23 6CD1	Musical Mischief	3	124	5	2 1/2	2 1/2	21	2 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	Prat F	3.60
10Nov23 3GG1	Sakura Flavor-Ire	3	124	3	3hd	41	4 1/2	4 1/2	5	4 1/4	Fresu A	33.40
3Dec23 7Dmr12	Elounda Queen-Ire	3	124	2	5	5	5	5	4 1/2	5	Hernandez J J	7.10

**OFF AT 1:07 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.**

**TIME :24<sup>3</sup>, :48<sup>4</sup>, 1:13, 1:36<sup>3</sup>, 2:00<sup>1</sup> ( :24.76, :48.88, 1:13.08, 1:36.66, 2:00.22 )**

**\$2 Mutuel Prices:**

<b>2 - ANISETTE - GB</b> .....	<b>3.20</b>	<b>2.10</b>	<b>2.10</b>
<b>6 - BE YOUR BEST - IRE</b> .....		<b>2.80</b>	<b>2.10</b>
<b>7 - MUSICAL MISCHIEF</b> .....			<b>2.40</b>

**\$1 EXACTA 2-6 PAID \$3.10 \$1 TRIFECTA 2-6-7 PAID \$7.90 10 CENT SUPERFACTA 2-6-7-5 PAID \$3.69**

**Dk. b or br. f, (Feb), by Awtad-Ire - Tutti Frutti-GB, by Teofilo-Ire. Trainer Powell Leonard. Bred by Morera Partnership (GB).**

ANISETTE (GB) settled along the inside in range of the pacesetter, continued to save ground on the far turn, tipped out into the stretch, drew alongside BE YOUR BEST (IRE) at the eighth pole, took over approaching the sixteenth pole and drove clear. BE YOUR BEST (IRE) stepped to the front and dictated the pace in the early going, met the challenge from MUSICAL MISCHIEF with three furlongs left to run, put that rival away past the five-sixteenths pole, confronted by ANISETTE (GB) at the eighth pole, lost command shortly after and stayed on to secure the place. MUSICAL MISCHIEF closest in pursuit of the leader from the two path early on, put in a mild bid at the three-eighths pole, could not sustain the challenge past the five-sixteenths marker, chased two wide into the lane and kept on to hold the show. SAKURA FLAVOR (IRE) settled outside a rival, continued two wide on the far turn, moved out in the lane but could not summon a rally. ELOUNDA QUEEN (IRE) was content to trail a bit off the rail, gained along the rail through the far turn, cut the corner into the lane but flattened out in the furlong grounds.

**Owners**- 1, Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners; 2, Ryan Michael J; 3, Stoneway Farm; 4, Oda Racing and USEquine; 5, Agave Racing Stable Living The Dream Stables LLC and Medallion Racing

**Trainers**- 1, Powell Leonard; 2, De Paz Horacio; 3, McCarthy Michael W; 4, Gallagher Patrick; 5, D'Amato Philip

**Scratched**- Khinjani (GB) ( 16Oct23 5Wds 1 ), Grace Period (FR) ( 26Nov23 7Dmr 5 )

**\$1 Pick Three (2-5-2) Paid \$4.30 ; Pick Three Pool \$168,717 .**

**\$2 Daily Double (5-2) Paid \$5.60 ; Daily Double Pool \$63,691 .**

**50 CENT Pick Four (3-2-2/5-1/2/3) Paid \$20.75 ; Pick Four Pool \$242,890 .**

**50 CENT Pick Five (5-3-2-2/5-1/2/3) 5 Correct Paid \$145.00 ; Pick Five Pool \$771,165 .**