

American Pharoah Stakes presented by DK Horse

Breeders' Cup "Win and You're In" Challenge Race

One Mile And One Sixteenth

Track Record: Efervescente (ARG)(5), 118 lbs.; 1:39.18(1-6-93)

Balboa



Owner: SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing or I Madaket Stables LLC, et al
Trainer: Bob Baffert

B.c.2 Not This Time-Tap of War by War Front

Bred in Kentucky by Albaugh Family Stables LLC (Mar 11, 2023)

07Sep25	4 Dmr	ft	7f	:21 ⁸⁸	:44 ⁵³	1:21 ⁹²	2	Stk - DMrFutG1 - 300k	89-82	3	3	21½	21	5 ⁵	59½	Kimura K	120	b	28.00	Brant120 ¹ Desert Gate123¾ Civil Liberty118 ^{ns}	►3-2w,bpd past5/16,wknd	6
10Aug25	1 Dmr	ft	6½	:22 ⁰³	:45 ²⁹	1:17 ⁴⁸	2	Msw 100000	88-83	1	3	1hd	1½	14	17¾	Hernandez J J	122	b	*.50	Balboa122¾ Huber122¾ Parker's Candy122½	vie ins,clear,handily	5
26Jul25	4 Dmr	ft	5½	:21 ⁵⁶	:44 ⁷⁸	1:02 ⁶³	2	Msw 100000	80-81	3	1	1hd	2hd	3²	38¾	Hernandez J J	122	b	3.40	Brant122½ Civil Liberty122¾ Balboa122¹	duel outsid,weakened	9

Workout(s): 21 Sep 25 SA 4F ft :48h 20/124 30 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft 1:01.1h 41/63 23 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft :59h 11/94 4 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :50h 38/52

Brant



Owner: Zedan Racing Stables, Inc.
Trainer: Bob Baffert

Gr/ro.c.2 Gun Runner-Tynan by Liam's Map

Bred in Kentucky by PTK, LLC (Feb 18, 2023)

07Sep25	4 Dmr	ft	7f	:21 ⁸⁸	:44 ⁵³	1:21 ⁹²	2	Stk - DMrFutG1 - 300k	99-100	2	2	11½	11	1¹	1¹	Prat F	120	*.10	Brant120¹ Desert Gate123¾ Civil Liberty118 ^{ns}	►bmpd st,ins,held well	6
26Jul25	4 Dmr	ft	5½	:21 ⁵⁶	:44 ⁷⁸	1:02 ⁶³	2	Msw 100000	69-102	6	4	31½	31½	1¹	15¼	Prat F	122	*.80	Brant122½ Civil Liberty122¾ Balboa122¹	stalk duo 3wd,handily	9

Workout(s): 21 Sep 25 SA 5F ft 1:01.4h 59/86 ●30 Aug 25 Dmr 6F ft 1:11.2h 1/3 23 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft :58.2h 7/94 16 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :48.1h 28/102

Brigante



Owner: Calumet Farm
Trainer: Doug F. O'Neill

Dk B/.r.2 More Than Ready-Cheeky Charm by A.P. Indy

Bred in Kentucky by Calumet Farm (Apr 03, 2023)

07Sep25	4 Dmr	ft	7f	:21 ⁸⁸	:44 ⁵³	1:21 ⁹²	2	Stk - DMrFutG1 - 300k	46-80	1	6	6 ⁸	6 ⁹	67½	6¹0¼	Berrios H I	118	v	64.70	Brant120¹ Desert Gate123¾ Civil Liberty118 ^{ns}	►bumped start,no impact	6
09Aug25	4 Dmr	ft	6f	:22 ²⁶	:45 ³¹	1:10 ³⁷	2	Stk - BestPalG3 - 150k	60-68	1	5	5¼	3²	35½	39¾	Berrios H I	118		8.40	Desert Gate120¾ Pavlovian120¹ Brigante118¼	ins-3w,outkickd for2nd	5
01Jun25	6 SA	fm	①20	:21 ⁷⁶	:44 ⁹⁶	:56 ⁶⁸	2	Msw 60000	85-87	6	4	2¹	2½	2½	2¹½	Fresu A	119		2.10 1044	Hey Nay Nay119½ Brigante119¾ Won for Lou119¾	bid 2wd1/4,turned away	8

