

7 FURLONGS. (Turf) (1.194) THE LOTTSA TALC. Curse \$65,000 FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD FOLAED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE BRED REGISTRY. No nomination fee. \$1,000 to enter, receive a \$750 rebate. A supplemental nomination fee of \$200 may be made at time of entry. The added money and all fees to be divided 60% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among the remaining finishers. Three year olds 119 Older 123 lbs. Non-winners of a sweepstakes on the turf since November 1, 2008 allowed 2 lbs. Three races, 4 lbs. (Maiden, claiming, starter and restricted allowance races not considered in allowances). A presentation will be made to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, July 4, 2009 with 24 Original Nominations and 1 Supplement. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at Seven Furlongs on the main track.)

**EIGHTH RACE**  
**Belmont**  
JULY 11, 2009

Value of Race: \$67,950 Winner \$40,770; second \$13,590; third \$5,096; fourth \$5,096; fifth \$2,039; sixth \$680; seventh \$679. Mutuel Pool \$482,024.00 Exacta Pool \$370,033.00 Trifecta Pool \$234,163.00 Superfecta Pool \$80,832.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
15May09 6Pim2	Canadian Ballet	L	b 4	119	6	1	1½ 1½	11	1nk	Garcia Alan	2.10
25May09 4Bel2	Meriwether Jessica	L	4	119	3	2	3hd 3½	21	2¼	Velasquez C	1.30
24Jun09 3Bel2	[DH] Karakorum Fugitive	L	3	116	1	6	4½ 5¹	3½	3	Coa E M	11.20
21Aug08 7Sar10	[DH] Them There Eyes	L	f 5	121	2	7	7 7	5¹	3nk	Espinoza J L	13.00
25Jun09 8Bel2	Absolute Heaven	L	5	119	7	4	5½ 4½	41	5hd	Velazquez J R	6.60
9Jun09 5Suf5	Here Comes Rita	L	4	119	4	5	6² 6²	6½	67	Maragh R	18.80
18Apr09 9CT3	Weathered	L	bf 4	121	5	3	2¹ 2¹	7	7	Luzzi M J	8.80

[DH]-Dead Heat.

**OFF AT 4:48 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.**

**TIME :23¹, :46, 1:09³, 1:21³ (:23.39, :46.19, 1:09.73, 1:21.73)**

7 - CANADIAN BALLETT. ....	6.20	3.10	2.70
3 - MERIWETHER JESSICA. ....		2.70	2.20
1 - [DH]KARAKORUM FUGITIVE. ....			2.60
2 - [DH]THEM THERE EYES. ....			2.90

**\$2 EXACTA 7-3 PAID \$15.20 \$2 TRIFECTA 7-3-1 PAID \$37.00**

**\$2 TRIFECTA 7-3-2 PAID \$42.80 \$2 SUPERFACTA 7-3-1-2 PAID \$186.00**

**\$2 SUPERFACTA 7-3-2-1 PAID \$176.00**

Ch. f. (Apr), by City Zip - Canadian Flagship, by Northern Flagship. Trainer Rice Linda. Bred by Gus Schoenborn Jr (NY).

CANADIAN BALLETT set the pace under pressure to the turn, opened a clear advantage in midstretch, dug in when threatened in deep stretch and prevailed under right hand urging. MERIWETHER JESSICA raced under a firm hold early, was in traffic behind horses on the turn, swung three wide at the quarter pole then closed steadily but could not get up. KARAKORUM FUGITIVE settled along the inside for a half, rallied along the rail in midstretch and finished willingly to dead heat for third. THEM THERE EYES trailed after breaking slowly, was outrun along the rail for five furlongs, angled between horses in upper stretch then rallied belatedly after splitting horses in midstretch. ABSOLUTE HEAVEN raced within striking distance while four wide to the top of the stretch and lacked a late response. HERE COMES RITA was outrun for a half, steadied while blocked behind horses in upper stretch and failed to threaten thereafter. WEATHERED pressed the winner in the two path and gave way.

**Owners-** 1, Obviously NY Stable; 2, Symons Patsy C; 3, Karakorum Farm; 4, Akindale Farm; 5, Bushwood Stables LLC; 6, Murray Thomas Michael and Vincent; 7, Chevalier Stable

**Trainers-** 1, Rice Linda; 2, Rice Linda; 3, Jerkens James A; 4, Feron Kathleen M; 5, Motion H Graham; 6, Morrison John; 7, Grusmark Karl M

**Scratched-** Mohegan Sky (03Jul09 9Bel4)

**\$2 Pick Three (3-9-7) Paid \$32.00 ; Pick Three Pool \$89,826 .**

**\$2 Daily Double (9-7) Paid \$21.40 ; Daily Double Pool \$75,225 .**