

BELMONT PARK - May 9, 2012 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
 (UP TO \$15,010 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR RESTRICTED OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$50,000. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of \$24,000 at a mile or over since March 6 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Races where entered for \$35,000 or less not considered in allowances). (NW2 X) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Transparent - 1:39.22 - September 18, 2014)

Purse: \$79,000

Available Money: \$79,000

Value of Race: \$77,420 1st \$47,400, 2nd \$15,800, 3rd \$7,900, 4th \$3,950, 5th \$2,370

Weather: Foggy **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 12:50 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Apr12 ⁸ AQU ³	6	Golden Gulch (Lezcano, Jose)	121	L b	5	3	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}	2.60	4 wide turn, driving
4Apr12 ⁸ AQU ⁴	4	Black N Beauty (Dominguez, Ramon)	121	L f	4	1	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{Neck}	3.10	3w, led, held place
31Mar12 ⁵ GP ³	2	Self Control (Castellano, Javier)	123	L	2	4	5	5	4 ⁴	3 ¹⁰	3 ^{22 3/4}	1.20*	urged cutting corner
7Apr12 ⁹ PIM ¹	3	Charles Russell (Velazquez, John)	121	L b	3	2	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹⁰	4 ^{20 3/4}	11.20	pace 2p, gave way
26Jul11 ⁹ DEL ¹	1	Dreaming Blue (Nakatani, Corey)	121	L bf	1	5	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	5	5	5	6.20	saved ground, faded

Fractional Times: 22.54 45.16 1:09.95 1:35.35 **Final Time:** 1:42.88

Split Times: (22:62) (24:79) (25:40) (7:53)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Golden Gulch, Chestnut Ridgling, by Thunder Gulch out of Golden Gale, by Summer Squall. Foaled Mar 26, 2008 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Windmill Manor Farm, Inc.. **Winning Owner:** Windmill Manor Farm

Claiming Prices: 3 - Charles Russell: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): The Cognac Kid (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$122,037

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Golden Gulch	7.20	3.60	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	6-4	27.00	97,954
4	Black N Beauty		4.10	2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-4-2	43.60	50,233
2	Self Control			2.10				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Golden Gulch	3	4 ³	4 ³	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}
4	Black N Beauty	1	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}
2	Self Control	4	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ²	3 ¹	3 ¹
3	Charles Russell	2	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	4 ¹¹	4 ^{23 3/4}
1	Dreaming Blue	5	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	5 ⁶	5 ²¹	5 ^{44 1/2}

Trainers: 6 - Kenneally, Eddie; 4 - Englehart, Chris; 2 - Brown, Chad; 3 - Lake, Scott; 1 - Stidham, Michael

Owners: 6 - Windmill Manor Farm; 4 -K. K. Sangara; 2 - West, Gary and Mary; 3 -Lindy M. Redding; 1 -Terry Hamilton;

Footnotes

GOLDEN GULCH departed the backstretch from the four path, moved up latched on to the runner up coming to the three-eighths pole to shoot past the early pacesetter, turned for home and was asked for his best, forged his way to the front by midstretch then edged away, kept to a drive. BLACK N BEAUTY prompted the leader, taking up the role of stalker early down the backstretch, was coaxed along to maintain interest, issued a successful challenge for command at the midway point on the turn, spun into the lane with the top one in hot pursuit, fell back a sliver after a hard fought battle during the run through the furlong grounds, then dug in well enough long enough to salvage second. SELF CONTROL unhurried for over a half, picked up interest nearing the three-eighths pole, ducked inward late on the turn and cut the corner under encouragement, finished well, but missed out on place honors. CHARLES RUSSELL showed the way from the two path, put up little resistance when confronted by each of the first two finishers in the vicinity of the three-eighths pole and gave way. DREAMING BLUE off a beat slowly, was urged down the chute to secure a forward position, faded off the subsequent-ground saving journey.

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