THIRD RACE Belmont Park October 15th, 2017

6 FURLONGS. (1:073) STAKES. Purse \$150,000 Matron S.FOR FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. 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 \$1,500 (in addition to the entry andstarting fees) can be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. 121 lbs. Non-winners of \$60,000 allowed 2 lbs.; of a race, 4 lbs.; all maidens, 6 lbs. (Maiden, claiming, starter and State-bred allowance races not considered in allowances.) A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, September 30, 2017 with 20 Nominations. (Cloudy 73)

Value of Race: \$147,000 Winner \$90,000; second \$30,000; third \$15,000; fourth \$7,500; fifth \$4,500. Mutuel Pool \$230,410 Pick 3 Pool \$77,854 Daily Double Pool \$37,226 Exacta Pool \$125,752 Superfecta Pool \$37,277 Trifecta Pool \$70,545

Last Raced # Horse	M/Fa	t. A/S Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Jockev	Odds \$1
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24Aug172Yor6 3 Happy Like a Foo		2F 117	3		31	21/2	•	. 4	Gaffalione T	0.60
16Sep17 ¹¹ CD ¹⁰ 2 Take Charge Paul	la L	2F 119	2	1	2hd	33	$2^{2\frac{1}{2}}$	28	Lopez P	6.10
10Sep171Mth1 4 Valuable Packag	e L	2F 117	4	5	111	1½	$3\frac{1}{2}$	3 <u>3</u>	Garcia W A	11.50
02Sep178Mth6 1 Tarawa	Lb	2F 117	1	4	4½	431	45	443	Davis D	20.30
09Sep178WO3 5 Honey Graeme	L	2F 117	5	3	5	5	5	5	Ortiz, Jr. I	2.30

OFF AT 2:01 Start Good For All But VALUABLE PACKAGE. Won driving. Track Fast. Time :224, :461, :581, 1:104 (:22.87, :46.21, :58.26, 1:10.98)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:	3- HAPPY LIKE A FOOL	3.20	2.80	2.10					
	2- TAKE CHARGE PAULA		3.80	4.90					
	4- VALUABLE PACKAGE			6.40					
\$1 EXACTA (3-2) PAID \$6.20 10 CENT SUPERFECTA (3-2	-4-1) PAI	D \$4.20						
50 CENT TRIFECTA (3-2-4) PAID \$12.20									

Chestnut Filly, (Apr), by Distorted Humor - Lastofthsummerwine by Sky Mesa. Trainer Wesley A. Ward. Bred by Wesley Ward (KY).

HAPPY LIKE A FOOL bumped at the start by VALUABLE PACKAGE who came inwards after losing her back footing, raced five then four wide down the backstretch briefly making contact with VALUABLE PACKAGE as that foe ranged up to her inside near the nine-sixteenths, allowed that one to go by and tucked three wide into the turn, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, continued three wide into upper stretch quickly advancing to take over command straightened away for home and lugging in a path switching leads, drew clear under a drive to the eighth pole, held clear kept busy to the finish. TAKE CHARGE PAULA led early on from the two path before being displaced nearing the half mile pole when tucked to the inside as VALUABLE PACKAGE ranged up to take over, chased inside through the bend coaxed along throughout, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, tipped out to the three path as the leader came inwards at the three-sixteenths safely in front, chased the winner home cutting into the margin mildly while well clear of the rest and second best. VALUABLE PACKAGE lost her rear footing at the start getting away awkwardly and bumping with HAPPY LIKE A FOOL, chased four wide from the tail of the field early on before advancing three wide bumping lightly with HAPPY LIKE A FOOL as that rival tucked inside, took over command inside the nine-sixteenths to show the way through the turn from the half mile pole, came under coaxing nearing the quarter pole, spun two to three wide into upper stretch under threat from flanking challengers, got displaced straightened away, tipped out as HAPPY LIKE A FOOL came inwards near the three-sixteenths and weakened in the final eighth while along for the show honors. TARAWA coaxed from the gate, veered directly to the rail under coaxing and was steadied lightly in correction, chased inside down the backstretch, tipped out with seven-sixteenths to go to be three wide when put to coaxing at the three-eighths, swung four wide at the guarter pole, weakened in the stretch, HONEY GRAEME six then five wide down the backstretch, tucked four wide into the turn, came under coaxing three furlongs out, angled five wide into upper stretch and trailed. There was a Jockey's Objection by the rider of TAKE CHARGE PAULA alleging interference from HAPPY LIKE A FOOL in the stretch which was dismissed prior to the result standing and the race being declared official.

Owners- 3, Merriebelle Stable, Tabor, Michael B., Smith, Derrick and Magnier, Mrs. John; 2, Bruce Tallisman; 4, Hoover Thoroughbred Racing LLC; 1, Edward A. Seltzer; 5, Ralph M. Evans

Trainers- 3, Wesley A. Ward; 2, Kelly J. Breen; 4, Skip Einhorn; 1, David P. Duggan; 5, Richard A. Violette, Jr.

Breeders- 3, Wesley Ward (KY); 2, Extern Developments LTD. (KY); 4, Nicholas Mouttet (FL); 1, Edward Seltzer (KY); 5, Norman Casse & Mark Casse (FL)

\$1 Pick 3 (8-4-3) Paid \$52.50; Pick 3 Pool \$77,854. \$1 Daily Double (4-3) Paid \$14.80; Daily Double Pool \$37,226.

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