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PARX RACING - April 1, 2026 - Race 8

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$10,000 OR LESS SINCE APRIL 1, 2024 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000 Winners of a Race Other Than Claiming In Their Last Two Starts Will Carry An Additional 3lbs. (NW1\$ Y+) **Claiming**

Price: \$20,000

Distance: One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Tragedy - 1:38.70 - December 12, 1995)

Purse: \$30,000

Plus: \$410 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$30,410

Value of Race: \$30,410 1st \$18,000, 2nd \$6,000, 3rd \$3,300, 4th \$1,800, 5th \$900, 6th \$410

Weather: Cloudy, 77° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:56 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------|-----|------|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| 16Mar26 ⁹ PRX ³ | 1 | Elusive Target (Aguilar, Jean) | 125 | L bf | 1 | 2 | 3 ² 1/2 | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ¹ | 1 ² 3/4 | 15.40 | tight 7/8, bid btwn |
| 3Mar26 ³ PRX ¹ | 5 | Sunday Spirit (Hernandez, Andy) | 128 | L b | 5 | 1 | 1 ^{Head} | 1 1/2 | 2 ² | 2 ⁴ | 2 ² 1/2 | 4.60 | vied 2w, gamely ins |
| 9Mar26 ⁹ PRX ¹ | 3 | Silent Mode (Martinez, Francisco) | 125 | L bf | 3 | 3 | 2 ¹ 1/2 | 3 1/2 | 4 ² 1/2 | 3 ^{Head} | 3 ² | 3.40 | vied inside, chased |
| 16Mar26 ⁹ PRX ⁴ | 6 | Dreaming of Gerry (Hazlewood, Yedsit) | 120 | L | 6 | 4 | 4 ^{Head} | 6 | 5 ^{Head} | 6 | 4 ¹ | 2.90 | chased turn, no rally |
| 16Mar26 ⁹ PRX ¹ | 2 | Hermoso Hombre (Sanchez, Mychel) | 128 | L bf | 2 | 6 | 6 | 5 ^{Head} | 6 | 5 ^{Head} | 5 ¹ | 1.70* | chased turn, no rally |
| 12Mar26 ⁴ PRX ¹ | 4 | Epic Luck (Pennington, Frankie) | 125 | L b | 4 | 5 | 5 ² 1/2 | 4 ¹ 1/2 | 3 ¹ 1/2 | 4 ² 1/2 | 6 | 6.70 | steadied after start |

Fractional Times: 23.82 48.77 1:13.47 1:39.55

Final Time: 1:43.73

Time from Gate: 1:45.53

Split Times: (24:95) (24:70) (26:08) (4:18)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Elusive Target, Bay Gelding, by Gun Runner out of Ultimate Reward, by Unbridled's Song. Foaled Apr 08, 2019 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Besilu Stables LLC

Owner: Pleasant Fields at Harmony Hill LLC

Trainer: Penalzoza, Miguel

Scratched Horse(s): Desert Aire (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$97,595

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|----------------|-------|-------|------|---------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|
| 1 | Elusive Target | 32.80 | 12.20 | 5.80 | \$2.00 Exacta | 1-5 | 202.00 | 67,307 |
| 5 | Sunday Spirit | | 5.60 | 3.00 | \$0.50 Trifecta | 1-5-3 | 171.60 | 38,113 |
| 3 | Silent Mode | | | 3.40 | \$1.00 Pick 3 | 3-2-1 (3 correct) | 159.50 | 21,659 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Daily Double | 2-1 | 148.60 | 20,185 |
| | | | | | \$0.10 Superfecta | 1-5-3-6 | 116.03 | 23,104 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1 | Elusive Target | 2 | 3 ¹ 1/2 | 2 1/2 | 1 ^{Head} | 1 ¹ | 1 ² 3/4 |
| 5 | Sunday Spirit | 1 | 1 ^{Head} | 1 1/2 | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ¹ | 2 ² 3/4 |
| 3 | Silent Mode | 3 | 2 ^{Head} | 3 1/2 | 4 ³ 1/2 | 3 ⁵ | 3 ⁵ 1/4 |
| 6 | Dreaming of Gerry | 4 | 4 ⁴ | 6 ² 3/4 | 5 ⁶ | 6 ⁷ 3/4 | 4 ⁷ 1/4 |
| 2 | Hermoso Hombre | 6 | 6 ⁶ 3/4 | 5 ² 1/2 | 6 ⁶ 1/4 | 5 ⁷ 1/2 | 5 ⁸ 1/4 |
| 4 | Epic Luck | 5 | 5 ⁴ 1/4 | 4 ¹ | 3 ² | 4 ⁵ | 6 ⁹ 1/4 |

Trainers: 1 - Penalzoza, Miguel; 5 - Solis, Jacinto; 3 - Abrams, Ronald; 6 - Ness, Jamie; 2 - Pino, Michael; 4 - Wyner, Harold

Owners: 1 - Pleasant Fields at Harmony Hill LLC; 5 - Jacinto Solis; 3 - Wing and A Prayer 1 LLC; 6 - Madison Avenue Racing Stable, Inc. and Kernan, Jr., Morris E.; 2 - Philip Rubin Racing Stable LLC; 4 - Alaricorns;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ELUSIVE TARGET was in tight on the rail and steadied entering the first turn, then stalked three wide, bid between rivals entering the far turn, dueled, led into the stretch and drew clear late, driving. SUNDAY SPIRIT raced three wide early, then vied two wide for the lead, set the pace on the backside, dueled inside on the far turn, dug in gamely in the stretch and came up second best. SILENT MODE vied inside for the lead, continued close up on the backside, chased on the far turn and stayed on well through the lane to earn the show spot. DREAMING OF GERRY raced off the pace, chased inside on the far turn and lacked a rally. HERMOSO HOMBRE raced off the pace, chased two wide on the far turn and had no rally. EPIC LUCK steadied after the start, then stalked outside, bid three wide entering the far turn, dueled and tired.