

SARATOGA - August 27, 2026 - Race 8

STAKES Skidmore S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

FOR TWO YEAR OLDS. Lasix not allowed within 48 hours of post time pursuant to HISA Rule 4212. By subscription of \$200 each which should accompany the nomination; \$1,000 to pass the entry box and an additional \$1,000 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$1,000 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. 122 lbs. Maidens allowed 2 lbs. Winners preferred. Ties to be broken by highest total earnings. A trophy to be presented to the winning owner. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the Main Track. Closed Saturday, August 15, 2026 with 15 Original Nominations and 1 Supplement. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will run at Five and One Half Furlongs on the Main Track). (Rail at 27 feet).

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Turf Current Track Record: (Cogburn - 59.80 - June 8, 2024)

Purse: \$200,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$200,000

Value of Race: \$200,000 1st \$110,000, 2nd \$40,000, 3rd \$24,000, 4th \$12,000, 5th \$8,000, 6th \$2,000, 7th \$2,000, 8th \$2,000

Weather: Clear, 77° Track: Firm

Off at: 4:57 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

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Video Race Replay

GPS Race Chart

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
31Jul26 ¹ SAR ¹	8	Wood Island (Prat, Flavien)	122 - -	8	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ³	1 ² 3/4	2.37	2p, held well & clear
12Jul26 ⁷ WO ²	6	Titan Ready (Franco, Manuel)	120 - -	6	3	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ² 1/2	2.66	brush gate, ran on
18Jun26 ² BAQ ²	5	River of Deceit (Alvarado, Junior)	120 - -	5	6	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ³	3 ^{Head}	1.96*	chased 3-4w, kept on
17Jul26 ¹ MTH ¹	7	Legacy Lady (Castellano, Javier) 	119 - -	7	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ² 1/4	10.11	brushed st, kept on
9Aug26 ² MTH ¹	3	Johnny Hockey (Elliott, Christopher)	122 b	3	4	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	6 ²	5 ^{Neck}	31.59	chased 2p, weakened
1Aug26 ¹ SAR ⁶	1	So Angelina (Rivera, Dalila)	117 b	1	5	6 ² 1/2	6 ¹	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 1/4	61.44	chased ins, weakened
1Aug26 ⁹ ELP ⁵	2	American Pope (Velazquez, John)	122 b	2	7	7 ^{Head}	8	7 ¹ 1/2	7 ³ 1/2	7.87	bumped st, empty
12Jul26 ¹ MTH ¹	4	Bettabe Tough (Davis, Dylan) 	122 b	4	8	8	7 ^{Head}	8	8	28.07	chased 3-4w, tired

Fractional Times: 22.12 45.15 56.32

Final Time: 1:02.36 Time from Gate: 1:04.72

Split Times: (23:03) (11:17) (6:04)

Run-Up: 52 feet Temporary Rail: 27 feet

Winner: Wood Island, Bay Colt, by [Jackie's Warrior](#) out of Chilly Fashion, by Artie Schiller. Foaled Mar 28, 2024 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: Machmer Hall

Owner: Smart Choice Stable

Trainer: Weaver, George

Scratched Horse(s): Arsenal Star (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$595,540

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Wood Island	6.74	3.92	2.92	\$1.00 Exacta	8-6	13.08	384,673
6	Titan Ready		3.84	2.50	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-6-5	12.75	156,860
5	River of Deceit			2.46	\$1.00 Grand Slam	1/3/8-2/3/7-1/3/5-8 (4 correct)	23.33	48,376
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-1-8 (3 correct)	415.34	47,799
					\$0.50 Pick 5	(X-COUNTRY)1/4/11/13/15-7-3/6/094.09 (5 correct)	094.09	21,843
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-8	45.34	89,015
					\$0.10 Superfecta	8-6-5-7	10.59	85,311

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
8	Wood Island	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ³	1 ² 3/4
6	Titan Ready	3	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	2 ³	2 ² 3/4
5	River of Deceit	6	4 ³	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/4
7	Legacy Lady	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	3 ³	4 ⁵ 1/4
3	Johnny Hockey	4	5 ³ 1/4	5 ² 1/2	6 ⁶ 3/4	5 ⁷ 1/2
1	So Angelina	5	6 ³ 1/4	6 ² 3/4	5 ⁶ 1/2	6 ⁷ 3/4
2	American Pope	7	7 ⁵ 3/4	8 ³ 3/4	7 ⁸ 3/4	7 ⁹
4	Bettabe Tough	8	8 ⁶	7 ³ 3/4	8 ¹⁰ 1/4	8 ¹² 1/2

Trainers: 8 - Weaver, George; 6 - Cox, Brad; 5 - Morley, Thomas; 7 - Delgado, Jorge; 3 - Arriaga, Antonio; 1 - Arriaga, Antonio; 2 - McEntee, Paul; 4 - O'Connell, Kathleen

Owners: 8 - Smart Choice Stable; 6 - Qatar Racing and Galvin, Fergus; 5 - Titledown Racing Stables; 7 - Lea Farms LLC; 3 - Next Level Stables; 1 - Next Level Stables; 2 - Hall Stables LLC; 4 - CaSal Stables LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

WOOD ISLAND showed the way in hand from the two path patiently handled through to spinning just off the inside at the quarter pole, got roused straightening away to the inside, held well and clear to the finish to prevail. TITAN READY brushed the off side stall at the start and then brushed LEGACY LADY, chased along the inside patiently handled until set down spinning just off the inside into upper stretch, ran on to secure the place honors. RIVER OF DECEIT chased three then four wide coming under a ride near the quarter pole, tipped four to five wide into upper stretch, kept on to the finish and was just up for the show honors in the last jumps. LEGACY LADY got brushed at the start by TITAN READY, chased three wide under urging from the five-sixteenths marker, continued three wide into upper stretch, kept on to the finish and was just bested in the final strides for the show honors. JOHNNY HOCKEY broke in at the start bumping AMERICAN POPE, chased just off the inside coming under urging near the quarter pole, angled six wide into upper stretch and weakened. SO ANGELINA coaxed from the gate, chased along the inside, the rider losing a handle on the left side rein briefly just outside the three-eighths pole, got let out spinning three wide into upper stretch and weakened in the drive. AMERICAN POPE got bumped at the start by JOHNNY HOCKEY, chased along the inside down the backstretch and then two to three wide through the turn under urging near the quarter pole, went three wide at the head of the lane, came up empty. BETTABE TOUGH chased three to four wide coming under a ride near the quarter pole, tipped four to five wide into upper stretch, tired.

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