

SARATOGA - July 3, 2026 - Race 8

STAKES Wild Applause S. Listed - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF FOR FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A SWEEPSTAKES. Lasix not allowed within 48 hours of post time pursuant to HISA Rule 4212. By subscription of \$150 each which should accompany the nomination. \$750 to pass the entry box and an additional \$750 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$750 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. 122 lbs. Non-winners of a race other than maiden, claiming or starter allowed 2 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the main track. Closed Saturday, June 20, 2026 with 33 Nominations. (NW1 S L)

Distance: One Mile On The Inner turf **Current Track Record:** (Got Stormy - 1:32.00 - August 10, 2019)

Purse: \$150,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$150,000

Value of Race: \$150,000 1st \$82,500, 2nd \$30,000, 3rd \$18,000, 4th \$9,000, 5th \$6,000, 6th \$4,500

Weather: Clear, 92° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 5:10 **Start:** Good for all **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
1May26 ¹² CD ¹¹	7	To a Flame (Ortiz, Jose)	122	--	6	5	³ Head	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	³	1 ¹ 1/4	2.75*	2p-ins,3p3/16,rallied
5Jun26 ⁵ SAR ¹	11	Pillar of Beauty (Alvarado, Junior)	122	--	10	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	¹ Head	2 ² 1/2	8.70	2-3p,clipped behind1/4
7Jun26 ⁷ CD ²	10	Code (Prat, Flavien)	120	--	9	1	7 ¹	⁸ Head	7 ¹ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	3 ^{Nose}	11.40	3path turns,chased
6Nov25 ⁹ AQU ³	4	Candy Moonshine (Rodriguez, Jaime)	120	--	4	4	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	4 ¹⁰ 3/4	31.00	ins,headed1/8,weakened
14May26 ⁵ IND ¹	1	Scratch It (Franco, Manuel)	122	--	1	6	9 ³ 1/2	9 ² 1/2	9 ³	5 ¹⁰ 1/2	5 ¹⁰	9.00	checked1st,stdied3/8
4Apr26 ⁸ KEE ¹⁰	3	Alone Time (Velazquez, John)	120	--	3	7	6 ¹ 1/2	7 ¹	10	6	6	28.50	clip heels 1st,stydy3/8
29May26 ⁵ PEN ³	6	Smexy (IRE) (Gaffalione, Tyler)	120	--	5	8	10	10	8 ² 1/2	---	---	4.90	spill1/4,fell,wlkd off
1May26 ¹³ CD ¹²	8	Lovely Grey (Davis, Dylan)	120	--	7	9	8 ¹	6 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹	---	---	5.60	spill1/4,fell,equ-amb
30May26 ¹ MTH ¹	2	Paris Carver (Castellano, Javier)	120	--	2	3	5 ¹	⁵ Head	6 ¹ 1/2	---	---	9.50	spill1/4,fell,wlkd off
16May26 ⁵ LRL ¹	9	I Love Giraffes (Lopez, Paco)	122	--	8	10	4 ¹	³ Head	3 ¹ 1/2	---	---	5.00	clip heels1/4,fell,wlkd

Fractional Times: 23.85 48.19 1:11.97 1:23.66

Final Time: 1:35.29 **Time from Gate:** 1:37.60

Split Times: (24:34) (23:78) (11:69) (11:63)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: To a Flame, Chestnut Filly, by Justify out of Moth (IRE), by \$Galileo (IRE). Foaled Feb 18, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Orpendale/Chelston/Wynatt

Owner: Bregman Family Racing, LLC

Trainer: Arnold II, George

Scratched Horse(s): Faye's Gold (Stakes Scratch)

Total WPS Pool: \$795,475

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	To a Flame	7.50	4.58	3.22	\$1.00 Exacta	7-11	33.50	646,092
11	Pillar of Beauty		8.10	6.48	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-11-10	105.78	242,716
10	Code			5.50	\$1.00 Pick 3	4-7-7 (3 correct)	78.02	155,721
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-7	17.80	138,836
					\$0.10 Superfecta	7-11-10-4	274.34	129,770