Workout(s): 31 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :49h 44/91 24 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :48h 21/100 ●3 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :46.4hg 1/99 27 Jul 25 Dmr 4F ft :48h 20/129

Buetane



Owner: Zedan Racing Stables, Inc.
Trainer: Bob Baffert

Ch.c.2 Tiz the Law-Taboo by Forestry

Bred in Kentucky by Merriebelle Stable, LLC (Apr 15, 2023)

01Sep25	9 Sar	ft	7f	:23 ¹⁶	:46 ³⁰	1:22 ³⁵	2	Stk - HopefulG1 - 300k	66-88	5	3	4²	41½	33½	28½	Prat F	122	b	*1.20	Ted Noffey122¾ Buetane122hd Curtain Call122¼	5-4w pursuit, ran on	7
03Aug25	1 Dmr	ft	6f	:22 ⁰⁶	:45 ⁰⁹	1:10 ¹⁷	2	Msw 100000	72-88	2	3	2¹	1hd	1²	13½	Hernandez J J	122	b	*.30	Buetane122¾ Falcon Jet122¾ Charlie's Curlin122¾	►paused erly,2w,rdn out	6

Workout(s): 15 Sep 25 SA 5F ft 1:00.1h 7/39 ●24 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft :58.2h 1/91 17 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft :59.3h 9/83 ●28 Jul 25 Dmr 6F ft 1:12.2hg 1/3

Civil Liberty



Owner: Davis or Great Friends Stables
Trainer: Doug F. O'Neill

Dk B/.c.2 Independence Hall-Love and Respect by Tiznow

Bred in Kentucky by St. Simon Place LLC (Mar 20, 2023)

07Sep25	4 Dmr	ft	7f	:21 ⁸⁸	:44 ⁵³	1:21 ⁹²	2	Stk - DMrFutG1 - 300k	86-92	4	5	3²	5²	4³	34¼	Fresu A	118		15.90	Brant120¹ Desert Gate123¾ Civil Liberty118 ^{ns}	►4wd-ins,bumped midstr	6
26Jul25	4 Dmr	ft	5½	:21 ⁵⁶	:44 ⁷⁸	1:02 ⁶³	2	Msw 100000	79-89	2	3	2hd	1hd	2¹	25¼	Fresu A	122		5.40	Brant122½ Civil Liberty122¾ Balboa122¹	hit gt,duel ins,yield	9

Workout(s): 21 Sep 25 SA 3F ft :36.1h 6/29 31 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :47.2h 12/91 24 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :46.3hg 5/100 17 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :48h 25/124

Conducted



Owner: Eplin or Spencer
Trainer: O. J. Jauregui

B.c.2 Mendelssohn-Marvelous Spot by Archarcharch

Bred in Kentucky by Machmer Hall (Apr 29, 2023)

07Sep25	9 Dmr	fm	①	1m	:46 ⁶¹	1:11 ⁴¹	1:35 ⁵⁷	2	Stk - DMrJvTrfG3 - 100k	85-88	7	13¹0	11 ⁸	84¼	6⁴	5½½	Smith M E	120		19.10	Hey Nay Nay123½ Plutarch118¹ Civil Liberty120nk	►step slow/bpd,2w,3-5wd	13
26Jul25	4 Dmr	ft		5½	:21 ⁵⁶	:44 ⁷⁸	1:02 ⁶³	2	Msw 100000	55-77	7	7	6¾	5¾	4 ⁶	5¹0½	Espinoza A	122		17.70	Brant122½ Civil Liberty122¾ Balboa122¹	5-4wide, weakened	9

