

GULFSTREAM PARK - March 11, 2012 - Race 6



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a race since February 11 Allowed 2 lbs. A race since January 11 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000, For Each \$2,500 To \$20,000 1 lb. (Races Where Entered For \$20,000 Or Less Not Considered) (Registered Florida Breds Preferred). **Claiming Price:** \$25,000 - \$20,000

Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Forest Danger - 1:14.44 - February 14, 2005)

Purse: \$36,925

Includes: \$8,125 FOA - Florida Owners Awards

Available Money: \$36,925

Value of Race: \$29,613 1st \$17,280, 2nd \$6,048, 3rd \$3,981, 4th \$1,440, 5th \$288, 6th \$288, 7th \$288

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:39 **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
5Feb12 ³ GP ²	6	Town of Towns (Samuel, Jalon)	119	L	6	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ⁵	1 ^{1/2}	3.20	all out, prevailed
27Jan12 ¹ GP ⁵	7	Strapping Groom (Prado, Edgar)	119	L b	7	6	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{3 1/4}	7.00	3 wide, outfinished
27Jan12 ¹ GP ⁶	1	Wildcat Frankie (Saez, Luis)	119	L f	1	3	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3 3/4}	5.20	gave way
15Jan12 ⁷ GP ¹	3	My Golden Opinion (Maragh, Rajiv)	119	L b	3	5	4 ²	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ³	4 ^{1 3/4}	2.90	bumped, steadied start
9Feb12 ³ GP ⁶	2	Peace At Dawn (Lopez, Paco)	119	L	2	4	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ¹	6 ³	5 ^{3/4}	9.60	bumped hard start
17Nov11 ³ CD ¹	4	Lou Brissie (Leparoux, Julien)	119	L b	4	7	7	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{4 1/4}	2.40*	jammed back start
23Feb12 ⁷ GP ⁶	5	Rapid Runner (Bernardini, Daniel)	113 ⁷	L b	5	1	6 ¹	7	7	7	21.80	bumped, steadied start

Fractional Times: 22.90 45.21 1:09.17

Final Time: 1:15.56

Split Times: (22:31) (23:96) (6:39)

Run-Up: 45 feet

Winner: Town of Towns, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Speightstown out of Keepondealing, by Friendly Lover. Foaled Feb 20, 2008 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Stonecliff Farm. **Winning Owner:** Sir David Seale

1 Claimed Horse(s): Town of Towns

New Trainer: Christos Gatis

New Owner: Christos Gatis

Claiming Prices: 6 - Town of Towns: \$25,000; 7 - Strapping Groom: \$25,000; 1 - Wildcat Frankie: \$25,000; 3 - My Golden Opinion: \$25,000; 2 - Peace At Dawn: \$25,000; 4 - Lou Brissie: \$25,000; 5 - Rapid Runner: \$25,000;

Scratched Horse(s): My Charming Clyde (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$318,388

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Town of Towns	8.40	4.20	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	6-7	54.40	233,590
7	Strapping Groom		7.80	5.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	6-7-1	202.20	139,500
1	Wildcat Frankie			4.60	\$1.00 Superfecta	6-7-1-3	676.30	68,564
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-6	86.60	34,298
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-5-6 (3 correct)	123.90	53,865

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Town of Towns	2	2 ¹	3 ²	3 ¹	1 ^{1/2}
7	Strapping Groom	6	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
1	Wildcat Frankie	3	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3 3/4}
3	My Golden Opinion	5	4 ²	4 ³	4 ⁶	4 ^{7 1/2}
2	Peace At Dawn	4	5 ⁴	6 ^{7 1/2}	6 ⁹	5 ^{9 1/4}
4	Lou Brissie	7	7 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}	5 ⁹	6 ¹⁰
5	Rapid Runner	1	6 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}	7 ¹²	7 ^{14 1/4}

Trainers: 6 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 7 - Domino, Carl; 1 - Fawkes, David; 3 - Walder, Peter; 2 - Wolfson, Milton; 4 - Maker, Michael; 5 - Bezara, Agustin

Owners: 6 - Sir David Seale; 7 - Kinsman Stable; 1 - Monarch Stables, Inc.; 3 - Michael Dubb; 2 - Stride Rite Racing Stable, Friedfertig, Steven and Thaw, Norman; 4 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 5 - Love, Rose and Howard;

Footnotes

TOWN OF TOWNS chased the pace off the rail, rallied inside the leaders to take over approaching the sixteenth pole and was all out to prevail. STRAPPING GROOM chased the pace three wide, rallied to gain a slim lead in the stretch but couldn't resist the winner while continuing on with good courage. WILDCAT FRANKIE showed speed off the rail, came out a bit entering the stretch and gave way. MY GOLDEN OPINION bumped and steadied from between rivals at the start, tracked the leaders along the inside to nearing the stretch, then tired. PEACE AT DAWN rated off the pace after bumping hard with MY GOLDEN OPINION at the start, faltered. LOU BRISSIE was no factor after being jammed back at the start. RAPID RUNNER was done early after being steadied when he bumped soundly with LOU BRISSIE at the start.