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**AQUEDUCT - February 28, 2026 - Race 5**

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 28, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming

Price \$10,000 (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). **Claiming Price: \$10,000**

**Distance:** One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Easy Goer - 1:32.40 - April 8, 1989)

**Purse:** \$28,000

**Available Money:** \$28,000

**Value of Race:** \$28,000 1st \$15,400, 2nd \$5,600, 3rd \$3,360, 4th \$1,680, 5th \$1,120, 6th \$210, 7th \$210, 8th \$210, 9th \$210

**Weather:** Clear, 47° **Track:** Good

**Off at:** 2:46 **Start:** Good for all except 11 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Feb26 <sup>7</sup> PRX <sup>1</sup>	10	J J's Ranger (Vargas, Jr., Jorge)	123	L b	8	4	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup>	1 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	2.20	3-4p trn, steady urging
6Feb26 <sup>7</sup> AQU <sup>7</sup>	5	Mister Holden (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	123	L	4	1	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2.06*	2-3path turn, no match
14Feb26 <sup>7</sup> AQU <sup>5</sup>	2	Knox (Ellingwood, Emily)	123	L b	2	8	9	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	2.80	ins-2path turn, improvd
14Feb26 <sup>1</sup> CT <sup>3</sup>	11	Centavo (Kocakaya, Gokhan)	123	--	9	7	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Neck</sup>	6.91	off bit slow, 5p turn
13Feb26 <sup>1</sup> AQU <sup>4</sup>	1	Because the Night (Gomez, Jose)	121	L f	1	6	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	9	9	7 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	45.21	ins-2path turn, 3p1/4
14Feb26 <sup>6</sup> AQU <sup>7</sup>	6	Pot of Gold (Gomez, Oscar)	121	L bf	5	2	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>3/4</sup>	30.66	4path turn, empty
18Sep25 <sup>6</sup> BAQ <sup>6</sup>	7	Midnight Trouble (Harkie, Heman)	121	L	6	9	8 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>11</sup>	13.57	3-4p turn, 6p into lane
4Feb26 <sup>6</sup> AQU <sup>11</sup>	8	Prince of Joy (Rivera, Dalila)	114	L bf	7	3	2 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>4</sup>	8 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	53.50	trckd, chsd ins, retreat
20Feb26 <sup>4</sup> AQU <sup>5</sup>	3	Nobodyridesforfree (Hernandez Moreno, Omar)	121	L bf	3	5	5 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	9	9	43.03	ins-3p trn, no response

**Fractional Times:** 22.84 46.47 1:11.96 1:25.22 **Final Time:** 1:39.18

**Split Times:** (23:63) (25:49) (13:26) (13:96)

**Run-Up:** 50 feet

**Winner:** J J's Ranger, Bay Gelding, by Oscar Performance out of Blue Collar, by Majestic Warrior. Foaled Apr 06, 2021 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** William B. Harrigan & Mike Pietrangelo

**Owner:** Martin P. Shaw

**Trainer:** Padilla-Preciado, Ernesto

<b>3 Claimed Horse(s):</b>	<b>J J's Ranger</b>	New Trainer: Gregory DiPrima	New Owner: Rase Stables
	<b>Knox</b>	New Trainer: Oscar S. Barrera III	New Owner: Emma Belle Racing
	<b>Mister Holden</b>	New Trainer: Devon Gittens	New Owner: Bruno Schickedanz

**Claiming Prices:** 10 - J J's Ranger: \$10,000; 5 - Mister Holden: \$10,000; 2 - Knox: \$10,000; 11 - Centavo: \$10,000; 1 - Because the Night: \$10,000; 6 - Pot of Gold: \$10,000; 7 - Midnight Trouble: \$10,000; 8 - Prince of Joy: \$10,000; 3 - Nobodyridesforfree: \$10,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Hours in a Day (PrivVet-Illness), Skylander (RegVet-Injured)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$280,887

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	J J's Ranger	6.40	3.78	2.90	\$1.00 Exacta	10-5	9.18	208,397
5	Mister Holden		3.58	2.68	\$0.50 Trifecta	10-5-2	8.87	127,371
2	Knox			2.28	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-10	43.97	37,597
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-3-10 (3 correct)	182.01	30,522
					\$0.50 Pick 4	3-5/7-3-10 (4 correct)	205.47	151,012
					\$0.50 Pick 5	2-3-5/7-3-10 (5 correct)	1,783.37	364,058
					\$0.10 Superfecta	10-5-2-11	5.04	78,932

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
10	J J's Ranger	4	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup>	1 <sup>8 1/2</sup>
5	Mister Holden	1	3 <sup>5</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>6</sup>	2 <sup>8 1/2</sup>
2	Knox	8	9 <sup>14 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>10</sup>	6 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>8 1/2</sup>
11	Centavo	7	6 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>7</sup>	3 <sup>7</sup>	3 <sup>9</sup>	4 <sup>11 1/2</sup>
1	Because the Night	6	7 <sup>14</sup>	9 <sup>11 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>12 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>14</sup>	5 <sup>11 3/4</sup>
6	Pot of Gold	2	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>11 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>12 3/4</sup>
7	Midnight Trouble	9	8 <sup>14 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>10</sup>	7 <sup>11</sup>	6 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>13 1/2</sup>
8	Prince of Joy	3	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>9</sup>	8 <sup>14</sup>	8 <sup>24 1/2</sup>
3	Nobodyridesforfree	5	5 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup>	8 <sup>11 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>18</sup>	9 <sup>30</sup>

**Trainers:** 10 - Padilla-Preciado, Ernesto; 5 - Miceli, Michael; 2 - Summers, Chad; 11 - Chatterpaul, Naipaul; 1 - Arenas, Marcelo; 6 - Grusmark, Karl; 7 - Friedman, Mitchell; 8 - Legall, Ricardo; 3 - Shivmangal, Lolita

**Owners:** 10 - Martin P. Shaw; 5 - Ruggeri Stable; 2 - Win Every Day Stables and Summers, Chad; 11 - Naipaul Chatterpaul; 1 - Marcelo Arenas; 6 - David Cramer; 7 - Sunny Meadow Farm; 8 - Ashley Racing Stable; 3 - Shivmangal, Lolita and Winner's Circle Thoroughbreds and Racing;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

J J'S RANGER was hustled from the gate, moved in while going to the front, went clear outside the three-quarter pole, extended the advantage in the three then four path on the turn, was roused into upper stretch and drew off under steady urging. MISTER HOLDEN settled in third position, was asked in the two path on the turn, moved to the three path late on that bend, chased the winner in the stretch and proved no match while just able to hold the place. KNOX lacked early speed, raced inside to the two path on the turn and improved to just miss the place while clear for the show. CENTAVO tossed his head and was off a bit slow, raced on the outside while ridden along, moved closer in the five path on the turn, remained on his inside lead until just inside the furlong marker then swapped to the proper lead and lacked the needed response. BECAUSE THE NIGHT raced well back in the field, moved from the rail to the two path on the turn, spun into the stretch in the three path and failed to threaten. POT OF GOLD broke out and brushed with a foe, was urged along on the outside, went around the turn in the four path and came up empty. MIDNIGHT TROUBLE brushed with rivals on both sides at the start then dropped back, went around the turn in the three then four path, turned into the stretch in the six path and was no factor. PRINCE OF JOY brushed with an opponent at the start, moved in while showing speed then tracked the pace, chased inside on the turn and capitulated. NOBODYRIDESFORFREE settled under some urging, dropped back while inside to the three path on the turn and failed to respond.

