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GLOBEFORM RANKING

ROBERT J. FRANKEL S. (G3) 9 fur Turf, Santa Anita Dec 31

Horses ranked in pounds (0.45kg). 1 length = 2 pounds over this distance

Rank	No.	Name of horse	Globeform	GF most recent runs	Trainer / Jockey
From right to left (most recent first)					
0	1	PUBLIC ASSEMBLY <i>GF 105 also in Aug '25</i>	105	105 - 101 - 103	D'Amato / Fresu
1	6	PARADISE LAKE <i>GF 100 also in May '25</i>	100	100 - 100 - 99	Eurton / J Hernandez
1	5	WATCHTOWER	104	94 - PU - 102 - 104	Baltas / Demuro
2	2	SUN OF HILL <i>GF 103 in Apr '25</i>	103	100 - 91 - 83	D'Amato / Kimura
4 / 7	7	MAHINA <i>GF 101 in Frankel S. '24</i>	101 / 98	96 - 87 - 98	Gallagher / Rosario
?	3	IMA JOKER	?	?	O'Neill / Jaramillo
		Likely scratch			
- 2	4	AS CATCH CAN	103	94 - 103 - 89	Thomas / Rosario

Globeform rating with a "p" attached = this was the horse's best rating to date and the horse is likely to improve

Globeform rating with a "+" = this was not its best rating but the horse ran better than the rating suggests

Most recent winners of the Frankel Stakes

2024	MRS ASTOR	GF 105	Jonathan Thomas	Frankie Dettori
2023	ANGEL NADISHKO	GF 108	Patrick Gallagher	Antonio Fresu
2022	QUEEN GODDESS <i>Run on December 31</i>	GF 115	Michael McCarthy	John Velazquez
2022	LUCK <i>Run on January 1</i>	GF 116p	Richard Baltas	Flavien Prat
2020	MUCHO UNUSUAL	GF 110	Tim Yakteen	John Velazquez
2019	MIRTH	GF 110	Phil D'Amato	Mike Smith

Average winning Globeform: 110.6



Best winners in 2025

CALL SIGN SEVEN	68-1
DESVIO	34-1
BALANTINA	21-1
SIMULATE	16-1
J B STRIKES BACK	16-1
DARYZ	16-1
MACHO MUSIC	13-1
WOLFIE'S DYNAGHOST	12-1
LADY CLAYPOOLE	11-1
MI HERMANO RAMON	11-1
DREAMING OF MO	9-1
GEZORA	8-1
SMOKIN' T	7-1
DETERMINISTIC	6-1
UNRIVALED TIME	11-2
FORT WASHINGTON	11-2
USHA	5-1
SHISOSPICY	5-1
ROLL ON BIG JOE	5-1
EPONA'S HOPE	9-2
LESLIE'S ROSE	4-1
WHISKEY DECISION	4-1
SPECIAL WAN	4-1
BEACH BOMB	4-1

24 winners ||| \$100 staked on each = \$2,400

Total payouts: \$15,290 ||| Net profit \$12,890

ROI: +537% on these 24 bets |||

More stats to be posted in January

There have been several other winners at shorter odds

Typically 5 races covered per week over 52 weeks.
10 races covered for main events like Kentucky Derby,
Thanksgiving Week and Santa Anita Opening Week.
14 races covered at the Breeders' Cup.

GLOBEFORM ANALYSIS

PUBLIC ASSEMBLY and **PARADISE LAKE** ran second and third respectively in the 11-furlong Red Carpet Stakes at Del Mar in late November, beaten a neck and 1 1/2 lengths by the hot favorite Mrs. Astor. 44-1 chance **SUN OF HILL** finished fourth and the 3yo Will Then - who ran third in the American Oaks on Sunday - filled fifth, beaten 3 lengths after setting the pace. Public Assembly is likely to do best again in this race. Never far off the pace and saving ground by the rail, she finished the Red Carpet off in a game manner, tough had no chance when Mrs. Astor came with her late kick. She was value for more than the neck margin but she is also the one who is best suited by 11 furlongs (she win the race also in 2024). >>>

PUBLIC ASSEMBLY improved to **Globeform 105** in the Red Carpet and she could be capable of better still now back over a shorter trip. Not that she is void of stamina. She broke her maiden over 10.5 furlongs at the demanding Kentucky Downs course last year and she won a 10-furlong allowance race at Santa Anita in March (beating next out 3-length winner Kentucky Gal). Her versatility then made her a solid 1 3/4-length winner from **SUN OF THE HILL** in the Royal Heroine Stakes over a mile; and her runs in the Yellow Ribbon (staying on second to Heredia) and Mabee Stakes (fourth to Gimme a Nother) were performances at the same level; while a mile at Del Mar was too sharp when she checked in sixth behind Special Wan in the Goldikova Stakes three weeks prior to the Red Carpet. The competition was too hot and her performance in the Goldikova was better than it appears on paper; and she ran a winning race last time out - but simply met a better filly in Mrs. Astor. With decent form also over turf courses with a bit of give Public Assembly may not be troubled by any rain, and this 4yo daughter of More Than Ready holds strong claims here.

