NINTH RACE Woodbine August 31, 2024 1 MILE. (Turf) (1.31<sup>3</sup>) TORONTO CUP S. PRESENTED BY CROWN ROYAL Purse \$125,000 (plus \$25,000 State Bred) FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS. By subscription of \$125 each which shall accompany the nomination and an additional \$1,250 when making entry. The purse to be divided: 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 2% to fifth, 1% to sixth, 1% to seventh, 1% to eighth. Weight: 125 lbs. Non-winners Of a Sweepstakes of \$55,000 twice at a mile or over in 2024, allowed 2 lbs.; Of a Sweepstakes of \$55,000 once at a mile or over in 2024, allowed 4 lbs. Of a race other than maiden or claiming or restricted allowance at any distance in 2024 allowed 6 lbs. (No Canadian Bred Allowance) Final entries to be made through the entry box at the closing time then in effect for overnight events. A supplemental nomination may be made no later than the time of final entry, by a non-refundable fee of \$2,500 which includes the entry fee. (Closed with 21 nominations) \*Plus up to \$23,925 Ontario Sired/Ontario Bred Breeder Awards. (Rail at 45 feet).

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eq	t. A. W	t PP	St	1⁄4	1⁄2	3∕₄	Str	Fin	Jockey			0dds \$1
20J1y24 6W04	Piper's Factor	L	3 12	15	2	3hd	42	21	11 <u>1</u>	11 <u>3</u>	Vives S			7.30
19JIy24 7W01	Swift Delivery	L	3 12	14	5	6	6	52 <u>1</u>	22	21 <u>1</u>	Husbands P			1.10
12JIy24 7W01	Dresden Row		3 12	13	4	4 <u>1</u>	3 <u>1</u>	3hd	31 <u>1</u>	38 <u>1</u>	Munger R			3.75
29Jun24 9W06	Babbo	L	3 11	91	3	1hd	11	1hd	44 <u>1</u>	47 <u>1</u>	Flores E			3.50
4 Aug24 9 WO 2	Western Whirl	Lb	3 11	96	1	23	22	4hd	53	54	Campos J L			11.00
16Jun24 8W08	Tunechi	Lb	3 11	92	6	52 <u>1</u>	5hd	6	6	6	Wilson E			12.60
OFF AT 5:21 Start Good For All ButTUNECHI, DRESDEN ROW. Won driving. Course yielding.														
	TIME :23 <sup>3</sup> ,	,			-			'			, .			
		5- <b>PIP</b>	ER'S	FAC	CT0	R					16.60	4.90	3.00	
\$2 Mutuel Prices: 4		4–SW1	FT D	ELI	VEF	RY		2.50	2.10					
		3 – <b>DRE</b>	SDE	N R(	)W.								2.60	
	\$1 EXACTA 5-4 PAID \$23.65 20 CENT SUPERFECTA 5-4-3-1													
PAID \$42.39 20 CENT TRIFECTA 5-4-3 PAID \$12.64														

B. c, (Mar), by The Factor – Pipers Future, by Niigon. Trainer Vassilieva Katerina. Bred by Chiefswood Stables Limited (Ont-C).

PIPER'S FACTOR travelled in mid-division rating kindly three deep along the backstretch, moved in quickly around foes at the three eighths marker to lead four wide by upper stretch, stayed on the wrong lead down the lane, drifted inwards to the rail at the furlong marker while keeping to the task and heldsafe, never threatened in deep stretch. SWIFT DELIVERY was allowed to gather himself trailing the field at the half, stalked outside in the third flight around the turn while moving comfortably, took closer or der to loom five wide, posing themain threat at the top of the lane, chased thewinner in vain the entire stretch but could not close in late. DRESDEN ROW broke in at the start, tracked the lead duo while settling between foes along the backside, kept pace with rivals, waiting on the fence throughout the turn, shifted outside in the three path off the tiring frontrunner with three sixteenths to go and ran on gamely to the end, being a clear third at the finish line. BABBO pressed the issue on the rail at the start, inched away up front by the half, set the pacearound the turn, was collared outside by the winner with five-sixteenths remaining, fought inside briefly in upper stretch but flattened out on the fence at the furlong marker. WESTERN WHIRL was away alertly to have the lead in the beginning, had a chasing role outside at the half, continued to prompt outside around the bend, was roused between rivals with five sixteenths from the wire but could not keep up with others that were commencing a run and yielded three wide with horses on both sides in mid-stretch. TUNE CHI was brushed outside on the start to trail early on, stalked in the third and final group on the rail throughout the turn, shifted outside four wide for the drive but could not get interested in the stretch running.

**Owners**-1, Chiefswood Stables Limited; 2, Barber Gary Team Valor International LLC Kelce Travis Zoldan Bruce and Rocco S; 3, True North Stable and Bloom Racing Stable (Jeffrey Bloom); 4, Tucci Lucio; 5, Chiefswood Stables Limited; 6, Hoolie Racing Stable LLC Legion Racing Conover Stable and Ribble Farms LLC

Trainers-1, Vassilieva Katerina; 2, Casse Mark; 3, Richards Lorne; 4, Attard Sid C; 5, Simon Stuart; 6, Minshall Barbara J

## 20 CENT Pick Three (2/4/5/8-2-5) Paid \$95.45; Pick Three Pool \$15,108. \$1 Daily Double (2-5) Paid \$175.10; Daily Double Pool \$20,541.

