EIGHTH RACE
Saratoga
AUGUST 13, 2026

1¾ MILES. (2.52⁴) BIRDSTONE S. Purse $200,000 FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Lasix not allowed within 48 hours of post time pursuant to HISA Rule 4212. By subscription of $200 each which should accompany the nomination; $1,000 to pass the entry box and an additional $1,000 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of $1,000 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. Three Year Olds: 122 lbs. Older: 126 lbs. Non-winners of a Graded Sweepstakes in 2025-26 allowed 2 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, August 1, 2026 with 16 Nominations.

Value of Race: $200,000 Winner $110,000; second $40,000; third $24,000; fourth $12,000; fifth $8,000; sixth $2,000; seventh $2,000; eighth $2,000. Mutuel Pool $588,036.00 Exacta Pool $449,137.00 Trifecta Pool $203,939.00 Grand Slam Pool $51,047.00 Superfecta Pool $97,306.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	½	1	1¼	1½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
4Jly26 ^{8}Sar^{8}	Stars and Stripes		4	126	3	3^{hd}	3^{hd}	3½	2^{hd}	3 4½	1no	Saez L	2.43
4Jly26 ^{8}Sar^{7}	Parchment Party	b	5	126	1	5^{hd}	6^{hd}	5 1½	3 1½	2½	2¾	Velazquez J R	1.32
17Jly26 ^{6}Sar^{9}	Passing Game	b	5	124	4	2 1½	2^{1}	2½	1^{1}	1^{hd}	3^{8}	Gaffalione T	33.66
28May26 ^{5}CD^{3}	Carolo Rapido	b	5	124	8	8	8	7½	6 1½	4 3½	4¾	Santana R Jr	37.71
25Jly26 ^{6}Sar^{5}	Waitlist	b	5	124	5	6^{hd}	7 1½	8	8	5^{hd}	5¾	Franco M	30.32
26Jun26 ^{10}CD^{3}	Interceptor	b	4	124	6	4^{1}	4^{1}	4^{hd}	7^{hd}	7½	6 4¼	Castellano J J	5.21
30May26 ^{7}WO^{5}	Jokestar		5	124	7	7^{1}	5½	6^{hd}	4^{hd}	6½	7no	Ortiz J L	7.00
18Jly26 ^{10}Sar^{1}	Annexperience		4	124	2	1^{2}	1 1½	1^{1}	5½	8	8	Carmouche K	9.36

OFF AT 5:17 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :50³, 1:16⁴, 1:43², 2:09¹, 2:33³, 2:58⁴ (:50.65, 1:16.97, 1:43.59, 2:09.25, 2:33.79, 2:58.90)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 – STARS AND STRIPES	**6.86**	**2.98**	**2.76**
1 – PARCHMENT PARTY		**2.84**	**2.44**
4 – PASSING GAME			**8.42**

$1 EXACTA 3–1 PAID $6.07 50 CENT TRIFECTA 3–1–4 PAID $44.23 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–1–4–8 PAID $83.27

B. c, (Apr), by Not This Time – Pearl River , by Quality Road . Trainer Mott William I. Bred by Pam & Martin Wygod (Ky).

STARS AND STRIPES tracked the pace along the inside until tipped to the two path into the far and final turn, came under coaxing with seven-sixteenths to go, moved along the inside of PASSING GAME near the quarter pole and was forced to steady at that station before taking the inside route into upper stretch, was in behind that rival until gaining an open seam down along the rail a furlong out, scraped the paint inside of PASSING GAME a sixteenth from home and was up in the final jumps to the wire. PARCHMENT PARTY chased along the inside early on through the opening two turns before tipping four paths off the inside down the backstretch, went three wide through the final turn coming under coaxing seven-sixteenths from home, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, rallied to take narrow command a sixteenth from home, dug in and was caught in the last strides to the wire. PASSING GAME broke out a step at the start, chased two to three wide in closest aim of the leader, advanced on that rival to take over command three furlongs out, took the inside route into upper stretch, dug in under a drive under threat from flanking challengers and was caught a sixteenth from home, fought on in tight between rivals to the end. CAROLO RAPIDO saved ground near the rear of the field, came under coaxing with seven-sixteenths to run, angled three to four wide into upper stretch, weakened in the late stages. WAITLIST chased just off the inside through the opening two turns before tipping five paths off the inside down the backstretch, tucked three wide through the final turn under coaxing from the half mile pole, spun just off the inside into upper stretch and weakened. INTERCEPTOR bobbled at the break, chased just off the inside through the first two turns, then chased five then four wide under a long drive from the half mile pole, swung three to four wide into upper stretch and weakened. JOKESTAR three wide through the first two turns, chased six paths off the rail down the backstretch and then five wide through the final turn under prolonged urging from the half mile pole, swung five wide into upper stretch and tired. ANNEXPERIENCE established the front and showed the way under a rating hold along the inside, got out briefly to the three path under the wire the first time when attempting to further restrain and rate, came under coaxing at the seven-sixteenths pole under challenge to the outside and yielded the front with three furlongs to go, faded and cornered just off the inside into upper stretch, then tired through to the finish. This race had a timing discrepancy or malfunction and was re-timed using video technology to arrive at the most accurate time.

Owners– 1, Frassetto Stables LLC; 2, Pin Oak Stud LLC; 3, Del Rio Racing LLC; 4, AJ Suited Racing Stable LLC; 5, Alpha Phi Delta Racing; 6, Paradise Farms Corp and Staudacher David; 7, Ulwelling Al and Bill; 8, Legacy Racing LLC

Trainers– 1, Mott William I; 2, Mott William I; 3, Hendriks Richard J; 4, Casse Norm W; 5, Rice Linda; 6, Maker Michael J; 7, Attard Kevin; 8, Englehart Jeremiah C

$1 Grand Slam (3/6/8/9–2/3/6–1/2/3/6/7/8/9–3) Paid $8.93 ; Grand Slam Pool $51,047 .
$1 Pick Three (3–6–3) Paid $28.61 ; Pick Three Pool $67,661 .
50 CENT Pick Five ((X–COUNTRY P5) 3–3–6–7–3)
5 Correct Paid $355.27 ; Pick Five Pool $29,782 .
$1 Daily Double (6–3) Paid $6.51 ; Daily Double Pool $86,937 .