

GULFSTREAM PARK - December 14, 2025 - Race 5

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 118 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000. **Claiming Price:** \$25,000

**Distance:** Five And One Half Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Extendo - 1:01.61 - January 18, 2023)

**Purse:** \$34,000

**Includes:** \$3,000 FOA - Florida Owners Awards

**Includes:** \$3,000 FBIF - Florida Bred Incentive Fund

**Available Money:** \$34,000

**Value of Race:** \$28,330 1st \$16,800, 2nd \$5,880, 3rd \$3,410, 4th \$1,400, 5th \$280, 6th \$280, 7th \$280

**Weather:** Cloudy, 79° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 2:22 **Start:** Good for all except 7 **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Jun25 <sup>3</sup> CD <sup>5</sup>	9	Gold Perl (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	118 b	7	2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>6 3/4</sup>	0.30*	2p-ins,drw off,handily
12Nov25 <sup>9</sup> AQU <sup>9</sup>	2	Rafa Junior (Gaffalione, Tyler)	118 --	1	6	6 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Neck</sup>	7.00	2-3p,won place duel
23Nov25 <sup>4</sup> GP <sup>6</sup>	8	Win N Win (Morelos, Jose)	118 --	6	1	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	20.70	stalk3-2w,outkick 2nd
2Nov25 <sup>3</sup> GP <sup>7</sup>	3	Swedish Candy (Gil, Cipriano)	118 --	2	3	5 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	10.70	chased btwn, weakened
30Nov25 <sup>2</sup> GP <sup>7</sup>	7	Battalion Leader (Leon, Anisete)	118 --	5	7	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	43.10	step slow,4 wide,wknd
---	4	Il Principado (Vasquez, Miguel)	118 b	3	5	7	7	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>3</sup>	4.30	5 wide turn, no threat
16Nov25 <sup>2</sup> GP <sup>8</sup>	5	Better Day (Panici, Luca)	118 b	4	4	2 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	7	7	75.70	inside,wknd turn,empty

**Fractional Times:** 22.90 46.35 57.77

**Final Time:** 1:03.66

**Split Times:** (23:45) (11:42) (5:89)

**Run-Up:** 15 feet

**Winner:** Gold Perl, Chestnut Colt, by Om out of Caliente Gold, by Harbor the Gold. Foaled Feb 16, 2023 in Washington.

**Breeder:** Bar C Racing Stables Inc

**Owner:** Staudacher, David and Paradise Farms Corp.

**Trainer:** Maker, Michael

**1 Claimed Horse(s):** Gold Perl                      New Trainer: Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.                      New Owner: Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.

**Claiming Prices:** 9 - Gold Perl: \$25,000; 2 - Rafa Junior: \$25,000; 8 - Win N Win: \$25,000; 3 - Swedish Candy: \$25,000; 7 - Battalion Leader: \$25,000; 4 - Il Principado: \$25,000; 5 - Better Day: \$25,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Inhonorofsonny (Veterinarian), Josh Ready (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$169,297

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payout	Pool
9	Gold Perl	2.60	2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	9-2	5.60	132,989
2	Rafa Junior		3.20	2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-2-8	11.45	87,104
8	Win N Win			3.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-2-8-3	7.05	61,016
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-9	3.80	21,571
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-4-9 (3 correct)	3.90	54,870
					\$0.50 Pick 4	4/7-7-4-1/6/9 (4 correct)	8.00	147,595
					\$0.50 Pick 5	7-4/7-7-4-1/6/9 (5 correct)	272.25	333,769

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
9	Gold Perl	2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>6 3/4</sup>
2	Rafa Junior	6	6 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>5</sup>	2 <sup>6 3/4</sup>
8	Win N Win	1	3 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup>	3 <sup>7</sup>
3	Swedish Candy	3	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>7 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>12 1/2</sup>
7	Battalion Leader	7	4 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>14</sup>
4	Il Principado	5	7 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>8 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>16 3/4</sup>
5	Better Day	4	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>19 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 9 - Maker, Michael; 2 - Dutrow, Jr., Richard; 8 - Gonzalez, Javier; 3 - Abreu, Fernando; 7 - Crooks, Jeffrey; 4 - Barboza, Jr., Victor; 5 - Quiroz, Angel

**Owners:** 9 - Staudacher, David and Paradise Farms Corp.; 2 - FMQ Stables; 8 - John C. Minchello; 3 -Fernando Abreu; 7 - Hall, Kathy and Crooks, Jeffrey S.; 4 - Vicente Stella Stables LLC; 5 -Phil Combest;

**Footnotes** | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

GOLD PERL set the early pace while in the two path, dropped to the inside on the turn while in hand, then kicked away leaving the turn when shaken up and then drew off to prove much the best under hand urging with plenty of speed to spare. RAFA JUNIOR chased the early pace and advanced two to three wide on the turn, then proved to be no match for the winner while winning the place duel. WIN N WIN was away alertly and stalked the pace three wide and then was two wide on the turn and then could not keep up with the winner leaving the turn and was out-kicked for the place award while besting the rest. SWEDISH CANDY chased the pace in between rivals and was two to three wide on the turn but weakened. BATTALION LEADER was off a step slow, chased the pace four wide and was in between rivals by the five sixteenths and weakened. IL PRINCIPADO chased the early pace and moved to the outside and was five wide on the turn, came six wide into the lane and was not a threat. BETTER DAY was well placed early on the inside and weakened on the turn and then was empty.