

1½ MILES. (224) 148TH RUNNING OF THE BELMONT. Grade I Purse \$1,500,000 FOR THREE YEAR OLDS. By subscription of \$600 each, to accompany the nomination, if made on or before January 16, 2016, or \$6,000, if made on or before March 21, 2016. At any time prior to the closing time of entries, horses may be nominated to The Belmont Stakes upon payment of a supplementary fee of \$75,000 to the New York Racing Association, Inc. \$15,000 to pass the entry box and \$15,000 additional to start. All entrants will be required to pay entry and starting fees; but no fees, supplemental or otherwise shall be added to the purse. The purse to be divided \$800,000 to the winner, \$280,000 to second, \$150,000 to third, \$100,000 to fourth, \$60,000 to fifth, \$45,000 to sixth, \$35,000 to seventh and \$30,000 to eighth. Colts and Geldings, 126 lbs.; Fillies, 121 lbs. The winning owner will be presented with the August Belmont Memorial Cup to be retained for one year as well as a trophy for permanent possession and trophies to the winning trainer and jockey.

# ELEVENTH RACE

## Belmont

JUNE 11, 2016

Value of Race: \$1,500,000 Winner \$800,000; second \$280,000; third \$150,000; fourth \$100,000; fifth \$60,000; sixth \$45,000; seventh \$35,000; eighth \$30,000. Mutuel Pool \$17,095,260.00 Exacta Pool \$10,192,504.00 Trifecta Pool \$11,705,825.00 Superfecta Pool \$6,448,798.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	¼	½	1	1¼	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1	
7May16 12CD13	Creator	L	b	3	126	13	112½	101½	6hd	61	2½	1no	Ortiz I Jr	16.40
7May16 12CD6	Destin	L	b	3	126	2	2½	21	21	1hd	11½	21½	Castellano J J	8.40
21May16 13Pim5	Lani		f	3	126	10	12½	124½	7½	71	5½	32½	Take Y	12.20
14May16 9Bel2	Governor Malibu	L	b	3	126	1	4hd	4½	4½	4½	6hd	42¼	Rosario J	17.10
21May16 13Pim4	Stradivari	L		3	126	5	5hd	5hd	3½	3½	3½	5¾	Velazquez J R	6.60
7May16 12CD7	Brody's Cause	L		3	126	12	8½	82½	91	9hd	9hd	61	Saez L	18.90
21May16 13Pim2	Cherry Wine	L		3	126	3	71	7½	8hd	8½	8½	71	Lanerice C J	10.30
26May16 8Bel3	Gettysburg	L		3	126	6	11½	11	11	21	4½	8½	Lopez P	55.00
7May16 12CD5	Suddenbrekingnews	L		3	126	4	9¾	9½	10½	10½	10¾	91½	Smith M E	5.20
7May16 12CD16	Trojan Nation	L		3	126	9	13	13	13	13	13	10¾	Gryder A T	66.25
21May16 13Pim1	Exaggerator	L		3	126	11	6½	61½	5½	51	71½	111½	Desormeaux K J	1.45
29May16 5CD1	Seeking the Soul	L		3	126	7	31	3½	1212	126	124	121½	Geroux F	55.00
29May16 5Bel1	Forever d'Oro	L	f	3	126	8	101	111½	111	111	11½	13	Ortiz J L	65.00

OFF AT 6:38 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :24, :482, 1:131, 1:374, 2:03, 2:282 (:24.09, :48.48, 1:13.28, 1:37.96, 2:03.06, 2:28.51)

### \$2 Mutuel Prices:

13 - CREATOR.....	34.80	14.60	9.40
2 - DESTIN.....		9.40	6.20
10 - LANI.....			6.60

\$2 EXACTA 13-2 PAID \$269.00 \$2 TRIFECTA 13-2-10 PAID \$2,751.00

\$2 SUPERFACTA 13-2-10-1 PAID \$27,935.00

Gr/ro. c. (Mar), by Tapit - Morena - Per, by Privately Held. Trainer Asmussen Steven M. Bred by MtBrilliant Broodmares I LLC (Ky).

