NINTH RACE

Belmont

SEPTEMBER 15, 2012

1⅛ MILES. (Inner Turf) (1.45) 34TH RUNNING OF THE GARDEN CITY. Grade I. Purse $300,000 INNER TURF FOR FILLIES THREE YEAR OLDS. No nomination fee. $3,000 to pass the entry box. A supplemental nomination fee of $6,000 in addition to the entry fee will be accepted at any time prior to entry. All starters including supplemental nominees will receive a $1,500 rebate. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among remaining finishers. 122 lbs. Non–winners of a Grade 1 on the turf or a Grade 2 twice on the turf since May 1 allowed 2 lbs.; a Grade 2 on the turf, 4 lbs.; a Graded Sweepstakes on the turf, 6 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. Closed Saturday, September 1, 2012 with 39 Nominations. (Rail at 9 feet).

Value of Race: $300,000 Winner $180,000; second $60,000; third $30,000; fourth $15,000; fifth $9,000; sixth $3,000; seventh $3,000. Mutuel Pool $597,307.00 Exacta Pool $398,634.00 Trifecta Pool $236,709.00 Grand Slam Pool $27,308.00 Superfecta Pool $121,088.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
25Jly12 ^{9}Sar^{3}	Samitar-GB	L	3	122	3	5	4^{2}	$4\frac{1}{2}^{1}$	4^{1}	2^{hd}	1^{hd}	Dominguez R A	0.85
19Aug12 ^{8}Sar^{3}	Somali Lemonade	L	3	118	4	6	6^{3}	5^{hd}	$5\frac{1}{2}^{1}$	4^{1}	$2\frac{3}{4}^{1}$	Rosario J	5.80
22Jly12 Cur^{1}	Tannery-Ire		3	118	1	7	7	7	7	6^{1}	3^{nk}	Lezcano J	6.50
17Aug12 ^{2}Sar^{4}	Ciao Bella	L	3	116	5	2	2^{2}	$2\frac{1}{2}^{1}$	$2\frac{1}{2}^{1}$	1^{hd}	$4\frac{3}{4}^{3}$	Velazquez J R	7.70
18Aug12 ^{8}Dmr^{3}	Open Water	L	3	118	2	3	$3\frac{1}{2}^{2}$	$3\frac{1}{2}^{2}$	3^{hd}	3^{1}	$5\frac{1}{2}^{5}$	Nakatani C S	7.40
5Aug12 ^{1}Sar^{1}	Trophy Wife	L	3	116	7	4	$5\frac{1}{2}^{5}$	6^{3}	6^{1}	7	6^{hd}	Garcia Alan	20.40
29Jly12 ^{9}Sar^{3}	Karlovy Vary	L	3	116	6	1	$11\frac{1}{2}^{1}$	1^{1}	1^{1}	$5\frac{1}{2}^{1}$	7	Leparoux J R	8.60

OFF AT 5:06 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :24^{4}, :49^{3}, 1:13^{4}, 1:37, 1:48^{3} (:24.96, :49.74, 1:13.86, 1:37.19, 1:48.74)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 –SAMITAR–GB	**3.70**	**2.70**	**2.20**
4 –SOMALI LEMONADE		**4.20**	**3.10**
1 –TANNERY–IRE			**3.70**

$2 EXACTA 3–4 PAID $16.60 $2 TRIFECTA 3–4–1 PAID $58.00

$2 SUPERFECTA 3–4–1–5 PAID $243.50

B. f, (Feb), by Rock of Gibraltar–Ire – Aileen's Gift–Ire , by Rainbow Quest . Trainer Brown Chad C. Bred by Norman Court Stud (GB).

SAMITAR (GB) came away in good order, sat reserved in two path for over three-quarters, picked up interest during the later stages of the run around the far turn and was angled three wide into the stretch, responded positively when given her cue, was the outermost of three arriving at the furlong marker on nearly terms, began to inch away from them, was about a half body length to the good a sixteenth down the road but with a determined SOMALI LEMONADE not yet ready to concede, dug in gamely the rest of the way to preserve the decision. SOMALI LEMONADE contently took the inside route, found space and was taken outward a few strides before the end of the far turn, beat TROPHY WIFE to the three path just before the head of the stretch, causing that rival to be taken hold of momentarily and alter course back towards the inside, eventually settled into the four path herself by upper stretch, closed in with good energy but got staved off by a very gutsy winner. TANNERY (IRE) slipped off the rail leaving the three-eighths pole, was put to hand urging a sixteenth later while continuing to maneuver wider yet, turned for home eventually in the four path and under a full drive, displayed a good kick down the center of the course to grab the show award. CIAO BELLA was rated in the two path while attending the pacesetter, was let out a notch about halfway around the far turn as a prelude leading up to a more serious challenge coming up by the end of the it, was the middle member of a trio in close proximity of each other battling for command at the furlong marker with a revved up SOMALI LEMONADE poised to join the dispute soon afterwards, remained prominently placed for a little while longer before backing away. OPEN WATER under a good hold in the pocket for most of the opening three-quarters pole, vacated it for the start of the stretch run, made a run from upper to midstretch then flattened out. TROPHY WIFE strung out three wide, the widest of all on the opening bend, was eased back slightly and tucked into the two path shortly after entering the backstretch, remained unhurried until the five-sixteenths marker, attempted to swing outward approaching the quarter pole, was beaten to position by the runner up, took hold for a stride and altered back inward, failed to fire appreciably. KARLOVY VARY established control before reaching the end of the homestretch and was guided inward, set the fractions well rated and under the watchful eye of CIAO BELLA, came under heavy pressure approaching the quarter pole and was soon let out, fought on well until near the end of the furlong grounds and gave way.

Owners– 1, Schwartz Martin S; 2, Forgason Caroline A; 3, Santulli Richard; 4, Tabor Michael B; 5, Southern Equine Stable LLC and Smith Mike; 6, Phipps Stable; 7, Campbell Alex G Jr

Trainers– 1, Brown Chad C; 2, Matz Michael R; 3, Goldberg Alan E; 4, Pletcher Todd A; 5, Guillot Eric; 6, McGaughey III Claude R; 7, Arnold George R II

$2 Pick Three (8–6–3) Paid $343.00 ; Pick Three Pool $70,315 .
$2 Grand Slam (3/9/12–2/8/11–5/6/8–3) Paid $12.20 ; Grand Slam Pool $27,308 .
$2 Daily Double (6–3) Paid $62.50 ; Daily Double Pool $112,423 .

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