

FOURTH RACE **Century Mile**

JULY 12, 2025

1 1/8 MILES. (1.483) R.K. RED SMITH H. Purse \$50,000 (includes \$500 Starters Bonus) A BLACK TYPE HANDICAP STAKE FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. Formerly run as the Duchess of York Handicap. A fee of \$100 required to nominate. A payment of \$500 is required to pass the entry box and an additional \$400 is required to start. The purse will be divided \$30,000 to the owner of the winner, \$10,000 to the second place finisher, \$5,000 to the third place finisher, \$2,500 to the fourth place finisher and \$1,000 to the fifth place finisher. A payment of \$500 will be paid to all horses who start and finish sixth or worse. High weights preferred. Starters to be named through the entry box by the closing time of entries. The field will be limited to 12 starters. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner.

Value of Race: \$49,000(US \$35,790) Winner \$30,000 (US \$21,913) ; second \$10,000 (US \$7,304) ; third \$5,000 (US \$3,652) ; fourth \$2,500 (US \$1,826) ; fifth \$1,000 (US \$730) ; sixth \$500 (US \$365) . Mutuel Pool \$52,470.00 Exacta Pool \$20,948.00 Superfecta Pool \$7,390.00 Trifecta Pool \$12,007.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
27Jun25 7CtM1	Big Hug	b	5	126	3	2	3 1 1/2	2hd	1 1/2	1 1/2	Asencio J M	0.20
21Jun25 5Hst1	Sunblaze	L f	4	122	1	4	6	41	4 2 1/2	2 2 1/2	Perez A	4.80
27Jun25 7CtM2	Force to Rekn With	L	5	122	4	1	2hd	3 2 1/2	31	33	Boo dramsingh B	12.65
27Jun25 7CtM5	Maturity Date	L b	4	122	2	3	1 2 1/2	1 1 1/2	2 1/2	4 3 3/4	Hughes R	14.80
27Jun25 7CtM4	Silkstone	L	4	122	6	5	42	6	5hd	5 1/2	Gonzalez E A	27.25
27Jun25 7CtM3	Tone It Up	L	6	119	5	6	51	5hd	6	6	Natera K	50.45

OFF AT 6:16 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :22³, :46¹, 1:10³, 1:36², 1:49² (:22.65, :46.31, 1:10.66, 1:36.59, 1:49.40)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 –BIG HUG	2.40	2.10	2.10
1 –SUNBLAZE		2.80	2.30
4 –FORCE TO REKN WITH			2.80

\$2 EXACTA 3-1 PAID \$5.80 \$1 SUPERFECTA 3-1-4-2

PAID \$18.65 60 CENT TRIFECTA 3-1-4 PAID \$3.84

Dk. b or br. m, (Mar), by Mr. Big – Temeeku , by Unusual Heat. Trainer Hedge Rick. Bred by Chalet Stable (Alb-C).

BIG HUG prompted the pace for the first half mile, assumed command when the pacesetter gave way entering the far turn, pulled clear to the top of the lane, dug-in when challenged in the final eighth and prevailed in a determined drive. SUNBLAZE unhurried in the early going to be the trailer, closed the gap along the rail down the backstretch, rallied in upper stretch to engage the winner just inside the eighth pole and battled with that one in the final sixteenth only to be denied and settle for second best in a good effort. FORCE TO REKN WITH stalked the pace down the backside, rallied on the final bend to loom nearing the quarter pole, could not keep pace with the winner and finished evenly as best of the rest. MATURITY DATE set the pace on a clear lead through the first turn, came under steady pressure from the winner down the backside and was empty on the far turn running on through the lane. SILKSTONE chased the leaders to the far turn from five wide and lacked a closing response. TONE IT UP went evenly never posing a threat.

Owners– 1, Empire Equestrian and Kerr edge Farm; 2, Estate of RJBennett and Lois Bennett; 3, JDP Holdings Ltd; 4, Wiest Rick Wiest Clayton Wiest Lana and Beckham Ranch; 5, Everblack Cattle Co Ltd Stetson Enterprises Ltd and Stetson Ryan; 6, Friends of Ed Racing Stable

Trainers– 1, Hedge Rick; 2, Heads Barbara; 3, VanOverschot Robert; 4, Diodoro Robertino; 5, Rycroft Tim; 6, Nicholson David

\$1 Pick Three (1/3/4-4-3) Paid \$8.20 ; Pick Three Pool \$2,299 .

\$1 Pick Four (6-1/3/4-4-3) Paid \$3120 ; Pick Four Pool \$3,798 .

\$2 Daily Double (4-3) Paid \$1200 ; Daily Double Pool \$1,526 .