THIRD RACE

Ellis Park

JULY 26, 2026

1 1/16 MILES. (Turf) (1.38) CLAIMING . Purse $46,250 (includes $9,250 KTDF – Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 26 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $32,000 (Races Where Entered For $20,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at One mile out of the chute.) (Rail at 20 feet).

Value of Race: $46,250 Winner $27,664; second $8,984; third $4,492; fourth $2,246; fifth $1,348; sixth $506; seventh $505; eighth $505. Mutuel Pool $118,336.00 Exacta Pool $73,569.00 Trifecta Pool $40,910.00 Superfecta Pool $25,641.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
29Jan26 4FG8	Baltimore Heart	L bf	5	122	8	6	5 1½	4 1½	4 2½	1 1½	1 4¼	Geroux F	32000	9.50
7Jly26 6Ind1	Franz Josef	L b	8	122	6	4	2 hd	2 1	1 hd	2½	2 1	Antongrgi III W	32000	3.89
24Jun26 9CD9	Special Justice	L b	5	122	2	3	1½	1 hd	2 2½	3 2	3 hd	Sheehy D	32000	4.05
4Jly26 9ElP6	Sugoi	L b	9	122	4	1	3 4	3 3	3 hd	5 2½	4¾	Carrasco V R	32000	1.82
25Jun26 4CD7	Smoken Boy	L	4	122	3	2	4½	5½	6 2½	4½	5½	Concepcion A	32000	15.48
18Jun26 3CD4	C F V Bullet	L b	7	122	1	5	7 1	7 1½	7½	6 hd	6¾	Asmussen K J	32000	6.15
27Jun26 8BtP3	Quokka	L bf	5	122	5	7	8	8	8	8	7 1¾	Saez G	32000	20.28
24Jun26 1CD3	Quality Chic	L	6	122	7	8	6½	6 1	5½	7 1	8	Bejarano R	32000	7.79

OFF AT 12:53 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME : 23 4, :47 2, 1:10 4, 1:34 1, 1:40 (:23.95, :47.59, 1:10.82, 1:34.21, 1:40.11)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

8 – BALTIMORE HEART	21.00	8.38	5.48
6 – FRANZ JOSEF		5.76	3.68
2 – SPECIAL JUSTICE			3.60

$2 EXACTA 8–6 PAID $132.64 50 CENT TRIFECTA 8–6–2

PAID $147.32 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 8–6–2–4 PAID $63.45

Dk. b or br. h, (Apr), by Heart to Heart – Flight Pattern , by Straight Line . Trainer Williamson Brian. Bred by Nancy Vanier & Lyda Williamson (Ky).

BALTIMORE HEART pursued from midpack in the three path, progressed in the two path around the far turn, tipped to bid outside of the top pair entering the lane, drw off in midstretch and was put to wraps in the closing stages. FRANZ JOSEF vied three wide, then two wide leaving the five furlong pole, dueled with his inner counterpart around teh far turn but got outkicked by an outer challenger in upper stretch and held place. SPECIAL JUSTICE vied for the lead with an outer pair around the first turn, then only with a single outer rival passing the five furlong pole, dueled with that one around the far turn, got outkicked by an outer bidder in upper stretch, yielded then saved show at the wire. SUGOI vied two wide and between horses before backing off to stalk with five furlongs to go, chased along the inside around the far turn, moved out to the two to three path in midstretch then stayed on to miss show. SMOKEN BOY pursued from midpack in the two path, then further off of the pace in the three path into the far turn, fanned to the five path in upper stretch but lacked a bid. C F V BULLET lacked speed along the inside, swung out to the six path into upper stretch but failed to factor. QUOKKA trailed in the two path, spun to the four path into the lane and made little impact. QUALITY CHIC raced off of the pace in the three to two path then tired.

Owners– 1, Vanier Nancy A Gonella Peter E and Williamson Lyda; 2, Novogratz Racing Stables Inc; 3, McCarthy Shaun and Heitz Jerome P; 4, Ramirez Anayeli; 5, Sommers Wayne; 6, Asmussen Steven M; 7, Vences Geovanny; 8, Cook David K

Trainers– 1, Williamson Brian; 2, Wismer Troy S; 3, Molloy Thomas; 4, Bahena Ismael; 5, Lovell Michelle; 6, Asmussen Steven M; 7, Gorostieta Cirilo; 8, Cook David K

50 CENT Pick Three (7–6–8) Paid $609.54 ; Pick Three Pool $32,236 .

$2 Daily Double (6–8) Paid $179.82 ; Daily Double Pool $13,894 .