NINTH RACE Saratoga AUGUST 8, 2021

 $1\frac{1}{16}$ MILES. (Turf) (1.512) SARATOGA OAKS INVITATIONAL S. Grade III. Purse \$700,000 AN INVITATIONAL FOR FILLIES, THREE-YEARS-OLD. Non-Lasix Race pursuant to 4043.2 (7)(e)(5) Lasix not permitted within 48 hours of post time. The NYRA Selection Committee will post the invitees for the Saratoga Oaks Invitational on Saturday, July 24th. In order to be eligible for entry into the Saratoga Oaks Invitational, horses accepting the invitation must make a pre-entry payment of \$5,250 on Wednesday, July 28th. An entry fee of \$5,250 (USD) will be due at time of entry. The purse for the Saratoga OaksInvitational shall be divided as follows: \$375,000 to the owner of the winner, \$130,000 to second, \$70,000 to third, \$46,000 to fourth, \$30,000 to fifth, \$20,000 to sixth, \$16,000 to seventh and \$13,000 to eighth. Weight 121 lbs. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the Main Track. In the event that this race is taken off the turf, it may be subject to downgrading upon review by the Graded Stakes Committee. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at One Mile and One Eighth on the Main Track). (Rail at 18 feet).

Value of Race: \$700,000 Winner \$375,000; second \$130,000; third \$70,000; fourth \$46,000; fifth \$30,000; sixth \$20,000; seventh \$16,000; eighth \$13,000. Mutuel Pool \$974,858.00 Exacta Pool \$589,044.00 Trifecta Pool \$291,733.00 Grand Slam Pool \$64,264.00 Superfecta Pool \$147,331.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt. A.	Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	0 dds \$1
10JIy21 ⁷ Bel ²	C on Lima	3	121	5	1	11	11	11	1112	1 <u>3</u>	Prat F	3.05
10JIy21 ⁷ Bel ³	Higher Truth-Ire	3	121	1	7	$3\frac{1}{2}$	31	31	$2\frac{1}{2}$	21 <u>1</u>	Ortiz J L	7.40
18JIy21 4CHY3	Creative Flair- Ire	3	121	7	6	71	61	61	41	31 <u>1</u>	Smith M E	3.20
10JIy21 ⁷ Bel ⁵	Plum Ali	3	121	4	5	61	$72\frac{1}{2}$	$72\frac{1}{2}$	52	41 <u>1</u>	Rosario J	5.00
10JIy21 ⁷ Bel ⁴	Gam's Mission	3	121	3	2	$2\frac{1}{2}$	$2\frac{1}{2}$	$2\frac{1}{2}$	31	5 3	Saez L	5.60
3 Jly21 5 Del 1	0 ut of Sorts	3	121	8	3	8	8	8	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	Russ ell S	27.00
18Jun21 5ASC3	M ess idor-Ire	3	121	2	8	$5\frac{1}{2}$	$5\frac{1}{2}$	5hd	61	73 <u>3</u>	Ve lazqu ez J R	14.80
25Apr21 Nav1	Rock y Sky-Ire	3	121	6	4	4hd	4hd	4 hd	8	8	Ortiz I Jr	4.60

OFF AT 5:39 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME: 233,:50, 1:141, 1:373, 1:542 (:23.64,:50.02, 1:14.34, 1:37.75, 1:54.42)

\$1 EXACTA 5-1 PAID \$29.25 50 CENT TRIFECTA 5-1-7
PAID \$59.37 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 5-1-7-4 PAID \$44.85

Dk. b or br. f, (Mar), by Commissioner – Second Street City, by Consolidator. Trainer Pletcher Todd A. Bred by Lisa Kuhlmann (Tex).

CONLIMA strolled to the front, was well rated while setting an uncontested pace in the two path, responded well when asked at the quarter-pole then came under a strong handride, was put to a right-handed crop nearing the furlong marker and held under strong urging. HIGHER TRUTH (IRE) was taken in hand early then rated on the inside, came under urging nearing the quarter-pole then moved to the two path into the stretch, tipped out more while chasing the leader at the eighth-pole and brushed with a foe, continued her relentless pursuit of the winner to the wire and missed but finished with good courage for the place. CREATIVE FLAIR (IRE) was taken back early then angled to the rail, saved ground while reserved off the pace, was asked approaching the quarter-pole then swung four wide into upper stretch, chased the winner to the wire and finished willingly for the show. PLU M ALI was taken in hand early then reserved in the two path, swung five wide into upper stretch, was carried out into the final furlong and improved position. GAM'S MISSION was taken in hand early, tracked the pace on the outside in the three path, was given her cue at the five-sixteenths, chased the winner into upper stretch, was brushed by the runner-up and carried out a bit into the final furlong, swapped back to her inside lead shortly thereafter and weakened. OUT OF SORTS was taken back early then moved in, rounded the first turn in the two path, settled at the rear, traveled around the far turn in the two path, was roused four wide into the stretch then dropped in around the three-sixteenths and lacked the needed response. MESSIDOR (IRE) was reserved off the pace in the two path, came under urging on the far turn, was carried six wide into upper stretch and came up empty. ROCKY SKY (IRE) was reserved on the outside while three to four wide, swung seven wide into upper stretch and failed to respond.

Owners – 1, Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners Graffeo Joseph F Del Toro Eric Nikolaus and Johnson; 2, Ryan Michael J Drown Jeff and Team Hanley; 3, Godolphin LLC; 4, Dubb Michael Madaket Stables LLC and Caruso Michael J; 5, Lazy F Ranch (Corbett); 6, Respect the Valleys LLC; 7, Blue Devil Racing Stable (Holliday); 8, Brant Peter M

Trainers— 1, Pletcher Todd A; 2, Brown Chad C; 3, Appleby Charles; 4, Clement Christophe; 5, DeVaux Cherie; 6, Russell Brittany T; 7, O'Brien Joseph P; 8, Brown Chad C

\$1 Grand Slam (7/8/10-1/2/7-3/6/7-5) Paid \$63.50; Grand Slam Pool \$64,264. \$1 Pick Three (7-7-5) Paid \$59.00; Pick Three Pool \$164,810. \$1 Daily Double (7-5) Paid \$39.75; Daily Double Pool \$147,551.