FIFTH RACE

Belmont at the Big A

MAY 9, 2026

6 FURLONGS. ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING. Purse $88,000 (UP TO $15,312 NYSBFOA) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON $20,000 OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE $55,000. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Claiming Price $55,000 (Allowance Horses Preferred) (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void).

Value of Race: $88,000 Winner $48,400; second $17,600; third $10,560; fourth $5,280; fifth $3,520; sixth $880; seventh $880; eighth $880. Mutuel Pool $343,849.00 Exacta Pool $234,555.00 Superfecta Pool $61,619.00 Trifecta Pool $110,032.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
19Apr26 2Aqu5	Roman Grace	L	5	126	8	6	5hd	41	2hd	11¼	Santana R Jr	55000	5.87
4Apr26 1Aqu5	Paula's a Star	L	4	126	7	4	3 1½	1hd	11	21	Franco M		7.79
7Mar26 6Aqu1	Next On Stage	L	5	126	4	2	4½	5hd	64	3no	Davis D		7.61
6Dec25 4Aqu4	Army Gal	L	4	126	2	7	7½	62	51	43¾	Lezcano J		2.26
18Apr26 3Aqu3	Kadena	L	5	126	1	1	1½	31½	3½	53	Rodriguez J		6.17
13Mar26 7Cnl6	Mila Candy	L	4	126	5	5	2½	2hd	4hd	6½	Gonzalez S		20.34
20Sep25 4BAQ1	Minute by Minute	L	3	121	3	3	6 1½	8	7hd	74¼	Prat F		3.05
22Sep25 3FL3	Mischief Lady	L	4	126	6	8	8	7½	8	8	Civaci S		12.15

OFF AT 3:09 Start Good For All But MISCHIEF LADY. Won driving. Track good (Sealed).

TIME :22, :45[3], :58, 1:11 (:22.19, :45.63, :58.09, 1:11.11)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

8 – ROMAN GRACE	**13.74**	**7.42**	**4.68**
7 – PAULA'S A STAR		**8.16**	**5.12**
4 – NEXT ON STAGE			**4.84**

$1 EXACTA 8–7 PAID $47.54 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 8–7–4–2 PAID $77.77 50 CENT TRIFECTA 8–7–4 PAID $136.09

Ch. m, (Apr), by Munnings – Seauxbelle, by Dynaformer. Trainer Green Amelia J. Bred by Fletcher Gray & Carolyn Gray (Ky).

ROMAN GRACE was rated along on the outside early, three wide on the turn and came five wide off the turn and made a bid and edged clear in the final sixteenth to prove best under a drive. PAULA'S A STAR prompted the early pace from the outside and then vied for command outside a duo and four wide on the turn, made a bid leaving the turn to gain command but was out-finished by the winner while staying on for the place award, second best. NEXT ON STAGE tracked the pace from the inside and then was two to three wide off the turn and angled out by the furlong marker and ran on willingly winning the bob for the show award. ARMY GAL was allowed to settle early, advanced two to four wide on the turn and swung out six wide leaving the turn to make a bid but needed more late while just missing the show award. KADENA set a pressured pace early on the inside and then vied for the lead on the rail on the turn and came two wide off the turn but weakened in the final furlong. MILA CANDY pressed the early pace and then vied for the lead in between rivals on the turn and came three wide off the turn but weakened in the final furlong. MINUTE BY MINUTE chased the early pace on the inside and then fell back on the turn and came three wide off turn but was not a threat. MISCHIEF LADY stumbled badly at the break and raced four wide on the turn while being no factor.

Owners– 1, JP Racing Stable and Paradise Farms Corp; 2, Santa Rey Stable and Rainbow's End Racing Stable LLC; 3, Rice Linda and Italian Stallions Racing; 4, Stewart Ronald P; 5, PlayingTheField Racing Final Turn Racing Stable LLC and Acqua Nova Stable; 6, Kantarmaci Ilkay Gaiety Stables LLC and Five Horsemen Stables; 7, First Row Partners; 8, Paddock Proud LLC

Trainers– 1, Green Amelia J; 2, Morley Thomas; 3, Rice Linda; 4, Rice Linda; 5, Abreu Fernando; 6, Kantarmaci Ilkay; 7, Brown Chad C; 8, Barker Edward R

Roman Grace was claimed by Pezzuti Robert; trainer, Rice Linda.

$1 Pick Three (7–3–8) Paid $108.81; Pick Three Pool $32,868.
50 CENT Pick Four (5–7–3–8) Paid $81.92; Pick Four Pool $114,058.
50 CENT Pick Five (4–5–7–3–8) 5 Correct Paid $243.97; Pick Five Pool $433,251.
$1 Daily Double (3–8) Paid $33.94; Daily Double Pool $42,504.