Workout(s): 1 Sep 25 Dmr 4F ft :49h 27/47 ●25 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft :58.4h 1/51 8 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft 1:00.2h 2/35 20 Jul 25 Dmr 4F ft :48.4h 67/180

Desert Gate



Owner: Pegram, Watson or Weitman
Trainer: Bob Baffert

Ch.c.2 Omaha Beach-Theogony by Curlin

Bred in Kentucky by Twin Oaks Bloodstock (Mar 06, 2023)

07Sep25	4 Dmr	ft	7f	:21 ⁸⁸	:44 ⁵³	1:21 ⁹²	2	Stk - DMrFutG1 - 300k	72-98	5	1	5⁴	41½	2¹	2¹	Hernandez J J	123		6.00	Brant120¹ Desert Gate123¾ Civil Liberty118 ^{ns}	►troubled trip,game 2nd	6
09Aug25	4 Dmr	ft	6f	:22 ²⁶	:45 ³¹	1:10 ³⁷	2	Stk - BestPalG3 - 150k	75-90	5	2	2hd	1½	15½	18¾	Hernandez J J	120		*.20	Desert Gate120¾ Pavlovian120¹ Brigante118¼	outside,cleared,easily	5
13Jun25	2 SA	ft	5f	:22 ⁴⁷	:45 ²⁴	:57 ³⁵	2	Msw 60000	86-89	4	3	2½	2hd	1½	12¼	Hernandez J J	119		*.40 1126	Desert Gate119¾ Acknowledge119¾ Proletariat119²0	outside, proved best	4

Workout(s): 21 Sep 25 SA 4F ft :47.4h 17/124 ●31 Aug 25 Dmr 6F ft 1:12.3h 1/5 25 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft 1:00.3h 17/51 18 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft :59.2h 3/46

Intrepido

Owner: Dutch Girl Holdings LLC or Irving Ventures LLC
Trainer: Jeff Mullins

B.r.2 Maximus Mischief-Overly Indulgent by Pleasantly Perfect

Bred in Kentucky by Sierra Fria Farm, LLC (Apr 16, 2023)

23Aug25	1 Dmr	ft	1m	:47 ³⁴	1:11 ¹³	1:35 ⁷¹	2	Msw 100000	45-87	3	1hd	2hd	1¹	12½	13¼	Berrios H I	122		2.40	Intrepido122¾ Plutarch122¾ Provenance122¹0½	►inside,lost crop late	5
26Jul25	4 Dmr	ft	5½	:21 ⁵⁶	:44 ⁷⁸	1:02 ⁶³	2	Msw 100000	41-79	4	9	8¾	87¼	6 ⁸	49¾	Leparoux J R	122		24.10	Brant122½ Civil Liberty122¾ Balboa122¹	step slow/brk in,2-3wd	9

Workout(s): ●20 Sep 25 SA 5F ft :58h 1/74 13 Sep 25 SA 5F ft 1:01h 12/25 6 Sep 25 Dmr 4F ft :48.4h 43/85 30 Aug 25 Dmr 3F ft :39.1h 12/12

Kristofferson



Owner: SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing or I Madaket Stables LLC, et al
Trainer: Bob Baffert

B.c.2 Nyquist–Impasse by Quality Road
Bred in Kentucky by Candy Meadows LLC (Feb 10, 2023)

31Aug25	6 Dmr	ft	6f	:22 ⁰¹	:44 ⁸⁹	1:08 ⁸³	2	Msw	100000	77–102	5	2	1½	1hd	1½	1¾	Hernandez J J	122	b	*1.10	Kristofferson122¾	Mr. A. P.122¾	Falcon Jet123¾	►brk in/bpd,ins,gamely	9
Workout(s):				13 Sep 25 SA 4F ft :48.3h	21/60	25 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft 1:00.2hg	14/51	18 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft :59.2hg	3/46	8 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :47hg	3/58														

Litmus Test



Owner: SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing or I Madaket Stables LLC, et al
Trainer: Bob Baffert

