

DEL MAR - August 2, 2026 - Race 9

STAKES California Thoroughbred Breeders' Association S. Black Type - Thoroughbred
FOR GOLDEN STATE SERIES ELIGIBLE CALIFORNIA BRED OR CALIFORNIA SIRED FILLIES, TWO YEARS OLD. By subscription of \$100 each, which shall accompany the nomination, Closed Thursday July 23,2026 with 9 or by supplementary nomination of \$1,000 each Closed with 1 (On Broadway) (non-Golden State Series eligible horses, \$25,000 to supplement -- which will make that horse eligible to all future Golden State Series Stakes) by closing time of entries. All horses to pay \$1,500 additional to start, with \$100,000 Guaranteed, of which \$57,000 to first, \$19,000 to second, \$12,000 to third, \$6,000 to fourth, \$4,000 to fifth and \$2,000 to sixth. Weight 122 lbs.; Non-winners of two races other than claiming allowed 2 lbs.; of a race other than claiming, 4 lbs. High weights preferred. Total earnings in non-claiming races will be used in determining the preference of horses with equal weights. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. (S)

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Speed Boat Beach - 1:01.86 - September 10, 2022)

Purse: \$100,000 Guaranteed

Includes: \$25,000 CBOIF - California Bred Owner Fund

Available Money: \$100,000

Value of Race: \$100,000 1st \$57,000, 2nd \$19,000, 3rd \$12,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$4,000, 6th \$2,000

Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 6:11 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Jun26 ⁷ CD ⁵	5	Free Closer (Hernandez, Juan)	120 --	5 4		3 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{8 1/4}	0.80*	surge clear,geared dwn
13Jun26 ⁷ SA ¹	6	Stay Bossy (Fresu, Antonio)	120 --	6 6		6	6	4 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 3/4}	9.40	3-2-4w,rally,best rest
17Jul26 ⁵ DMR ¹	3	Strident Miss (Kimura, Kazushi)	120 b	3 5		2 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/4}	9.10	bpd,press,chs2-3w,wkn
8May26 ⁵ SA ¹	1	Sentient Soon (Frey, Kyle)	120 --	1 1		1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁵	4 ^{4 1/4}	6.50	led ins,clear,weakened
27Jun26 ² LRC ¹	4	You Trust Me (Rosario, Joel)	120 --	4 3		4 ^{Head}	5 ^{3 1/2}	6	5 ^{3 1/2}	18.00	brk in/bpd,2-3w,tired
31May26 ⁴ SA ¹	2	Jolene Fury (Aguilar, Armando)	120 b	2 2		5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	6	2.70	chased inside, tired

Fractional Times: 21.77 45.39 57.83

Final Time: 1:04.40 **Time from Gate:** 1:07.46

Split Times: (23:62) (12:44) (6:57)

Run-Up: 90 feet

Winner: Free Closer, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Pavel out of No Closing Costs, by Twirling Candy. Foaled Mar 25, 2024 in California.

Breeder: Reddam Racing, LLC

Owner: Reddam Racing LLC

Trainer: McCarthy, Michael

Scratched Horse(s): On Broadway (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$352,200

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payout	Pool
5	Free Closer	3.60	2.60	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	5-6	10.80	169,578
6	Stay Bossy		6.40	3.60	\$2.00 Quinella	5-6	13.00	7,365
3	Strident Miss			3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-6-3	19.40	81,263
					\$0.10 Superfecta	5-6-3-1	8.79	48,780
					\$2.00 Daily Double	1-5	13.00	54,096
					\$0.50 Pick 3	5-1-5 (3 correct)	15.55	59,563

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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5	Free Closer	4	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{8 1/4}
6	Stay Bossy	6	6 ⁶	6 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{9 1/2}	2 ^{8 1/4}
3	Strident Miss	5	2 ^{1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{7 1/2}	3 ¹⁰
1	Sentient Soon	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{12 1/4}
4	You Trust Me	3	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ⁴	6 ^{10 1/2}	5 ^{16 1/2}
2	Jolene Fury	2	5 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ¹⁰	6 ²⁰

Trainers: 5 - McCarthy, Michael; 6 - Miyadi, Steven; 3 - Capestro, Paula; 1 - Bonde, Jeff; 4 - Callaghan, Simon; 2 - Periban, Jorge

Owners: 5 - Reddam Racing LLC; 6 - Lovingier, Terry C., Mihaljevich, Diane M., Mihaljevich, John and Ross, David N.; 3 -Paula S. Capestro; 1 - St. Hilaire, Christopher and Stoop, Eric; 4 - Reddam Racing LLC; 2 - Tricar Stables, Inc.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

FREE CLOSER stalked three deep in the early going, entered the turn in the four path, drew closer while moving in a couple paths, drew alongside SENTIENT SOON late on the bend, surged clear in upper stretch under strong handling, powered away past the eighth pole and was geared down late. STAY BOSSY came out slightly at the start, dropped back early, trailed three wide into the turn, moved to the two path then steered back out and exited the bend four wide, produced a mild rally and bested the rest. STRIDENT MISS bumped leaving the gate, pressed SENTIENT SOON from outside, failed to keep up with the leader early on the turn, chased two then three wide to the stretch and weakened. SENTIENT SOON showed the way early with STRIDENT MISS applying pressure to the outside, cleared that rival with three furlongs remaining, confronted by FREE CLOSER past the quarter pole, yielded in upper stretch and weakened in the final furlong. YOU TRUST ME broke in and bumped STRIDENT MISS, stalked between runners early, fell out of range two then three wide on the turn and tired. JOLENE FURY pursued the top pair from inside, lost ground through the turn and had little left for the stretch run.