

ARAPAHOE PARK - June 21, 2026 - Race 1

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$2500 OR LESS IN 2025-2026

OR CLAIMING PRICE \$4000, COLORADO BRED CLAIMING PRICE \$5000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming

Price \$4,000. Colorado Bred Claiming Price \$5,000. (C) **Claiming Price: \$4,000**

Distance: Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Mucho Gifted - 50.21 - June 12, 2026)

Purse: \$10,000

Available Money: \$10,000

Value of Race: \$10,000 1st \$6,000, 2nd \$2,000, 3rd \$1,000, 4th \$600, 5th \$400

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:01 **Start:** Good for all except 4 **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30May26 ⁹ EDR ¹	1	Top of the Rock (Haar, Nathan)	124	BL	1	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 3/4}	1.30*	pc, kick clr, best
17Apr26 ⁷ FON ⁷	3	Palace Attained (Luark, Mike)	124	BL	3	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{3 1/4}	8.20	prsd pc, save place
4Apr26 ¹ LA ³	4	Rusty Cage (Delorme, Larren)	124	BL b	4	5	4 ⁶	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2.00	off slw, adv4w, tired
15May26 ² MC ⁴	5	Ridin Solo (Ramos, Adrian)	124	BL	5	4	3 ¹	4 ²	4 ^{Head}	3.40	stlkd, no response
12Jun26 ⁷ ARP ⁸	2	Racer Rex (Cardoso, David)	124	BL b	2	3	5	5	5	5.60	slw to stride,nofactor

Fractional Times: 22.60 44.90

Final Time: 50.96 **Time from Gate:** 51.22

Split Times: (22:30) (6:06)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Top of the Rock, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Uh Oh Bango out of Rocky Top Girl, by Rocky Bar. Foaled Mar 08, 2017 in Arizona.

Breeder: Peggy Thompson

Owner: Mark N. Hibdon

Trainer: Hibdon, Mark

Claiming Prices: 4 - Rusty Cage: \$4,000; 2 - Racer Rex: \$4,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$2,366

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Top of the Rock	4.60	3.60	\$2.00 Exacta	1-3	39.60	993
3	Palace Attained		6.80	\$2.00 Quinella	1-3	27.60	438
4	Rusty Cage						

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
1	Top of the Rock	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 3/4}
3	Palace Attained	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 3/4}
4	Rusty Cage	5	4 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ⁶
5	Ridin Solo	4	3 ¹	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁶
2	Racer Rex	3	5 ⁸	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/4}

Trainers: 1 - Hibdon, Mark; 3 - Rushton, Trevor; 4 - Warren, Kayla; 5 - Leon, Alexis; 2 - Barraza, Rafael

Owners: 1 -Mark N. Hibdon; 3 - Rushton, Trevor and Rushton, Tyler; 4 -Kayla Warren; 5 -Jessica Miller; 2 - Dahlberg Farms, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TOP OF THE ROCK rushed up the rail to take the lead while setting the pace, inched away on the turn and kicked clear in the stretch to prove best. PALACE ATTAINED pressed the pace from two wide to midway through the turn but couldn't keep pace with the leader before digging in late to save the place. RUSTY CAGE was off slow then had to advance from four wide to be in contention near the quarter pole but started to tire in deep stretch and held the show. RIDIN SOLO stalked the pace from three wide to near the quarter pole but lacked the late response into the stretch. RACER REX was slow to find his stride leaving the gate and trailed the field before making a mild belated rail bid in the stretch but was not a factor.

ARAPAHOE PARK - June 21, 2026 - Race 2



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR COLORADO BRED WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000. Colorado Bred Claiming Price \$10,000. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$8,000

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Ultimate Question - 1:01.74 - August 12, 2011)

Purse: \$10,000

Available Money: \$10,000

Value of Race: \$10,000 1st \$6,000, 2nd \$2,000, 3rd \$1,000, 4th \$600, 5th \$400

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:32 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Video Review

