

ALBUQUERQUE - September 5, 2026 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR REGISTERED NEW MEXICO BRED FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000. (SNW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000
Distance: Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Hollywood Icon - 55.54 - September 18, 2015)
Purse: \$18,200
Includes: \$3,000 NMHBA - New Mexico Horse Breeders Assoc.
Available Money: \$18,200
Value of Race: \$18,200 1st \$10,920, 2nd \$3,640, 3rd \$1,820, 4th \$910, 5th \$546, 6th \$364
Weather: Cloudy, 88° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 6:56 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Video Review



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
16Aug26 ⁴ ALB ⁴	5	Zesty American (Juarez, Jr., Alfredo)	122	L	5	1	¹ Head	¹ 1/2	¹ 1	¹ 2 1/4	3.70	kept on best
16Aug26 ⁴ ALB ³	3	Bonified Wildcat (Arboleda, Aldo)	124	L b	3	6	⁵ Head	⁴ 1	³ 1/2	² 3/4	3.20	followed, 2nd best
16Aug26 ⁴ ALB ⁵	2	Gypsy Wildcat (Gomez, Enrique)	122	L b	2	5	6	6	6	³ 3/4	7.40	3-w, along for 3rd
16Aug26 ⁴ ALB ²	4	Runaway Rose (Ramos, Christian)	122	L	4	3	⁴ Head	⁵ 1/2	⁵ Head	⁴ 1 1/4	1.20*	5-w, no rally
16Aug26 ⁴ ALB ⁷	6	Trump Dance (Andrade, Jr., Oscar)	122	L f	6	4	² 1/2	³ 1 1/2	² Head	⁵ Neck	9.10	4-w, weakened late
23Aug26 ⁵ ALB ⁶	1	Kentucky Gold (Medrano, Gabriel)	119	L bf	1	2	³ 1 1/2	² Head	⁴ 1	6	7.10	up close, tired

Fractional Times: N/A N/A **Final Time:** 58.08 **Time from Gate:** 59.43
Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Zesty American, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by American Anthem out of Zesty Salsa, by Dome. Foaled Mar 12, 2023 in New Mexico.
Breeder: Reliance Ranches LLC
Owner: Jana Trotter
Trainer: Cappellucci, Dick

Claiming Prices: 5 - Zesty American: \$10,000; 3 - Bonified Wildcat: \$10,000; 2 - Gypsy Wildcat: \$10,000; 4 - Runaway Rose: \$10,000; 6 - Trump Dance: \$10,000; 1 - Kentucky Gold: \$10,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$7,770

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Zesty American	9.40	5.40	8.40	\$1.00 Exacta	5-3	18.80	2,819
3	Bonified Wildcat		4.80	5.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-3-2	49.15	2,362
2	Gypsy Wildcat			7.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	5-3-2-4	187.00	823

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
5	Zesty American	1	¹ Head	¹ 1/2	¹ 1	¹ 2 1/4
3	Bonified Wildcat	6	⁵ 2 1/4	⁴ 2	³ 1	² 2 1/4
2	Gypsy Wildcat	5	⁶ 2 1/4	⁶ 3 1/2	⁶ 2 3/4	³ 3
4	Runaway Rose	3	⁴ 2	⁵ 3	⁵ 2 1/2	⁴ 3 3/4
6	Trump Dance	4	² Head	³ 1/2	² 1	⁵ 5
1	Kentucky Gold	2	³ 1/2	² 1/2	⁴ 1 1/2	⁶ 5 1/4

Trainers: 5 - Cappellucci, Dick; 3 - Gonzalez, Jose; 2 - Valdez-Cabral, Martin; 4 - Armstrong, Sherry; 6 - Olguin, Ever; 1 - Buechler, Simon

Owners: 5 -Jana Trotter; 3 -John Buffington; 2 -Lane Kuykendall; 4 -Sherry Armstrong; 6 -Olga Toquinto; 1 - Brooks, Marty and Reid, Donnie;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ZESTY AMERICAN set a pressured early pace, raced three wide into the turn, kept on late and was best. BONIFIED WILDCAT was allowed to settle early, raced five wide into the turn, followed the winner home, was no match and was second best. GYPSY WILDCAT was void of any early speed, raced three wide into the turn, offered a mild late rally and was along for third. RUNAWAY ROSE was unhurried early, raced five wide out of the turn and offered no rally. TRUMP DANCE pressed the early pace, raced four wide through the turn and weakened late. KENTUCKY GOLD was up close early from the inside and tired. This race had a timing discrepancy or malfunction, and it was re-timed using video technology to obtain the most accurate final time available. Internal fractions have been removed and are not available.