

TAMPA BAY DOWNS - March 7, 2015 - Race 8

STAKES Challenger S. Black Type - For Thoroughbred Four Year Old and Upward
 One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Bold Start - 1:42.83 - March 6, 2010)

Purse: \$60,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$60,000

Value of Race: \$60,000 1st \$36,000, 2nd \$12,000, 3rd \$6,000, 4th \$3,000, 5th \$1,800, 6th \$1,200

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:00 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
14Jan15 ⁸ GP ⁴	4	General a Rod (Velazquez, John)	116	L b	3	2	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ⁴	1 ^{6 1/4}	1.80*	bid 3w, ridden out
24Jan15 ⁸ TAM ²	1	Old Time Hockey (Rosario, Joel)	116	L	1	4	6 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{Neck}	4.40	inside trip, rallied
7Feb15 ³ TAM ²	5	Neck 'n Neck (Leparoux, Julien)	116	L bf	4	8	8 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	5 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ²	9.10	came wide, rallied
7Feb15 ¹¹ GP ⁵	7	Midnight Cello (Zayas, Edgard)	116	L	6	5	5 ¹	6 ¹	6 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	4 ²	4.00	between, mild gain
17Jan15 ⁶ GP ⁶	11	Decisive Moment (Nunez, Eduardo)	116	L f	9	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	33.00	vied inside, weakened
22Feb15 ⁸ TAM ¹	10	Dramedy (Homeister, Jr., Rosemary)	116	L b	8	10	7 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	9 ^{Head}	8 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Neck}	35.60	4w early, no rally
29Nov14 ⁸ HAW ²	6	Mister Marti Gras (Gallardo, Antonio)	116	L	5	3	9 ²	9 ^{1/2}	10	9 ^{7 1/2}	7 ^{Head}	7.50	off rail, no threat
16Jan15 ⁹ GP ⁹	2	Java's War (Boulanger, Gary)	117	L	2	9	10	10	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	8 ^{3 1/4}	24.30	inside, no factor
24Jan15 ⁹ TAM ⁴	8	Good Lord (Centeno, Daniel)	116	L f	7	7	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	6 ²	9 ^{12 1/4}	9.30	vied 2w, tired
7Jun14 ² BEL ⁸	12	No Surrender (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	116	L	10	6	3 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	8 ^{Head}	10	10	14.60	stalked 3w, gave way

Fractional Times: 24.18 48.19 1:12.33 1:36.65 **Final Time:** 1:42.89

Split Times: (24:01) (24:14) (24:32) (6:24)

Run-Up: 48 feet

Winner: General a Rod, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Roman Ruler out of Dynamite Eyes, by Dynaformer. Foaled Feb 26, 2011 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Hare Forest Farm. **Winning Owner:** Skychai Racing LLC and Starlight Racing

Scratched Horse(s): Ghost Hunter (Trainer), Seal Six (Trainer), Sky Commander (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$293,249

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	General a Rod	5.60	3.60	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	4-1	27.40	217,542
1	Old Time Hockey		5.00	3.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-1-5	130.00	137,296
5	Neck 'n Neck			5.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	4-1-5-7	244.60	74,122
					\$2.00 Pick 3	2-11-4 (3 correct)	353.20	33,447
					\$2.00 Pick 4	9-2-11-3/4/9/13 (4 correct)	1,932.60	112,626
					\$2.00 Daily Double	11-4	9.40	29,484

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	General a Rod	2	4 ²	3 ²	1 ^{Head}	1 ⁴	1 ^{6 1/4}
1	Old Time Hockey	4	6 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}	4 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{6 1/4}
5	Neck 'n Neck	8	8 ^{5 1/2}	7 ⁵	5 ^{3 1/4}	2 ⁴	3 ^{6 1/2}
7	Midnight Cello	5	5 ^{2 1/2}	6 ⁴	6 ^{4 1/4}	5 ⁷	4 ^{8 1/2}
11	Decisive Moment	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ^{Head}	3 ⁴	5 ^{10 1/2}
10	Dramedy	10	7 ⁴	8 ⁶	9 ^{5 3/4}	8 ¹⁰	6 ^{11 1/2}
6	Mister Marti Gras	3	9 ⁶	9 ^{6 1/2}	10 ⁶	9 ^{10 1/2}	7 ^{11 3/4}
2	Java's War	9	10 ⁸	10 ⁷	7 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{9 1/2}	8 ^{11 3/4}
8	Good Lord	7	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	6 ^{7 1/2}	9 ¹⁵
12	No Surrender	6	3 ^{1 1/2}	5 ³	8 ^{5 3/4}	10 ¹⁸	10 ^{27 1/4}

Trainers: 4 - Pletcher, Todd; 1 - Proctor, Thomas; 5 - Wilkes, Ian; 7 - Tomlinson, Michael; 11 - Arias, Juan; 10 - Aschinger, Gerald; 6 - Stewart, Chad; 2 - Attfield, Roger; 8 - Kaelin, Forrest; 12 - Pletcher, Todd

Owners: 4 - Skychai Racing LLC and Starlight Racing; 1 - Glen Hill Farm; 5 - A. Stevens Miles, Jr.; 7 - Patricia's Hope LLC; 11 - Just For Fun Stable LLC; 10 - John James Revocable Trust; 6 - Lothenbach Stables, Inc.; 2 - Charles E. Fipke; 8 - Shank, Thomas D. and Young, Stan; 12 - Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners;

Footnotes

GENERAL A ROD tracked the leaders, between rivals, bid three wide on the turn, took charge, drew clear and was ridden out. OLD TIME HOCKEY raced close up inside, rallied on the rail and got the nod for second. NECK 'N NECK raced off the pace inside, came wide into the stretch, rallied outside and missed for the place. MIDNIGHT CELLO raced between horses, three wide on the far turn, gained mildly and bested the others. DECISIVE MOMENT vied inside, dueled on the turn and weakened. DRAMEDY raced four wide early, then three wide and lacked a rally. MISTER MARTI GRAS raced off the inside and failed to threaten. JAVA'S WAR raced off the pace inside and did not factor. GOOD LORD vied two wide, dueled on the turn and tired. NO SURRENDER stalked three wide and gave way.