FIFTH RACE

Far Hills

OCTOBER 18, 2025

2⅝ MILES. (Hurdles) (4.50) AMERICAN GRAND NATIONAL HURDLE S. Grade I. Purse $250,000 TO BE RUN OVER NATIONAL FENCES FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Four–year–olds, 148 lbs.; older, 156 lbs. The owner of the winner to receive the Grand National, a perpetual challenge trophy to be held by the Association, and the owner of the winner to receive a piece of plate. A piece of plate to the trainer of the winner. A piece of plate to the rider of the winner.

Value of Race: $250,000 Winner $150,000; second $45,000; third $25,000; fourth $17,500; fifth $12,500. Mutuel Pool $45,714.00 Exacta Pool $14,696.00 Superfecta Pool $4,480.00 Trifecta Pool $9,690.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	½	1	2	2¼	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
26Aug25 3Bll1	Zanahiyr-Ire	L	8	156	7	8	8	7 1½	6 2	2 1½	1 hd	Kennedy J W	2.30
2Sep25 4Gow1	Ballysax Hank-Ire	L	6	156	5	6 3	5 1½	5 ½	3 ½	1 hd	2 6½	Donoghue K	1.50
23Jly25 1Sar7	Howyabud-Ire	L	8	156	6	4 1	3 ½	1 hd	1 hd	3 1½	3 no	Beswick H	28.60
5Oct25 6Fx5	Snap Decision	L	11	156	2	5 1	6 1½	4 1	4 1	4 1½	4 1¼	Watters G	3.70
2Sep25 5Gow3	Fil Dor-FR	L	7	156	4	3 hd	4 hd	6 1	5 1½	5 1½	5 nk	Gilligan D	5.70
27Sep25 4Shw4	Boldog-FR	L	7	156	8	7 1½	7 1	8	7	6 6	6 9½	Dwan E	25.00
10May25 5PW3	Vae Patron-FR	L	7	156	3	2 1	2 1½	2 hd	2 2	7	7	Bargary J	26.40
18Sep25 1BAQ1	Swore		6	156	1	1 1	1 hd	3 ½	—	—	—	Mulqueen S	18.80

OFF AT 3:50 Start Good. Won driving. Course good.

TIME 5:20 (5:20.00)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

7 – ZANAHIYR–IRE	**6.60**	**4.20**	**3.00**
5 – BALLYSAX HANK–IRE		**3.40**	**3.00**
6 – HOWYABUD–IRE			**8.80**

$1 EXACTA 7–5 PAID $9.50 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 7–5–6–2 PAID $56.94 50 CENT TRIFECTA 7–5–6 PAID $35.80

Ch. g, (Apr), by Nathaniel–Ire – Zariyna–Ire , by Marju–Ire . Trainer Elliott Gordon. Bred by His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs SC (Ire).

ZANAHIYR (IRE) was allowed to settle early, traveled behind the pack, ridden forward on the final turn, circled foes boldly exiting the final turn, jumped the final hurdle in tandem with BALLYSAX HANK, dueled with that foe through the stretch and got up in the final stride. BALLYSAX HANK (IRE) traveled mid pack, rallied on the final turn, jumped the final hurdle even with ZANAHIYR, dueled with that one in the stretch, just missed. HOWYABUD (IRE) took the lead mid race, held a narrow lead around the final turn, ran gamely yet outfinished by the top two in the stretch. SNAP DECISION rated, saved ground, tracked the leaders while on the rail in the in the final turn, was checked while in traffic on the turn, resumed his rally to close mildly in the stretch. FIL DOR (FR) traveled mid pack and had a one paced finish. BOLDOG (FR) traveled towards the rear and was no threat. VAE PATRON (FR) vied for lead, tired badly on the final turn and was eased in the stretch. SWORE set the early pace then pulled up two hurdles out. HOWYABUD was vanned off the course after the finish.

Owners– 1, Bective Stud; 2, Byrne Paul; 3, Naylor Irvin S; 4, Bruton Street-US; 5, Robcour; 6, Butler Hall Racing Stables LLC; 7, Leipers Fork Steeplechase; 8, Stone Farm and Upland Flats Racing

Trainers– 1, Elliott Gordon; 2, Cromwell Gavin; 3, Murphy Cyril; 4, Fisher Jack; 5, Elliott Gordon; 6, Garner Thomas; 7, Young Leslie F; 8, Brion Keri

50 CENT Pick Three (5–9–7) Paid $25.45 ; Pick Three Pool $1,392 .
$1 Daily Double (9–7) Paid $13.20 ; Daily Double Pool $1,505 .