

MONMOUTH PARK - May 25, 2026 - Race 8

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% NJB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS OR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since April 26 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since March 27 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000, For Each \$1,000 To \$14,000 1 lb. (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (Rail at 36 feet). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000 - \$14,000

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt - Originally Scheduled For 1 1/16 Miles On Turf **Current Track Record:** (Sharp Azteca - 1:40.19 - July 30, 2017)

Purse: \$17,600

Plus: \$4,080 NJB - New Jersey Bred Enhancement

Available Money: \$21,680

Value of Race: \$21,680 1st \$14,280, 2nd \$3,400, 3rd \$1,700, 4th \$850, 5th \$725, 6th \$725

Weather: Cloudy, 69° **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 4:30 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

[GPS Race Chart](#)

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---|-----|------|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 27Mar26 ² LRL ⁵ | 6 | Gaelicheartofgold (Torres, Jomar) VA CERTIFIED | 121 | L b | 3 | 4 | 4 ^{Head} | 4 ^{Head} | 5 ^{2 1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{2 1/2} | 2.70 | inside, rail rally |
| 14May26 ³ PEN ⁶ | 4 | Joevia's First (Ho, Wesley) | 119 | L | 2 | 1 | 1 ² | 1 ^{3 1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ¹ | 2 ^{Nose} | 17.00 | dug in gamely 2p |
| 13Apr26 ⁸ PRX ⁷ | 8 | Imperial Spy (Gonzalez, Jorge) VA CERTIFIED | 121 | L f | 5 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{3 1/2} | 5.70 | 4w far turn, rallied |
| 16May26 ⁴ MTH ¹ | 10 | Final Joke (Sutherland, Chantal) | 118 | L b | 6 | 3 | 5 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ¹ | 2 ^{Head} | 4 ¹ | 4 ⁴ | 2.20 | 3w trip, bid, weakened |
| 15Apr26 ⁵ TAM ¹ | 1 | Red Sky Morning (Lopez, Paco) | 122 | L bf | 1 | 5 | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 5 ⁷ | 5 ^{9 1/4} | 1.90* | tracked, bid, tired |
| 2May26 ⁹ TAM ⁵ | 7 | Chaos Comin (Leon, Sonny) | 117 | L b | 4 | 2 | 3 ¹ | 5 ^{Head} | 6 | 6 | 6 | 10.40 | stumbled st, gave way |

Fractional Times: 24.57 49.07 1:14.66 1:40.87

Final Time: 1:47.47 **Time from Gate:** 1:48.69

Split Times: (24:50) (25:59) (26:21) (6:60)

Run-Up: 48 feet

Winner: Gaelicheartofgold, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Golden Lad out of Bells Irish Fancy, by Dunkirk. Foaled Mar 25, 2022 in New Jersey.

Breeder: Leo Holt Angelinos Racing

Owner: Angelinos Racing, LLC

Trainer: Perkins, Jr., Benjamin

1 Claimed Horse(s): Gaelicheartofgold New Trainer: Devon Dougherty New Owner: Winner Circle Stables LLC

Claiming Prices: 6 - Gaelicheartofgold: \$16,000; 4 - Joevia's First: \$14,000; 8 - Imperial Spy: \$16,000; 10 - Final Joke: \$16,000; 1 - Red Sky Morning: \$16,000; 7 - Chaos Comin: \$16,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Editor's Choice (Off-Turf), Magneto (Off-Turf), Ski Bum (Off-Turf), Strand Road (Off-Turf)

Total WPS Pool: \$104,910

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool | Carryover |
|-----|-------------------|------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|-----------|
| 6 | Gaelicheartofgold | 7.40 | 4.40 | 2.80 | \$1.00 Exacta | 6-4 | 58.70 | 56,108 | |
| 4 | Joevia's First | | 14.60 | 6.40 | \$0.50 Trifecta | 6-4-8 | 85.85 | 30,503 | |
| 8 | Imperial Spy | | | 3.20 | \$0.10 Superfecta | 6-4-8-10 | 34.39 | 16,909 | |
| | | | | | \$5.00 Daily Double | 3-6 | 76.00 | 18,462 | |
| | | | | | \$3.00 Pick 3 | 7-3-6 (3 correct) | 57.90 | 21,881 | |
| | | | | | \$0.50 Pick 4 | 4-4/6/7/8-3-6 (4 correct) | 43.60 | 28,595 | |
| | | | | | \$0.50 Pick 5 | 2/4/5/6-4-4/6/7/8-3-6 (5 correct) | 63.45 | 60,571 | |
| | | | | | \$0.20 Pick 6 Jackpot | 3-2/4/5/6-4-4/6/7/8-3-6 (6 correct) | 101.56 | 6,983 | 10,866 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 6 | Gaelicheartofgold | 4 | 4 ^{3 1/2} | 4 ⁵ | 5 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ¹ | 1 ^{2 1/2} |
| 4 | Joevia's First | 1 | 1 ² | 1 ^{3 1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ¹ | 2 ^{2 1/2} |
| 8 | Imperial Spy | 6 | 6 ⁵ | 6 ^{5 1/4} | 4 ¹ | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ^{2 1/2} |
| 10 | Final Joke | 3 | 5 ^{3 1/2} | 3 ⁴ | 2 ^{1/2} | 4 ² | 4 ⁶ |
| 1 | Red Sky Morning | 5 | 2 ² | 2 ^{3 1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 5 ³ | 5 ¹⁰ |
| 7 | Chaos Comin | 2 | 3 ^{2 1/2} | 5 ⁵ | 6 ⁴ | 6 ¹⁰ | 6 ^{19 1/4} |

Trainers: 6 - Perkins, Jr., Benjamin; 4 - Potts, Wayne; 8 - Perez, Ruperto; 10 - Delgado, Jorge; 1 - Dini, Michael; 7 - McBurney, Patrick

Owners: 6 - Angelinos Racing, LLC; 4 - Greentree Stables LLC; 8 - Serranos Racing Stable; 10 - Strike Stable; 1 - Dini, Michael and Emerald Spring Stable; 7 - Dutch Racing Stable LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

Gaelicheartofgold raced off the pace inside, moved up inside on the far turn, rallied on the rail in upper stretch, closed willingly past the furlong marker, took over and pulled away under urging. JOEVIA'S FIRST set the pace racing with a clear lead, responded when challenged nearing the quarter pole, shook free at the top of the lane, dug in gamely in the two path and held on for second. IMPERIAL SPY raced off the rail, off the pace, chased four wide on the far turn, rallied outside in the stretch and just missed for second. FINAL JOKE stalked three wide, chased three wide on the far turn, made a bid and weakened in the lane. RED SKY MORNING tracked on the inside, then chased two wide, bid between rivals on the far turn and tired. CHAOS COMIN stumbled at the start, stalked between rivals, chased on the far turn and gave way.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred

Track Attendance: 4995

Handle: \$196,712

Total

Handle: \$2,111,868

