NINTH RACE

Monmouth

SEPTEMBER 2, 2012

6 FURLONGS. (1.07²) 79TH RUNNING OF THE SAPLING. Grade III. Purse $100,000 FOR TWO-YEAR-OLDS. By subscription of $100 each, which should accompany the nomination, $1,000 to pass the entry box and $1,000 to start. The owner of the winner to receive $60,000, $20,000 to second, $10,000 to third, $6,000 to fourth, $3,000 to fifth and $2,000 to sixth through last. Weight: 121 lbs. Maidens allowed 5 lbs. The winning owner to receive a trophy. Closed Sunday, August 19, 2012 with 18 nominations. A $5,000 supplemental nomination, which included all fees, was made at time of entry, Thursday, August 30, 2012.

Value of Race: $101,000 Winner $60,000; second $20,000; third $10,000; fourth $6,000; fifth $3,000; sixth $2,000. Mutuel Pool $193,352.00 Exacta Pool $110,503.00 Trifecta Pool $59,592.00 Superfecta Pool $28,692.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
22Jly12 9Sar4	Brave Dave	L	2	121	3	2	1 1½	1 1½	1¹	1¾	Lopez P	1.70
22Jly12 9Sar6	Special Jo	L	2	121	6	1	6	2¹	2⁶	2 4½	Trujillo E	6.50
12Aug12 11Sar4	Drum Roll	L	2	121	5	3	5²	3 2½	3 2½	3 4½	Decarlo C P	1.90
8Aug12 9Del4	Bobcat Jim	L	2	121	2	6	4hd	5²	4³	4 9¾	Cintron A	2.50
22Aug12 7Sar1	Coach A. J.	L	2	121	4	4	2hd	6	6	5 4½	Carmouche K	21.70
28Jly12 7EIP1	Tap and Trade	L b	2	121	1	5	3hd	4hd	5¹	6	Lanerie C J	18.40

OFF AT 5:02 Start Good For All But BRAVE DAVE. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :21³, :44⁴, :57, 1:10² (:21.66, :44.84, :57.13, 1:10.44)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 –BRAVE DAVE	**5.40**	**3.20**	**2.20**
8 –SPECIAL JO		**5.40**	**3.00**
7 –DRUM ROLL			**2.20**

$2 EXACTA 3–8 PAID $23.00 $1 TRIFECTA 3–8–7 PAID $21.80

$1 SUPERFECTA 3–8–7–2 PAID $49.70

Dk. b or br. c, (Jan), by Put It Back – Sing That Song , by Songandaprayer . Trainer Plesa Edward Jr. Bred by David Melin Bea Oxenberg & Eddie Plesa Jr (Fla).

BRAVE DAVE stumbled badly at the start and bumped with COACH A.J., showed good early speed to set the pace, responded when challenged by SPECIAL JO, turned back that rival and held well under urging. SPECIAL JO raced off the pace, made a strong four wide run on the turn, tried the winner in upper stretch and continued gamely to the finish. DRUM ROLL was bumped at the start, raced four wide on the backstretch, chased the leaders on the turn, weakened and was clear for the show. BOBCAT JIM chased between rivals, raced in the two path on the turn and weakened. COACH A. J. was bumped at the start, chased three wide between rivals, continued three wide on the turn and tired. TAP AND TRADE chased inside and faded.

Owners– 1, Melin David and Plesa Laurie; 2, McCarty Mike; 3, Magnier Mrs John Tabor Michael and Smith Derrick; 4, Dream Walkin Farms Inc; 5, MAT Stables LLC; 6, Donamire Farm

Trainers– 1, Plesa Edward Jr; 2, Asmussen Steven M; 3, Pletcher Todd A; 4, Smith Kenny P; 5, Farro Patricia; 6, Foley Gregory D

Scratched– Overanalyze (09Aug12 3Sar1) , Keep the Canoli (05Aug12 10Mth5) , Lucci the Lion (06Aug12 7Sar1) , Lawn Man (28Jul12 3Sar1)

$2 Daily Double (6–3) Paid $38.20 ; Daily Double Pool $16,702 .

$1 Place Pick 6 (1/6–3/4–4/5–3/7–4/6–3/8) 6 Correct Paid $616.00 ; Place Pick 6 Pool $8,335 .

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