

GOLDEN GATE FIELDS - December 17, 2011 - Race 1

STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$40,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 119 lbs. (One win for \$12,500 or less will not be considered when determining eligibility).

(NW2 L X) **Claiming Price:** \$40,000 - \$0

Six Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Mah Gellin - 1:08.23 - January 24, 2016)

Purse: \$18,000

Plus: \$2,160 CBOIF - California Bred Owner Fund

Plus: \$260 Other Sources

Available Money: \$20,420

Value of Race: \$20,420 1st \$12,960, 2nd \$3,600, 3rd \$2,160, 4th \$1,080, 5th \$360, 6th \$260

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:47 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
3Dec11 ² GG ²	1	Habit Forming (Gryder, Aaron)	119	L b	1	5	1 ²	1 ²	1 ²	1 ³ 1/4	1.40*	set pace 2w, driving
5Nov11 ³ GG ²	4	London Square (Kriger, Kevin)	119	L	4	1	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ¹ / ₂	2.00	svd grnd,no threat 2d
11Nov11 ⁶ GG ¹	3	Mattie Blue (Camacho-Flores, Leonel)	119	L	3	6	6	5 ²	4 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	17.80	fanned 4w, no rally
1Dec11 ⁵ GG ¹	6	Quinnette (Alvarado, Frank)	119	L	6	2	4 ¹ / ₂	4 ¹ / ₂	6	4 ^{Head}	20.10	tracked 3w, empty
3Dec11 ² GG ³	2	Hard to Please (Hernandez, Juan)	119	L	2	4	5 ¹	6	5 ¹ / ₂	5 ^{Nose}	2.90	svd grnd to no avail
18Nov11 ⁵ GG ¹	5	Runfasterelse (Baze, Russell)	119	L	5	3	2 ²	2 ² 1/2	3 ¹ / ₂	6	10.70	pressed 3w, tired

Fractional Times: 22.40 45.75 57.75

Final Time: 1:10.23

Split Times: (23:35) (12:00) (12:48)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Habit Forming, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Popular out of Catalass, by Tabasco Cat. Foaled Mar 29, 2009 in California.

Breeder: Dr. & Mrs. William T. Gray.

Winning Owner: Melkonian, Marilyn and Anthony

Total WPS Pool: \$53,052

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Habit Forming	4.80	3.00	2.40	\$1.00 Exacta	1-4	6.50	30,161
4	London Square		3.40	2.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	1-4-3	41.60	27,527
3	Mattie Blue			4.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	1-4-3-6	172.30	18,564
					\$2.00 Quinella	1-4	6.60	2,411

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Habit Forming	5	1 ²	1 ²	1 ²	1 ³ 1/4
4	London Square	1	3 ⁴	3 ⁴ 1/2	2 ²	2 ³ 1/4
3	Mattie Blue	6	6 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁵	4 ³ 1/2	3 ³ 3/4
6	Quinnette	2	4 ⁴	4 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁶	4 ⁵ 1/4
2	Hard to Please	4	5 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁷	5 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁵ 1/4
5	Runfasterelse	3	2 ²	2 ²	3 ³	6 ⁵ 1/2

Trainers: 1 - Sherman, Steve; 4 - Sherman, Steve; 3 - Markle, Dan; 6 - McCanna, Tim; 2 - Hansen, Roger; 5 - Amescua, Rene

Owners: 1 - Melkonian, Marilyn and Anthony; 4 - Block, Louis and Sherman, Steve; 3 - Glenn Sears; 6 - Barbara Eakin; 2 - Kjell H. Qvale; 5 - Matthew Scott Stiteler;

Footnotes

HABIT FORMING broke a bit sluggishly then pulled to the front in the opening furlong, set all the pace from off the rail to the stretch then responded and raced clear under steady urging. LONDON SQUARE chased the winner to the turn, saved ground to the stretch but could not make an impact in the drive while saving second. MATTIE BLUE had no speed, was fanned out four deep to the stretch then lacked the needed late response. QUINNETTE tracked the pace to the turn, bid two then three wide to the stretch but came up empty when roused. HARD TO PLEASE saved ground to no avail. RUNFASTERELSE pressed the pace three wide to the stretch then tired.