

# EIGHTH RACE Churchill

MAY 1, 2024

**1½ MILES. ( 2274 ) ISAAC MURPHY MARATHON OVERNIGHT S. Purse \$200,000 ( includes \$65,000KTDF – Kentucky TB Devt Fund ) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Nominations close Saturday, April 10, 2024 with no fee. \$300 supplementary nominations may be made at time of entry. \$100 to enter. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a graded sweepstakes over ten furlongs since November 1, allowed 3 lbs. Two races over nine furlongs since July 4, 5 lbs. The field will be limited to 14. If more than 14 entries pass the entry box, preference will be given to graded stakes winners (in order I–II–III), then highest 2023–2024 earnings. Trophy to the winning owner. Closed Wednesday, April 10, 2024 with 27 nominations.**

**Value of Race: \$200,000 Winner \$120,189; second \$39,190; third \$19,595; fourth \$9,798; fifth \$5,879; sixth \$1,783; seventh \$1,783; eighth \$1,783. Mutuel Pool \$524,360.00 Exacta Pool \$269,745.00 Trifecta Pool \$166,435.00 Superfecta Pool \$92,204.00 Super High Five Pool \$20,407.00**

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	¼	½	1	1¼	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds	\$1
23Sep23	7Prx1	Next	6	120	7	22	2 1½	22	13½	16	11 1¼	Machado L	0.97
14Apr24	5Kee8	Dai Vernon	b 4	118	1	71	7 1½	7 3½	52	3 1½	22¼	Saez L	10.80
29Mar24	9OP1	Masqueparade	b 6	118	6	62	62	6hd	4½	2hd	35¾	Torres C A	10.55
29Mar24	9OP4	Red Run	b 5	118	3	41	41	5 1½	3½	41	4nk	Gaffalione T	6.55
29Mar24	9OP2	Classic Causeway	5	118	5	1½	12	11	2½	54	5 19¾	Hernandez B J Jr	3.59
29Mar24	9OP9	Master Game	b 5	118	8	8	8	8	72	76	64¼	Graham J	43.53
29Mar24	9OP5	O P Firecracker	5	118	4	51	51	4hd	6 3½	62	7 14¾	Rosario J	17.56
30Mar24	7GP5	Donegal Forever	b 4	118	2	3½	3½	31	8	8	8	Ortiz I Jr	8.25

**OFF AT 4:31 Start Good For All But DONEGAL FOREVER. Won handily. Track fast. TIME :243, :483, 1:132, 1:381, 2:03, 2:274 ( :24.64, :48.71, 1:13.45, 1:38.22, 2:03.03, 2:27.93 )**

( New Track Record )

<b>\$2 Mutuel Prices:</b>	7 – NEXT _____	3.94	3.44	2.32
	1 – DAI VERNON _____		9.58	5.74
	6 – MASQUEPARADE _____			3.76

**\$2 EXACTA 7-1 PAID \$47.46 50 CENT TRIFECTA 7-1-6 PAID \$81.00 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 7-1-6-3 PAID \$64.26 \$1 SUPER HIGH FIVE 7-1-6-3-5 PAID \$1,877.83**

**Gr/ro. g, (May), by Not This Time – Bahia Beach, by Awesome Again. Trainer Cowans William D. Bred by Silverton Hill LLC (Ky).**

NEXT stalked two wide, assumed command from the pace setter nearing the three furlong pole, and drew off handily. DAI VERNON saved ground well back, brushed with rivals while splitting foes through a narrow seam in upper stretch, then edged place leaving the furlong grounds. MASQUEPARADE laid off of the pace three to two wide, crept closer four wide around the final turn, bid for place in upper stretch but was outkicked by an inner rival for that position at the furlong grounds. RED RUN transferred contact from an inner rival to an outer foe at the start, tracked two wide, chased the clearing leader from the four to three path around the final bend, brushed with an inner rival while bidding for place among foes in upper stretch, but yielded between horses at the furlong grounds. CLASSIC CAUSEWAY set the pace, built a clear margin traveling through the lane for the first time, but was collared by an outer bidder into the far turn, proved no match shortly after and gave way. MASTER GAME trailed two wide then surpassed tired rivals. O P FIRECRACKER took contact from an inner rival at the start, pursued from midpack along the inside, came under urging in the two path around the final turn, but faded nearing the lane. DONEGAL FOREVER lunged out and bumped a rival at the start, then steadied behind the leaders while keen into the first turn, settled to track along the inside, but faded in the three path and between foes around the final turn.

**Owners–** 1, Foster Michael A; 2, Besilu Stables; 3, Holleman John; 4, Wycoff Jordan V; 5, Old Kentucky Home LLC; 6, Mutiny Bay Backstretch LLC Sargent Stables and DKline Racing; 7, Medina Robert and Conte Kyle; 8, Donegal Racing

**Trainers–** 1, Cowans William D; 2, Mott William I; 3, Atras Rob; 4, Maker Michael J; 5, McPeck Kenneth G; 6, Forster Grant T; 7, Medina Robert; 8, Pletcher Todd A

**\$1 Daily Double (8-7) Paid \$21.85 ; Daily Double Pool \$50,567 .  
50 CENT Pick Three (9-8-7) Paid \$40.26 ; Pick Three Pool \$80,557 .**