B.c.2 Nyquist–Study Hard by Malibu Moon
Bred in Kentucky by Machmer Hall (Apr 13, 2023)

07Sep25	4 Dmr	ft	7f	:21 ⁸⁸	:44 ⁵³	1:21 ⁹²	2	Stk – DMrFutG1 – 300k	79–92	6	4	4 ³	31½	32½	44¼	Gaffalione T	120	b	15.00	Brant120¹	Desert Gate123¾	Civil Liberty118 ^{ns}	►5–3w,drft in/bp midstr
16Aug25	3 Dmr	ft	5½	:21 ⁵²	:44 ⁹⁰	1:03 ⁶⁴	2	Msw 100000	78–91	2	1	3¹	21½	1½	1¾	Hernandez J J	122	b	*1.10	Litmus Test122¾	Falcon Jet122½¾	Sendit Mo122 ⁶ ½	btw,2–3w,led,hd well
Workout(s):				21 Sep 25 SA 4F ft :47.4h	17/124	●31 Aug 25 Dmr 6F ft 1:12.3h	1/5	25 Aug 25 Dmr 3F ft :35.2h	2/29	7 Aug 25 Dmr 6F ft 1:12.1hg	2/3												

Ocean Bear



Owner: Richard Barton
Trainer: George Papaprodromou

B.r.2 Bolt d'Oro–Ocean Dream by Square Eddie
Bred in California by Richard Barton Enterprises (Mar 13, 2023)

07Sep25	2 Dmr	ft	5½	:21 ⁶¹	:44 ⁹⁸	1:03 ⁹⁵	2	☐Msw	100000	59–78	7	8	5 ²	41½	31½	1½	Rispoli U	122	b	*.90	Ocn Br122½	Southrn Melodee122¾	Tommy Norris122¾	►bumpd st,waited2w,best	9
16Aug25	7 Dmr	ft	6f	:21 ⁸⁸	:45 ⁵⁵	1:11 ⁰⁹	2	☐Msw	100000	77–78	4	6	42½	3½	31½	22½	Rispoli U	122	b	3.80	Cn't Help Myself122¾	Ocean Bear122¹	Mystic Moses122¾	stalk,bid ins,kept on	8
Workout(s):				20 Sep 25 SA 4F ft :48.4h	66/107	31 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft 1:01.2h	38/60	10 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft 1:04h	83/85	●3 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :46.4hg	1/99														

Oscar's Hope



Owner: Michael McLoughlin
Trainer: Thomas M. Amoss

B.c.2 Twirling Candy–Hopeful Princess by Not This Time
Bred in Kentucky by Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (Feb 12, 2023)

01Sep25	1 Sar	ft	6f	:22 ⁷⁴	:46 ⁰²	1:10 ⁷⁶	2	Msw	100000	66–86	4	3	2¹	2½	11½	15¾	Ortiz J L	119		*.68	Oscar's Hope119¾	Epic Quest119hd	Winning Method119¾	3–2w in aim, drew clr	8
09Aug25	6 Sar	ft	6f	:22 ⁷⁶	:45 ⁸⁸	1:10 ⁸⁷	2	Msw	100000	83–76	1	4	1¹	1½	2½	23¼	Ortiz J L	119		*1.45	Golden Tornado119¾	Oscar's Hope119½	Igniter119¾	in hand 2p, ran on	8
Workout(s):				17 Sep 25 CD 4F ft :48.1b	14/44	23 Aug 25 Sar 4F ft :49.4b	70/94	●2 Aug 25 Sar 5F ft :59b	1/35	●22 Jul 25 CD 5F ft :59.4bg	1/7														

Plutarch



Owner: Magnier, Tabor or Smith
Trainer: Bob Baffert

B.c.2 Into Mischief–Stellar Wind by Curlin
Bred in Kentucky by Orpendale/Chelston/Wynatt (May 05, 2023)

