

AQUEDUCT - February 14, 2026 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
(UP TO \$14,442 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$20,000 OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Claiming Since August 14, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. (NW1\$ X)
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Easy Goer - 1:32.40 - April 8, 1989)

Purse: \$83,000

Available Money: \$83,000

Value of Race: \$83,000 1st \$45,650, 2nd \$16,600, 3rd \$9,960, 4th \$4,980, 5th \$3,320, 6th \$830, 7th \$830, 8th \$830

Weather: Clear, 45° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:46 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
3Jan26 ⁶ AQU ⁴	2	Ranger Battalion (Cancel, Eric)	123	L b	2	4	7 ⁴ 1/2	7 ³	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁶ 1/2	1 ² 1/2	6.26	ins-4path turn,rallied
2Jan26 ⁴ AQU ¹	5	Shadow Banking (Rodriguez, Jaime)	123	L	4	1	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ⁴	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	4.98	bmp brk,ins turn,duel
3Jan26 ⁶ AQU ³	7	Tiger Twenty Four (Civaci, Sahin)	121	L b	6	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ⁵ 1/2	6.07	out,2path turn,duel
28Dec25 ⁵ AQU ¹	6	Bold Strength (Franco, Manuel)	123	L	5	5	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ² 1/2	4 ^{Nose}	1.06*	chsd 4-3p turn,wknd
23Jan26 ⁶ AQU ⁴	1	Smilensaycheese (Gomez, Jose)	121	L b	1	8	8	8	8	5 ^{1/2}	5 ³ 1/4	80.26	2-3path turn,mvd out
26Dec25 ³ AQU ⁵	9	Waitlist (Carmouche, Kendrick)	121	L b	8	7	6 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ¹² 3/4	4.81	4-5path turn,no threat
3Jan26 ⁸ AQU ⁷	4	Dettori (Silvera, Ruben)	123	L b	3	3	5 ²	5 ²	5 ⁴	7 ⁹	7 ⁴⁰ 3/4	17.31	bmp brk,ins turn,empty
13Dec25 ² AQU ⁷	8	Notah (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	121	L b	7	6	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	8	8	44.18	faltered,easd,wlkd off

Fractional Times: 23.06 46.36 1:11.42 1:24.66

Final Time: 1:38.79

Split Times: (23:30) (25:06) (13:24) (14:13)

Run-Up: 45 feet

Winner: Ranger Battalion, Bay Colt, by [Omaha Beach](#) out of Pretty Owl, by Into Mischief. Foaled Feb 14, 2022 in Kentucky.



Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift

Breeder: Peachtree Stable

Owner: Robert Pezzuti

Trainer: Rice, Linda

Scratched Horse(s): Brazenly (RegVet-Injured)

Total WPS Pool: \$299,705

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Ranger Battalion	14.52	6.16	4.00	\$1.00 Exacta	2-5	35.01	207,477
5	Shadow Banking		6.26	4.30	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-5-7	85.67	113,088
7	Tiger Twenty Four			4.48	\$1.00 Daily Double	1-2	42.61	30,257
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6-1-2 (3 correct)	511.57	24,596
					\$0.10 Superfecta	2-5-7-6	48.29	69,352

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Ranger Battalion	4	7 ⁴ 1/2	7 ⁴	3 ⁴	3 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2
5	Shadow Banking	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}
7	Tiger Twenty Four	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ² 1/2
6	Bold Strength	5	4 ¹	4 ¹	4 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁸	4 ⁸
1	Smilensaycheese	8	8 ⁹	8 ⁷	8 ¹¹	5 ¹⁰ 1/2	5 ⁸ 1/4
9	Waitlist	7	6 ³ 1/2	6 ³ 1/2	6 ¹⁰	6 ¹¹	6 ¹¹ 1/2
4	Dettori	3	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ⁶	7 ¹¹ 1/2	7 ²⁴ 1/4
8	Notah	6	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	7 ¹⁰ 1/2	8 ²⁰ 1/2	8 ⁶⁵

Trainers: 2 - Rice, Linda; 5 - Brown, Chad; 7 - Mott, William; 6 - Cox, Brad; 1 - DeLauro, Edward; 9 - Rice, Linda; 4 - Sharp, Joe; 8 - Maker, Michael

Owners: 2 -Robert Pezzuti; 5 - Klaravich Stables, Inc.; 7 - Peachtree Stable; 6 - Juddmonte; 1 -Neal Hayias; 9 - Alpha Phi Delta Racing; 4 -Carl R. Moore; 8 - Staudacher, David and Paradise Farms Corp.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

RANGER BATTALION was urged along well off the pace, gained while angling from the rail to the four path on the turn, rallied into the stretch, closed strongly to get the lead from the embattled due coming to the sixteenth-pole then moved clear and was eased up some in the final strides. SHADOW BANKING broke in and bumped with a foe, came in outside the seven-eighths pole and made light contact with a rival, prompted the pace on the inside of an opponent, drew even with the leader at the half-mile pole, vied inside on the turn, was roused late on that bend, dueled with TIGER TWENTY FOUR in the stretch, narrowly bested that opponent for the place but was overtaken by the winner. TIGER TWENTY FOUR brushed with a foe at the start, showed the way on the outside of a rival, vied in the two path on the turn, was roused late on that bend, dueled with the runner-up in the stretch and was outfinished by the winner then just missed the place but was clear for the show. BOLD STRENGTH was well placed just off the pace, moved out near the nine-sixteenths pole, chased in the four then three path on the turn and weakened. SMILENSAYCHEESE was grabbed some with the left-rein after the start, shifted out at the rear early, went around the turn in the two to three path, moved out in upper stretch and failed to threaten. WAITLIST was urged along on the outside, traveled around the turn in the four then five path and failed to threaten. DETTORI was bumped at the start then bumped lightly nearing the seven-eighths pole, established a good position under some urging, chased inside on the turn and came up empty. NOTAH brushed with a foe at the start then was hustled, moved up on the outside under urging then raced up close, came up empty in the two to three path on the turn then retreated, moved out in upper stretch and faltered then was eased but walked off.