

GULFSTREAM PARK - April 6, 2014 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR THREE YEAR OLDS. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500 (Registered Florida Breds Preferred). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$12,500

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Big Drama - 1:08.12 - January 15, 2011)

Purse: \$18,000

Includes: \$3,000 FOA - Florida Owners Awards

Available Money: \$18,000

Value of Race: \$15,900 1st \$9,000, 2nd \$3,900, 3rd \$1,950, 4th \$750, 5th \$150, 6th \$150

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:37 **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
13Mar14 ³ GP ²	5	Optionality (Lopez, Paco)	123	L	bf	5 1	3 ¹	4 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1.10*	dueled, prevailed
21Feb14 ⁴ GP ⁴	1	Take a Hint (Saez, Gabriel)	123	L	b	1 5	4 ¹	5 ⁴	3 ²	2 ^{Nose}	6.10	swung out, late rally
28Feb14 ⁹ GP ⁴	6	No Fruit Degroote (Caraballo, Jose)	118	L	b	6 4	5 ³	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/4}	2.70	brief lead 1/4 pole
19Mar14 ⁵ GP ⁷	4	Celtics Stride (Leyva, Juan)	123	L		4 6	6	6	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{7 3/4}	8.20	steadied after start
16Mar14 ⁵ GP ⁷	3	Dreaming of Joey (Olivero, Carlos)	123	L	bf	3 2	2 ¹	3 ^{Head}	6	5 ^{3 3/4}	11.20	off rail, weakened
16Mar14 ⁵ GP ⁴	2	Ray's Back (Jaen, Abdiel)	118	L	b	2 3	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	6	5.90	saved ground, tired

Fractional Times: 22.21 45.60 58.61

Final Time: 1:12.57

Split Times: (23:39) (13:01) (13:96)

Run-Up: 15 feet

Winner: Optionality, Chestnut Gelding, by More Than Ready out of Trippi Street, by Trippi. Foaled Apr 10, 2009 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Gulf Coast Farms, LLC. **Winning Owner:** Premier Stables Unlimited

4 Claimed Horse(s):	No Fruit Degroote	New Trainer: Aubrey A. Maragh	New Owner: White Wabbit Wacing LLC
	Optionality	New Trainer: Patricia Farro	New Owner: Patricia Farro
	Ray's Back	New Trainer: Marcos Fernandez	New Owner: Aquino Stable
	Take a Hint	New Trainer: Jorge Navarro	New Owner: Finish Line Farms

Claiming Prices: 5 - Optionality: \$12,500; 1 - Take a Hint: \$12,500; 6 - No Fruit Degroote: \$12,500; 4 - Celtics Stride: \$12,500; 3 - Dreaming of Joey: \$12,500; 2 - Ray's Back: \$12,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$99,580

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Optionality	4.20	2.60	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	5-1	23.00	97,757
1	Take a Hint		5.00	3.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-1-6	27.70	60,137
6	No Fruit Degroote			2.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-1-6-4	8.47	31,884
					\$2.00 Daily Double	7-5	12.00	41,570

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Optionality	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Neck}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}
1	Take a Hint	5	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/4}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}
6	No Fruit Degroote	4	5 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}
4	Celtics Stride	6	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}
3	Dreaming of Joey	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	6 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{9 1/2}
2	Ray's Back	3	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ³	6 ^{13 1/4}

Trainers: 5 - Navarro, Jorge; 1 - Carvajal, Jr., Luis; 6 - Griffith, Ricky; 4 - Kaplan, William; 3 - Sano, Antonio; 2 - Pompay, Teresa

Owners: 5 - Premier Stables Unlimited; 1 - Raymond Mamone; 6 - Debmar Stables; 4 - Norman Stables, LLC; 3 - Diana Racing Stable; 2 - My Purple Haze Stables LLC;

Footnotes

OPTIONALITY chased the speed three wide into the stretch, took over, dueled then prevailed under urging. TAKE A HINT stalked the pace along the inside, swung out for the stretch run and rallied belatedly to get up for the place. NO FRUIT DEGROOTE well placed four wide, took a brief lead at the quarter pole, dueled and gave way. CELTICS STRIDE steadied after the start, was slow after that then rallied belatedly. DREAMING OF JOEY pressed the pace off the rail and weakened in the drive. RAY'S BACK set the pace under pressure saving ground and tired in the drive.