

DEL MAR - August 26, 2000 - Race 8

STAKES Pacific Classic S. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. By subscription of \$200 each to accompany the nomination. All horses shall pay \$2,500 to pass the entry box and \$7,500 to start. Three-year-olds, 117 lbs; Older, 124 lbs.

One And One Fourth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Candy Ride (ARG) - 1:59.11 - August 24, 2003)

Purse: \$1,000,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$1,000,000

Value of Race: \$1,000,000 1st \$600,000, 2nd \$200,000, 3rd \$120,000, 4th \$60,000, 5th \$20,000

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:19 **Start:** Good for all

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 1m | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---|-----|-------|----|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 6Aug00 ⁸ DMR ¹ | 5 | Skimming (Gomez, Garrett) | 124 | BL | 5 | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ¹ | 1 ¹ | 1 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{2 1/2} | 1 ² | 4.70 | inside,clear,driving |
| 23Jul00 ⁶ HOL ² | 4 | Tiznow (McCarron, Chris) | 117 | BL | 4 | 3 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ² | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{1 1/4} | 4.00 | chased,bid, 2nd best |
| 5Jul00 ⁸ PRM ³ | 6 | Ecton Park (Desormeaux, Kent) | 124 | BL bs | 6 | 6 ¹ | 7 | 7 | 4 ^{Head} | 4 ^{2 1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 6.20 | inside move,late 3rd |
| 9Jul00 ⁵ HOL ² | 2 | General Challenge (Pincay, Jr., Laffit) | 124 | BL b | 2 | 7 | 6 ¹ | 5 ^{Head} | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ² | 4 ⁸ | 0.90* | split foes,no late bid |
| 15Jul00 ⁸ HOL ¹ | 3 | Euchre (Flores, David) | 124 | BL s | 3 | 5 ¹ | 5 ^{Head} | 6 ¹ | 6 ⁴ | 5 ³ | 5 ^{2 1/2} | 14.00 | 4wd 2nd turn,wkened |
| 6Aug00 ⁸ DMR ⁴ | 7 | Forty One Carats (Delahoussaye, Eddie) | 124 | BL f | 7 | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ^{2 1/2} | 3 ^{Head} | 7 | 6 ^{Head} | 6 ⁷ | 31.30 | drifted out, gave way |
| 6Aug00 ⁸ DMR ⁷ | 1 | River Keen (IRE) (Espinoza, Victor) | 124 | BL | 1 | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 4 ^{3 1/2} | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ¹ | 7 | 7 | 14.70 | 3wd bid,gave way |

Fractional Times: 22.79 45.53 1:09.86 1:35.13 **Final Time:** 2:01.22

Split Times: (22:74) (24:33) (25:27) (26:09)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Skimming, Bay Colt, by Nureyev out of Skimble, by Lyphard. Foaled Jan 30, 1996 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Juddmonte Farms. **Winning Owner:** Juddmonte Farms, Inc.

Total WPS Pool: \$1,165,535

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|------------|-------|-------|------|-----------------|---------------------|--------|---------|
| 5 | Skimming | 11.40 | 6.40 | 4.80 | \$1.00 Exacta | 5-4 | 25.20 | 583,835 |
| 4 | Tiznow | | 5.00 | 4.20 | \$2.00 Quinella | 4-5 | 28.80 | 75,959 |
| 6 | Ecton Park | | | 4.80 | \$1.00 Trifecta | 5-4-6 | 128.10 | 551,844 |
| | | | | | \$1.00 Pick 3 | 7-1/2-5 (3 correct) | 214.30 | 184,262 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 1m | Str | Fin |
|-----|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 5 | Skimming | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ¹ | 1 ¹ | 1 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{2 1/2} | 1 ² |
| 4 | Tiznow | 3 ² | 3 ^{3 1/2} | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ^{2 1/2} | 2 ² |
| 6 | Ecton Park | 6 ⁵ | 7 ^{8 1/2} | 7 ^{4 1/4} | 4 ⁵ | 4 ^{5 1/2} | 3 ^{3 1/4} |
| 2 | General Challenge | 7 ⁶ | 6 ^{7 1/2} | 5 ³ | 3 ^{3 1/2} | 3 ^{3 1/2} | 4 ^{3 3/4} |
| 3 | Euchre | 5 ⁴ | 5 ^{7 1/2} | 6 ^{3 1/4} | 6 ⁶ | 5 ⁸ | 5 ^{11 3/4} |
| 7 | Forty One Carats | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ¹ | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 7 ¹⁰ | 6 ¹¹ | 6 ^{14 1/4} |
| 1 | River Keen (IRE) | 4 ^{2 1/2} | 4 ⁴ | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ⁵ | 7 ¹¹ | 7 ^{21 1/4} |

Trainers: 5 - Frankel, Robert; 4 - Robbins, Jay; 6 - Walden, W.; 2 - Baffert, Bob; 3 - Frankel, Robert; 7 - Fawkes, David; 1 - Baffert, Bob

Owners: 5 - Juddmonte Farms, Inc.; 4 - Cooper, Michael and Straub-Rubens, Cecilia; 6 - Mark H. Stanley; 2 - Golden Eagle Farm; 3 - Stronach Stables; 7 - New, New, New and Hammer; 1 - Hugo Reynolds;

Footnotes

SKIMMING sped to the early lead off the rail, angled in approaching the first turn, set the pace along the rail, inched away on the backstretch, kicked clear leaving the second turn and proved best under a crack of the whip and energetic handling. TIZNOW chased the leaders a bit off the rail early, split horses leaving the backstretch, loomed a threat behind the winner on the second turn but could not catch that one while second best. ECTON PARK settled outside a rival early, angled in on the backstretch, moved up inside on the second turn, came out into the stretch and just got third. GENERAL CHALLENGE settled inside, came off the rail on the backstretch and moved up, went between rivals into and on the second turn and lacked the needed late response. EUCHRE was reserved off the rail early, went up four wide into and on the second turn and into the stretch but weakened in the drive. FORTY ONE CARATS forced the early pace outside the winner, stalked that one off the rail on the backstretch, dropped back approaching the second turn, drifted out on that bend and gave way. RIVER KEEN (IRE) taken off the inside on the first turn, stalked outside the runner-up, went three deep with a move forward leaving the backstretch, dropped back on the second turn, drifted inward into the stretch and also gave way.