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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
11Aug26 ⁶ FL ⁷	6	Connect and Cruise (Worrie, Andre)	121	L b	5	2	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	27.96	dkd in st,ridden out
27Aug26 ² SAR ⁴	1	Bootsy's a Rascal (Navarro, Kevin)	121	b	1	6	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{2 3/4}	3.43	slw st,rail,altrd1/8
26Aug26 ⁶ FL ³	3	Wingo Starr (Davis, Jacqueline) 	124	L h	3	5	6 ⁴	5 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ³	6.20	rail5/16,waited1/4
26Jun26 ⁴ BAQ ³	8	Speightful Storm (Gutierrez, Reylu)	124	L b	7	3	3 ^{1/2}	4 ²	5 ^{Head}	4 ¹	0.75*	4w trn, weakened
7Sep26 ² FL ⁶	5	Mr. Pools (Rohena, J.)	121	f	4	4	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ⁶	6 ⁸	5 ¹	31.55	hoppd,frcd in st,4w1/4
6Aug26 ⁵ SAR ⁶	7	Charlie My Boy (Flores, Jeremias)	121	L b	6	1	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{16 1/2}	5.99	3p trn,tired
---	2	Leper King (Perez, Luis)	124	--	2	7	7	7	7	7	12.12	brk slw,4w1/2,outrun

Fractional Times: 22.60 46.56 59.07

Split Times: (23:96) (12:51) (6:51)

Run-Up: 56 feet

Final Time: 1:05.58 Time from Gate: 1:07.47

Winner: Connect and Cruise, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Connect out of Stormy's Smile, by Stormy Atlantic. Foaled May 20, 2023 in New York.

Breeder: Francis Paolangeli

Owner: Francis J. Paolangeli

Trainer: Barrow, Paul

Scratched Horse(s): Gitole (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$70,455

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Connect and Cruise	57.92	23.04	22.60	\$0.50 Pick 4	3-6-4-6 (4 correct)	1,587.88	23,289
1	Bootsy's a Rascal		4.98	4.64	\$2.00 Daily Double	4-4	10.38	11,305
3	Wingo Starr			4.92	\$2.00 Daily Double	4-6	385.88	0
					\$2.00 Exacta	6-1	309.62	47,937
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-1-3-8	93.10	39,647
					\$0.50 Trifecta	6-1-3	159.78	28,742

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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6	Connect and Cruise	2	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}
1	Bootsy's a Rascal	6	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}
3	Wingo Starr	5	6 ⁴	5 ^{4 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{4 1/4}
8	Speightful Storm	3	3 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/4}
5	Mr. Pools	4	5 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{4 3/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{8 1/4}
7	Charlie My Boy	1	2 ¹	2 ²	4 ⁴	6 ^{9 1/4}
2	Leper King	7	7 ⁸	7 ^{10 3/4}	7 ^{12 1/2}	7 ^{25 3/4}

Trainers: 6 - Barrow, Paul; 1 - Buckley, Jonathan; 3 - Bartlett, William; 8 - Bond, H. James; 5 - Englehart, Chris; 7 - Barrow, Paul; 2 - Sells, Rachel

Owners: 6 -Francis J. Paolangeli; 1 - Pinnacle Farms Racing LLC; 3 -William H. Bartlett; 8 - Bond Racing Stable and Avanti Stable; 5 - Roll the Dice Thoroughbreds LLC; 7 -Jerry Weiss; 2 - Top Gun Racing Stable, Inc. and Cannella, Christopher;

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CONNECT AND CRUISE Ducked in at the start, set the pace along the two path, took the rail into the lane, responded when roused and was ridden out. BOOTSY'S A RASCAL Broke slow, sent, tracked inside, altered out leaving the furlong marker and finished well. WINGO STARR Unhurried along the rail, appeared to wait approaching the quarter pole, angled out and finished with interest. SPEIGHTFUL STORM Tracked four wide on the turn, angled out and weakened. MR. POOLS Hopped at the start, forced in by the winner after that and then could not keep up. CHARLIE MY BOY Tracked along the three path and tired. LEPER KING Broke slow, four wide trailing and then was outrun while two from the on the turn.

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