

## SARATOGA - July 23, 2017 - Race 10

STAKES Coaching Club American Oaks Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD. By subscription of \$300 each which should accompany the nomination; \$1,500 to pass the entry box and an additional \$1,500 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental payment of \$3,000 along with the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. Weight, 121 lbs. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. Closed Saturday, July 8, 2017 with 16 Original Nominations and 2 Supplements.

One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Lawyer Ron - 1:46.64 - July 28, 2007)

**Purse:** \$300,000 Guaranteed

**Available Money:** \$300,000

**Value of Race:** \$300,000 1st \$180,000, 2nd \$60,000, 3rd \$30,000, 4th \$15,000, 5th \$9,000, 6th \$3,000, 7th \$3,000

**Weather:** Cloudy **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 6:18 **Start:** Good for all except 7



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
10Jun17 <sup>4</sup> BEL <sup>1</sup>	2	Abel Tasman (Smith, Mike)	121	L	b	2 6	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	0.80*	3w,middle move,game
15Jun17 <sup>7</sup> DEL <sup>1</sup>	1	Elate (Ortiz, Jose)	121	L		1 5	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	5.00	ins to 1/2,in tight lte
10Jun17 <sup>4</sup> BEL <sup>2</sup>	7	Salty (Rosario, Joel)	121	L		7 7	7	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>7</sup>	2.60	leapt into gate,5w 2nd
8Jul17 <sup>11</sup> DEL <sup>5</sup>	6	Berned (Maragh, Rajiv)	121	L		6 3	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	27.00	3w 2nd,ask by 5/16pl
8Jul17 <sup>8</sup> BEL <sup>4</sup>	3	Daddys Lil Darling (Leparoux, Julien)	121	L		3 2	4 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	7.90	3w into back,4w 5/16
17Jun17 <sup>9</sup> CD <sup>3</sup>	5	Summer Luck (Castellano, Javier)	121	L	b	5 1	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>4</sup>	6 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	28.75	ins,test 1/4,succumbed
8Jun17 <sup>3</sup> BEL <sup>6</sup>	4	Corporate Queen (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	121	L		4 4	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7	7	7	7	45.75	inside turns, tired

**Fractional Times:** 23.81 48.83 1:13.92 1:39.14

**Final Time:** 1:51.74

**Split Times:** (25:02) (25:09) (25:22) (12:60)

**Run-Up:** 78 feet

**Winner:** Abel Tasman, Bay Filly, by [Quality Road](#) out of Vargas Girl, by Deputy Minister. Foaled Mar 12, 2014 in Kentucky.

**QUALITY ROAD**

Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

**Breeder:** Clearsky Farms.

**Winning Owner:** China Horse Club International Ltd. and Clearsky Farms

**Total WPS Pool:** \$797,693

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Abel Tasman	3.60	2.50	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	2-1	15.80	484,969
1	Elate		4.80	3.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-1-7	32.00	295,076
7	Salty			2.50	\$2.00 Superfecta	2-1-7-6	157.50	182,488
					\$2.00 Pick 3	11-12-2 (3 correct)	1,542.00	92,952
					\$2.00 Daily Double	12-2	45.80	147,847
					\$2.00 Grand Slam	4,6,11/1,2,5,6,11,14,15,16/9,1 (4 correct)	29.60	60,068

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Abel Tasman	6	6 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>
1	Elate	5	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>
7	Salty	7	7 <sup>11</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/4</sup>
6	Berned	3	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>10 1/4</sup>
3	Daddys Lil Darling	2	4 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>12</sup>
5	Summer Luck	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>8</sup>	6 <sup>16 1/2</sup>
4	Corporate Queen	4	5 <sup>6</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>12</sup>	7 <sup>20 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 2 - Baffert, Bob; 1 - Mott, William; 7 - Casse, Mark; 6 - Motion, H.; 3 - McPeck, Kenneth; 5 - Casse, Mark; 4 - Casse, Mark

**Owners:** 2 - China Horse Club International Ltd. and Clearsky Farms; 1 - Claiborne Farm and Dilschneider, Adele B.; 7 - Barber, Gary, Baccari Racing Stable LLC and Prince, Chester; 6 - Three C Stables, West Point Thoroughbreds and Masiello, Robert; 3 - Normandy Farm; 5 - Gary Barber; 4 - Barber, Gary and Flay, Bobby;

### Footnotes

ABEL TASMAN came away in good order, swung three wide into the clubhouse turn, was kept in hand making her way around it, tipped out in the direction of path five stepping into the backstretch, unleashed a bold middle move to draw up to the leader, shifted back into the three path before arriving at the half mile pole, sat poised well to the outside of SUMMER LUCK, as the twosome raced on nearly terms to the end of the second bend, got cued up spinning into the stretch having taken over, got pounced upon by a revved-up ELATE, went at it head to head with that rival for the ensuing furlong, began to gradually shift towards the nemesis during stretch from midlane to the sixteenth pole, nudged ELATE into tight quarters in the final seventy yards, went shoulder to shoulder with her afterwards and gamely reached the finish first. ELATE settled for the pocket trip after being beaten to the lead by SUMMER LUCK, was patiently ridden keeping watch on the front runners, picked up interest angling into an available two path during the opening stages of the run around the far turn, cut into the deficit to loom a threat by the quarter pole, got set down racing for the top of the lane, edged up to confront ABLE TASMAN, fought fiercely but couldn't get by, got induced by the inward-shifting winner towards the rail in deep stretch, saw the pair leaning heavily on each other in the final stages and although determined to the end, had to settle for a second best designation. SALTY broke the tardiest after leaping into the left side of the starting gate, was approximately two wide entering the first turn and three wide exiting it, stepped off the backstretch, steadily moved wider and after a couple of foes got maneuvered to the outside themselves, left the five-sixteenths pole hung out in the five path, swung to the outside entering the stretch, began the final furlong in the vicinity of the eight path, mustered up good courage to secure the show. BERNED two wide during the initial stages, worked her way into the path three early on the far turn, was asked to pick it up at the five-sixteenths pole, failed to do so. DADDYS LIL DARLING got sent three wide off the first turn, continued at a considerable distance from off the inside, was guided into the four path leaving the midway point on the far turn, had no rally. SUMMER LUCK grabbed the advantage and cut over to the inside early on the first turn, showed the way being shadowed by the eventual winner a couple of paths to her outside, beginning from midway on the backstretch, succumbed when put to the test by that opponent after arriving at the quarter pole and faltered. CORPORATE QUEEN took the inside route on the first turn, ventured out into path two path on the backstretch but was back down on the rail by the half mile pole, angled two wide for the drive home and had no offering. Following a Stewards' Inquiry focusing on the stretch run, in addition to a claim of foul lodged by the rider of ELATE against the rider of ABEL TASMAN alleging interference, the result was allowed to stand and the race was declared official.

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