

**SANTA ANITA PARK - February 7, 2026 - Race 5**

STAKES Thunder Road S. Grade 3 - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. By subscription of \$100 each if made on or before Sunday, January 25, 2026, closed with 19 or by Supplementary nomination of \$2,000 due at time of entry. \$750 to enter and an additional \$750 to start with \$100,000 guaranteed \$60,000 to the winner, \$20,000 to second, \$12,000 to third, \$6,000 to fourth and \$2,000 to fifth. 124 lbs. Non-Winners of a Graded Stake at One Mile or Over allowed 2 lbs. Non-Winners of Sweepstakes at One Mile or Over allowed 4 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner.

**EQUIBASE****Distance:** One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Vyjack - 1:31.69 - October 8, 2016)**Purse:** \$100,000 Guaranteed**Available Money:** \$100,000**Value of Race:** \$100,000 1st \$60,000, 2nd \$20,000, 3rd \$12,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$2,000**Weather:** Clear, 79° **Track:** Firm**Off at:** 2:36 **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	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Dec25	7	SA <sup>4</sup>	4	El Potente (Berrios, Hector)		124	--	4 1	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 3 1/2	1 3 3/4	1.00* rail,spurted away3/16
29Dec25	7	SA <sup>1</sup>	1	Gas Me Up (Demuro, Mirco)		124	--	1 5	5	5	3 1/2	2 1 1/4	1.40 on heels early,mildly
11Jan26	6	SA <sup>1</sup>	3	Watsonville (Fresu, Antonio)		124	b	3 2	3 Head	4 1 1/2	3 1/2	2 1/2	11.60 2-3wd,outkicked for2nd
26Jun25	4	CD <sup>8</sup>	2	Lord Bullingdon (Kimura, Kazushi)		122	--	2 3	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 Head	4 <sup>1</sup>	5	19.10 ins,lack room/stdy1/4
28Dec25	5	SA <sup>3</sup>	5	Namaron (GER) (Geroux, Florent)		124	b	5 4	2 1 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 1/2	4 1/2	5.90 pressed outside, tired

**Fractional Times:** 22.92 46.67 1:10.20 1:21.72**Final Time:** 1:33.49**Split Times:** (23:75) (23:53) (11:52) (11:77)**Run-Up:** 120 feet**Winner:** El Potente, Dark Bay or Brown Horse, by Temple City out of Charmsil, by Silver Charm. Foaled Feb 21, 2019 in Florida.**Breeder:** Charmsil LLC**Owner:** My Way Racing LLC**Trainer:** Blacker, Dan**Total WPS Pool:** \$335,915

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	El Potente	4.00	2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	4-1	2.70	137,999
1	Gas Me Up		2.20	2.10	\$1.00 Trifecta	4-1-3	7.80	103,911
3	Watsonville			2.80	\$2.00 Daily Double	4-4	23.20	37,514
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6-4-4 (3 correct)	62.60	80,251
					\$0.50 Pick 4	5-6-4-4 (4 correct)	264.65	117,302
					\$0.50 Pick 5	3-5-6-4-4 (5 correct)	778.85	383,325

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	El Potente	1	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 3 1/2	1 3 3/4
1	Gas Me Up	5	5 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 3 1/2	3 <sup>4</sup>	2 3 3/4
3	Watsonville	2	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 1 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 3 1/2	3 <sup>5</sup>
2	Lord Bullingdon	3	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 1 1/2	4 2 1/2	5 <sup>6</sup>	4 8 1/4
5	Namaron (GER)	4	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1 1/2	4 5 1/2	5 10 1/4

**Trainers:** 4 - Blacker, Dan; 1 - Eurton, Peter; 3 - Glatt, Mark; 2 - McCarthy, Michael; 5 - Sadler, John**Owners:** 4 - My Way Racing LLC; 1 - Exline-Border Racing LLC, Jawl, Michael, Kennedy, Aaron and Zwiesler, Tom; 3 - Pine Racing Stables and Saints or Sinners; 2 - Colbart Stables and Coronado Hill Investments, LLC; 5 - Hronis Racing LLC;**Footnotes** | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

EL POTENTE set the pace along the inside under pressure from NAMARON (GER), cleared that rival midway around the far turn, spurred away at the top of the stretch and remained well clear under left handed urging and steady handling. GAS ME UP settled at the back, went two wide around the clubhouse turn, pulled into backstretch and ran up on the heels of WATSONVILLE, chased in range four wide leaving the backstretch, quickly moved into the two path, tipped out into the lane and produced a mild rally to best the rest. WATSONVILLE brushed with NAMARON prior to the first turn, rated two then three wide around the bend, coaxed along in the three path on the far turn, could not make any headway on the winner down the stretch and got outkicked for the place honors. LORD BULLINGDON stalked the speed from inside, came under a ride on the far turn, got put in tight when NAMARON came in past the quarter pole and had to put the brakes on, angled out at the top of the stretch and could not regain momentum. NAMARON (GER) prompted the pace from outside to the far turn, failed to keep up with the winner past the five-sixteenths pole, shifted to the rail late on the bend and tired.

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