

SARATOGA - August 14, 2021 - Race 9

STAKES Saratoga Special S. Presented by Miller Lite Grade 2 - Thoroughbred

FOR TWO YEAR OLDS. This is a Non-Lasix race pursuant to 4043.2 (7)(e)(5) Lasix not permitted within 48 hours of post time. By subscription of \$200 each which should accompany the nomination; \$1,000 to pass the entry box and an additional \$1,000 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$2,000 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 winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 6% to fourth, 4% to fifth and 3% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. Weight 122 lbs. Non-winners of a Sweepstake allowed 2 lbs.; all maidens allowed 4 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, July 31, 2021 with 24 Original Nominations and 1 Supplement.

Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Quality Road - 1:13.74 - August 3, 2009)






Purse: \$200,000 Added

Available Money: \$200,000

Value of Race: \$200,000 1st \$110,000, 2nd \$40,000, 3rd \$24,000, 4th \$12,000, 5th \$8,000, 6th \$1,200, 7th \$1,200, 8th \$1,200, 9th \$1,200, 10th \$1,200 [Video Race Replay](#)

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:40 **Start:** Good for all except 10,12 **Timer:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
26Jun21 ² BEL ¹	11	High Oak (Alvarado, Junior) 	120	b	9	2	5 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{4 1/4}	10.20	3w bid turn, drew clr
26Jun21 ² CD ¹	2	Gunite (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	120	b	2	6	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{3 1/4}	4.70	dueled inside, ran on
17Jun21 ASC ³	1	Nakatomi (Ortiz, Jr., Irad) 	120	b	1	8	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ⁴	3 ³	5.90	chased inside, kept on
26Jun21 ⁹ CD ¹	7	Double Thunder (Velazquez, John)	122	--	5	10	10	10	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{Nose}	4.40	5-6w upper, improved
10Jul21 ¹ BEL ¹	8	Doctor Jeff (Rosario, Joel) 	120	--	6	3	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹	5 ⁶	1.55*	dueled 2p wknd late
23Jul21 ¹ SAR ¹	6	Stolen Base (Ortiz, Jose)	120	--	4	5	7 ²	6 ^{2 1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	10.00	4w upper, tired
17Jul21 ⁹ SAR ⁴	3	Ottoman Empire (Davis, Dylan) 	120	b	3	7	6 ¹	8 ^{Head}	7 ^{Head}	7 ^{Head}	37.00	chased 2p, tired
26Jun21 ⁹ CD ³	10	Glacial (Gaffalione, Tyler)	120	--	8	9	8 ^{Head}	9 ³	9 ¹	8 ^{1 1/2}	22.10	brush gate, no impact
17Jul21 ⁹ SAR ³	9	Dance Code (Lezcano, Jose) 	120	f	7	1	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	9 ^{Head}	34.00	chased 3-4w, tired
26Jun21 ⁹ CD ⁵	12	Red Run (Franco, Manuel)	120	--	10	4	9 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	10	10	46.25	awkward st, no impact

Fractional Times: 21.82 44.93 1:09.81

Final Time: 1:16.53

Split Times: (23:11) (24:88) (6:72)

Run-Up: 90 feet

Winner: High Oak, Bay Colt, by [Gormley](#) out of Champagne Sue, by Elusive Quality. Foaled Mar 28, 2019 in Kentucky.

GORMLEY  Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift

Breeder: Catherine Parke

Owner: LRE Racing LLC and JEH Racing Stable LLC

Trainer: Mott, William

Scratched Horse(s): Kitodan (Trainer), Midnight Worker (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$1,196,907

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
11	High Oak	22.40	9.50	5.90	\$1.00 Exacta	11-2	74.00	877,443
2	Gunite		6.20		\$0.50 Trifecta	11-2-1	299.50	436,485
1	Nakatomi			5.10	\$1.00 Pick 3	4-4-11 (3 correct)	313.00	174,223
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-11	30.25	134,971
					\$1.00 Consolation Pick 3	4-5-11 (3 correct)	53.00	0
					\$0.10 Superfecta	11-2-1-7	286.60	235,619

