

GOLDEN GATE FIELDS - June 14, 2008 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 117 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

Claiming Price \$4,000. (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$4,000

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Now Victory - 1:42.15 - December 26, 2007)

Purse: \$9,000

Plus: \$1,320 Other Sources

Available Money: \$10,320

Value of Race: \$10,320 1st \$5,400, 2nd \$1,800, 3rd \$1,080, 4th \$540, 5th \$300, 6th \$300, 7th \$300, 8th \$300, 9th \$300

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:16 **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 |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---|-----|-----|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 18May08 ² GG ² | 8 | Reach For Gold (GB) (Gomez, Eulices) | 123 | BL | bf | 8 1 | 4 ¹ 1/2 | 4 ¹ | 3 ^{Head} | 3 ⁴ | 1 ¹ | 1.60* | shifted 2w 1/4p, drvng |
| 25May08 ⁵ GG ¹⁰ | 3 | Excess Taxes (Ayarza, Jorge) | 123 | BL | b | 3 2 | 1 ¹ | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 1 ⁴ | 1 ³ 1/2 | 2 ^{3/4} | 18.80 | drifted out stretch |
| 14May08 ⁵ GG ² | 7 | Rocket Plus (Baze, Russell) | 117 | BL | | 7 3 | 3 ¹ | 3 ⁴ | 2 ² 1/2 | 2 ^{Head} | 3 ³ 1/2 | 2.00 | stlkd rail, outfnshd |
| 14May08 ⁵ GG ¹ | 2 | Seeking the Wins (Alvarado, Frank) | 123 | BL | b | 2 8 | 8 ² | 8 ² | 6 ¹ | 4 ² | 4 ³ | 13.20 | 2w 2nd trn, mild gain |
| 26May08 ⁴ GG ² | 1 | Lofty M. D. (Martinez, Luis) | 123 | BL | f | 1 9 | 9 | 9 | 8 ³ | 5 ¹ | 5 ² | 4.20 | 3w 2nd trn, came on |
| 25May08 ⁵ GG ⁸ | 9 | Tom's Defense (Lopez, David) | 123 | BL | bf | 9 6 | 5 ¹ | 5 ¹ 1/2 | 5 ¹ | 6 ² | 6 ^{3/4} | 43.80 | svd grnd 2nd turn |
| 26May08 ⁴ GG ⁴ | 5 | I'm Jackie's Boy (Antongeorgi III, William) | 123 | BL | b | 5 7 | 7 ¹ | 7 ^{Head} | 7 ^{1/2} | 7 ¹ | 7 ⁵ | 12.80 | showed little |
| 14May08 ⁵ GG ⁵ | 6 | Skippyjon Jones (Ochoa, Juan) | 123 | BL | bf | 6 4 | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{Head} | 4 ³ | 8 ² 1/2 | 8 ¹ | 24.00 | stlkd outside, stopped |
| 27Apr08 ⁷ BM ⁵ | 4 | Dino and Tony (Landeros, Adan) | 123 | BL | | 4 5 | 6 ² | 6 ¹ 1/2 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 36.10 | svd grnd to no avail |

Fractional Times: 23.96 48.25 1:12.15 1:39.07 **Final Time:** 1:46.29

Split Times: (24:29) (23:90) (26:92) (7:22)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Reach For Gold (GB), Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Danehill out of Way O'Gold, by Slew o' Gold. Foaled Mar 30, 2002 in Great Britain.

Breeder: Middle Park Stud Ltd. **Winning Owner:** Jennifer Craigmyle

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Reach For Gold (GB)** New Trainer: Jamey R. Thomas New Owner: Myles McMahon

Claiming Prices: 8 - Reach For Gold (GB): \$4,000; 3 - Excess Taxes: \$4,000; 7 - Rocket Plus: \$4,000; 2 - Seeking the Wins: \$4,000; 1 - Lofty M. D.: \$4,000; 9 - Tom's Defense: \$4,000; 5 - I'm Jackie's Boy: \$4,000; 6 - Skippyjon Jones: \$4,000; 4 - Dino and Tony: \$4,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$180,353