07Sep25	9 Dmr	fm ①	1m	:46 ⁶¹	1:11 ⁴¹	1:35 ⁵⁷	2	Stk – DMRJvTrfG3 – 100k	80–94	4	12 ¹⁰	139½	10 ⁵	21½	21½	Hernandez J J	118		5.60	Hey Nay Nay123½	Plutarch118½	Proletariat120 ^{nk}	►ins,3–6w,drft thru str 13
23Aug25	1 Dmr	ft	1m	:47 ³⁴	1:11 ¹³	1:35 ⁷¹	2	Msw 100000	39–82	1	4½	5 ²	5 ⁴	35½	23¼	Van Dyke D	122	b	9.00	Intrepido122¾	Plutarch122¾	Provenance122 ¹⁰ ½	ins–2w,2w–ins–5w,rally 5
Workout(s):				1 Sep 25 Dmr 4F ft :49.1h 30/47				16 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft :59.4h 6/75				8 Aug 25 Dmr 5F ft 1:01.1hg 21/35				31 Jul 25 Dmr 5F ft :59.2hg 6/26							

Saul Elliott



Owner: Here We Go Brothers or Seymour Jukie and Jack Stable LLC
Trainer: Doug F. O'Neill

B.c.2 Listing–Cryptic by Indian Charlie
Bred in California by Reddam Racing, LLC (Apr 29, 2023)

05Sep25	7 Dmr	ft	5½	:21 ⁵¹	:44 ⁶¹	1:03 ⁵⁹	2	☐Stk – ImSmokinB – 100k	63–80	3	3	4 ²	42½	42¾	31¼	Fresu A	121	b	9.60	Max Cioa121 ^{ns}	Thirsty Rebel121½	Saul Elliott121hd	ins,willingly,gaind3rd	8	
29Jun25	6 CD	ft	6f	:21 ³⁹	:44 ³⁹	1:08 ⁶¹	2	Stk – BshfdMnrL – 225k	57–58	6	5	6 ⁴	5 ⁵	67½	61 ⁵ ½	Fresu A	120	b	3.50	Romeo120¾	Compart1207	Password118½	►4p,5–6p1/8,no bid,bled	7	
25May25	5 SA	ft	4½	:22 ³⁸	:45 ⁹³	:51 ⁹⁶	2	☐Msw 60000	83–89	8	1	2½	--	2hd	12¼	Fresu A	119	b	*1.50	1076	Saul Elliott1192¼	Jalisco1142¼	Max Cioa119 ⁶	outside,drew clear1/16	8
Workout(s):				20 Sep 25 SA 4F ft :50h 91/107				30 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :47.2hg 12/88				24 Aug 25 Dmr 3F ft :35.3hg 6/28				17 Aug 25 Dmr 3F ft :35.2hg 2/39									

Thirsty Rebel

Owner: Mark D. Breen
Trainer: Doug F. O'Neill

B.c.2 Stay Thirsty–Argyle Pink by Sky Mosa
Bred in California by Terry C. Lovingier (Feb 05, 2023)

05Sep25	7 Dmr	ft	5½	:21 ⁵¹	:44 ⁶¹	1:03 ⁵⁹	2	☐Stk – ImSmokinB – 100k	70–83	5	1	3 ¹	2 ¹	2hd	2 ^{ns}	Lezzcano A	121		1.50	Max Cioa121 ^{ns}	Thirsty Rebel121½	Saul Elliott121hd	bid3w/btw,led,lost bob	8
19Jul25	8 Dmr	ft	5f	:21 ⁹⁸	:45 ⁸⁵	:57 ⁹³	2	☐Msw 100000	76–88	1	3	3 ³	32½	1 ¹	1¾	Lezzcano A	122		*2.00	Thirsty Rbl122¾	Cn't Hlp Myself122¹	Moonshiner122¼	ceded,2–3wd,drew off 10	10
Workout(s):				31 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :50.3h	80/91	24 Aug 25 Dmr 4F ft :46.4hg	7/100	17 Aug 25 Dmr 3F ft :36.3hg	17/39	7 Aug 25 Dmr 3F ft :36.3h	4/8													