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
11	High Oak	2	5 ^{1 3/4}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{4 1/4}
2	Gunite	6	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ^{4 1/4}
1	Nakatomi	8	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	4 ⁴	3 ^{7 1/2}
7	Double Thunder	10	10 ⁸	10 ^{10 1/4}	6 ¹⁰	4 ^{10 1/2}
8	Doctor Jeff	3	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ³	5 ^{10 1/2}
6	Stolen Base	5	7 ^{4 1/4}	6 ⁴	8 ^{10 1/4}	6 ^{16 1/2}
3	Ottoman Empire	7	6 ^{3 1/4}	8 ⁷	7 ¹⁰	7 ^{16 3/4}
10	Glacial	9	8 ^{6 1/4}	9 ^{7 1/4}	9 ^{10 3/4}	8 ^{16 3/4}
9	Dance Code	1	4 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ⁸	9 ^{18 1/4}
12	Red Run	4	9 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{6 1/2}	10 ^{11 3/4}	10 ^{18 1/4}


Trainers: 11 - Mott, William; 2 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Ward, Wesley; 7 - Pletcher, Todd; 8 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 6 - Maker, Michael; 3 - Amoss, Thomas; 10 - Casse, Norm; 9 - Vazquez, Juan; 12 - Asmussen, Steven

Owners: 11 - LRE Racing LLC and JEH Racing Stable LLC; 2 - Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; 1 - Detampel, Marc, Qatar Racing and Banker, Tim O.; 7 - Phoenix Thoroughbred III; 8 - Dubb, Michael and Caruso, Michael J.; 6 - Three Diamonds Farm and Greathouse, Deuce; 3 -Greg Tramontin; 10 -Robert E. Masterson; 9 - Richie's World Stables LLC; 12 - Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC;

Footnotes

HIGH OAK just off the pace four paths off the inside, tucked three wide into the turn and advanced on the front stacking up outside the duel and latching on three furlongs from home, got set down spinning four wide into upper stretch, took over command inside the three-sixteenths and drew clear under a drive getting geared down in the final jumps to the wire. GUNITE hustled away from the gate, advanced inside to duel with DOCTOR JEFF with five and a half furlongs to go, knocked heads through the turn getting placed to coaxing at the five-sixteenths briefly headed for the front now the innermost of a trio battling for command, cut the corner into upper stretch re-establishing the front, dug in and was collared inside the three-sixteenths, ran on to chase the winner home clear for the place honors. NAKATOMI chased along the inside just off the duel, came under encouragement with five-sixteenths to run, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, kept on to secure the show honors. DOUBLE THUNDER broke last without incident and came under hustling, chased just off

the inside from the tail of the field coming under urging at the seven-sixteenths, angled out five to six wide into upper stretch and improved position to the finish. DOCTOR JEFF led early on before being engaged on the front by GUNITE, dueled from the two path with that rival to his inside, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths taking narrow advantage at that station, spun three wide for home headed once more for the front, dug in under a drive and weakened in the final furlong. STOLEN BASE coaxed from the gate, chased three paths off the inside down the backstretch, went five wide through the turn coming under coaxing at the three-eighths, swung four wide into upper stretch and tired. OTTOMAN EMPIRE coaxed from the start, chased just off the inside until tucked inside half a mile from home, got coaxed along at the three-eighths, took the inside route into upper stretch and tired. GLACIAL broke a half a beat slow and brushed the near side stall at the start, chased four paths off the inside down the backstretch, tucked to the two path through the turn coaxed along from the three-eighths, spun two to three wide for home and made no impact. DANCE CODE chased three to four wide under coaxing from the three-eighths, swung five wide into upper stretch and tired. RED RUN away to an awkward beginning when appearing to have lost his back footing, chased five paths off the inside down the backstretch, tucked three wide through the turn and was placed to coaxing with three furlongs to go, swung four wide for home and made no impact.

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