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	To a Flame	5	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ²	1 ¹ 1/4
11	Pillar of Beauty	2	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	¹ Head	2 ¹ 1/4
10	Code	1	7 ⁴	8 ⁴ 3/4	7 ⁴	4 ⁵	3 ³ 3/4
4	Candy Moonshine	4	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	² Head	4 ³ 3/4
1	Scratch It	6	9 ⁶	9 ⁴ 3/4	9 ⁷	5 ⁷ 1/2	5 ¹⁴ 1/2
3	Alone Time	7	6 ³ 1/2	7 ³ 3/4	10 ¹⁰	6 ¹⁸	6 ²⁴ 1/2
6	Smexy (IRE)	8	10 ⁹ 1/2	10 ⁷ 1/4	8 ⁴ 1/2	---	---
8	Lovely Grey	9	8 ⁵	6 ³ 1/4	5 ² 1/2	---	---
2	Paris Carver	3	5 ² 1/2	5 ³	6 ³ 1/2	---	---
9	I Love Giraffes	10	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	---	---

Trainers: 7 - Arnold II, George; 11 - Mott, William; 10 - Hampson, Steven; 4 - Gorham, Michael; 1 - Cox, Brad; 3 - DeVaux, Cherie; 6 - Walsh, Brendan; 8 - Danner, Kelsey; 2 - Delgado, Jorge; 9 - Summers, Chad

Owners: 7 - Bregman Family Racing, LLC; 11 - West Point Thoroughbreds and Sandbrook, William; 10 - Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners and Walmac Farm; 4 - RKTN Racing; 1 - Galvin, Fergus, Magnier, Mrs. M. V. and Shanahan, Linda; 3 - Gunther, John D. and Eurowest Bloodstock Services; 6 - Mark Dobbin; 8 - Go Go Greys Stable; 2 - Amo Racing USA LLC; 9 - Gold Square LLC;

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TO A FLAME established a forward position early, raced in the two path on the first turn, was rated just off the pace, drafted inside while behind the leader on the far turn, waited a touch into the stretch then shifted to the three path, rallied outside into the final furlong, closed powerfully to get the lead just inside the sixteenth-pole and prevailed under good handling. PILLAR OF BEAUTY came away in good order, rounded the first turn in the three path, stalked the pace on the outside of the leader while inside of I LOVE GIRAFFES, brushed with that foe near the half-mile pole, made a bid with three furlongs to run, vied in the two path on the far turn, was bumped in the hindquarters and had I LOVE GIRAFFES clip her heels outside the quarter-pole, came under a drive in upper stretch, gained a short lead near the furlong marker, led into the final sixteenth but was overtaken while clear for the place. CODE raced in the three path on the first turn, settled off the pace, went around the far turn in the three path, slipped past the spill without incident into the stretch, pursued the top two in the drive and lacked the needed kick while just able to get the show. CANDY MOONSHINE broke in and bumped with a rival, went to the front, showed the way on the inside while in hand, was asked coming to the quarter-pole then came under a drive in upper stretch, lost the advantage to the runner-up near the furlong marker and weakened then just lost the show. SCRATCH IT leapt along the hedge while in tight on the first turn then checked, was reserved near the back, steadied while green with three furlongs to run, saved ground into the stretch and was no factor. ALONE TIME bumped with a rival at the start, clipped heels in the two path on the first turn and was taken up, tugged keenly on the bit early on the backstretch, steadied with three furlongs to run, rounded the far turn two path to the inside, slipped through inside of the spill at the quarter-pole while taken in hand some, moved out in

upper stretch and failed to threaten. SMEXY (IRE) checked sharply in the two path behind troubled foes on the first turn then came outward, raced at the rear, went around the far turn in the two path, collided with a fallen foe nearing the quarter-pole then fell and was walked off after being apprehended by the outrider. LOVELY GREY brushed the outside of the gate at the start, was taken under tight restraint, tugged on the bit in the three path on the first turn, was taken in hand outside troubled foes on that bend, moved in under a stout hold early on the backstretch then advanced closer, shifted from the hedge to the three path on the far turn, moved in good striking range in the process, collided with a fallen foe coming to the quarter-pole and fell then was transported off the track via equine ambulance after walking on the van. PARIS CARVER was taken up behind a foe while inside on the first turn, tugged keenly on the bit early on the backstretch, was reserved of the pace, went around the far turn in the three then four path while let out, collided with a fallen foe approaching the quarter-pole and fell then was walked off after being caught by an outrider. I LOVE GIRAFFES broke a step slow, raced in the four path on the first turn, was rated on the outside without cover, brushed with PILLAR OF BEAUTY near the half-mile pole, came under urging in the three path on the far turn, bumped with the hindquarters of PILLAR OF BEAUTY then clipped heels with her left foreleg outside the quarter-pole and fell then was walked off after being caught by an outrider. FOLLOWING A STEWARDS' INQUIRY INTO THE INCIDENT NEAR THE QUARTER-POLE, NO CHANGE WAS MADE TO THE ORDER OF FINISH

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