

# History of the Golden State Derby



Stakes Record: 400 Yards, :19.30, One Famous Eagle (2008); 440 Yards, :21.39, Tolltac (1984)

Most Wins By A Jockey: 3, Cruz Mendez, Kenneth Hart, Steve Treasure & John Ward

Most Wins By A Trainer: 3, Bruce Hawkinson & Jose Flores

**Golden State Derby Highlights:** 1975, All American Futurity winner Easy Date joins a great list of past winners; 1983, Shirley B Gayle captures the richest ever Golden State Derby of \$531,500. 1985, Eastex becomes the second All American Futurity winner to capture this event. 1992, Holland Ease ends his runner-up jinx with a nose victory over favored Femmes Frolic. 1994, Time For Royal Cash becomes the first horse since Tolltac (1983-84) to sweep the Golden State Futurity and Derby. 1998, Girl Secrets wins her third stakes of the year in the Golden State Derby, defeating Champion 2-Year-Old Filly Corona Cash. 2000, Jockey Henry Garcia called an end to his outstanding riding career after piloting Separatist to victory in the Golden State Derby. 2005, Diller A Dollar won as the longest shot in the field at 47-1. 2008, Eventual champion One Famous Eagle won his first of two Grade 1 derbies of the meeting by defeating Stylish Jess Br. 2010, After winning the Los Alamitos Two Million Futurity, Good Reason SA wins the Golden State Derby.

