

**LONE STAR PARK - June 8, 2012 - Race 1**

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$390 Open ATB) FOR TEXAS ACCREDITED THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON

TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. (SNW2 L) **Claiming Price: \$5,000**

Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Joyful Tune - 56.25 - May 5, 2002)

**Purse: \$6,500**

**Available Money: \$6,500**

**Value of Race:** \$6,500 1st \$3,720, 2nd \$1,240, 3rd \$682, 4th \$372, 5th \$186, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 6:35 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
13May12 <sup>8</sup> LS <sup>2</sup>	5	Grand Casa (Villafan, Roberto)	122 f	4	1	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	6.10	off rail, strong urging
27May12 <sup>8</sup> LS <sup>4</sup>	2	Up for a Rodeo (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	113 <sup>5</sup> L f	1	4	4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	7.80	chased, second best
20May12 <sup>8</sup> LS <sup>1</sup>	6	Tuff Ruhl (Wade, Lindey)	118 L	5	6	6 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/4	6.00	lacked needed response
27May12 <sup>8</sup> LS <sup>5</sup>	1	Jones Player (Quinonez, Luis)	118 L	6	3	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>Neck</sup>	0.40*	4-5w turn, 6w into lane
4May12 <sup>1</sup> LS <sup>1</sup>	1A	Native Bid (Chapa, Roman)	118 L	8	8	7 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup> 4	0.40*	last away, 2-3w turn
27May12 <sup>8</sup> LS <sup>7</sup>	4	Witt's Midway (Mora, Gerardo)	113 <sup>5</sup> L b	3	2	2 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	11.70	4w turn, 5w into lane
24May12 <sup>1</sup> LS <sup>8</sup>	7	Witt's Road (Arellano, Ivan)	118 L	7	7	8	8	8	7 <sup>2</sup> 3/4	48.20	2-3w turn, no factor
19May12 <sup>8</sup> LS <sup>6</sup>	3	Smokinlex (Morales, Benito)	118 L b	2	5	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>2</sup>	8	28.50	chased, 3w turn, empty

**Fractional Times:** 22.84 46.23

**Final Time:** 58.44

**Split Times:** (23:39) (12:21)

**Run-Up:** 30 feet

**Winner:** Grand Casa, Chestnut Gelding, by Seeking a Home out of Grand Amy, by Naturals Grand. Foaled Feb 15, 2004 in Texas.

**Breeder:** Rose Mary Chandler. **Winning Owner:** Pedro B. Rodriguez

**2 Claimed Horse(s):** **Native Bid**  
**Tuff Ruhl**

New Trainer: Nathan D. Hatcher  
New Trainer: Cary R. White

New Owner: Four Seasons Stables  
New Owner: Geneva Holmes

**Claiming Prices:** 5 - Grand Casa: \$5,000; 2 - Up for a Rodeo: \$5,000; 6 - Tuff Ruhl: \$5,000; 1 - Jones Player: \$5,000; 1A - Native Bid: \$5,000; 4 - Witt's Midway: \$5,000; 7 - Witt's Road: \$5,000; 3 - Smokinlex: \$5,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$25,249

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Grand Casa	14.20	11.00	6.20	\$2.00 Exacta	5-2	78.60	13,018
2	Up for a Rodeo		14.00	8.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	5-2-6	296.20	11,809
6	Tuff Ruhl			5.20	\$2.00 Superfecta	5-2-6-1	393.80	10,175

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
5	Grand Casa	1	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup> 1/4
2	Up for a Rodeo	4	4 <sup>1</sup> 3/4	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup> 1/4
6	Tuff Ruhl	6	6 <sup>2</sup> 3/4	5 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>6</sup>
1	Jones Player	3	5 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	6 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>7</sup> 1/4
1A	Native Bid	8	7 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	7 <sup>5</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>7</sup> 1/2
4	Witt's Midway	2	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>8</sup> 1/4
7	Witt's Road	7	8 <sup>6</sup> 1/4	8 <sup>6</sup>	8 <sup>8</sup>	7 <sup>10</sup> 1/2
3	Smokinlex	5	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>6</sup>	8 <sup>13</sup> 1/4

**Trainers:** 5 - Salazar, Steven; 2 - Delany, Sarah; 6 - Pish, Danny; 1 - Asmussen, Steven; 1A - Asmussen, Steven; 4 - Willis, Mindy; 7 - Barton, Amanda; 3 - Ray, Jr., Jimmy

**Owners:** 5 - Pedro B. Rodriguez; 2 - Sarah Delany; 6 - Michelle Love; 1 - Asmussen, Keith and McCarty, Mike; 1a - Asmussen, Keith and McCarty, Mike; 4 - David Tyson; 7 - Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 3 - Frances Hessee;

**Footnotes**

GRAND CASA showed good speed, set the pace while off the rail, controlled the action on the turn, responded well in upper stretch and proved best under strong urging. UP FOR A RODEO chased the pace, raced off the rail early on the turn, dropped to the inside near the five-sixteenths pole, saved ground into the stretch, pursued the winner into the final furlong and was second best. TUFF RUHL was urged along while off the pace, raced inside on the turn, moved off the rail near the quarter-pole and lacked the needed response while able to get the show. JONES PLAYER chased the pace on the outside, raced five then four wide on the turn, shifted six wide into the stretch and weakened. NATIVE BID came out at the start, was last away, raced towards the rear while ridden along, went two to three wide on the turn and failed to threaten. WITT'S MIDWAY chased the pace, raced four wide on the turn, drifted five wide into the stretch and tired. WITT'S ROAD settled at the back, was urged along while two to three wide on the turn and was no factor. SMOKINLEX chased the pace, raced three wide on the turn and came up empty.