

SANTA ANITA PARK - May 12, 2024 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$18,000 ONCE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$100,000. Weight, 122 lbs. Claiming Price \$100,000. (NW1\$ X) **Claiming Price:** \$100,000

Distance: One And One Eighth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Kostroma (IRE) - 1:43.92 - October 20, 1991)

Purse: \$55,000


Plus: \$16,500 CBOIF - California Bred Owner Fund

Available Money: \$71,500

Value of Race: \$55,000 1st \$33,000, 2nd \$11,000, 3rd \$6,600, 4th \$3,300, 5th \$1,100

Weather: Clear, 81° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 1:01 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
10Mar24 ³ SA ²	5	Final Boss (Hernandez, Juan)	122	L b	5	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/4	1.90	ins,cleard,held gamely
29Mar24 ⁸ SA ²	1	Moonlit Sonata (Franco, Geovanni)	122	L b	1	2	3 ² 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ²	3 ² 1/2	2 ^{Neck}	1.70*	waitd ins,bid btwn str
29Mar24 ⁸ SA ³	2	El Rey Rey (Ayuso, Armando) 	122	L	2	3	5	5	5	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ³ 1/4	1.80	ins,gain3w2nd,bid3deep
24Jan24 ³ TAM ¹	4	Jack Kerouac (Laprida, Jeremy)	122	L b	4	5	4 ²	4 ²	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	4 ⁴ 1/4	14.60	ins-2w,traffc into str
6Apr24 ⁶ GG ²	3	Grogu (Frey, Kyle)	122	L bf	3	4	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ¹	5	5	16.00	keen,prssd outsd,wknd

Fractional Times: 23.71 47.89 1:11.91 1:36.17

Final Time: 1:48.28

Split Times: (24:18) (24:02) (24:26) (12:11)

Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Final Boss, Chestnut Colt, by American Pharoah out of Screaming Skylar, by Smart Strike. Foaled Apr 16, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Rockingham Ranch

Owner: Talla Racing LLC and West Point Thoroughbreds

Trainer: Sadler, John

Total WPS Pool: \$145,725

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Final Boss	5.80	3.00	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	5-1	8.30	49,534
1	Moonlit Sonata		3.00	2.10	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-1-2	9.20	40,953
2	El Rey Rey			2.10				

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Final Boss	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/4
1	Moonlit Sonata	2	3 ²	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	2 ¹ 1/4
2	El Rey Rey	3	5 ⁶ 1/2	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁵	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2
4	Jack Kerouac	5	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	4 ⁴ 3/4
3	Grogu	4	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁹

Trainers: 5 - Sadler, John; 1 - Yakteen, Tim; 2 - Mullins, Jeff; 4 - D'Amato, Philip; 3 - Troy, Matthew

Owners: 5 - Talla Racing LLC and West Point Thoroughbreds; 1 - Soma Racing Stables LLC; 2 - Fihn Holdings, Inc., Irving Ventures LLC, Arthur, Michelle, Ferguson Babcock, Geraldine and Tumanjan, Jeanne; 4 - Little Red Feather Racing and Romanik, David S.; 3 -Domenic Savides;

Footnotes

FINAL BOSS cleared and crossed over quickly, pressured from outside around the first turn, inched clear on the backstretch, pressured again by GROGU into the far turn, put that rival away on the far turn, asked right handed in upper stretch, met a pair of bids with a furlong left to run and edged clear once more in a game effort. MOONLIT SONATA stalked the pace from the fence, waited behind the leader on the far turn, tipped out at the top of the stretch and launched a bid between rivals, could not find the needed late kick to overtake the winner but stayed on to hold second. EL REY REY unhurried in the beginning and moved inside, came off the rail a bit leaving the clubhouse turn, trailed two wide leaving the backstretch, shifted out and was on the move three deep around the far turn, bid three deep at the eighth pole, lacked late punch and got edged for second. JACK KEROUAC settled off the pace and moved inside, shifted to the two path on the clubhouse turn and moved closer, chased out of range into the far turn, roused in the two path but lacked room behind a trio of rivals approaching the stretch, angled out into the clear and had little left for the drive. GROGU stalked outside a rival then tugged the rider forward and applied pressure to the leader from outside, lost touch with the pacesetter on the backstretch, reengaged into the far turn, lost touch around that bend and weakened down the lane.

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