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SUBJECT: RESULT OF THE 44th COPA REPUBLICA ARGENTINA (JPN-GII)

Established in 1963 to contest for the cup presented by the Jockey Club Argentino the race name was changed from "the Jockey Club Argentino Cup" to its current name with the taking over of the racing management by the Federal Government of the Republic of Argentina in 1974. Starting out as a 2,300-meter race under special weight conditions, the Copa Republica Argentina is now recognized as a middle-distance handicap race selected by many first class runners, aiming for the Arima Kinen (JPN-GI, Grand Prix, 2,500m). The race was newly added to the list of international race in 2005, but no foreign contenders have participated and none were nominated for this year.

Last year's race winner, Sakura Century (by Sakura Laurel, JPN), is a multiple grade race winner of middle distance. Machikane Allegro (by Kris S., USA) marked the race record (2:31.3) in 1994.

THE THE 44th COPA REPUBLICA ARGENTINA (JPN-GII): Handicap race

3-year-old & up, 2,500 meters (about 12-1/2 furlongs), turf, left handed

Sunday, November 5, 2006

Tokyo Racecourse

11th Race

Post time: 15:35

Total prize money: ¥ 123,840,000 (US\$ 1,076,000 US\$ 1 = ¥ 115)

Safety Factor: 18 runners (Foreign Trained Horses: 5)

FP	BKT	PP	Horse	S&A	Weight (kg)	Sire Dam	Jockey Trainer	Owner Breeder	Margin (L3F)	Odds (win)
1	6	9	Tosho Knight (JPN)	H5	57.5	Timber Country Midnight Oasis	T.Bushizawa K.Yasuda	E.Fujita Tosho Sangyo Corporation Tosho Bokujo	2:31.0 (35.2)	4.1
2	3	4	Eye Popper (JPN)	H6	58.0	Soccer Boy Sunday I.	N.Yokoyama I.Shimizu	Sunday Racing Co. Ltd. Northern Farm	NECK (34.8)	4.4
3	4	6	Dragon Captain (JPN)	H5	51.0	Amber Shadai Laguna Blanca	S.Ishigami T.Yano	K.Tenjin Nagata Farm	NECK (35.0)	15.8
4	4	5	Chaste Wing (JPN)	H5	54.0	Special Week Chase the Wind	K.Tanaka M.Akiyama	Hiroyoshi Usuda Northern Farm	1-3/4 (35.0)	5.2
5	5	7	Tokai Trick (JPN)	C4	56.0	El Condor Pasa Zoonaqu	C.Lemaire S.Matsumoto	M.Uchimura Ms F.Tsuchida	1/2 (35.2)	7.1
6	6	10	Mejiro Tonkinese (JPN)	F4	51.0	Dance in the Dark Mejiro Kurohime	H.Gohara Y.Takahashi	Mejiro B. Mejiro Stud	HEAD (35.3)	42.2
7	2	2	Treowe of King (JPN)	H5	51.0	Star of Cozzene Grace Honey	A.Tsumura H.Shimizu	Allonet Service Co. Ltd. Yukio Hamamoto	NOSE (35.6)	34.2
8	7	11	Win Generale (JPN)	H6	57.0	Tamamo Cross Mayano Campanella	M.Katsuura S.Kunieda	Win Co. Ltd. M.Nakawaki	3/4 (35.6)	6.7
9	3	3	Grass Position (JPN)	H7	54.0	Real Shadai Ensoleille	M.Ebina M.Ogata	Hanzawa Y. Hekiun Bokujo	3/4 (35.4)	31.0
10	5	8	Rubens Memory (JPN)	H6	55.0	GenuineDyna Flanders	Y.Shibata Y.Takahashi	Shadai Race H. Shadai Farm	1-1/4 (36.0)	16.9
11	1	1	Advantage (JPN)	C3	50.0	Helissio Copper Butterfly	S.Kawashima K.Hagiwara	North Hills Management Co. Ltd. Tadayoshi Doi	3 (37.1)	33.6
12	8	14	Bullet Lane (JPN)	H7	53.0	Sakura Laurel Showa Hanami	M.Matsuoka T.Kaga	K.Hidaka Breeders Union Showa Bokujo	Distance (38.9)	46.4
13	7	12	Suzu Japan (USA)	H6	53.0	Wild Rush Sue's Temper	H.Goto K.Konishi	Y.Komurasaki Lochness & Fred Bower	2-1/2 (39.3)	57.5
14	8	13 B	Mejiro Corsair (JPN)	C4	53.0	Mejiro Ryan Mejiro Beauty	H.Kitamura Y.Okubo	Mejiro Shoji Mejiro Stud	5 (40.3)	33.3

FP=Final Position, BKT=Bracket Number, PP=Post Position, B=Blinkers, L3F=Time of Last 3 Furlongs (600m)

NOTE 1: No foreign contenders.

NOTE 2: Figures quoted under WIN ODDS show the amount of money you get back per single unit (100yen).

WINNING TIME: 2:31.0

GOING: Good

WEATHER: Fine

TURNOVER FOR THE RACE ALONE:

¥ 5,623,273,500

TURNOVER FOR THE DAY:

¥12,275,042,000

ATTENDANCE:43,726

