

# SEVENTH RACE

## Santa Anita

JANUARY 19, 2026

**1½ MILES. (Turf) (2.223) ASTRA S. Purse \$100,000 DOWNHILL TURF FOR FILLIES AND MARES FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD.** By subscription of \$100 each if made on or before Sunday January 4, 2026, closed with 10 or by Supplementary nomination of \$2,000 due at time of entry. \$750 to enter and an additional \$750 to start with \$100,000 guaranteed of which \$60,000 to the winner, \$20,000 to second, \$12,000 to third, \$6,000 to fourth and \$2,000 to fifth. 124 lbs. Non-Winners of a Sweepstakes at One Mile or Over allowed 2 lbs. Non-Winners of Two Races other than Maiden, Claiming or Starter at One Mile or Over allowed 4 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. (Rail at 20 feet).

**Value of Race: \$100,000 Winner \$60,000; second \$20,000; third \$12,000; fourth \$6,000; fifth \$2,000. Mutuel Pool \$205,745.00 Exacta Pool \$85,403.00 Trifecta Pool \$44,246.00 Superfecta Pool \$27,910.00**

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	¼	½	1	1¼	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
23Nov25 7Dmr1	Mrs. Astor	6	124	2	5	5	5	5	5	1no	Rispoli U	0.30
24Nov25 7Dmr1	Thebestisyettob-Ire	6	120	4	41	41	3hd	41	4hd	21½	Kimura K	3.60
8Nov25 5Dmr7	Sakura Blossom	b 5	124	5	23	24½	1hd	22	1hd	3½	Ayuso A	18.30
8Jan26 7SA <sup>8</sup>	Ima Joker	b 5	120	1	32	31	42	31	2½	43¼	Berrios Hector I	10.60
24Nov25 7Dmr4	LittlHiddnPort-Arg	b 6	124	3	11	11	23½	1hd	3½	5	Hernandez J J	9.10

**OFF AT 3:31 Start Good For All But SAKURA BLOSSOM. Won driving. Course firm.**

**TIME :242, :482, 1:132, 1:393, 2:033, 2:272 ( :24.55, :48.59, 1:13.45, 1:39.79, 2:03.76, 2:27.46 )**

**\$2 Mutuel Prices:**

2 – MRS. ASTOR_____	2.60	2.10	2.10
4 – THEBESTISYETTOBE-IRE_____		2.60	2.40
5 – SAKURA BLOSSOM_____			3.60

**\$1 EXACTA 2-4 PAID \$3.40 \$1 TRIFECTA 2-4-5 PAID \$15.40 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 2-4-5-1 PAID \$2.86**

**B. m, ( Apr), by Lookin At Lucky – Causal , by Creative Cause. Trainer Thomas Jonathan. Bred by George Strawbridge Jr (Ky).**

MRS. ASTOR was content to trail the field from inside through the early going, drew closer while continuing to save ground on the final turn, rallied through a tight spot between runners with a furlong remaining, battled with THEBESTISYETTOBE (IRE) in deep stretch and nosed out that rival in a photo finish. THEBESTISYETTOBE (IRE) laid off the pace in the two path, closed in while ridden along on the third turn, chased three wide into the lane, bid four deep in upper stretch, put a head in front with a sixteenth remaining and got nailed by MRS. ASTOR at the wire. SAKURA BLOSSOM threw head at the start to break a bit slow, was closest in pursuit of the leader early while racing keenly in hand, applied pressure to LITTLE HIDDEN PORT (ARG) leaving the clubhouse turn, took the lead dueled up the backstretch, lost command battling head to head on the far turn, regained the advantage in upper stretch, carried a short lead between runners into the final furlong but was out finished in the last sixteenth. IMA JOKER tracked out of range on the inside, moved into striking distance and eased over to the two path on the final turn, challenged three deep in upper stretch, led briefly midstretch but flattened late. LITTLE HIDDEN PORT (ARG) stepped to the front and set the tone early on the inside, lost command dueling with SAKURA BLOSSOM on the backstretch, regained a narrow lead on the far turn, gave the lead back to SAKURA BLOSSOM in upper stretch, got crowded by MRS. ASTOR and steadied midstretch and was not persevered with after the incident.

**Owners**– 1, Augustin Stables; 2, CYBT Al dabbagh Omar Nentwig Michael and Pagano Ray; 3, Ciaglia Racing LLC and McCauley Nathan; 4, Purple Rein Racing; 5, Hronis Racing LLC

**Trainers**– 1, Thomas Jonathan; 2, D'Amato Philip; 3, Powell Leonard; 4, O'Neill Doug; 5, Sadler John W

**Scratched**– Hey Jessie ( 17Jan26 5SA 2 )

**\$2 Daily Double (1-2) Paid \$34.60 ; Daily Double Pool \$27,862 .**  
**\$1 Pick Three (1-1-2) Paid \$44.10 ; Pick Three Pool \$32,474 .**