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**SUNLAND PARK - January 1, 2013 - Race 8**

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED NEW MEXICO BRED FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$5,000 OR LESS IN 2012-2013 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$7,500. Four Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500.

(S) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Key's Band - 49.43 - March 21, 2009)

**Purse:** \$14,600

**Includes:** \$3,000 NMHBA - New Mexico Horse Breeders Assoc.

**Available Money:** \$14,600

**Value of Race:** \$14,600 1st \$8,760, 2nd \$3,066, 3rd \$1,460, 4th \$584, 5th \$292, 6th \$146, 7th \$73, 8th \$73, 9th \$73, 9th \$73

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

**Off at:** 3:16 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22Dec12 <sup>6</sup> SUN <sup>6</sup>	1	El Gran Cognac (Tohill, Ken)	122	L b	1	2	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3/4</sup>	2.60*	split foes 3wd,in time
1Dec12 <sup>9</sup> ZIA <sup>3</sup>	5	Verny (Bell, Derek)	124	L b	5	5	3 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	4.40	4 wide turn, closing
1Dec12 <sup>8</sup> ZIA <sup>4</sup>	2	Comic Smarty Cat (Shepherd, Justin)	124	L bk	2	4	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3/4</sup>	4.40	jostld early,wknd insd
3Dec12 <sup>7</sup> ZIA <sup>1</sup>	4	Wild N Precocius (Cardenas, Isaias)	124	L b	4	1	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	5.00	2wd into strh,not enuf
18Dec12 <sup>9</sup> SUN <sup>7</sup>	7	High Rocker (Wales, Travis)	124	L b	7	9	8 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	48.30	2-4w turn,altered late
26Aug12 <sup>8</sup> ALB <sup>3</sup>	9	Legal Storm (Rodriguez, Macario)	122	L b	9	3	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Nose</sup>	5.10	4-5wide turn, mild bid
2Dec12 <sup>11</sup> ZIA <sup>3</sup>	3	Maybe to Fast (Perez, Miguel)	124	L b	3	8	6 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	10.90	stedied early,insd bid
9Dec12 <sup>5</sup> SUN <sup>4</sup>	6	Chasing Our Dreams (Velazquez, Brayan)	119 <sup>5</sup>	b	6	6	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	22.70	4-6wd turn, mild gain
2Dec12 <sup>11</sup> ZIA <sup>9</sup>	8	Mamie's Pride (Medellin, Alejandro)	122	L bf	8	10	10	9 <sup>Head</sup>	9	9.60	lost ground, mild gain
16Dec12 <sup>11</sup> SUN <sup>6</sup>	10	Full of Action (Shepherd, Dusty)	124	L bf	10	7	9 <sup>Head</sup>	10	9	37.70	5-7wide turn,mild gain

**Fractional Times:** 21.97 45.24

**Final Time:** 51.46

**Split Times:** (23:27) (6:22)

**Run-Up:** 44 feet

**Winner:** El Gran Cognac, Chestnut Gelding, by Roll Hennessy Roll out of C C F Finesse, by Royal Hibernian. Foaled Apr 19, 2009 in New Mexico.

**Breeder:** Smokey Springs Thoroughbreds, LLC. **Winning Owner:** Olivier, Art and Robin and Wolochuk, David

**1 Claimed Horse(s):** **Legal Storm** New Trainer: Kris Fullerton New Owner: Hauschild, Sylvia and Vernon R.

**Claiming Prices:** 1 - El Gran Cognac: \$7,500; 2 - Comic Smarty Cat: \$7,500; 7 - High Rocker: \$7,500; 9 - Legal Storm: \$7,500;

**Dead Heats:** 9th place - # 8 Mamie's Pride  
9th place - #10 Full of Action

**Total WPS Pool:** \$17,936

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	El Gran Cognac	7.20	4.20	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	1-5	20.10	14,886
5	Verny		6.00	4.00	\$1.00 Trifecta	1-5-2	81.60	11,668
2	Comic Smarty Cat			2.80	\$1.00 Superfecta	1-5-2-4	363.00	9,102

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
1	El Gran Cognac	2	4 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3/4</sup>
5	Verny	5	3 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>3/4</sup>
2	Comic Smarty Cat	4	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>
4	Wild N Precocius	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>2 3/4</sup>
7	High Rocker	9	8 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
9	Legal Storm	3	5 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>4 3/4</sup>
3	Maybe to Fast	8	6 <sup>10</sup>	5 <sup>6</sup>	7 <sup>4 3/4</sup>
6	Chasing Our Dreams	6	7 <sup>12</sup>	8 <sup>8 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>6</sup>
8	Mamie's Pride	10	10 <sup>15 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>11 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>9 1/4</sup>
10	Full of Action	7	9 <sup>15 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>11 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>9 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 1 - Wolochuk, David; 5 - Green, Greg; 2 - Zamora, Jamie; 4 - Smith, Paul; 7 - Lemons, Johnathan; 9 - Danley, Fred; 3 - Hielscher, Larita; 6 - Burelsmith, Jr., Emmitt; 8 - Ervin, Raymond; 10 - Boyd, Lawrence

**Owners:** 1 - Olivier, Art and Robin and Wolochuk, David; 5 -Willard Burbach; 2 - Pesikan and Kilgroe Stables; 4 -Andrew T. Smith; 7 -Johnathan Lemons; 9 -R. D. Hubbard; 3 -Larita Rae Hielscher; 6 -Emmitt B. Burelsmith, Jr.; 8 - Negley, Wayne J. and Joyce A.; 10 -Bill McCall;

**Footnotes**

EL GRAN COGNAC bumped with COMIC SMARTY CAT shortly after the break, was just off the inside on the turn, altered out three wide for a clear path nearing the eighth pole, split rivals with a sixteenth to go and edged ahead in the waning yards. VERNY forwardly placed outside the early speed, was four wide taking the turn, rallied deep stretch but was outfinished in a game try. COMIC SMARTY CAT bumped and jostled between horses shortly after the start, quickly recovered, moved ahead just off the inside on the turn, took the rail for the drive and slowly weakened the last sixteenth. WILD N PRECOCIUS prominent just outside COMIC SMARTY CAT, also gradually wore down deep stretch. HIGH ROCKER without early speed, was just off the inside on the turn, swung four wide into the lane, altered out deep stretch for a clear path and was closing the gap. LEGAL STORM hustled along while toward the outside, was four then five wide taking the bend, drifted out some after entering the last eighth, was corrected and made up ground too late. MAYBE TO FAST jostled with COMIC SMARTY CAT shortly after the start then gradually progressed from inside. CHASING OUR DREAMS without early speed, was four to six wide through the turn then made up ground through the lane without threatening. MAMIE'S PRIDE void of speed, was widest taking the turn and lacked a significant stretch response. FULL OF ACTION without speed, running just inside MAMIE'S PRIDE most of the way, also failed to menace.