SEVENTH RACE

Fairmount Park

MAY 26, 2026

5½ FURLONGS. (1.03) ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING . Purse $40,500 (includes $20,000 Other Sources) FOR (REGISTERED BRED AND/OR FOALED IN ILLINOIS) FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF $20,000 FOR HORSES WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race Since February 26 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $20,000 (Claiming Races For $15,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances).

Value of Race: $40,500 Winner $24,300; second $8,100; third $4,050; fourth $2,430; fifth $810; sixth $810. Mutuel Pool $35,878.00 Exacta Pool $19,053.00 Trifecta Pool $13,675.00 Superfecta Pool $6,303.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	⅜	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
28Apr26 3FP1	Chance Taker	L	4	126	5	3	3hd	31½	1hd	1hd	Bendezu A		2.20
30Oct25 9Haw4	Smoked	L b	4	124	4	1	1hd	1hd	2½	22¼	Felix J E		0.50
5May26 5FP5	Vasariah's Image	L b	6	124	6	4	52	52	41	3hd	Tavares J		38.90
14Jun25 8FP1	Bar Money	L	5	124	3	5	6	6	51½	43¾	Santos A		10.50
5May26 5FP4	Hootie Hoot	L bf	4	124	2	2	21½	21½	32½	54¼	Ortega H J		28.90
5May26 5FP2	Irish Spark	L b	5	124	1	6	41	4hd	6	6	Arrieta R		7.50

OFF AT 4:15 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME : 22⁴, :46³, :59², 1:06¹ (:22.91, :46.74, :59.54, 1:06.33)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

5 – CHANCE TAKER	**6.40**	**2.60**	**2.10**
4 – SMOKED		**2.10**	**2.10**
6 – VASARIAH'S IMAGE			**5.00**

$1 EXACTA 5–4 PAID $5.80 $1 TRIFECTA 5–4–6 PAID $31.50 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 5–4–6–3 PAID $7.83

Gr/ro. f, (May), by Ghaaleb – Turtle Pie , by Wild Zone . Trainer Becker Scott. Bred by William Tippett (Ill).

CHANCE TAKER stalked the pace, challenged for the lead leaving the turn, dueled through the stretch and prevailed while fully extended. SMOKED was sent to the front, led early, responded to duel to the wire and was outfinished in a game effort. VASARIAH'S IMAGE was never far back, raced outside, went widest in the drive, found his best stride late and got up for show. BAR MONEY bumped and was squeezed at the start, trailed early, bid along the rail on the turn and finished well. HOOTIE HOOT moved up inside, vied to mid stretch, didn't have enough left and hung late. IRISH SPARK showed speed to the turn, dropped back and gave way.

Owners– 1, Ritter Charles W and Becker Scott; 2, Patricia's Hope LLC and Down The Stretch Racing Stables Inc (Larry Rivelli); 3, Jakovac Maxim M and Susan; 4, Essenpreis Shellye; 5, Huerta Martimiano; 6, Halleran Kathy

Trainers– 1, Becker Scott; 2, Rivelli Larry; 3, Retana Gabe; 4, Essenpreis Edward; 5, Huerta Jose; 6, Essenpreis Edward

Scratched– Saint Ghaaleb (19May26 4FP¦)

$1 Daily Double (4–5) Paid $6.50 ; Daily Double Pool $2,266 .
$2 Pick Three (2/6–4–5) Paid $14.80 ; Pick Three Pool $1,399 .