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30May26 ⁷ EDR ¹	4	Freckles Forever (Cardoso, David)	124	BL	4	2	3 ¹	3 ^{2 1/2}	1 ³	1 ¹⁰	1.20*	chsd,drv pst, goingawy
16Apr26 ⁷ TUP ¹	1	Royal Dusty (Aguilar, Daniel)	124	BL	bf	1	5	2 ^{Head}	2 ²	3 ³	2.30	ins, no mtch, held2nd
18Apr26 ² FON ⁵	3	So Thrilling (Ramos, Adrian)	124	BL	3	3	5	5	4 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3.50	passed tiring rivals
30May26 ⁷ EDR ⁴	5	She's So True (Delorme, Larren)	124	BL	5	1	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5	4 ^{2 3/4}	5.70	wide trip, no menace
31May26 ¹ LS ⁵	2	Now Hear This (Haar, Nathan)	124	BL	b	2	4	1 ⁵	1 ³	2 ^{1/2}	6.80	clear lead, tired

Fractional Times: 22.23 44.88 57.05

Final Time: 1:03.55 **Time from Gate:** 1:05.60

Split Times: (22:65) (12:17) (6:50)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Freckles Forever, Bay Filly, by Caleb's Posse out of Moment of Insanity, by Into Mischief. Foaled Mar 15, 2022 in Oklahoma.

Breeder: Doug Wall

Owner: Mark N. Hibdon

Trainer: Hibdon, Mark

Claiming Prices: 4 - Freckles Forever: \$8,000; 1 - Royal Dusty: \$8,000; 3 - So Thrilling: \$8,000; 5 - She's So True: \$8,000; 2 - Now Hear This: \$8,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$3,979

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Freckles Forever	4.40	3.00	\$2.00 Daily Double	1-4	6.00	183
1	Royal Dusty		3.40	\$2.00 Exacta	4-1	13.40	1,867
3	So Thrilling			\$2.00 Quinella	1-4	8.20	1,018

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
4	Freckles Forever	2	3 ⁵	3 ⁵	1 ³	1 ¹⁰
1	Royal Dusty	5	2 ⁵	2 ³	3 ^{3 1/2}	2 ¹⁰
3	So Thrilling	3	5 ^{7 1/2}	5 ⁹	4 ^{6 1/2}	3 ^{11 3/4}
5	She's So True	1	4 ⁶	4 ^{7 1/2}	5 ⁷	4 ^{12 3/4}
2	Now Hear This	4	1 ⁵	1 ³	2 ³	5 ^{15 1/2}

Trainers: 4 - Hibdon, Mark; 1 - Barraza, Rafael; 3 - Rushton, Trevor; 5 - Hibdon, Mark; 2 - Hibdon, Mark

Owners: 4 -Mark N. Hibdon; 1 - RB Racing LLC (Rafael Barraza); 3 -Charles G. Sandahl; 5 -Mark N. Hibdon; 2 -Mark N. Hibdon;

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FRECKLES FOREVER broke well to chase the leader through the turn before making a late charge to drive past the leader in upper stretch and won going away. ROYAL DUSTY was slow into her stride leaving the gate while moving up the rail to follow the leader through the turn but was not match for the winner and held the place. SO THRILLING showed no early speed and trailed the field to the quarter pole before making a belated bid to pass tiring rivals. SHE'S SO TRUE broke well but fell back while racing widest through the turn but failed to menace. NOW HEAR THIS was hustled to an unchallenged lead to upper stretch before tiring. This race had a timing discrepancy or malfunction and was re-timed using video technology to arrive at the most accurate times.

ARAPAHOE PARK - June 21, 2026 - Race 3

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$8000 OR LESS IN 2025-2026 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000 COLORADO BRED CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000. Colorado Bred Claiming Price \$12,500. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (No It Ain't - 1:08.19 - August 12, 2011)

Purse: \$13,000

Available Money: \$13,000

Value of Race: \$13,000 1st \$7,800, 2nd \$2,600, 3rd \$1,300, 4th \$780, 5th \$520

