

DEL MAR - July 24, 2002 - Race 5

STAKES Oceanside S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS, NON-WINNERS OF \$50,000 IN 2002. By subscription of \$100 each, which shall accompany the nomination, or by supplementary nomination of \$1,000 each by closing time of entries. \$500 to pass the entry box and \$500 additional to start. In addition, the owner of the winner of the Oceanside Stakes will receive \$20,000 from Barona Casino. Should the Oceanside Stakes be divided, each division will receive the full \$25,000 bonus. Weight 121 lbs.; Non-winners of \$60,000 at one mile or over alw.3 lbs; of such a race of \$30,000 alw.5 lbs; of such a race of \$22,000 or \$17,000 any distance alw.7 lbs. (Maiden and claiming races not considered.) A race worth \$50,000 to the winner. NOMINATIONS CLOSED Thursday, July 18, 2002 with 26. Rail at zero. (NW1\$ 6M)

One Mile On The Turf **Track Record:** (Obviously (IRE) - 1:32.10 - August 26, 2012)






Purse: \$75,000 Added

Available Money: \$82,800

Value of Race: \$82,800 1st \$49,680, 2nd \$16,560, 3rd \$9,936, 4th \$4,968, 5th \$1,656

Weather: Clear **Track:** Firm

Off at: 4:09 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Jun02 ⁸ HOL ¹	7	Rock Opera (Pincay, Jr., Laffit) 	118	BL	6	3	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ³ 4	2.60	inside, held on gamely
30Jun02 ³ HOL ³	2	Johar (Solis, Alex) 	118	BL	2	6	5 ¹ 2	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	4 ² 1/2	2 ¹	2.20	waited bit 1/4, rallied
14Apr02 ⁸ SA ¹	4	Mountain Rage (Flores, David)	121	BL	b	3	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 2	3 ¹	3 ²	1.30*	swung out, outkicked
30Jun02 ³ HOL ⁵	5	Sunkosi (Smith, Mike) 	118	BL	b	4	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 2	4 ³ 1/2	21.90	stalked, bid, weakened
3Jul02 ⁵ HOL ³	6	Six Hitter (Valenzuela, Patrick) 	116	BL	b	5	6	6	6	5 ³	5 ⁸	9.50	3wd into lane, no bid
8May02 ² HOL ⁵	1	Saphir Indien (GB) (Delahoussaye, Eddie) 	114	BL	1	5	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	6	6	22.70	pulled, 4wd into lane

Fractional Times: 23.79 47.46 1:10.64 1:22.34

Final Time: 1:34.14

Split Times: (23:67) (23:18) (11:70) (11:80)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Rock Opera, Chestnut Colt, by Royal Academy out of Star de Rahy, by Rahy. Foaled Apr 03, 1999 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Hargus Sexton, Sandra Sexton, Beverly Grovert & Michael Cartee.

Winning Owner: Ballantyne, Lynn and Welty, W. R.

Scratched Horse(s): Point Prince (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$543,499

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Rock Opera	7.20	3.40	2.40	\$1.00 Exacta	7-2	8.40	269,540
2	Johar		3.00	2.20	\$2.00 Quinella	2-7	9.00	34,077
4	Mountain Rage			2.10	\$1.00 Trifecta	7-2-4	17.60	263,413
					\$2.00 Daily Double	7-7	31.00	25,845
					\$1.00 Pick 3	2-7-7 (3 correct)	81.10	87,096

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Rock Opera	3	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ³ 4
2	Johar	6	5 ⁵	5 ⁴	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	2 ³ 4
4	Mountain Rage	1	3 ² 1/2	3 ² 1/2	3 ³	3 ² 1/2	3 ¹ 3/4
5	Sunkosi	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	4 ³ 3/4
6	Six Hitter	4	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁴ 1/4	6 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁶	5 ⁷ 1/4
1	Saphir Indien (GB)	5	4 ³ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	6 ⁹	6 ¹⁵ 1/4

Trainers: 7 - Sise, Jr., Clifford; 2 - Mandella, Richard; 4 - Baffert, Bob; 5 - Greely, C.; 6 - Frankel, Robert; 1 - Cassidy, James

Owners: 7 - Ballantyne, Lynn and Welty, W. R.; 2 - The Thoroughbred Corporation; 4 - Jacobs and Moss, Natalie; 5 - Ralls and Foster LLC; 6 - Edmund A. Gann; 1 - Jim Ford, Inc., Pearson, Deron and K M Stable;

Footnotes

ROCK OPERA wide early, angled in on the early lead, set the pace inside, turned back a bid leaving the backstretch to shake clear again on the second turn and held on gamely under urging. JOHAR off a bit awkwardly and a step slowly, pulled some while chasing along the inside, waited a bit leaving the second turn then swung out into the stretch and finished well. MOUNTAIN RAGE angled in and stalked the winner along the rail, came out into the stretch and went willingly to the wire but was outfinished. SUNKOSI stalked the pace off the rail, bid outside the winner on the backstretch, tracked just off the inside on the second turn, angled in some in the stretch and weakened. SIX HITTER settled alongside a rival chasing the pace, came out into the stretch, then angled inward in upper stretch and lacked the needed rally. SAPHIR INDIEN (GB) off a bit slowly, pulled early and came off the rail, chased outside a foe, came four wide into the stretch and weakened.

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