

SARATOGA - August 27, 2025 - Race 7

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs.
Claiming Price \$17,500 (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). (NW3 L) **Claiming**

Price: \$17,500
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Key Contender - 1:34.72 - August 9, 1992)
Purse: \$38,000
Available Money: \$38,000
Value of Race: \$38,000 1st \$20,900, 2nd \$7,600, 3rd \$4,560, 4th \$2,280, 5th \$1,520, 6th \$285, 7th \$285, 8th \$285, 9th \$285
Weather: Clear, 71° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:37 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

EQUIBASE



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17Jul25 ¹ SAR ³	7	Az U Chase Me (Franco, Manuel)	125	L bf	8	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²	13.80	5-3p1st,3p2nd,lead1/4
14Jul25 ⁴ ELP ⁶	8	Mugatu (Rosario, Joel)	125	L b	9	9	9	9	9	6 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	7.70	angled in1st,gd energy
14Jun25 ⁶ BAQ ⁴	1	Baron of Sealand (Carmouche, Kendrick)	125	L b	2	6	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	2.25*	bmp brk,3-4path turns
3Aug25 ¹ SAR ²	4	Solo Empire (Prat, Flavien)	125	L b	4	1	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	13.00	inside from7-1/2,tired
17Jul25 ¹ SAR ⁵	3	Lou (Davis, Dylan)	120	L b	3	7	7 ^{Head}	8 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	5 ^{2 1/4}	6.70	bmp brk,3-2p1st,imprvd
24Jan25 ⁹ OP ⁶	5	Funny Uncle (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	125	L b	5	2	5 ^{Head}	6 ³	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ¹	6 ^{7 1/4}	2.80	4-2p1st,2p2nd,mvd out
21Jun25 ⁵ BAQ ⁶	1A	Freedom Trail (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	125	L bf	6	8	8 ³	7 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	8 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{Neck}	2.25*	awkward brk,3-5p turns
9Aug25 ² SAR ²	6	Hours in a Day (Lezcano, Jose)	125	L b	7	5	6 ³	5 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	8 ^{2 1/2}	3.50	3-4p turns,no response
3Aug25 ¹ SAR ⁶	2	Masterwork (Brown, Dalton)	125	L bfl	1	4	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	8 ¹	9	9	49.50	bmp brk,svd grnd,empty

Fractional Times: 24.48 47.44 1:11.88 1:24.85 **Final Time:** 1:38.44
Split Times: (22:96) (24:44) (12:97) (13:59)
Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Az U Chase Me, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Sharp Azteca out of Girlaboutown, by A.P. Indy. Foaled May 17, 2021 in New York.
Breeder: Chester Broman & Mary R. Broman
Owner: My Purple Haze Stables
Trainer: Englehart, Chris

4 Claimed Horse(s):	Baron of Sealand	New Trainer: Rudy R. Rodriguez	New Owner: Frank Witz
	Funny Uncle	New Trainer: Carlos R. Figueroa, Jr.	New Owner: Brian Costello
	Lou	New Trainer: David G. Donk	New Owner: TCBR Stable LLC
	Mugatu	New Trainer: Ilkay Kantarmaci	New Owner: Ilkay Kantarmaci

Voided Claims: Freedom Trail(Vet)

Claiming Prices: 7 - Az U Chase Me: \$17,500; 8 - Mugatu: \$17,500; 1 - Baron of Sealand: \$17,500; 4 - Solo Empire: \$17,500; 3 - Lou: \$17,500; 5 - Funny Uncle: \$17,500; 1A - Freedom Trail: \$17,500; 2 - Masterwork: \$17,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$335,702

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Az U Chase Me	29.60	12.80	6.00	\$1.00 Exacta	7-8	97.75	243,290
8	Mugatu		10.20	4.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-8-1	168.25	109,855
1	Baron of Sealand			2.60	\$1.00 Daily Double	1-7	64.75	55,755
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-1-7 (3 correct)	390.00	64,089
					\$0.10 Superfecta	7-8-1-4	278.85	53,922

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Az U Chase Me	3	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²
8	Mugatu	9	9 ^{11 3/4}	9 ^{13 1/4}	9 ^{10 1/4}	6 ⁷	2 ²
1	Baron of Sealand	6	4 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ³	3 ³	3 ²
4	Solo Empire	1	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}
3	Lou	7	7 ^{8 1/2}	8 ^{9 3/4}	5 ⁷	5 ⁶	5 ^{4 3/4}
5	Funny Uncle	2	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ⁵	6 ⁷
1A	Freedom Trail	8	8 ^{8 3/4}	7 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{8 1/2}	8 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{14 1/4}
6	Hours in a Day	5	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{8 3/4}	7 ^{8 1/2}	8 ^{14 1/2}
2	Masterwork	4	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	8 ^{9 1/4}	9 ¹⁰	9 ¹⁷

Trainers: 7 - Englehart, Chris; 8 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Gargan, Danny; 4 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 3 - Sharp, Joe; 5 - Maker, Michael; 1A - Terranova II, John; 6 - Rice, Linda; 2 - Follett, Norman

Owners: 7 - My Purple Haze Stables; 8 -Steven M. Asmussen; 1 - GMP Stables LLC and R. A. Hill Stable; 4 - Black Sheep Squadron Racing Stable; 3 -Jordan V. Wycoff; 5 - Flying P Stable; 1a- Gatsas Stables, R. A. Hill Stable and Schoenfeld, Steven; 6 -Linda Rice; 2 -Alex Kazdan;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

AZ U CHASE ME dropped from the five path to the three path on the first turn, tracked the pace on the outside, made a bid at the seven-sixteenths pole, vied in the three path on the far turn, took the lead outside the quarter-pole, responded well when asked for his best in upper stretch, shook clear under a left-handed crop in the vicinity of the furlong marker and held under strong urging. MUGATU angled from the six path to the rail early on the first turn, settled at the rear, was urged along in the two path for most of the turn, tipped briefly to the three path late on that bend then went back to the two path, found his best stride under a drive in the stretch and finished with good enrgy to get up for the place. BARON OF SEALAND was bumped at the start then forced into another foe, rounded the first turn in the three path, settled towards the front on the outside, was urged along late on the backstretch, chased in the four path on the far turn, kept on willingly in the stretch and just missed the place while clear for the show. SOLO EMPIRE was hustled to the front, moved from the two path to the inside early on the first turn, showed the way down the backstretch, was asked under threat while along the rail on the far turn, lost the advantage to the winner approaching the quarter-pole and tired. LOU bumped with a rival at the start, moved from the three path to the two path early on the first turn, was urged along on the backstretch, raced inside to the two path while under stronger encouragement on the far turn, spun into the stretch in the three path then moved further out and improved to just miss the superfecta. FUNNY UNCLE was urged along while dropping from the four path to the two

path on the first turn, settled off the pace, was ridden along in the two path on the far turn, moved out under a left-handed crop in upper stretch and lacked the needed response. FREEDOM TRAIL was away awkwardly but with the body of the field, stayed out in the five path on the first turn, settled well back in the field, was urged along in the three then four path on the far turn, turned into the stretch in the five path and failed to threaten. HOURS IN A DAY was hustled from the gate, raced in the four path on the first turn, settled on the outside, was urged along in the three path on the far turn, came into the stretch in the four path and failed to respond. MASTERWORK broke out and bumped with a foe, raced inside for most of the first turn then shifted to the two path, was well placed just off the pace, dropped back near the nine-sixteenths pole, saved ground under urging on the far turn and capitulated.