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:03 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25May26 ³ LS ⁷	5	Eternally Grateful (Delorme, Larren)	124	BL	bf	5 4	5	5	4 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2.00*	wide trip, just up
16Nov25 ⁶ ARP ⁵	3	Toomany names (Haar, Nathan)	124	BL	bf	3 2	1 ^{1/2}	1 1 1/2	1 ³	2 ^{3 3/4}	3.40	pc, pull away, denied
2May26 ⁹ FON ⁴	2	Subsidize (Ramos, Adrian)	124	BL	bf	2 1	3 ^{2 1/2}	4 ²	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 1/4}	4.60	ins, late interest
12Jun26 ⁵ ARP ¹	1	Nine Lives Elmer (Aguilar, Daniel)	124	BL	b	1 5	4 ²	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{3/4}	4.70	contention, gave way
25Apr26 ⁵ SRP ³	4	Mister Mafioso (Luark, Mike)	124	BL		4 3	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	5	5	2.00	prmt pc,fade,norally

Fractional Times: 22.02 44.70 56.86

Final Time: 1:09.69 **Time from Gate:** 1:10.77

Split Times: (22:68) (12:16) (12:83)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Eternally Grateful, Bay Gelding, by American Freedom out of Vivian's Grace, by Candy Ride (ARG). Foaled Feb 25, 2020 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Dreamchaser Thoroughbreds

Owner: Kevin E. Waggoner

Trainer: Rushton, Stetson

Total WPS Pool: \$5,233

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Eternally Grateful	6.00	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	5-3	17.40	2,115
3	Toomany names		3.60	\$2.00 Quinella	3-5	10.20	1,291
2	Subsidize						

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Eternally Grateful	4	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	4 ⁴	1 ^{1/2}
3	Toomany names	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ³	2 ^{1/2}
2	Subsidize	1	3 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ³	3 ^{4 1/4}
1	Nine Lives Elmer	5	4 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{8 1/2}
4	Mister Mafioso	3	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{9 1/4}

Trainers: 5 - Rushton, Stetson; 3 - Rushton, Stacey; 2 - Rushton, Trevor; 1 - Villamar, Candelario; 4 - Long, Vaughn

Owners: 5 -Kevin E. Waggoner; 3 - Alfrey, Vance and Eskew, Stuart; 2 - Rushton Thoroughbreds LLC; 1 -Raul Duarte; 4 - Long, Vaughn and West, Jeff;

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ETERNALLY GRATEFUL showed no early speed while racing widest of all but made a mid track rally to run down the leader in the stretch run and was up in the final jumps. TOOMANYNAMES went to the front to set the pace before pulling away going into the stretch but was denied in the final jumps. SUBSIDIZE raced near the back while saving ground before showing late interest going into the stretch but was not match for the top two. NINE LIVES ELMER raced near the back early then advanced three wide to be in contention going into the turn but couldn't catch the leader and gave way in the stretch. MISTER MAFIOSO prompted the pace from off the rail to the turn then faded and lacked a rally.

ARAPAHOE PARK - June 21, 2026 - Race 4

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Distance: Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Mucho Gifted - 50.21 - June 12, 2026)

Purse: \$20,000

Available Money: \$20,000

Value of Race: \$20,000 1st \$12,000, 2nd \$4,000, 3rd \$2,000, 4th \$1,200, 5th \$800

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:33 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
13Jun26 ⁶ ARP ²	4	Pals Wild Liberty (Aguilar, Daniel)	124	BL	4	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ²	1 ¹	4.10	trckd,duelstr, clrd
29May26 ⁵ EDR ²	2	India Ink (Cardoso, David)	124	BL b	2	2	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	1.90*	led, duel str, empty
13Jun26 ⁶ ARP ⁴	5	Supersonic Blue (Delorme, Larren)	124	BL	5	5	4 ²	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1.90	widest, late run
29May26 ⁵ EDR ⁶	3	Straight Luck (Haar, Nathan)	124	BL	3	1	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	3.80	alert, chsd, outfnshed
17May26 ⁶ LEG ⁹	1	Gypsy Mischief (Ramos, Adrian)	124	BL	1	4	5	5	5	5.30	saved ground, outrun

Fractional Times: 21.69 44.88

Final Time: 50.49 **Time from Gate:** 51.69

Split Times: (23:19) (5:61)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Pals Wild Liberty, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Liberty Lover out of Wild Cover, by Offlee Wild. Foaled Mar 09, 2020 in New Mexico.

