FIRST RACE

Belmont

6½ FURLONGS. MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT . Purse $100,000 (UP TO $17,400 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 123 lbs. (Non–Starters For A Claiming Price Of $55,000 Or Less In The Last 5 Starts Preferred). (Cloudy. 42.)

NOVEMBER 14, 2026

Value of Race: $87,000 Winner $55,000; second $20,000; third $12,000. Mutuel Pool $78,764.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
30Sep26 1Bel3	Donegal Luster		2	123	3	2	1hd	1hd	11	11½	Velazquez J R	1.26
	Smead		2	123	2	1	23½	25½	26	28¼	Franco M	3.55
	Warspite		2	123	1	3	3	3	3	3	Prat F	0.88

OFF AT 11:42 Start Good For All But WARSPITE. Won driving. Track muddy.

TIME :22³, :44⁴, 1:09³, 1:16³ (:22.67, :44.95, 1:09.78, 1:16.61)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

5 – DONEGAL LUSTER	**4.52**	—	—
4 – SMEAD		—	—
2 – WARSPITE		—	—

B. c, (Apr), by City of Light – Rehearsed , by Tapit . Trainer Pletcher Todd A. Bred by W S Farish (Ky).

DONEGAL LUSTER dueled three then two wide outside of SMEAD from the get go, came under coaxing three furlongs out, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, edged away under a drive kept to task. SMEAD broke in a step at the start bumping WARSPITE, dueled inside of the aforementioned foe coming under urging at the three-eighths pole, cut the corner into upper stretch and was in a bit tight straightened away, switched leads at the three-sixteenths pole, dug in under a drive running on to the finish tipping out a sixteenth out once the top one was no longer latched on to the outside and was well clear for the place honors. WARSPITE buckled at the break and was bumped by SMEAD, who broke in a step, chased along the inside until tipped to the two path five furlongs out, went three wide through most of the turn and into upper stretch and trailed throughout.

Owners– 1, Donegal Racing; 2, Shortleaf Stable Inc; 3, Juddmonte

Trainers– 1, Pletcher Todd A; 2, McPeek Kenneth G; 3, Brown Chad C

Scratched– Louden (16Oct26 2Bel6) , Briggs N Dunn