

SANTA ANITA PARK - January 9, 2026 - Race 5

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$50,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING \$50,000 AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 122 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Horses Entered For The Allowance Are Preferred). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000**Distance:** Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (The Factor - 1:06.98 - December 26, 2010)**Purse:** \$35,000**Plus:** \$4,200 CBOIF - California Bred Owner Fund**Available Money:** \$39,200**Value of Race:** \$39,200 1st \$25,200, 2nd \$7,000, 3rd \$4,200, 4th \$2,100, 5th \$700**Weather:** Clear, 65° **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 2:01 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments	
6Dec25	6	LCR ³	3	Marcos Performance (Gonzalez, Ricardo)	122	L b	3 1	2 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹ 1/ ₂	2 ⁶	1 ^{Nose}	5.20	bpd st,bid2w,won bob
28Nov25	6	DMR ¹	2	Sendit Mo (Belmont, Cesar)	122	L	2 5	1 ¹	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{8 3/4}	0.60*	step slw,ins,outnodded
11Oct25	3	KEE ⁶	6	Court of Appeal (Hernandez, Juan)	122	L b	5 3	5	5	5	3 ^{3 1/4}	2.70	drifted/checked 7/16
14Dec25	9	LCR ¹	4	In the Mix (Frey, Kyle)	122	L b	4 2	4 ¹	4 ³	4 ¹	4 ¹ / ₂	12.20	brush st,3wd,weakened
6Dec25	5	LCR ¹	1	Desert Kat (Laprida, Jeremy)	122	L b	1 4	3 ¹ / ₂	3 ¹ / ₂	3 ^{Head}	5	16.20	stalked inside,weaknd

Fractional Times: 22.10 45.06 57.10**Final Time:** 1:09.01**Split Times:** (22.96) (12.04) (11.91)**Run-Up:** 70 feet**Winner:** Marcos Performance, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Cistron out of Irene's Cherub, by Tizbud. Foaled Mar 13, 2023 in California.**Breeder:** Marron Road Ventures, LLC**Owner:** Altamira Racing Stable and McMillan, Michael**Trainer:** Miller, Peter**Claiming Prices:** 4 - In the Mix: \$50,000;**Scratched Horse(s):** Track Tiger (Veterinarian)**Total WPS Pool:** \$151,726

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Marcos Performance	12.40	3.00	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	3-2	9.60	88,465
2	Sendit Mo		2.20	2.10	\$1.00 Trifecta	3-2-6	19.70	51,165
6	Court of Appeal			2.10	\$2.00 Daily Double	5-3	42.80	24,245
					\$1.00 Pick 3	3-5-3 (3 correct)	512.20	40,773
					\$0.50 Pick 4	2-3-5-3 (4 correct)	1,993.40	67,912
					\$0.50 Pick 5	3-2-3-5-3 (5 correct)	6,877.10	239,911
					\$1.00 Pick 5	CST2CSTPICK5(2-2-5-7-3)	12,395.70	58,340
						(5 correct)		
					\$0.10 Superfecta	3-2-6-4	2.81	29,076

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Marcos Performance	1	2 ¹	2 ¹ / ₂	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Nose}
2	Sendit Mo	5	1 ¹	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Nose}
6	Court of Appeal	3	5 ³	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/4}	3 ^{8 3/4}
4	In the Mix	2	4 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/4}	4 ¹²
1	Desert Kat	4	3 ¹ 1/ ₂	3 ²	3 ⁶	5 ^{12 1/2}

Trainers: 3 - Miller, Peter; 2 - Miller, Peter; 6 - Cerin, Vladimir; 4 - O'Neill, Doug; 1 - Papaprodromou, George**Owners:** 3 - Altamira Racing Stable and McMillan, Michael; 2 - Roncelli Family Trust, Kagele, Tom and Roney, John Michael; 6 - Wilson, Holly and Wilson, David; 4 - Calumet Farm; 1 - J K Racing Stable LLC;**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

MARCOS PERFORMANCE took a bump leaving the gate, raced up close, challenged from outside at the seven-sixteenths pole, fought head to head down the lane and won the bob at the wire. SENDIT MO broke a step slow then went up to take control, took pressure from MARCOS PERFORMANCE into the turn, maintained a short lead through the bend, battled down the lane and lost the bob on the line. COURT OF APPEAL trailed two wide into the turn, drifted out and took up behind IN THE MIX early on the bend, traveled three wide to the stretch and bested the rest. IN THE MIX made contact with inner rival at the start, followed in range from the three path to the stretch and weakened. DESERT KAT stalked the speed from inside.