

**NINTH RACE
Pimlico
May 20th, 2017**

6 FURLONGS. (1:09) STAKES. Purse \$150,000 Maryland Sprint S.THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. By free subscription. \$750 to pass the entry box. \$750 additional to start with \$150,000 Guaranteed of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 1% to sixth. Weights: Three Year Olds,119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of \$70,000 twice in 2017 allowed 2 lbs.; \$70,000 once in 2017, 4 lbs.; \$60,000 once in 2017, 6 lbs. (Maiden, Claiming and Starter races not considered in estimating allowances). Trophy to the owner of the winner. Nominations closed Tuesday May 9, 2017 with 25 nominations. (Cloudy 66)

Value of Race: \$150,000 Winner \$90,000; second \$30,000; third \$15,000; fourth \$9,000; fifth \$4,500; sixth \$1,500. Mutuel Pool \$1,392,233 Daily Double Pool \$135,867 Exacta Pool \$995,852 Superfecta Pool \$364,731 Super High Five Pool \$56,437 Trifecta Pool \$713,084 Pick 3 Pool \$322,887 Pick 4 Pool \$877,039

| Last Raced | # | Horse | M/Eqt. | A/S | Wt | PP | St | ¼ | ½ | Str | Fin | Jockey | Odds \$1 |
|------------|------|--------------------|--------|-----|-----|----|----|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|----------|
| 15Apr17 | OP1 | 5 Whitmore | L b | 4G | 124 | 5 | 3 | 4 ² _½ | 5 ⁴ | 3hd | 1 ^½ | Santana, Jr. R | 1.20 |
| 08Apr17 | Kee2 | 4 A. P. Indian | L f | 7G | 118 | 4 | 1 | 1hd | 1 ^½ | 1 ¹ | 2hd | Bravo J | 1.60 |
| 08Apr17 | Aqu9 | 9 Awesome Banner | L | 4C | 118 | 9 | 6 | 3 ^½ | 3 ² _½ | 2 ² | 3 ⁵ _¾ | Castellano J | 31.80 |
| 15Apr17 | OP3 | 6 Holy Boss | L b | 5H | 118 | 6 | 4 | 2 ¹ _½ | 2hd | 4 ³ _½ | 4 ^¾ | Smith M E | 4.50 |
| 16Apr17 | Lri2 | 1 Laki | L b | 4G | 118 | 1 | 8 | 8hd | 8 ¹ | 6hd | 5 ² | Karamanos H | 22.20 |
| 13Apr17 | Aqu1 | 2 Classy Class | L | 5H | 118 | 2 | 7 | 5 ^½ | 4 ² | 5 ³ | 6hd | Maragh R | 12.70 |
| 16Apr17 | Lri4 | 7 Sonny Inspired | L bf | 6G | 118 | 7 | 2 | 6hd | 7 ¹ _½ | 7 ^½ | 7 ^½ | Quinones C | 63.00 |
| 29Apr17 | Bel7 | 3 Never Gone South | L f | 4C | 118 | 3 | 9 | 9 | 6 ¹ _½ | 8 ¹ _½ | 8nk | McCarthy T | 28.90 |
| 22Apr17 | CT2 | 8 Rockinn On Bye | L b | 6G | 118 | 8 | 5 | 7 ² | 9 | 9 | 9 | Velazquez J R | 35.90 |

OFF AT 3:28 Start Good. Won driving. Track Good.
Time :224, :453, :572, 1:094 (:22.97, :45.67, :57.54, 1:09.90)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

5- WHITMORE 4.40 2.80 2.40
4- A. P. INDIAN 2.80 2.60
9- AWESOME BANNER 6.60

\$2 EXACTA (5-4) PAID \$9.20 \$1 SUPERFACTA (5-4-9-6) PAID \$216.20
\$2 TRIFECTA (5-4-9) PAID \$121.00

Chestnut Gelding, (Jan), by Pleasantly Perfect - Melody's Spirit by Scat Daddy. Trainer Ron Moquett. Bred by John Liviakis (KY).

WHITMORE had speed between rivals then was rated back off the leaders nearing the half marker, wandered outward to about the five path nearing the lane despite a firm left grip from his rider, corrected soon into the stretch, leveled off under strong handling past the three sixteenths, drifted out briefly a sixteenth from home, sustained under pressure and forged to command late. A. P. INDIAN broke sharply and established a short lead while in the two path, handled outside pressure, shook clear entering the stretch, maintained a daylight advantage under stout drive leaving the eighth pole, dug in when taken on a sixteenth out and gave way grudgingly. AWESOME BANNER, a bit reluctant to load, advanced four wide to contention after a quarter mile, vied three deep remaining in the four path around the turn, challenged between rivals a sixteenth out and stayed on well. HOLY BOSS disputed the pace outside A.P. INDIAN, fought on between foes past the five sixteenths, failed to kick on nearing the eighth pole and faded. LAKI saved ground off the pace, steadied off heels nearing the turn, angled out for the run around the turn, dove back towards the rail in mid stretch and finished with interest. CLASSY CLASS angled to the rail around the far turn, chased the leaders, made a mild run in upper stretch then flattened out. SONNY INSPIRED, three wide around the turn, failed to menace. NEVER GONE SOUTH, off the pace inside, was under pressure around the turn and failed to rally. ROCKINN ON BYE, four wide off the pace, could not threaten.

Owners- 5, Southern Springs Stables, LaPenta, R. and Head of Plains Partners LLC; 4, Green Lantern Stables LLC; 9, Jacks or Better Farm, Inc.; 6, Louis McLane Merryman; 1, Hillside Equestrian Meadows; 2, Cheyenne Stables LLC; 7, D Hatman Thoroughbreds; 3, M M G Stables, LLC; 8, Stephen R. Ferguson

Trainers- 5, Ron Moquett; 4, Arnaud Delacour; 9, Kenneth Decker; 6, Steven M. Asmussen; 1, Damon R. Dilodovico; 2, Kiaran P. McLaughlin; 7, Phil Schoenthal; 3, Cathal A. Lynch; 8, Stephen M. Casey

Breeders- 5, John Liviakis (KY); 4, Green Lantern Stables, LLC (KY); 9, Jacks or Better Farm Inc. (FL); 6, Adena Springs (KY); 1, Tom Michaels & Lorna Baker (MD); 2, E Paul Robsham Stable LLC (KY); 7, Mr. & Mrs. Charles McGinnes (MD); 3, Bend Or Thoroughbreds, USA (KY); 8, Sycamore Hall Farm LLC (MD)

\$2 Daily Double (6-5) Paid \$19.40; Daily Double Pool \$135,867.
\$1 Super High Five (5-4-9-6-1) Correct Paid \$761.40; Super High Five Pool \$56,437.
50 CENT Pick 3 (7-6-5) Paid \$18.35; Pick 3 Pool \$322,887.
50 CENT Pick 4 (15-7-6-5) Paid \$99.95; Pick 4 Pool \$877,039.

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