

CANTERBURY PARK - June 27, 2026 - Race 3

STAKES Curtis Sampson Oaks - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES, THREE YEARS OLD.

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Cinco Star - 1:32.87 - September 16, 2021)

Purse: \$50,000 Guaranteed

Plus: \$5,000 MBF - Minnesota Breeders Fund

Available Money: \$55,000



Value of Race: \$50,000 1st \$30,000, 2nd \$9,500, 3rd \$5,000, 4th \$3,000, 5th \$1,500, 6th \$1,000

Weather: Clear, 81° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 6:21 **Start:** Good for all except 7 **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

[GPS Race Chart](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15May26 ⁷ SA ⁷	4	Essential Lady (Esquivel, Emmanuel)	117	--	4	4	2 ²	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{2 3/4}	1.80	stumble,stalk2w,led1/8
22Apr26 ⁷ TAM ⁸	1	Tamarack (Bridgmohan, Jermaine) 	118	b	1	2	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ³	2 ^{1 1/4}	31.00	ins turns,chased on
10Mar26 ⁷ TUP ¹	7	Mendelsohns Comet (Americano, Manuel)	116	--	6	6	6	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ²	3 ^{Nose}	12.90	hop start,angle out1/4
11Jun26 ⁴ CBY ⁴	5	Stratia (Fuentes, Luis)	116	b	5	1	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 3/4}	38.70	led ins to 1/8,weaken
20Sep25 ⁸ CBY ⁶	2	Stunning Sapphire (Williams, Betty) 	116	b	2	3	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	5 ^{7 1/4}	14.90	2w 2nd, no rally
25May26 ⁷ CBY ¹	3	Clearly Authentic (Gallardo, Eduardo)	116	--	3	5	5 ^{1/2}	6	6	6	6	0.50*	rel load,ins 2nd,empty

Fractional Times: 23.60 48.34 1:11.93 1:23.68

Final Time: 1:36.01 **Time from Gate:** 1:38.31

Split Times: (24:74) (23:59) (11:75) (12:33)

Run-Up: 70 feet

Winner: Essential Lady, Gray or Roan Filly, by Essential Quality out of Lady Shipman, by Midshipman. Foaled Apr 19, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Randall E. Lowe

Owner: Ranlo Investments LLC

Trainer: Thomas, Jonathan

Scratched Horse(s): Summer Winner (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$143,901

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Essential Lady	5.60	4.40	2.80	\$1.00 Exacta	4-1	38.30	64,605
1	Tamarack		21.60	11.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-1-7	102.80	46,011
7	Mendelsohns Comet			6.00	\$1.00 Pick 3	4/7-5-4 (3 correct)	15.40	2,976
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-4	15.00	6,688
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-1-7-5	114.09	25,128
					\$2.00 Consolation Double	5-6	5.00	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Essential Lady	4	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{2 3/4}
1	Tamarack	2	3 ³	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 3/4}
7	Mendelsohns Comet	6	6 ⁵	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	3 ⁴
5	Stratia	1	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ¹	4 ⁴
2	Stunning Sapphire	3	4 ³	5 ⁴	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{6 3/4}
3	Clearly Authentic	5	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁵	6 ⁵	6 ^{7 1/2}	6 ¹⁴

Trainers: 4 - Thomas, Jonathan; 1 - Garrett, Ty; 7 - Lund, Valorie; 5 - Lund, Valorie; 2 - Goodwin, Nik; 3 - Rosin, Coty

Owners: 4 - Ranlo Investments LLC; 1 - A. Jason Hall Stables, Baker, Stephen R. and Vanlandingham, Bill; 7 - Lund, Valorie, Naistat, Richard, Naistat, Beverly, Rapoport, Ron, Ouska, Matt, McDonnell, Todd and Boice, Kristin; 5 - Aithon Stable, LLC; 2 - Tim Hoese; 3 - Novogratz Racing Stables, Inc.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ESSENTIAL LADY was bumped by STRATIA in the opening strides and subsequently stumbled, recovered quickly to gain a spot stalking the pace outside of STRATIA, continued to stalk two wide down the backstretch and around the far turn, floated three to four wide into upper stretch, responded when driven for a bid in upper stretch, took the lead approaching the furlong pole and cleared off. TAMARACK chased inside of STUNNING SAPPHIRE around the clubhouse turn, inched forward onto the backstretch to track the leading pair, saved ground around the far turn, swung four wide into upper stretch, went to a drive midstretch and chased on best of the rest while not matching the kick of the winner. MENDELSSOHN'S COMET hopped at the start, raced at the rear early, inched into closer order on the backstretch to assume a position midpack, saved ground midpack around the far turn, was pushed along near the five sixteenths, angled out approaching the quarter, swung five wide into the stretch and rallied mildly for show. STRATIA came inward in the opening strides, bumping ESSENTIAL LADY, took the lead while saving ground, continued on a clear lead down the backstretch and into the second turn, continued to save ground around the far turn, was engaged by ESSENTIAL LADY into upper stretch, could not hold her off approaching the furlong mark and weakened. STUNNING SAPPHIRE chased outside of TAMARACK around the clubhouse turn, was unhurried into the backstretch, was pushed along two wide toward the rear of the pack on the far turn and driven in upper stretch, but lacked the needed rally. CLEARLY AUTHENTIC was reluctant to load, settled at the rear flight outside of MENDELSSOHN'S COMET early, raced at the rear down the backstretch and while saving ground on the far turn, was driven inside into the lane and came up empty.

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