

EIGHTH RACE Belmont

JULY 9, 2022

6½ FURLONGS. (1.142) VICTORY RIDE S. Grade III. Purse \$150,000 FOR FILLIES, THREE-YEARS-OLD. Non-Lasix Race pursuant to 40432 (7)(e)(5) Lasix not permitted within 48 hours of post time. By subscription of \$150 each which should accompany the nomination; \$750 to pass the entry box and an additional \$750 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$750 (along with 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 owner of the winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 6% to fourth, 4% to fifth and 3% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. Weight, 124 lbs. Non-winners of a Graded Sweepstake allowed 2 lbs.; of a sweepstake in 2022 allowed 4 lbs.; of a Sweepstake or a race other than maiden, claiming, starter or statte-bred allowance in 2022 allowed 6 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, June 25, 2022 with 22 Nominations.

Value of Race: \$145,500 Winner \$82,500; second \$30,000; third \$18,000; fourth \$9,000; fifth \$6,000. Mutuel Pool \$589,644.00 Exacta Pool \$294,849.00 Trifecta Pool \$119,400.00 Superfecta Pool \$58,303.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1		
12Jun22	3Bel1		Hot Peppers	3	122	4	3	1hd	1hd	1½	1¾	Saez L	4.30
4Jun22	6Del1		Half Is Enough	3	120	1	4	43	3½	21	22½	Ortiz I Jr	8.60
30May22	7Bel1		Sterling Silver	3	122	5	5	5	5	411	3no	McCarthy T	2.90
20May22	10Pim2		Happy Soul	3	122	2	2	32½	21½	32	434½	Velazquez J R	3.30
12Jun22	2CD2		Pretty Birdie	3	124	3	1	2hd	42	5	5	Rosario J	1.40

OFF AT 4:41 Start Good For All But PRETTY BIRDIE. Won . Track fast.

TIME :22, :452, 1:104, 1:173 (:22.10, :45.52, 1:10.98, 1:17.73)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

6 – HOT PEPPERS _____	10.60	5.90	3.70
3 – HALF IS ENOUGH _____		7.60	3.80
7 – STERLING SILVER _____			2.90

**\$1 EXACTA 6-3 PAID \$37.50 50 CENT TRIFECTA 6-3-7
PAID \$49.62 10 CENT SUPERFACTA 6-3-7-4 PAID \$20.85**

B. f. (Apr), by Khozan – Friends Pro, by Friends Lake. Trainer Rodriguez Rudy R. Bred by Brent Fernung & Crystal Fernung (Fla).

HOT PEPPERS broke out and brushed with a foe, disputed the pace on the outside of two rivals, vied in the three path around the turn, responded well when asked once straightened for the drive, came under a left-handed crop inside the three-sixteenths, turned back the challenge of the runner-up in the final furlong and held under strong urging. HALF IS ENOUGH moved out while well placed behind the leading trio, came under coaxing in the three path around the turn, gained to make an outside bid at the quarter-pole, fought outside of the winner in the stretch and couldn't get by while clear for the place. STERLING SILVER brushed with a foe while off a step slow then dropped back, was ridden along on the outside, went three wide around the turn, came four wide into the stretch and lacked the needed kick while just up for the show. HAPPY SOUL contested the pace on the inside of two foes, vied along the rail on the turn, turned into the stretch under urging, dropped back into the final furlong and weakened. PRETTY BIRDIE had a shoe repaired in the paddock, stumbled at the start but broke at the front, disputed the pace between foes, vied in the two path while still between horses on the turn, dropped back with three furlongs to run and stopped then was distanced while coasting home.

Owners– 1, Michael Dubb and Michael J Caruso; 2, Ironhorse Racing Stable LLC; 3, Anderson Mark T; 4, Rankin Gayla; 5, Marylou Whitney Stables (Hendrickson)

Trainers– 1, Rodriguez Rudy R; 2, Trombetta Michael J; 3, Albertrani Thomas; 4, Ward Wesley A; 5, Casse Norm W

Scratched– Stand Up Comic (12Jun22 3Bel2), Smash Ticket (30May22 6LS 1)

**\$1 Pick Three (8-1-6) Paid \$198.25 ; Pick Three Pool \$152,474 .
50 CENT Pick Four (5-3/8-1-6) Paid \$472.00 ; Pick Four Pool \$294,990 .
50 CENT Pick Five (5-5-3/8-1-6) 5 Correct Paid \$1,650.25 ; Pick Five Pool \$559,343 .
\$1 Daily Double (1-6) Paid \$39.75 ; Daily Double Pool \$110,329 .**