

# EIGHTH RACE Belmont at the Big A

MAY 19, 2024

**6 FURLONGS. ( Turf ) PARADISE CREEK S. Purse \$150,000 OUTER TURF FOR THREE YEAR OLDS.** Lasix not allowed within 48 hours of post time pursuant to HISA Rule 4212. By subscription of \$150 each which should accompany the nomination; \$750 to pass the entry box and an additional \$750 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$750 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. The purse to be divided 55% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 6% to fourth, 4% to fifth and 3% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. Weight: 123 lbs. Non-winners of a Graded sweepstakes allowed 3 lbs.; of a sweepstake other than state-bred or two races other than maiden, claiming, starter or state bred allowance allowed 5 lbs. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the main track. A presentation will be made to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, May 4, 2024 with 16 Original Nominations and 2 Supplements. (Rail at 36 feet).

**Value of Race: \$150,000 Winner \$82,500; second \$30,000; third \$18,000; fourth \$9,000; fifth \$6,000; sixth \$2,250; seventh \$2,250. Mutuel Pool \$374,969.00 Exacta Pool \$306,323.00 Superfecta Pool \$87,193.00 Trifecta Pool \$148,606.00 Grand Slam Pool \$32,727.00**

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
23Mar24 7TP 2	Smokey Smokey	b 3	118	7	3	2 1	2 1	2 2	1nk	Vazquez R A	6.50
7Apr24 7Kee 5	Mattingly		120	2	1	1 ½	1 ½	1 ½	2 2	McCarthy T	4.60
3May24 7BAQ 1	Feltrinelli		118	1	5	5 1	5 ½	4 2 ½	3 ½	Franco M	8.50
1May24 9CD 5	Sketch-Ire		118	3	2	3 ½	4 1	3 ½	4 ¾	Prat F	1.15
28Apr24 8Aqu 4	Summer in Adriane	b 3	118	6	7	6 3	6 1	5 1	5 2 ¼	Velazquez J R	8.30
31Mar24 5GP 1	Devil in Disguise		118	4	4	4 1	3hd	6 ½	6nk	Ortiz I Jr	4.90
6Apr24 1Aqu 1	Laser Sharp	b 3	118	5	6	7	7	7	7	Rivera L R Jr	24.75

**OFF AT 4:44 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.**

**TIME :222, :45, :562, 1:08 ( :22.45, :45.11, :56.47, 1:08.19 )**

## \$2 Mutuel Prices:

<b>9 – SMOKEY SMOKEY</b> .....	<b>15.00</b>	<b>6.70</b>	<b>4.80</b>
<b>3 – MATTINGLY</b> .....		<b>5.30</b>	<b>4.10</b>
<b>2 – FELTRINELLI</b> .....			<b>5.70</b>

**\$1 EXACTA 9-3 PAID \$37.25 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 9-3-2-4  
PAID \$51.70 50 CENT TRIFECTA 9-3-2 PAID \$120.50**

**B. c, (Mar), by Mendelssohn – Weaponry, by War Front. Trainer Maker Michael J. Bred by Sanford Robertson (Ky).**

SMOKEY SMOKEY broke out at the start and was corrected coming under coaxing to be forwardly placed, pressed the pace of MATTINGLY from the outside three then two wide coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, dug in under a drive taking narrow command a sixteenth from home, dug in gamely to prevail. MATTINGLY hustled from the gate, showed the way in hand along the inside under pressure from the aforementioned foe through swift splits, got set down taking the inside route into upper stretch, dug in under a drive and was caught a sixteenth out, fought on inside to the finish. FELTRINELLI chased along the inside coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, took the inside route into upper stretch, offered up a mild kick. SKETCH (IRE) broke out at the start and was corrected, chased just off the inside coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, continued just off the inside into upper stretch, kept on one paced through to the wire. SUMMER IN ADRIANE chased three then two wide coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, offered up a belated bid but was outkicked. DEVIL INDISGUISE chased three to four paths off the rail down the backstretch before tucking to the two path through the turn coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, swung four wide into upper stretch, weakened in the drive. LASER SHARP chased along the inside and then just off the inside coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, angled out five to six wide at the head of the stretch and trailed.

**Owners**– 1, Pura Vida Investments LLC; 2, Ironhorse Racing Stable LLC and Harlow Stables LLC; 3, R A Hill Stable and Radcliffe Kerri; 4, Murphy Conor Johnson Greg Golden Barry Beaty Dan and Myrick Keith; 5, Orpen Horses LLC and Morley Thomas; 6, R A Hill Stable and Leidel Peter; 7, Gatsas Stables and Schoenfeld Steven

**Trainers**– 1, Maker Michael J; 2, Orseno Joseph; 3, Friedman Mitchell; 4, Murphy Conor; 5, Morley Thomas; 6, Friedman Mitchell; 7, Terranova John P II

**Scratched**– Works for Me ( 18May24 5BAQ 2 ), Apollo Ten ( 18Apr24 7GP 1 )

**\$1 Pick Three (1-6-9) Paid \$159.75 ; Pick Three Pool \$34,963 .**

**\$1 Daily Double (6-9) Paid \$32.00 ; Daily Double Pool \$55,366 .**

**\$1 Grand Slam (4/5/7-1/6/7-5/6/8-9) Paid \$135.50 ; Grand Slam Pool \$32,727 .**