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payout | Pool |
|-----|---------------------|------|-------|------|---------------------|-------------------|----------|---------|
| 8 | Reach For Gold (GB) | 5.20 | 3.60 | 2.80 | \$1.00 Exacta | 8-3 | 40.90 | 115,822 |
| 3 | Excess Taxes | | 15.40 | 7.00 | \$1.00 Trifecta | 8-3-7 | 139.40 | 119,679 |
| 7 | Rocket Plus | | | 2.60 | \$1.00 Superfecta | 8-3-7-2 | 1,075.50 | 76,340 |
| | | | | | \$1.00 Pick 3 | 6-2-8 (3 correct) | 105.20 | 21,749 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Daily Double | 2-8 | 85.40 | 7,167 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Quinella | 3-8 | 69.80 | 10,095 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|---------------------|-------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 8 | Reach For Gold (GB) | 1 | 4 ³ | 4 ⁵ 1/2 | 3 ⁶ 1/2 | 3 ³ 1/2 | 1 ¹ |
| 3 | Excess Taxes | 2 | 1 ¹ | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 1 ⁴ | 1 ³ 1/2 | 2 ¹ |
| 7 | Rocket Plus | 3 | 3 ² | 3 ¹ 1/2 | 2 ⁴ | 2 ³ 1/2 | 3 ¹ 3/4 |
| 2 | Seeking the Wins | 8 | 8 ⁸ 1/2 | 8 ⁹ 3/4 | 6 ¹⁰ 1/2 | 4 ⁷ 1/2 | 4 ⁵ 1/4 |
| 1 | Lofty M. D. | 9 | 9 ¹⁰ 1/2 | 9 ¹¹ 3/4 | 8 ¹² | 5 ⁹ 1/2 | 5 ⁸ 1/4 |
| 9 | Tom's Defense | 6 | 5 ⁴ 1/2 | 5 ⁶ 1/2 | 5 ⁹ 1/2 | 6 ¹⁰ 1/2 | 6 ¹⁰ 1/4 |
| 5 | I'm Jackie's Boy | 7 | 7 ⁷ 1/2 | 7 ⁹ 1/2 | 7 ¹¹ 1/2 | 7 ¹² 1/2 | 7 ¹¹ |
| 6 | Skippyjon Jones | 4 | 2 ¹ | 2 ¹ 1/2 | 4 ⁶ 1/2 | 8 ¹³ 1/2 | 8 ¹⁶ |
| 4 | Dino and Tony | 5 | 6 ⁵ 1/2 | 6 ⁸ | 9 ¹⁵ | 9 ¹⁶ | 9 ¹⁷ |

Trainers: 8 - Craigmyle, Keith; 3 - Miranda, Efrain; 7 - Morey, William; 2 - Lenzini, Michael; 1 - Perez, Ricardo; 9 - Markle, Dan; 5 - Trujillo, Eddie; 6 - Belvoir, Howard; 4 - Bellasis, Tim

Owners: 8 - Jennifer Craigmyle; 3 - Bazan, Miguel A. and Miranda, Efrain; 7 - Newman, Roger and Cindy; 2 - Switter, Art and Betty; 1 - Moises Frias; 9 - Hour, Hour, Koval and Orr; 5 - Robyn Briones; 6 - Belvoir, Howard and Hoppe, Harley; 4 - Dino P. Bongi;

Footnotes

REACH FOR GOLD (GB) was not asked for speed early but crossed to the rail into the first turn and gain a favorable striking position, remained inside on the second turn while commencing his bid, shifted around ROCKET PLUS near the quarter pole, rallied steadily and was up late. EXCESS TAXES was hustled to the early lead and set all of the pace from off the rail, took his longest lead on the second turn and into the stretch but drifted out in the lane and gave up the advantage. ROCKET PLUS raced up from the outside into the first turn but shifted to the rail and tracked the pace, continued to save ground on the second turn and was outfinished by the winner. SEEKING THE WINS was void of early speed from the inside early, advanced two wide on the second turn but lacked the needed response. LOFTY M. D. trailed to the second turn, came three wide to the stretch and passed tiring horses. TOM'S DEFENSE settled early and was sent up three wide to the backstretch, saved ground on the second turn but failed to respond. I'M JACKIE'S BOY was never a factor. SKIPPYJON JONES stalked the pace from the outside to the second turn and gave out. DINO AND TONY saved ground early but fell back steadily.