

SARATOGA - September 4, 2016 - Race 5

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD FOALED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$13,000 OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER

WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Claiming Or Starter In 2016

Allowed 3 lbs. (Non-Starters for a claiming price less than \$25,000 in the last 3 starts preferred). (SNW1\$ X)

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Speightstown - 1:08.00 - August 14, 2004)

Purse: \$75,000

Available Money: \$75,000

Value of Race: \$75,000 1st \$45,000, 2nd \$15,000, 3rd \$7,500, 4th \$3,750, 5th \$2,250, 6th \$1,500

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:47 **Start:** Good for all except 5



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Jul16 ⁷ SAR ⁵	7	Bluegrass Prevails (Ortiz, Jose)	117	L b	6	4	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Neck}	2.75	2p turn,out bit late
21Aug16 ¹⁰ SAR ⁶	2	Wine Not (Franco, Manuel)	120	L b	2	2	4 ³	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2 ²	8.00	ins half,gradual to 3p
27Sep15 ³ BEL ⁴	4	Manipulated (Saez, Luis)	117	L	3	3	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{8 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1.55*	bump st,2p beh duel
28Jul16 ³ SAR ¹	1	Benevolence (Cancel, Eric)	120	L	1	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{7 3/4}	2.05	ins,ask 1/4,wknd late
21Aug16 ³ SAR ¹	5	Bold Illusion (Camacho, Jr., Samuel)	121	L f	4	5	6	6	6	5 ^{3 3/4}	28.00	bobble,bmp btn st,ins
6Aug16 ³ SAR ⁷	6	Open Book (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	117	L b	5	6	5 ³	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	6	13.70	bmp st,2p,4w upper

Fractional Times: 22.50 45.48 57.37

Final Time: 1:10.15

Split Times: (22:98) (11:89) (12:78)

Run-Up: 38 feet

Winner: Bluegrass Prevails, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Bluegrass Cat out of Goodness Prevails, by Fusaichi Pegasus. Foaled Apr 15, 2013 in New York.

Breeder: Blue Flight, LLC. **Winning Owner:** Bob Petersons Stables, LLC

Scratched Horse(s): Cause for Surprise (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$514,066

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Bluegrass Prevails	7.50	4.80	2.80	\$2.00 Exacta	7-2	43.20	414,896
2	Wine Not		6.70	3.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	7-2-4	122.00	230,918
4	Manipulated			2.50	\$2.00 Pick 3	3-6-7 (3 correct)	485.50	127,734
					\$2.00 Pick 4	4-3-6-7 (4 correct)	960.00	289,769
					\$2.00 Pick 5	1/3-4-3-6-7 (5 correct)	6,690.00	499,318
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-7	48.40	104,933
					\$2.00 Superfecta	7-2-4-1	187.00	109,199

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Bluegrass Prevails	4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Neck}
2	Wine Not	2	4 ³	3 ²	3 ²	2 ^{Neck}
4	Manipulated	3	3 ^{2 1/2}	4 ²	4 ²	3 ^{2 1/4}
1	Benevolence	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 3/4}
5	Bold Illusion	5	6 ⁹	6 ⁹	6 ¹¹	5 ^{10 1/2}
6	Open Book	6	5 ⁶	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{10 1/2}	6 ^{14 1/4}

Trainers: 7 - Gullo, Gary; 2 - Albertrani, Thomas; 4 - Jerkens, James; 1 - McLaughlin, Kiaran; 5 - Metivier, Richard; 6 - Dini, Michael

Owners: 7 - Bob Petersons Stables, LLC; 2 - West Point Thoroughbreds; 4 - Broman, Sr., Chester and Mary; 1 - Zilla Racing Stables; 5 -Daniel Stone; 6 - Ballybrit Stable, LLC;

Footnotes

BLUEGRASS PREVAILS was hustled along after springing from the starting gate, took up the role of primary pursuer, shadowing the leader from well out in the middle of the strip for a good portion of the going down the backstretch, gradually slid into the two path as the first fraction was being recorded, made it there by the seven-sixteenths marker, vied for command sided up with BENEVOLENCE the rest of the trip to the end of the bend, was still directly alongside when the pilot of the aforementioned rival got committed to a drive as the half was being completed, followed suit soon afterwards, won the fight during the ensuing furlong to become the new leader by midstretch, inched away, drifted out past the sixteenth pole, after intermittent left side stick work, meeting up the second place finisher at the wire. WINE NOT sat pocketed tracking the ongoing pace dispute, gradually worked his way into the three path, taking all of the journey from the top of the lane to the sixteenth pole to reach it, squeezed its way into it, closed in but fell short. MANIPULATED broke to the outside, made contact with BOLD ILLUSION before corrected, went into the two path, stalked the team of front runners for most of the initial half, commenced the stretch one path farther off the inside, got outfinished and had to settle for the show. BENEVOLENCE needed some encouragement after popping out of the gate to grab the advantage, felt the presence of the winner more intently after that foe tucked into the two path, clung to a lead measuring at best a head as they spun into the lane, offered resistance yet yielded before going onward for another furlong, hung out prominently before weakening late. BOLD ILLUSION bumped solidly from between rivals after bobbling with its initial step, darted over to the inside, was devoid of early foot down the backstretch, didn't muster a pick up in speed despite put to urging on the turn, tipped wider at the head of the stretch with no offering. OPEN BOOK bumped at the break, travelled two wide on the turn, swung four wide into the stretch and had no response.