PARADISE LAKE has also produced consistent form lately, and - being 2lbs better off at the weights - she's in with a chance of making a race of it with Public Assembly. Unlike Public Assembly. She ran fifth 2 lengths behind **PUBLIC ASSEMBLY** over 10 furlongs at Santa Anita in March and her three runs over 8.5 and 9 furlongs since all indicated that a step up in distance was well worth a try; but attempting 11 furlongs did not bring out improvement in the Red Carpet. She ran to **Globeform 100**, the same mark she had returned when winning on her previous outing. A lightly raced 4yo daughter of Uncle Mo, Paradise Lake finished strongly from off the pace to beat the favorite Certitude by 3/4 length covering nine panels at Santa Anita in October. Certitude next ran third to Princesa Moche in a similar contest at Del Mar. Princesa Moche was then coming off a win at Santa Anita. These fomlines give Paradise Lake's record a solid look, all of her three wins have been here at Santa Anita, and she must be respected.

WATCHTOWER is the interesting one to give us a chance of a good Trifecta / Superfecta plan. Coming off an 11-week break, she has form good enough to make her a player in this contest. She was exiting a longer break when producing her career best form in the Yellow Ribbon Handicap over 8.5 furlongs at Del Mar in early August, when she made up ground from the back to finish third, beaten 2 1/4 lengths and a nose behind the G1 placed Euro import Heredia and **PUBLIC ASSEMBLY**. Heredia made all at a slow pace and Public Assembly was sitting just a few lengths behind the leader. The way the race developed, they both had a definite tactical edge over Watchtower, who would have been better suited by stronger fractions. She was second last and in a bit of vacuum, causing her to race a bit freely as she had no cover. She was forced to go wide coming out of the home bend and did well to get as close as she did, recording **Globeform 104** in the process. She meets Public Assembly as 2lbs better terms today and it's not impossible that she can beat her. The one problem is, however, that this is also a race that lacks pace. Watchtower has since been fifth in the One Dreamer Stakes at Kentucky Downs (ran to GF 102), been pulled up due to a slipping saddle in the 10-furlong Rodeo Drive and a below par sixth in the 8-furlong Swingtime Stakes (both at Santa Anita). Whereas her main rivals today seem to be 'adding one more race' to their 2205 campaigns, Watchtower may have been laid out specifically for the Frankel Stakes. At **5-1 on the morning line**, this Richard Baltas trainee is actually bordering on being worth recommending as a value bet. Keep an eye on the board; she could well go off at bigger odds and thus worth an across the board / ew wager.

SUN OF HILL stayed on from well off the pace in the Red Carpet, but it's well worth noting that her best rating, **Globeform 103**, was achieved when she ran second, 1 3/4 lengths behind **PUBLIC ASSEMBLY** while spotting her 4lbs in the Royal Heroine Stakes over a mile back in April. Sun Of Hill finished strongly from the back also on that occasion and a lively pace would suit her best in the Robert Frankel - but that's unlikely to happen. >>>

CONCLUSION: This could easily develop into a race between Public Assembly and Paradise Lake, the duo that filled second and third behind Mrs. Astor in the Red Carpet Stakes at Del Mar last month. Recent form is one way to look at this but the pace scenario, ie moderate, is another and it is likely to favor Public Assembly. Still, even under such circumstances, Watchtower is worth a look; as a C-horse at least. She will probably cope better than Sun Of The Hill if the fractions are slow. Anything over 5-1 would make her a tempting bet too. She is good enough to match strides with the two favorites but may be overlooked by most players.

GLOBEFORM SELECTIONS

A	1 PUBLIC ASSEMBLY
B	6 PARADISE LAKE
C	5 WATCHTOWER


Public Assembly 2nd / Yellow Ribbon: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8EXNi5WGw8&t=208s>
3rd Watchtower

Public Assembly 6th / Goldikova Stakes: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YpDf0buEXvU>

Public Assembly 4th / Mabee Stakes: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LG-YgSAq74>

Public Assembly 2nd / Red Carpet: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GOk1arK_-nA&t=206s
3rd Paradise Lake 4th Sun Of Hill

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