

SARATOGA - August 22, 2015 - Race 4

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$14,940 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (Non-starters For A Claiming Price Of \$40,000 Or Less In The Last 3 Starts Preferred). (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at Five and One Half Furlongs on the main track.) (Rail at 27 feet).

Five And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Track Record:** (Fiddlers Patriot - 1:00.59 - August 30, 2010)

Purse: \$83,000

Available Money: \$83,000

Value of Race: \$83,000 1st \$49,800, 2nd \$16,600, 3rd \$8,300, 4th \$4,150, 5th \$2,490, 6th \$554, 7th \$554, 8th \$552

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 2:45 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
31Jul15 ¹⁰ SAR ⁴	6	May Flowers (Saez, Luis)	119	L bf	5	8	8	8	³ Head	¹ 1/2	3.75	6w angle 5/16-3/16pl
10Jul15 ³ BEL ⁷	9	Swaggy (Trujillo, Elvis)	119	L b	8	6	3 ²	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ¹	8.40	3w vs duo, led 1/4-1/16
31Jul15 ¹⁰ SAR ⁵	7	Sudestada (Castellano, Javier)	119	L	6	5	6 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	4 ¹	3 ³	10.50	2p, 5w into lane, held
31Jul15 ¹⁰ SAR ³	8	Hardcore (Cancel, Eric)	114 ⁵	L	7	2	1 ^{1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	2.15*	btwn foes to 1/8, wknd
31Jul15 ¹⁰ SAR ⁶	2	Neilinger (Ortiz, Jose)	119	L	1	3	5 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	7 ^{1/2}	5 ² 1/4	26.00	inside to 1/4, 3w upper
30May15 ⁷ CD ⁴	4	Charis (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	119	L b	3	7	7 ² 1/2	7 ¹	8	6 ^{Neck}	6.70	ins, 2p, not fully clear
17Jun15 ⁴ BEL ¹⁰	3	Scamper (Franco, Manuel)	119	L	2	4	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Neck}	14.70	3w beh fight, no kick
2Jul15 ³ BEL ⁶	5	Blame Dixie (Velazquez, John)	119	L	4	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	5 ¹	8	3.05	ins vs trio to upper

Fractional Times: 22.30 45.28 56.84

Final Time: 1:02.71

Split Times: (22:98) (11:56) (5:87)

Run-Up: 45 feet **Temporary Rail:** 27 feet

Winner: May Flowers, Chestnut Filly, by Congrats out of Spring Is Here, by Gulch. Foaled Mar 01, 2012 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Three Lyons Racing LLC. **Winning Owner:** Orlando DiRienzo

Scratched Horse(s): Union Mettle (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$632,161

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	May Flowers	9.50	4.30	2.90	\$2.00 Exacta	6-9	72.00	533,866
9	Swaggy		7.60	5.50	\$2.00 Quinella	6-9	47.20	27,206
7	Sudestada			5.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-9-7	536.00	323,189
					\$2.00 Pick 3	7-5-6 (3 correct)	192.50	64,776
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-6	29.60	106,004
					\$2.00 Superfecta	6-9-7-8	1,967.00	151,633

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
6	May Flowers	8	8 ⁷ 1/2	8 ⁶ 1/4	3 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2
9	Swaggy	6	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2
7	Sudestada	5	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁴ 1/4	4 ¹ 1/4	3 ² 1/2
8	Hardcore	2	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹	4 ⁵ 1/2
2	Neilinger	3	5 ³ 1/2	5 ² 3/4	7 ³ 3/4	5 ⁵ 1/2
4	Charis	7	7 ⁵	7 ⁵ 1/4	8 ⁴ 1/4	6 ⁷ 3/4
3	Scamper	4	4 ² 1/2	4 ² 1/4	6 ³ 1/4	7 ⁸
5	Blame Dixie	1	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	5 ² 1/4	8 ⁸ 1/4

Trainers: 6 - Englehart, Jeremiah; 9 - Toner, James; 7 - Albertrani, Thomas; 8 - Ward, Wesley; 2 - Contessa, Gary; 4 - Moquett, Ron; 3 - Adsit, Abigail; 5 - Pletcher, Todd

Owners: 6 - Orlando DiRienzo; 9 - James E. Hess; 7 - Godolphin Racing LLC; 8 - Ice Wine Stable; 2 - Lee Pokoik; 4 - LaPenta, Robert V. and Rosenblum, Harry T.; 3 - Charles T. Matses; 5 - Bridlewood Farm and Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners;

Footnotes

MAY FLOWERS off a half beat the slowest, got guided over to the rail, rode it to past midpoint on the turn, was put to brisk urging and proceeded to get angled outward a few strides from the five-sixteenths marker, wound up in the six path a furlong down the road, closed in readily on the front runners, drew even with the runner up with about a sixteenth remaining, cemented itself to the front shortly afterwards and kicked clear. SWAGGY three wide, contented the pace as the widest of a threesome, was under encouragement turning for home after having secured the advantage by a bare margin, shook free of each nemesis after an addition furlong only to get pounced upon by the eventual winner, had that opponent draw even at the sixteenth pole, gave up the lead after a few more jumps, forged onward to be second best. SUDESTADA took up the chase from the two path on the turn, swung outward until five wide by three-sixteenths pole, drifted in a couple of paths departing the eighth pole, altered course after a strong left handed shot in the final seventy yards, bobbed then resumed his run to grab the show. HARDCORE vied with vigor for the lead from between rivlas, was set down heading home, continue to battle from the middle of others to midlane then weakened. NEILINGER used leaving the starting gate, failed to achieve a prominent spot, was switched over to a firm hold afterwards by the pilot, tracked the sparring front runners from along the rail angled three wide entering the stretch, failed to fire appreciably. CHARIS was on the track first, having been excused from the post parade, broke without apparent mishap, tucked along the rail, slipped into the two path heading for the top of the lane, moved along down the lane lacking optimal clearance, and would remain that way the rest of the journey to the finish line, was caught momentarily by the now-weakening BLAME DIXIE with slightly under a furlong to go, showed interest the only time really asked to do so, this occurring after a solitary right handed shot splitting rivals in the final seventy yards. SCAMPER rated in the three path stalking a hotly-contested pace, spun from the same path into the stretch, called upon for some run, failed to respond. BLAME DIXIE was sent over to the inside, argued for control with a pair of foes pinned onto it, positioned out in paths two and three, fell back slightly even after some hand urging approaching the quarter pole, stayed in contention for a little while longer before faltering.