

WOODBINE - September 14, 2025 - Race 8

STAKES Bull Page S. Black Type - Thoroughbred
FOR TWO-YEAR-OLD COLTS AND GELDINGS, Sired by a Stallion standing in Ontario for his entire season the year of conception and registered with Ontario racing for that season. Free Nomination and an additional \$500 when making entry. The purse to be divided: 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 2% to fifth, 1% to sixth 1% to seventh, 1% to eighth. Weight: 122 lbs. Winners of a Sweepstakes of \$55,000 twice, an additional 1 lb.; Non-winners of a sweepstakes of \$55,000 once, allowed 2 lbs.; Of a race other than claiming, allowed 3 lbs.; Maidens allowed 4 lbs. (No Canadian Bred Allowance.) Final entries to be made through the entry box at the closing time then in effect for overnight events. A supplemental nomination may be made no later than the time of final entry, by a non-refundable fee of \$1,000, which includes the entry fee. (Closed with 10 Nominations) *Plus up to \$16,500 Ontario Sired/Ontario Bred Breeder Awards. A portion of this purse has been provided through the Thoroughbred Improvement Program (TIP). (S)

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Noholdingback Bear - 1:14.44 - July 1, 2016)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$100,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$100,000

Value of Race: \$100,000 (US\$72,197) 1st \$60,000 (US\$43,318) , 2nd \$20,000 (US\$14,439) , 3rd \$11,000 (US\$7,942) , 4th \$6,000 (US\$4,332) , 5th \$2,000 (US\$1,444) , 6th \$1,000 (US\$722)

Weather: Clear, 25° C Track: Fast

Off at: 5:05 Start: Good for all except 1,6 Timing Method: Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
24Aug25 ⁸ WO ⁶	2	Silver Is Best (Moran, David)	120	L	2	2	4 ⁵	4 ³	2 ²	1 ² 1/4	3.20	patient ride,grinded16
---	5	B the King (Munger, Ryan)	118	L	5	4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ⁶	3.80	gave way grudgingly
24Aug25 ⁸ WO ⁹	1	Bank On Big Winner (Civaci, Sahin)	120	L b	1	6	5 ¹	5 ⁹	4 ^{1/2}	3 ¹ 1/4	6.40	hop st,late rally 3rd
24Aug25 ⁸ WO ¹	4	Big Bold and First (Campos, Jose)	122	L b	4	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ⁴	4 ⁷ 1/4	1.55*	duel lead,fade lost3rd
2Aug25 ⁵ WO ⁴	3	King Ronin (Aebly, Fraser)	118	L b	3	3	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹⁸	5 ²⁶	6.80	battle rail turn,tired
---	6	Firstgeneral Nikao (Salles, Leo)	118	L	6	5	6	6	6	6	11.65	brk slw,lost touch1/4

Fractional Times: 22.44 45.90 1:12.00

Final Time: 1:18.78

Split Times: (23:46) (26:10) (6:78)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Silver Is Best, Bay Gelding, by Signature Red out of Scatter the Silver, by Scat Daddy. Foaled Feb 12, 2023 in ON.

Breeder: Howard Walton

Owner: Mike A. Coll

Trainer: Tharrenos, William

Total WPS Pool: \$146,303

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Silver Is Best	8.40	3.70	3.00	\$0.20 Pick 3	3-3-2 (3 correct)	25.05	14,265
5	B the King		4.30	3.70	\$0.20 Superfecta	2-5-1-4	41.24	28,544
1	Bank On Big Winner			3.50	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-2	17.80	16,108
					\$1.00 Exacta	2-5	18.50	80,766
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	1-2	3.40	398
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	1-5	3.85	0
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	2-5	3.95	0
					\$0.20 Trifecta	2-5-1	19.11	44,528

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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2	Silver Is Best	2	4 ² 1/2	4 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/4
5	B the King	4	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ² 1/4
1	Bank On Big Winner	6	5 ⁷ 1/2	5 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁷ 1/2	3 ⁸ 1/4
4	Big Bold and First	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ³ 1/2	4 ⁹ 1/2
3	King Ronin	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	5 ⁸	5 ¹⁶ 3/4
6	Firstgeneral Nikao	5	6 ⁸ 1/2	6 ¹⁴ 1/2	6 ²⁶	6 ⁴² 3/4

Trainers: 2 - Tharrenos, William; 5 - Carey, Julia; 1 - Tharrenos, William; 4 - Tharrenos, William; 3 - Banach, Darwin; 6 - Cole, Krista

Owners: 2 -Mike A. Coll; 5 - Lightning Bolt Stables; 1 - Six Brothers Stable; 4 -Mike A. Coll; 3 - Smilovsky, Erika and Banach, Darwin D.; 6 - Spirit's Path Management, Inc., 2557638 Ontario, Inc., Lockyer, Mackenzie, Northern Dawn Stables, Inc. and Cole, Krista Gail;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SILVER IS BEST was patiently reined back off the contesting twosome entering the backstretch, tracked on the rail at the half, closed in well in hand just off the fence by the quarter pole, loomed menacingly angling out four wide in upper stretch and relentlessly wore down the leader outside down the lane to pull away for the win in the final sixteenth of a mile. B THE KING had a good spot isolated in midfield in the beginning, took closer order in the two path outside foes by the half, ranged up smartly three wide outside runners around the oval, pounced in the three path taking command in upper stretch but gave way grudgingly to the winner in deep stretch. BANK ON BIG WINNER hopped at the start to share the rear inside another down the backstretch, narrowed the margin on the lead group when pulling to go but with five sixteenths to go, found his best stride in the five path down the stretch, had no chance getting to the embattled lead duo with a furlong to go but with a late surge outside got up for the third place share just before the wire. BIG BOLD AND FIRST was away alertly having the early advantage, hounded the pacesetter outside throughout the turn, regained control with a quarter mile from home, surrendered the lead while inside horses at the top of the lane unable to quicken with the lead pair and faded further in the late running to just lose out holding on for the show money. KING RONIN pressed the issue inside, moved to the lead by the half, was hard ridden battling on the rail around the bend giving way up top by the quarter pole, had little left for the drive and tired on the fence in the last furlong. FIRSTGENERAL NIKAO was reluctant loading in the gate, broke slow to co-trail outside in the early going, dropped back behind the group through the turn, lost touch with the pack by the quarter pole, was eased through the stretch crossing the wire and walked off.