Breeder: Yellow Dog Ranch

Owner: Raul Duarte

Trainer: Villamar, Candelario

Total WPS Pool: \$5,138

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Pals Wild Liberty	10.20	4.40	\$2.00 Exacta	4-2	23.60	2,138
2	India Ink		3.40	\$2.00 Quinella	2-4	12.60	1,368
5	Supersonic Blue						

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
4	Pals Wild Liberty	3	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹
2	India Ink	2	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹
5	Supersonic Blue	5	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ²
3	Straight Luck	1	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}
1	Gypsy Mischief	4	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ⁴	5 ⁶

Trainers: 4 - Villamar, Candelario; 2 - Hibdon, Mark; 5 - Martinez, Jr., O.; 3 - Hibdon, Mark; 1 - Haar, Robert

Owners: 4 -Raul Duarte; 2 -Mark N. Hibdon; 5 -Mary B. Simpson; 3 -Mark N. Hibdon; 1 -Lawrence Allen Flute, Jr.;

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PALS WILD LIBERTY tracked the leader through the turn before moving up to engage that one near the eighth pole, battled down the stretch while kicking clear late to prevail. INDIA INK broke well to take the clear lead before being headed near the eighth pole and battled down the stretch but was empty late. SUPERSONIC BLUE raced widest of all before making the late run to be up for the show. STRAIGHT LUCK was away alertly while chasing the pace from two wide and was outfinished. GYPSY MISCHIEF trailed the field while saving ground but was outrun.

ARAPAHOE PARK - June 21, 2026 - Race 5

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD NON WINNERS OF A RACE IN 2026 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (C)

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (No It Ain't - 1:08.19 - August 12, 2011)

Purse: \$17,000

Available Money: \$17,000

[Video Race Replay](#)

Value of Race: \$17,000 1st \$10,200, 2nd \$3,400, 3rd \$1,700, 4th \$1,020, 5th \$510, 6th \$170

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:04 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1May26 ⁴ FON ¹	6	Lazy Days (Ramos, Adrian)	124	BL	6	3	3 ² 1/2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁴	1.00*	vied3w,kickdawy,best
13Jun26 ⁴ ARP ²	5	Lucky Burglar (Gonzalez, Pedro)	124	BL	5	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ³	2 ⁴ 1/4	3.70	prsr lead, clear 2nd
31Mar26 ⁸ TUP ¹	3	More Trouble (Aguilar, Daniel)	120	BL b	3	4	5 ⁴	4 ²	4 ¹	3 ^{Head}	5.70	adv6w,4wtrn,lteffort
2Nov25 ³ ARP ²	1	Connectable (Haar, Nathan)	124	BL f	1	5	4 ^{1/2}	5 ⁵	5 ⁴	4 ³	8.60	ins, 3wupr, outnd'd3rd
25Apr26 ⁸ TUP ⁵	4	Arizona Reina (Delorme, Larren)	124	BL bf	4	1	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	5 ^{3/4}	6.50	prsd,faded,gaveway
2May26 ⁷ TUP ⁷	2	Lovely Lola (Rodriguez, Jose)	126	BL bf	2	6	6	6	6	6	5.10	trailed, no threat

Fractional Times: 21.63 44.14 56.04

Final Time: 1:08.70 **Time from Gate:** 1:09.99

Split Times: (22:51) (11:90) (12:66)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Lazy Days, Bay Filly, by Street Sense out of Zarmant, by Tapizar. Foaled Jan 30, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Willow Oaks Stable

Owner: Rushton Thoroughbreds LLC

Trainer: Rushton, Trevor

Total WPS Pool: \$6,194

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Lazy Days	4.00	2.80	2.60	\$2.00 Pick 3	5-4-ALL (3 correct)	10.00	80
5	Lucky Burglar		3.40	2.40	\$2.00 Pick 4	4-5-4-6 (3 correct)	13.80	74
3	More Trouble			3.40	\$2.00 Exacta	6-5	11.60	2,021
					\$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	5-ALL-6 (3 correct)	10.00	0
					\$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	ALL-4-6 (3 correct)	10.00	0
					\$2.00 Quinella	5-6	8.80	1,114
					\$2.00 Superfecta	6-5-3-1	241.00	643
					\$2.00 Trifecta	6-5-3	32.60	1,421

