

1 1/2 MILES. (Inner Turf) (2.101) STAKES. Purse \$150,000 (Includes \$50,000 BC - Breeders' Cup) BOWLING GREEN H. INNER TURF A HANDICAP FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. No nomination fee. \$500 to pass the entry box and an additional \$500 to start with \$100,000 added. This race includes an additional \$50,000 in Breeders' Cup Funds for Cup nominees only. The NYRA added money to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among the remaining finishers. Breeders' Cup Fund monies also correspondingly divided providing a Breeders' Cup nominee has finished in an awarded position. Any Breeders' Cup Fund monies not awarded will revert back to the Fund. Dirt weights, 124 lbs. Non-winners of a graded sweepstake at a mile or over on the dirt in 08-09 allowed 2 lbs.; \$40,000 at a mile or over on the dirt in 2009 allowed 4 lbs.; four races on the dirt, 6 lbs. A trophy to the winning owner given by Breeders' Cup Ltd. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the Main Track. In the event that this race is taken off the turf, dirt allowance weights will apply and it may be subject to downgrading upon review by the Graded Stakes Committee. Closed Saturday, August 29, 2009 with 26 Nominations. (Clear 75)

**NINTH RACE**  
**Belmont Park**  
**September 13th, 2009**

Value of Race: \$158,500 Winner \$95,100; second \$31,700; third \$15,850; fourth \$7,925; fifth \$4,755; sixth \$1,057; seventh \$1,057; eighth \$1,056. Mutuel Pool \$339,008 Pick 3 Pool \$53,402 Daily Double Pool \$58,076 Exacta Pool \$238,248 Superfecta Pool \$80,938 Trifecta Pool \$161,881 Grand Slam Pool \$22,889

Last Raced	#	Horse	M/Equ.	A/S	Wt	PP	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
15Aug09	10	Sar <sup>5</sup> 8 Grand Couturier (GB)	L f	6H	120	7	8	8	8	4 <sup>2</sup>	1 1/2	1 <sup>2</sup>	Garcia A	1.60
01Aug09	7	Sar <sup>6</sup> 4 Winchester	L b	4C	116	3	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 1/2	5 1/2	2 1/2	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 1/4	Dominguez R A	4.30
15Aug09	9	Sar <sup>7</sup> 6 Thabazimbi	L	4C	116	5	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 1/2	1hd	3 <sup>4</sup>	3 1/2	Desormeaux K J	12.20
28Aug09	9	Sar <sup>7</sup> 5 Colony (IRE)	L	4C	115	4	7 1/2	7 <sup>1</sup>	6 1/2	6 <sup>1</sup>	4 1/2	4 1/2	Maragh R	5.60
15Aug09	10	Sar <sup>4</sup> 9 Gentleman Chester	L	5H	116	8	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 1/2	7 1/2	3 1/2	5 <sup>5</sup>	5 3/4	Prado E S	6.60
15Aug09	10	Sar <sup>7</sup> 1 Americain	L	4C	117	1	4 <sup>1</sup>	3hd	3 1/2	5hd	6 1/2	6 <sup>1</sup>	Castellano J	3.80
10Aug09	9	Sar <sup>5</sup> 7 Ready Set	L	4C	114	6	3 <sup>1</sup>	4 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>14</sup>	7 <sup>30</sup>	7 <sup>41</sup>	Lezcano J	39.25
13Aug09	7	Pid <sup>1</sup> 2 Up to No Good	b	4C	113	2	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>12</sup>	1 <sup>8</sup>	8	8	8	Chavez J F	31.00

**OFF AT 5:16 Start Good. Won driving. Track Yielding (Rail at 9 ft).**

TIME :22<sup>4</sup>, :46<sup>2</sup>, 1:13<sup>2</sup>, 1:39, 2:03<sup>3</sup>, 2:15<sup>4</sup> (:22.95, :46.57, 1:13.42, 1:39.10, 2:03.64, 2:15.86)

**\$2 Mutuel Prices:**

8- GRAND COUTURIER (GB) ..... 5.20 3.10 2.20  
4- WINCHESTER ..... 4.40 3.20  
6- THABAZIMBI ..... 5.20

**\$2 EXACTA 8-4 PAID \$27.00 \$2 SUPERFACTA 8-4-6-5 PAID \$698.00**

**\$2 TRIFECTA 8-4-6 PAID \$177.00 \$2 GRAND SLAM 4/6/9-1/3/6-1/11-8 PAID \$6.90 4 Correct**

Bay Horse, (Apr), by Grand Lodge - Lady Elgar (IRE) by Sadler's Wells. Trainer Ribaldo Robert. Bred by Tom Wilson(GB).

GRAND COUTURIER (GB) was unhurried while trailing for six furlongs, raced in traffic between horses nearing the far turn, angled to the rail while gaining on the turn, swung four wide entering the stretch, charged to the front in midstretch and drew away under intermittent urging. WINCHESTER raced in hand along the inside, moved out to launch his bid on the far turn, surged to the front at the quarter pole, led into midstretch but was no match for the winner. THABAZIMBI settled just behind the pacesetter, made a move to gain a slim lead on the far turn, led to the top of the stretch and steadily tired thereafter. COLONY (IRE) failed to mount a serious rally while saving ground. GENTLEMAN CHESTER was reserved for six furlongs, gained four wide just outside the winner on the turn and flattened out. AMERICAIN raced in good position along the inside for a mile and tired. READY SET raced within striking distance three wide to the far turn and faltered. UP TO NO GOOD opened a long lead early and gave way after going seven furlongs.

**Owners-** 8, Keller Marc; 4, Firestone, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram R.; 6, Chandler, Dr. John A.; 5, Godolphin Racing LLC; 9, Mamatas, Nick and Kerber, John; 1, Wertheimer and Frere; 7, Lael Stables; 2, Sharp, Marc J., Jones, Brenda K. and Macaluso, Marion

**Trainers-** 8, Ribaldo Robert; 4, Clement Christophe; 6, Mott William I.; 5, bin Suroor Saeed; 9, Nicks Ralph E.; 1, Pletcher Todd A.; 7, Matz Michael R.; 2, Sharp Marc J.

**Breeders-** 8, Tom Wilson (GB); 4, Mr. & Mrs. Bertram R. Firestone (VA); 6, Dr. John A. Chandler (KY); 5, Barronstown Stud and Orpendale (IRE); 9, John Kerber & Ivetta Kerber (IL); 1, Wertheimer & Frere (KY); 7, Rancho San Peasea S. A. (KY); 2, Brenda Jones (FL)

**Scratched-** Expansion(15Aug09<sup>9</sup>Sar<sup>1</sup>)

**\$2 Daily Double (1-8) Paid \$6.30; Daily Double Pool \$58,076.**

**\$2 Pick Three (6-1-8) Paid \$19.00; Pick Three Pool \$53,402.**

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