SARATOGA - August 16, 2025 - Race 5

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF (UP TO \$19,140 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$20,000 OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$50,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than

OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$50,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Claiming Since February 16, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Allowance Horses Preferred)(1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). (Rail at 27 feet). (NW1\$ X) Claiming Price: \$50,000

Distance: One And Three Eighth Miles On The Inner turf Current Track Record: (Silver Knott (GB) - 2:11.03 - July 28, 2024)

Purse: \$110,000

Available Money: \$110,000

Value of Race: \$110,000 1st \$60,500, 2nd \$22,000, 3rd \$13,200, 4th \$6,600, 5th \$4,400, 6th \$1,650, 7th \$1,650

Weather: Clear, 87° Track: Firm

Off at: 2:57 Start: Good for all except 2,5 Timing Method: Electronic

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
20Jul25 ⁷ SAR ²	6	Zverev (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	123 Lb	•	41 1/2	4 ¹	42 1/2	4 ^{1/2}	31 1/2	1 ^{Head}	2.70*	4w uppr, got the bob
30Jul25 ⁴ SAR ²	4	Fuerteventura (Carmouche, Kendrick)	123 Lb	4	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²	1 ¹	11	2 ^{Neck}	3.45	in hand ins, lost nod
19Jul25 8SAR2	5	Il Siciliano (Saez, Luis)	123 Lb	5	7	7	7	7	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	2.90	hit gate st, missed
17Jul25 ³ SAR ⁴	3	Outsource (Davis, Dylan)	120 Lb	3	5 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	7	4 ^{1 1/2}	11.20	4w upper, late foot
19Jul25 3MTH1	7	Investment Mandate (Franco, Manuel)	120 Lb	7	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{3/4}	6.80	3-4w uppr, no headway
30Jul25 ⁷ SAR ¹	1	Kigali (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	125 L		2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	6 ^{2 1/2}	5.50	tracked 2p, wknd late
28Jun25 ² CD ¹	2	Ambition (Ortiz, Jose)	125 Lb	2	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	7	11.10	brush gate, weakened

Fractional Times: 25.13 50.12 1:15.57 1:39.68 2:04.08 Final Time: 2:16.25

Split Times: (24:99) (25:45) (24:11) (24:40) (12:17)

Run-Up: 450 feet Temporary Rail: 27 feet

Winner: Zverev, Bay Gelding, by Oscar Performance out of Balance, by Thunder Gulch. Foaled Apr 21, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Andrew Warren

Owner: Staudacher, David and Paradise Farms Corp.

Trainer: Maker, Michael

2 Claimed Horse(s): Fuerteventura New Trainer: Michael J. Maker

Kigali New Trainer: Jose Francisco

D'Angelo

New Owner: Flying P Stable New Owner: Michael Dubb

Voided Claims: Zverev(Vet)

Claiming Prices: 6 - Zverev: \$50,000; 4 - Fuerteventura: \$50,000; 1 - Kigali: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Cartucho (Main-Track-Only), Frizzante (Main-Track-Only), Valentinian (Main-Track-Only), Whittington Park

(Main-Track-Only), Wise Up (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$855,699

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Zverev	7.40	4.40	2.90	\$1.00 Exacta	6-4	16.00	631,317
4	Fuerteventura		3.90	2.70	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-4-5	14.87	264,016
5	Il Siciliano			2.80	\$1.00 Pick 3	5-6-6 (3 correct)	44.75	102,137
					\$0.50 Pick 4	1-5-2/6-6/8/9/10/11/12 (4 correct)	91.12	302,279
					\$0.50 Pick 5	6-1-5-2/6-6/8/9/10/11/12 (5 correct)	447.25	758,377
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-6	10.00	116,988
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-4-5-3	19.42	111,238

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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Pgm F	lorse Name	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin			
6 Z	verev	4 ^{2 1/2}	42 1/2	4 ^{3 1/2}	42 1/2	3 ¹	1 ^{Head}			
4 F	uerteventura	11 1/2	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}			
5 II	Siciliano	7 ^{7 1/2}	7 ^{6 1/2}	$7^{6\ 3/4}$	7 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{Neck}			
3 C	Outsource	5 ⁴	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/4}	6 ^{3 1/2}	7 ^{3 3/4}	4 ^{3/4}			
7 Ir	nvestment Mandate	6^{6}	6 ⁵	5 ⁶	5 ³	5 ³	5 ^{2 1/4}			
1 K	igali	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2^{2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	6 ³			
2 A	mbition	$3^{2 \ 1/2}$	$3^{2 \ 1/2}$	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{3 1/4}	7 ^{5 1/2}			

Trainers: 6 - Maker, Michael; 4 - Atras, Rob; 5 - Sano, Antonio; 3 - Morley, Thomas; 7 - Brown, Chad; 1 - Casse, Norm; 2 - Asmussen, Steven

Owners: 6 - Staudacher, David and Paradise Farms Corp.; 4 - BellaBlue Racing Stable; 5 - Korina Stable; 3 - Rainbow's End Racing Stable LLC; 7 - Klaravich Stables, Inc.; 1 - AJ Suited Racing Stable LLC; 2 - Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds LLC;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms

ZVEREV settled two then three wide in pursuit from just off the pace and in the clear as most rivals took up cover behind a foe, remained patiently handled until placed to coaxing near the quarter pole, swung four wide into upper stretch, rallied to issue a challenge inside the final furlong coming inwards when seizing command inside the sixteenth marker, dug in and won the bob on the wire. FUERTEVENTURA coaxed from the gate, was intent on the lead and showed the way in hand just off the inside and then along the inside, came under urging at the five-sixteenths, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, dug in stubbornly fending off foes, got collared inside the sixteenth marker, fought on to the finish and lost the nod on the line. IL SICILIANO struck the off side stall at the start, chased along the inside early on through to the second turn before tipping three wide down the backstretch, went three to four wide through the far turn coming under encouragement nearing the five-sixteenths, angled five wide for home, closed well outside and missed at the end. OUTSOURCE coaxed from the start, settled just off the inside in mid pack, chased just off the inside and then along the inside coming under a ride at the five-sixteenths, angled four wide at the head of the stretch and offered up late foot. INVESTMENT MANDATE settled just off the inside near the rear of the field, came under encouragement at the three-eighths, angled three to four wide for home and made no headway. KIGALI broke well and led briefly early on before

being displaced from command by FUERTEVENTURA, tracked that rival just off the inside in closest aim, came under urging at the five-sixteenths, swung three wide into upper stretch, dug in under a drive prominent to the eighth pole, then weakened in the late stages. AMBITION brushed the off side stall at the start, settled tracking the leader just off the pace along the inside, remained patiently handled until set down spinning from the two path into upper stretch, weakened in the drive.

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