Year	Horse	Distance	Time	Purse	Jockey	Trainer	Owner
1971	Ruby Kahn	440	:22.20	\$135,415	Terry Lipham	Jim Brookfield	Hadan Livestock Co.
1972	Osage Rocket	440	:22.23	\$121,340	Robert Adair	Jim Gibbs	Floyd Williams
1973	Don Guerro	440	:22.07	\$140,000	Ronald Banks	Earls Holmes	Belmont Farms
1974	Timeto Thinkrich	440	:21.96	\$160,000	John Watson	Jerry Fisher	Vessels Stallion Farm
1975	Easy Date	440	:21.64	\$210,000	Donald Knight	James McArthur	Walter Merrick
1976	Windy's Request	440	:22.14	\$193,800	John Ward	Bruce Hawkinson	Edward C. Allred
1977	The Bulldogger	440	:22.16	\$236,625	Kenneth Hart	Bruce Jackson	Wendy Wilsey
1978	Aqualina	440	:22.00	\$285,000	Ken Clerisse	Calvin Mims	White Oaks Ranch
1979	Sizzle Te	440	:21.78	\$332,500	John Ward	Wayne Charlton	Rulon Goodman
1980	Rich Gritch	440	:21.83	\$315,400	Luke Myles	Bruce Hawkinson	Edward C. Allred
1981	Sgt Pepper Feature	440	:21.66	\$380,249	Ken Clerisse	Mike Robbins	Tom Neff
1982	My Startime	440	:21.94	\$455,000	Steve Treasure	Rich McArthur	Gary Gordon
1983	Shirley B Gayle	440	:21.78	\$531,500	Steve Treasure	Bruce Bell	Elwood Jones
1984	Tolltac	440	:21.39	\$405,376	John Ward	Dennis Ekins	Tic Tac Farms
1985	Eastex	440	:21.85	\$379,760	Bruce Pilkenton	James McArthur	H.D. & Margaret Hall
1986	Solvency	440	:21.90	\$446,030	Danny Mitchell	Charles Bloomquist	Lucy Scane
1987	Florentine	440	:21.53	\$412,190	Kenneth Hart	Russell Harris	White Oaks Ranch
1988	Dashing Val	440	:21.47	\$390,100	Kenneth Hart	Bruce Hawkinson	Edward C. Allred
1989	Rambac	440	:21.50	\$365,660	John Creager	Connie Hall	David Payne
1990	Apprehend	440	:21.89	\$287,400	Kip Didericksen	Daryn Charlton	Legacy Ranch
1991	Takin On The Cash	440	:21.69	\$237,820	Kip Didericksen	Caesar Dominguez	Felipe Tiscareno
1992	Holland Ease	440	:21.57	\$196,836	Eddie Garcia	Carlos Lopez	Dutch Masters III
1993	Awesome Blossom	440	:21.67	\$106,220	Steve Treasure	Bob Gilbert	Robert W. Moore
1994	Time For Royal Cash	440	:21.58	\$131,600	Alex Baldillez	Tom Bazley	Abigail Kawanakoa
1995	Ah Sigh	440	:21.73	\$107,235	John Creager	Charles Bloomquist	Ah Sigh Enterprises
1996	Templetonian	440	:21.84	\$110,755	Roman Figueroa	Blane Schvaneveldt	Alan W. Norton
1997	Luva Secret	440	:21.69	\$120,000	Jim Lewis	Bob Gilbert	Spencer L. Childers
1998	Girl Secrets	400	:19.69	\$121,910	Joe Badilla	Kelly Long	Edward C. Allred
1999	IBA Dasher	400	:19.67	\$168,100	Sam Thompson	Donna McArthur	Morgan Cattle Company
2000	Separatist	400	:19.58	\$191,100	Henry Garcia	John Cooper	Jackie and Rod MacPherson
2001	Royal Dip	400	:19.93	\$183,750	Carlos Bautista	Connie Hall	Sharon Brandsness
2002	Check Him Out	400	:19.67	\$207,800	Sam Thompson	Blane Schvaneveldt	Andreini/ Schvaneveldt/ Kuzyk
2003	Mr Pie Chick	400	:19.83	\$200,000	Alvin Brossette	Donna McArthur	Oscar Rohne/Marcus Smith
2004	Not For Long	400	:19.53	\$173,200	Alex Bautista	Denny Ekins	Legacy Ranch
2005	Diller A Dollar	400	:19.66	\$150,000	Hector Cuevas	Dan Francisco	Spencer L. Childers
2006	Startlet Hawk	400	:19.44	\$228,950	Rodrigo Aceves	Jose Flores	Gustavo Razo
2007	Blues Girl Too	400	:19.45	\$320,150	Saul Ramirez Jr.	Joe Bassett	Lucky Seven Ranch
2008	One Famous Eagle	400	:19.30	\$313,900	Saul Ramirez Jr.	John Bassett	Johnny Trotter & Burnett Ranches
2009	Alice K White	400	:19.34	\$250,000	Cody Jensen	Mike Joiner	MJ Farms
2010	Good Reason SA	400	:19.38	\$262,500	Cody Jensen	Paul Jones	Gianni Samaja
2011	Docs Apollo	400	:19.44	\$238,250	Alejandro Luna	Jaime Gomez	Dutch Masters III
2012	Check My Thoughts	400	:19.59	\$236,400	Eulices Gomez	James Glenn Jr.	Edward C. Allred
2013	Far Niente	400	:19.59	\$232,900	Ramon Sanchez	Jose Hernandez Jr.	Tom Atwood & Vessels Stallion Farm
2014	Moonist	400	:19.34	\$227,600	Cesar De Alba	John Cooper	Ron and Jeryl Hartley
2015	Heza Dasha Fire	400	:19.57	\$180,200	Cruz Mendez	Jose Flores	S-Quarter K Racing LLC
2016	Rite Regal	400	:19.70	\$203,200	Cruz Mendez	Jose Flores	Urschel 3-D Ranch LLC
2017	That Rico	400	:19.71	\$259,900	Jesus Rios Ayala	Paul Jones	Paul Jones/Thompson Racing Inc
2018	Jesstacartel	400	:19.64	\$221,300	Cruz Mendez	Mark Skeen	Lesley Joyner
2019	Conquering Marie	400	:19.66	\$211,100	Ruben Castro	Mike Robbins	Reliance Ranches LLC
2020	Circle City	400	:19.73	\$204,100	Vinnie Bednar	Scott Willoughby	Edward C. Allred
2021	Aint She Tempting	400	:19.92	\$197,700	Jose Nicasio	Monty Arrossa	Julianna Hawn Holt

Prior to 1989 and in 1990-'91, run at Bay Meadows.