

GULFSTREAM PARK - September 13, 2026 - Race 8



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs.
Claiming Price \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed 2 lbs. (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000 - \$8,000
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Forest Danger - 1:14.44 - February 14, 2005)
Purse: \$25,000
Includes: \$1,700 FOA - Florida Owners Awards
Includes: \$2,300 FBIF - Florida Bred Incentive Fund
Available Money: \$25,000
Value of Race: \$24,440 1st \$14,600, 2nd \$5,610, 3rd \$2,100, 4th \$1,290, 5th \$210, 6th \$210, 7th \$210, 8th \$210
Weather: Cloudy, 89° **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)
Off at: 4:09 **Start:** Good for all except 1 **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)
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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
19Jul26 ¹⁰ GP ⁹	5	R Delray (Hughes, Rasheed)	125 L	5	5	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 3/4}	1.40*	pace, forged clear
30Aug26 ⁷ GP ⁴	1	Step Slow (Pena, Pedro)	118 L	1	8	2 ¹	2 ⁴	2 ⁶	2 ^{10 1/4}	4.10	off slow,chase,kept on
29Aug26 ⁴ GP ⁴	2	Sunday Song (Vasquez, Miguel)	123 L b	2	6	4 ^{1/2}	6 ²	3 ¹	3 ^{2 1/4}	35.00	inside, kept on
30Aug26 ⁷ GP ⁵	6	Candy Road (Santos, Jonathan)	112 L	6	3	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	16.30	traffic, mild rally
2Aug26 ⁵ GP ⁷	8	Emerging Leader (ARG) (Monterrey, Jr., Pedro)	123 L b	7	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	5 ³	44.50	forward 3wd, faded
29Aug26 ⁴ GP ²	4	G Speedy (Reyes, Leonel)	123 L	4	4	7 ¹	7 ²	6 ²	6 ^{Neck}	8.90	never involved
9Apr26 ⁷ GP ²	9	Ruleroftheuniverse (Husbands, Micah)	125 L	8	2	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	7 ²	7 ²	2.00	wide trip, no rally
25Jul26 ¹⁰ GP ⁶	3	Excuses (Herrera, Diego)	125 L b	3	7	8	8	8	8	15.90	always outrun

Fractional Times: 22.60 45.51 1:10.41 **Final Time:** 1:17.17 **Time from Gate:** 1:18.62
Split Times: (22:91) (24:90) (6:76)
Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: R Delray, Bay Gelding, by Tiz the Law out of Conquest Angel, by Colonel John. Foaled Mar 16, 2022 in Florida.
Breeder: Ocala Stud, O'Farrell & Sons, LP & J.Michael O'Farrell, Jr.
Owner: Averill Racing LLC
Trainer: Joseph, Jr., Saffie

1 Claimed Horse(s): Candy Road New Trainer: Nolan Ramsey New Owner: JKX Racing

Claiming Prices: 5 - R Delray: \$10,000; 1 - Step Slow: \$10,000; 2 - Sunday Song: \$8,000; 6 - Candy Road: \$10,000; 8 - Emerging Leader (ARG): \$8,000; 4 - G Speedy: \$8,000; 9 - Ruleroftheuniverse: \$10,000; 3 - Excuses: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Tybee Echo (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$146,404

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	R Delray	4.80	2.80	2.40	\$1.00 Exacta	5-1	7.40	121,292
1	Step Slow		3.80	3.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-1-2	36.85	79,557
2	Sunday Song			9.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-1-2-6	25.35	62,238
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-5	21.10	16,095
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-1-5 (3 correct)	30.10	16,187
					\$1.00 Consolation Pick 3	7-1-7 (3 correct)	34.10	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	R Delray	5	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{3 3/4}
1	Step Slow	8	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{3 3/4}
2	Sunday Song	6	4 ³	6 ^{4 3/4}	3 ^{8 1/2}	3 ¹⁴
6	Candy Road	3	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{9 1/2}	4 ^{16 1/4}
8	Emerging Leader (ARG)	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ⁴	4 ^{9 1/2}	5 ^{16 1/4}
4	G Speedy	4	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}	6 ¹⁰	6 ^{19 1/4}
9	Ruleroftheuniverse	2	6 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{4 3/4}	7 ¹²	7 ^{19 1/2}
3	Excuses	7	8 ^{4 3/4}	8 ^{8 3/4}	8 ¹⁴	8 ^{21 1/2}

Trainers: 5 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 1 - Abreu, Fernando; 2 - Jackson, Gary; 6 - Dobber, Arnoud; 8 - Medina, Santiago; 4 - Mongeon, Kathy; 9 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 3 - Tomlinson, Nicholas
Owners: 5 - Averill Racing LLC; 1 -Fernando Abreu; 2 -James M. Sims; 6 -Mila Mullens; 8 -Santiago Medina; 4 - Rising Sun Stable; 9 -Kenneth L. Ramsey; 3 -Russell Tanz;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

R DELRAY seized command at the outset, forged clear into the stretch and was unchallenged under intermittent pressure. STEP SLOW off a step slowly, recovered to chase the pacesetter, proved no match but stayed on to finish second best. SUNDAY SONG saved ground, commenced a bid on the turn, kept on while racing closest to the inside in the stretch. CANDY ROAD chased the pace in traffic and displayed mild late interest. EMERGING LEADER (ARG) raced in striking position while three wide and faded. G SPEEDY never involved. RULEROFTHEUNIVERSE was outpaced while six wide, moved seven wide into the stretch and lacked a rally. EXCUSES was always outrun.