**SECOND RACE**

# Saratoga

**AUGUST 27, 2026**

**6 FURLONGS. ( 1.07[4] ) MAIDEN CLAIMING . Purse $41,000 FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Claiming Price $20,000 (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). New York Bred Claiming Price $25,000.**

**Value of Race: $41,000 Winner $22,550; second $8,200; third $4,920; fourth $2,460; fifth $1,640; sixth $1,230. Mutuel Pool $238,024.00 Exacta Pool $147,161.00 Quinella Pool $7,020.00 Trifecta Pool $67,321.00 Superfecta Pool $32,238.00**

| Last Raced | Horse | M/Eqt. | A. | Wt | PP | St | ¼ | ½ | Str | Fin | Jockey | Cl'g Pr | Odds $1 |
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| 18Jly26 [3]EIP[2] | Wingfoot | L b | 3 | 122 | 3 | 3 | 1[1] | 1[2] | 1[3½] | 1[7] | Lezcano J | 20000 | 0.95 |
| 5Aug26 [7]Sar[2] | Lough Currane | L b | 4 | 126 | 2 | 1 | 3[1] | 3[1] | 2½ | 2[2¼] | Ortiz J L | 20000 | 5.93 |
| 7Jun26 [11]Sar[7] | Ice House | L b | 3 | 122 | 6 | 2 | 2½ | 2[hd] | 3[2½] | 3[3½] | Franco M | 25000 | 1.74 |
| 16Aug26 [7]Sar[5] | Bootsy's a Rascal | b | 3 | 122 | 4 | 4 | 4[5] | 4[5] | 4[4½] | 4[3½] | Zayas E J | 25000 | 22.96 |
| 1Aug26 [2]Mth[4] | Royal Merit | L | 3 | 122 | 1 | 5 | 5[1] | 6 | 6 | 5[nk] | Carmouche K | 20000 | 9.58 |
| 7Aug26 [3]Sar[12] | Bold Scholar | L b | 3 | 122 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 5[1½] | 5[1] | 6 | Elliott C | 25000 | 26.95 |

**OFF AT 1:44 Start Good For All But BOLD SCHOLAR. Won driving. Track fast.**

**TIME :22, :45[2], :58, 1:11[3] ( :22.18, :45.48, :58.13, 1:11.62 )**

## $2 Mutuel Prices:

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| **3 – WINGFOOT** | **3.90** | **2.70** | **2.10** |
| **2 – LOUGH CURRANE** | | **4.20** | **2.50** |
| **6 – ICE HOUSE** | | | **2.18** |

**$1 EXACTA 3–2 PAID $6.97 $1 QUINELLA 2–3 PAID $6.08 50 CENT TRIFECTA 3–2–6 PAID $7.43 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–2–6–4 PAID $5.58**

**B. g, (Mar), by Blame – Bird Maker , by Empire Maker . Trainer Rice Linda. Bred by Marylou Whitney Stables LLC (Ky).**

WINGFOOT established the front and showed the way in hand three then two wide coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, went clear under a drive to prevail. LOUGH CURRANE chased just off the inside and then along the inside under a ride from three furlongs out, cornered just off the inside into upper stretch, came out and brushed with ICE HOUSE just outside the three-sixteenths pole, proved no match for the top one while keeping on to secure the place honors. ICE HOUSE chased four paths off the inside down the backstretch and then just off the inside through the turn under encouragement from the five-sixteenths marker, spun three wide for home and weakened in the late stages. BOOTSY'S A RASCAL bobbled at the break under coaxing, chased five paths off the inside down the backstretch and then three wide through the turn urged along from the seven-sixteenths pole, went five wide into upper stretch and tired. ROYAL MERIT coaxed from the gate, angled out to the six path five and a half furlongs from home carrying out BOLD SCHOLAR a few paths, chased six then four wide under urging from the seven-sixteenths marker, went seven wide into upper stretch and tired. BOLD SCHOLAR brushed the off side stall at the start, chased briefly from the four path before being carried out two additional paths by ROYAL MERIT tipping out along his inside, tucked back to the four and then three path near the half mile pole before heading to the two path through the turn under prolonged coaxing from the half mile pole, went five wide for home, made no impact.

**Owners–** 1, Valente Roddy J; 2, Curragh Stables; 3, Black Type Thoroughbreds Swinbank Stables LLC Adkisson Steve and Rice Scott C; 4, Pinnacle Farms Racing LLC; 5, Dini Michael; 6, Brown Road Racing

**Trainers–** 1, Rice Linda; 2, Terranova John P II; 3, Weaver George; 4, Schettino Dominick A; 5, Dini Mike; 6, Giddings Melanie

**Wingfoot claim voided. Reason: Vet**

**Ice House claim voided. Reason: Vet**

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**$1 Daily Double (1–3) Paid $3.98 ; Daily Double Pool $107,529 .**