CREATOR tucked along the rail after a clean start, rated kindly continuing to hug the inside for the opening mile, slipped out into the two path leaving the half mile pole, narrowed in on the front runners, was put to solid urging swinging three wide into the stretch, split rivals in midlane while making steady progress on the leader, drifted out slightly from left side pressure from the sixteenth pole to the final seventy yards, all the while inching his way forward. kept a straighter course when switched over to a strong hand drive and wore down DESTIN in the final jump. DESTIN attained a prominent position soon after the start, got rated attending the pacesetter from the two path, continued along under the same scenario all the way to the quarter pole, got asked for more heading home, commenced the stretch approximaely three wide, wrested away the advantage and shook free, emerging at the eighth pole holding his biggest lead, saw it dwindle down in a steadfast manner as the winner closed in, dug in with determination only to get nipped right at the finish line. LANI on the track last, left the post parade early, proceeded to come away at the start with no mishap, took the three path for most of the way on the clubhouse turn, departed the backstretch one path wider, was given his cue angling farther to the outside entering the stretch, was six wide by the conclusion of the maneuver, rallied to secure the show. GOVERNOR MALIBU remained along the rail after the start, kept an eye on the front runners sitting in the pocket, was checked while in tight and close proximity to the heels of GETTYSBURG at the quarter pole, angled into the two path only to have that lane blocked by the aforementioned rival, altered course back to the rail, was in the vicinity of the eighth pole, when forced to check in tight quarters when cut off by the former pacesetter, tipped wider and got going again, finishing with good courage to earn the last major check. STRADIVARI brushed the right side of the gate, sat forwardly placed in the two path and between foes early, chased the pace from the three path on the second bend, got roused challenging three to four wide into the stretch, wasn't up to the task at hand and weakened. BRODY'S CAUSE reserved in the two path during the initial stages, travelled three wide on the far turn, was put to drive past its midway point, stepped into the stretch and went on to mainly improve position. CHERRY WINE strung out three wide on the far turn, had no rally. GETTYSBURG off alertly, quickly established control, cut over to the rail, showed the way, rated and with the runner up accompanying him in path two, came under heavy pressure approaching the quarter pole, drifted into the two path under a strong hand ride entering the stretch, came in soon afterwards when put to some corrective right handed pressure, got overhauled by the furlong marker and tired. SUDDENBREAKINGNEWS spun four wide into the backstretch, departed it from the same path, drifted eight wide into the stretch with little left. TROJAN NATION was outrun off a ground-saving journey. EXAGGERATOR three wide on the first turn, was one path farther off the rail on the subsequent one, was put to a drive challenging for command setting foot into the stretch, came up empty and backed away. SEEKING THE SOUL raced three wide on both turns and tired. FOREVER D'ORO three wide on the first turn, was along the rail and used on the turn two, gave way

**Owners-** 1, WinStar Farm LLC and Flay Bobby; 2, Twin Creeks Racing Stables LLC and Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners; 3, Maeda Koji; 4, Jump Sucker Stable and Oak Bluff Stables; 5, Gunther John D Tabor Michael B Smith Derrick and Magnier Mrs John; 6, Albaugh Family Stable; 7, Pacella William Jones Jr Frank L and Shoop Frank; 8, WinStar Farm LLC; 9, Henderson Samuel F; 10, Gilbert Julie and Sones Aaron; 11, Big Chief Racing LLC Head of Plains Partners LLC Rocker O Ranch LLC et al; 12, Fipke Charles E; 13, Fipke Charles E

**Trainers-** 1, Asmussen Steven M; 2, Pletcher Todd A; 3, Matsunaga Mikio; 4, Clement Christophe; 5, Pletcher Todd A; 6, Romans Dale; 7, Romans Dale; 8, Asmussen Steven M; 9, Von Hemel Donnie K; 10, Gallagher Patrick; 11, Desormeaux J Keith; 12, Stewart Dallas; 13, Stewart Dallas

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**\$2 Daily Double ((BEL GOLD CUP-BELMONT) 5-13) Paid \$111.00 ; Daily Double Pool \$450,294 . \$2 Daily Double (10-13) Paid \$65.00 ; Daily Double Pool \$853,465 . \$2 Pick Three (5-10-13) Paid \$247.50 ; Pick Three Pool \$954,420 . \$2 Pick Four (8-1/3/5/9-3/4/10-13) Paid \$3,594.00 ; Pick Four Pool \$3,481,101 . \$2 Pick Six (12-9-8-1/3/5/9-3/4/10-13) 6 Correct Paid \$640,034.00 ; Pick Six Pool \$1,004,964 ; Carryover Pool \$1,784. \$2 Pick Six (12-9-8-1/3/5/9-3/4/10-13) 5 Correct Paid \$6,208.00 .**

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