

SARATOGA - August 13, 2025 - Race 1

STAKES Michael G. Walsh Novice S. - Thoroughbred
TO BE RUN OVER NATIONAL FENCES FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON OVER HURDLES
PRIOR TO MARCH 1, 2024 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES, OTHER THAN THREE YEAR OLD. Non-Lasix Race
pursuant to 4043.2 (7)(e)(5) Lasix not permitted within 48 hours of post time. Four year olds, 144 lbs.; Older 150 lbs. Winners, other
than maiden, claiming, starter or three year old, 3 lbs extra for each race won. Closed Saturday, August 2, 2025 with 9 Nominations.
Distance: Two And Three Eighth Miles On The Hurdle **Current Track Record:** (Hokan - 4:12.04 - August 27, 1998)

Purse: \$75,000 Guaranteed
Available Money: \$75,000
Value of Race: \$75,000 1st \$45,000, 2nd \$13,500, 3rd \$7,500, 4th \$5,250, 5th \$3,750
Weather: Clear, 91° **Track:** Firm
Off at: 1:11 **Start:** Poor **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/2	1m	11/2	2m	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Jun25 ¹ SAR ⁵	5	Little Trilby (GB) (Tierney, Conor)	156	b	4	6 ¹ 1/2	6 ⁴ 1/2	5 ¹	6 ⁴	1 ⁶	1 ¹² 1/4	17.30	2-3w pursuit, went clr
15Jun25 ² LRL ¹	1	Travesuras (Galligan, Gerard)	153	--	1	5 ¹ 2	5 ¹ 2	6 ³	5 ¹ 2	3 ¹⁰	2 ⁷	4.70	saved grd, second best
17Jul25 ² CNL ¹	6	Roja Redemption (Watters, Graham)	153	--	5	2 ⁶	2 ⁸	2 ²	2 ³	2 ^{Head}	3 ³ 3/4	1.75*	late at 2, walked off
24Jul25 ³ CNL ⁴	3	L'Avvocato (FR) (Dwan, Evan)	150	--	3	7	7	7	7	5 ⁹	4 ⁸ 1/2	9.30	late at 5, pass tired
10May25 ⁴ PW ³	2	Walk The Warrior (IRE) (Bargary, Jamie)	153	--	2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 2	4 ¹ 2	4 ¹	4 ^{Head}	5 ⁵³ 1/2	4.80	late at 4, faltered
26Apr25 ³ FX ³	8	Clifton Down (IRE) (Nevin, Dan)	156	h	7	4 ²	4 ³ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	6	6	6.10	tracked 2p, eased home
4Jun25 ¹ SAR ⁷	7	Carloun (IRE) (Mulqueen, Stephen)	156	h	6	1 ⁵ 1/2	1 ⁶	1 ²	1 ¹	---	---	4.10	1st when lost rider 9

Final Time: 4:40.29
Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Little Trilby (GB), Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Golden Horn (GB) out of =Middle Creek (GB), by =Poet's Voice (GB). Foaled Apr 06, 2020 in Great Britain.
Breeder: Mrs Rebecca Philipps
Owner: Del Rio Racing LLC
Trainer: Hendriks, Richard

Scratched Horse(s): Evie's Prince (Stakes Scratch), Quick Master (Stakes Scratch)

Total WPS Pool: \$114,228

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Little Trilby (GB)	36.60	13.60	7.10	\$1.00 Exacta	5-1	121.00	87,475
1	Travesuras		6.70	3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-1-6	206.75	41,971
6	Roja Redemption			3.30	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-1-6-3	185.65	18,782

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/2	1m	11/2	2m	Str	Fin
5	Little Trilby (GB)	6 ¹⁵ 1/2	6 ¹⁸ 1/2	5 ⁶	6 ⁵ 1/2	1 ⁶	1 ¹² 1/4
1	Travesuras	5 ¹⁵	5 ¹⁸	6 ⁷	5 ⁵	3 ⁶	2 ¹² 1/4
6	Roja Redemption	2 ⁵ 1/2	2 ⁶	2 ²	2 ¹	2 ⁶	3 ¹⁹ 1/4
3	L'Avvocato (FR)	7 ¹⁷	7 ²³	7 ¹⁰	7 ⁹ 1/2	5 ¹⁶ 1/4	4 ²³
2	Walk The Warrior (IRE)	3 ¹¹ 1/2	3 ¹⁴	4 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁴	4 ¹⁶	5 ³¹ 1/2
8	Clifton Down (IRE)	4 ¹³	4 ¹⁴ 1/2	3 ⁴	3 ⁴	6 ²⁵ 1/4	6 ⁸⁵
7	Carloun (IRE)	1 ⁵ 1/2	1 ⁶	1 ²	1 ¹	---	---

Trainers: 5 - Hendriks, Richard; 1 - Murphy, Cyril; 6 - Fisher, Jack; 3 - Neilson, Katherine; 2 - Young, Leslie; 8 - Beecher, Mark; 7 - Brion, Keri

Owners: 5 - Del Rio Racing LLC; 1 - Irvin S. Naylor; 6 - Riverdee Stable; 3 - Hard Game LLC; 2 - Leipers Fork Steeplechase; 8 - Runnymoore Racing, LLC; 7 - Willis, Molly and Willis, Paul;

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LITTLE TRILBY (GB) two to three wide in pursuit, jumped well to maintain position settled near the rear of the field, steadily made some headway approaching the final flight, came under urging in the flat and bid into contention seizing command at the head of the stretch, then went clear under a drive to prevail. TRAVESURAS a bit washy prior to the start, saved ground in pursuit near the rear of the field jumping well to maintain position, came under coaxing after fence eight, was under a drive in the flat and improved position to be along clear of the rest and second best. ROJA REDEMPTION tracked the leader along the inside isolated between that spurning away leader and then rest of the field in behind, jumped late at fence hitting part of that flight, then jumped well thereafter while under a firm hold, at times closing in on the leader before that foe would open up once more, came under coaxing near the final flight and inherited the front at that station, dug in under threat from the top one and yielded command near the quarter pole, weakened in the late stages while along for the show honors, then got vetted and treated for heat distress after the race and walked off once cooled down under his own power. L'AVVOCATO (FR) saved ground at the tail of the field jumping well with the exception of fence five when jumping late and landing a bit awkwardly, came under encouragement once in the flat and passed tired rivals to the wire. WALK THE WARRIOR (IRE) settled just off the inside just off the pace, jumped late at fence four, came under a ride after clearing fence eight and bid at the final flight, then faltered in the flat. CLIFTON DOWN (IRE) tracked along the inside and then just off the inside from mid pack, jumped well to maintain position, cleared the final flight and was eased home through to the end. CARLOUN (IRE) was two to three lengths clear of the field when the flag was dropped and held clear advantage from the start, spurned away along the inside jumping well to maintain his advantage, had ROJA REDEMPTION taking closer order at times and would open up once more, approached the final flight and jumped early landing in a motion of pecking the ground and lost the rider as a result, continued on sans rider and was apprehended by outrider and subsequently walked off under his own power.