

7 FURLONGS. (1202) HOPEFUL S. Grade I. Purse \$350,000 FOR TWO YEAR OLDS. By subscription of \$350 each which should accompany the nomination; \$1,750 to pass the entry box and an additional \$1,750 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$3,500 (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. 122 lbs. Non-winners of \$60,000 allowed 2 lbs; of a race other than maiden allowed 4 lbs.; all maidens allowed 6 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. Closed Saturday, August 18, 2018 with 26 Nominations.

Value of Race: \$350,000 Winner \$192,500; second \$70,000; third \$42,000; fourth \$21,000; fifth \$14,000; sixth \$3,500; seventh \$3,500; eighth \$3,500. Mutuel Pool \$885,841.00 Exacta Pool \$564,337.00 Trifecta Pool \$311,835.00 Superfecta Pool \$162,047.00 Grand Slam Pool \$72,231.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
12Aug18 3Mth1	Mind Control	L	2	118	2	2	1 ^{hd}	1 ^{hd}	11½	1¼	Velazquez J R	10.10
4Aug18 7Sar1	Mucho		2	118	7	3	3½	3 ¹	3 ³	2¼	Ortiz J L	1.15
21Jly18 6Sar1	Nitrous	L	2	118	3	1	2 ¹	2½	2½	3½	Santana R Jr	4.70
21Jly18 9Sar1	Sombeyay	L b	2	122	1	5	4½	5½	4½	4¼	Castellano J J	5.00
7Jun18 1CD1	Dream Maker	L	2	118	5	4	7¾	7½	5 ¹	5 ²	Leparoux J R	5.40
4Aug18 5Lr11	Thatwouldbegrand	L b	2	118	4	6	8	8	6½	6 ¹³	Ortiz I Jr	19.00
30Jly18 5Sar1	Backtohisroots	L b	2	118	6	8	6 ¹	6½	7 ¹	7 ^{hd}	Davis D	58.50
11Aug18 6Sar2	Derby Date	L	2	116	8	7	5½	4½	8	8	Saez L	11.90

OFF AT 5:41 Start Good For All But BACKTOHISROOTS, MUCHO, DERBY DATE. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :224, :453, 1:10, 1:224 (:22.96, :45.68, 1:10.11, 1:22.99)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:	2 - MIND CONTROL.....	22.20	7.80	5.00
	7 - MUCHO.....		3.10	2.40
	3 - NITROUS.....			3.50

\$1 EXACTA 2-7 PAID \$29.25 50 CENT TRIFECTA 2-7-3

PAID \$62.62 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 2-7-3-1 PAID \$39.25

B. c, (Apr), by Stay Thirsty - Feel That Fire , by Lightning N Thunder . Trainer Sacco Gregory D. Bred by Red Oak Stable (Ky).

MIND CONTROL coaxed from the gate, ranged up to lock on and duel from the two path with NITROUS with six furlongs to go, knocked heads in hand with that rival down the backstretch and through the far turn coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths just prior to getting joined by MUCHO nearing the quarter pole stacked outside in the three path, cornered just off the inside for home, edged away under a drive to the eighth pole, then held safe to the finish to prevail kept to task. MUCHO bobbed at the break and broke near the top despite it recovering to be just off the duel four wide down the backstretch, tucked three wide into the turn advancing on the top pair through the latter portion of the bend under urging from the five-sixteenths, swung four wide into upper stretch, knocked heads with NITROUS as the aforementioned foe shook away to the eighth pole, ran on under a drive and surged late to just miss latching on the winner as that rival hit the wire. NITROUS coaxed from the gate, led early on before being joined inside by MIND CONTROL with six furlongs remaining, duelled three wide down the backstretch with that rival in hand before tucking to the two path half a mile from home, came under coaxing at the three-eighths as the aforementioned foe ranged up three wide, cornered three wide into upper stretch, got shaken off in tandem with MUCHO straightened away, knocked heads with that rival chasing the eventual winner home, got shaken off late and shied in under an off sided stick steps from the finish. SOMBEYAY lightly coaxed along chasing two to three wide from mid pack, got set down three wide at the quarter pole, shied out under a near sided stick nearing the eighth pole and kept on to secure the last major share. DREAM MAKER three wide in pursuit from near the rear, strode greenly along displaying high action at times facing kickback, tucked to the two path into the turn before getting out three then four wide near the three-eighths and came under coaxing at that station, swung four to five wide for home and offered no response. THATWOULDBEGRAND two to three wide in pursuit from the tail of the field, came under urging three to four wide at the three-eighths, spun three wide into upper stretch and made no impact. BACKTOHISROOTS tossed his head busting the stall door open just as it was sprung and hit the off side stall at the start conceding four lengths to the front, chased four wide from near the rear under coaxing three furlongs out, angled six wide into upper stretch, tired and was not persevered with through to the finish. DERBY DATE stumbled badly at the start losing all footing and pecking the ground conceding three lengths to the front, recovered coaxed along to be just off the pace five wide down the backstretch, tucked four wide into the turn put to coaxing at the seven-sixteenths, advanced mildly to be just off the leaders midway on the turn, began to fade nearing the quarter pole, went six to seven wide at that station and faltered in the stretch while not persevered with through the final furlong.

Owners- 1, Red Oak Stable (Brunetti) and Madaket Stables LLC; 2, Claiborne Farm and Dilschneider Adele B; 3, Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC and Stonestreet Stables LLC; 4, Starlight Racing; 5, Oxley John C; 6, Newby Steven T; 7, Gatsas Stables; 8, Calumet Farm

Trainers- 1, Sacco Gregory D; 2, Mott William I; 3, Asmussen Steven M; 4, Pletcher Todd A; 5, Casse Mark; 6, Capuano Dale; 7, Terranova John P II; 8, Lukas D Wayne

\$1 Pick Three (2-6-2) Paid \$1,496.00 ; Pick Three Pool \$127,497 .

\$1 Daily Double (6-2) Paid \$168.50 ; Daily Double Pool \$200,221 .

\$1 Grand Slam (2/3/5/7/8-1/2/6-2/3/6-2) Paid \$160.00 ; Grand Slam Pool \$72,231 .