

**FIRST RACE**  
**Saratoga**  
**AUGUST 25, 2024**

**6 FURLONGS. ( 1.074 ) SEEKING THE ANTE S. Purse \$200,000 FOR FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD FOALD IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY. Lasix not allowed within 48 hours of post time pursuant to HISA Rule 4212. By subscription of \$200 which should accompany the nomination; \$1,000 to pass the entry box and an additional \$1,000 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$1,000 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 winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 6% to fourth, 4% to fifth and 3% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. Weight 122 lbs. Non-winners of a race other than claiming allowed 2 lbs.; maidens allowed 4 lbs. A presentation will be made to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, August 10, 2024 with 12 Nominations. ( Clear .79.)**

**Value of Race: \$186,000 Winner \$110,000; second \$40,000; third \$24,000; fourth \$12,000. Mutuel Pool \$319,104.00 Exacta Pool \$201,105.00**

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
26Jly24 6Sar1	Accelerating		2 122	3	1	11½	11½	13½	14	Ortiz J L	0.40
11Jly24 10Sar4	Carmen's Candy Jar		2 122	4	3	4	31½	35½	21¼	Ortiz I Jr	2.90
22Jly24 8Prx1	Central to Success		2 122	1	2	22½	23	23	38½	Lezcano J	5.30
8Aug24 1Sar1	Trail of Gold		2 122	2	4	3½	4	4	4	Velazquez J R	10.80

**OFF AT 1:12 Start Good For All But ACCELERATING, CARMEN'S CANDY JAR. Won driving. Track fast.**

**TIME :22<sup>3</sup>, :46, :58<sup>1</sup>, 1:11<sup>1</sup> ( :22.69, :46.07, :58.29, 1:11.31 )**

**\$2 Mutuel Prices:**

<b>4 - ACCELERATING</b> _____	<b>2.80</b>	<b>2.10</b>	<b>—</b>
<b>5 - CARMEN'S CANDY JAR</b> _____		<b>2.60</b>	<b>—</b>
<b>2 - CENTRAL TO SUCCESS</b> _____		<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

**\$1 EXACTA 4-5 PAID \$225**

**B. f, (Mar), by Mitole - Tizjet, by Tiznow. Trainer Asmussen Steven M. Bred by McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds LLC & Jeff Gardella (NY).**

ACCELERATING got bumped at the start by CARMEN'S CANDY JAR and bobbed but broke on top despite it, showed the way in hand just off the inside under some pressure to the inside from CENTRAL TO SUCCESS until shaking off that rival with nine-sixteenths remaining, continued in the two path through the turn patiently handled until set down spinning just off the inside into upper stretch, drew clear under a drive shying out late under a left handed crop with the outcome in no doubt. CARMEN'S CANDY JAR stumbled at the start recovering inwards and crashing into ACCELERATING bobbling that rival, chased three wide down the backstretch and then four wide through the turn coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, angled five wide into upper stretch, proved no match for the top one while offering up a mild kick to secure the place honors. CENTRAL TO SUCCESS broke out a step brushing the off side stall before brushing TRAIL OF GOLD, prompted the leader along the inside until shaken off at the nine-sixteenths, tipped out three wide near the half mile pole and gave chase three wide through the turn under coaxing from these seven-sixteenths, tipped three to four wide into upper stretch, weakened in the late stages, then got attended to after returning from the gallop out for a heat related issue and was subsequently transported off the course via equine ambulance. TRAIL OF GOLD got brushed at the start by CENTRAL TO SUCCESS, chased just off the inside down the backstretch and then along the inside through the turn coaxed along from the three-eighths, cut the corner into upper stretch and tired.

**Owners-** 1, Kaleem Shah Inc; 2, Repole Stable; 3, Cash is King LLC and LC Racing LLC; 4, Donk David G Behrendt John T Marquis Charles K Donk Gerald L Punk Jr Wi

**Trainers-** 1, Asmussen Steven M; 2, Pletcher Todd A; 3, Reid Robert E Jr; 4, Donk David

**Scratched-** Bellacose ( 17Jul24<sup>3</sup>Sar1 )