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Lazy Days	3	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁴
5	Lucky Burglar	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ⁴
3	More Trouble	4	5 ³ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	3 ⁸ 1/4
1	Connectable	5	4 ³	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁸ 1/4
4	Arizona Reina	1	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ³ 1/2	5 ¹¹ 1/4
2	Lovely Lola	6	6 ⁷ 1/2	6 ⁸ 1/2	6 ⁸ 1/2	6 ¹²

Trainers: 6 - Rushton, Trevor; 5 - Campo, Stacy; 3 - Mooney, Bill; 1 - Rushton, Trevor; 4 - Leon, Alexis; 2 - Leon, Alexis

Owners: 6 - Rushton Thoroughbreds LLC; 5 - John J. Campo III; 3 - Mooney, Bill and Mooney, Reed; 1 - Charles G. Sandahl; 4 - Cameron Simpson McVay; 2 - Cameron Simpson McVay;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

LAZY DAYS vied for the lead from three wide before taking command near the quarter pole and kicked away in the stretch to prove best. LUCKY BURGLAR rushed to a pressured lead from between horses before being overtaken near the quarter pole but stayed on to be a clear second. MORE TROUBLE raced near the back early while advancing from six wide to the turn then tipped in to race four wide to the top of the stretch and showed the late effort to be up for the show. CONNECTABLE settled in the middle of the pack while saving ground through the turn then tipped out to three wide in upper stretch to make a late run but was outnodded for the show. ARIZONA REINA showed the early foot to press the pace from the inside to midway through the turn then slowly faded before giving way in the stretch. LOVELY LOLA trailed the field and was not a threat.

ARA PAHOE PARK - June 21, 2026 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD NON WINNERS OF A RACE IN 2026 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES.

Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000. Colorado Bred Claiming Price \$12,500. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000

Distance: Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Nycity - 56.00 - July 13, 2002)

Purse: \$12,000

Available Money: \$12,000

Value of Race: \$12,000 1st \$7,200, 2nd \$2,640, 3rd \$1,440, 4th \$720

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:34 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7Mar26 ⁵ FON ⁶	3	My Buddy Mel (Delorme, Larren)	124	BL f	3	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	4.70	stlkd, prevailed
15Nov25 ⁵ ARP ¹	5	Party Foul (Luark, Mike)	124	BL b	4	1	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	2 ¹	1.60	pc, nailed final jumps
21Apr26 ⁴ TUP ⁷	2	Shudder (Cardoso, David)	124	BL bf	2	2	3 ⁵	3 ⁴	3 ⁴	3 ^{1 1/4}	4.40	trckd, ins, no match
16Nov25 ² ARP ³	1	Cherry River (Ramos, Adrian)	121	BL bf	1	4	4	4	4	4	0.90*	wide trip, no factor


Fractional Times: 22.32 45.00

Final Time: 57.26 **Time from Gate:** 58.59

Split Times: (22:68) (12:26)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: My Buddy Mel, Bay Gelding, by [Tonalist](#) out of Tilde, by Swiss Yodeler. Foaled Feb 09, 2021 in Texas.

 Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Charles W Eddy & Myra Sue York-Eddy

Owner: Rushton Racing Stable, LLC

Trainer: Rushton, Stetson

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Cherry River**

New Trainer: Dwain Eaton

New Owner: Stetson Rushton

Claiming Prices: 3 - My Buddy Mel: \$10,000; 5 - Party Foul: \$10,000; 2 - Shudder: \$10,000; 1 - Cherry River: \$12,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Mysterious Tale (Veterinarian), The Scent (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$4,715

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	My Buddy Mel	11.40	3.40	\$2.00 Pick 3	4-6-ALL (3 correct)	18.60	100
5	Party Foul		3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	3-5	24.00	1,574
2	Shudder			\$2.00 Quinella	3-5	19.40	818

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
3	My Buddy Mel	3	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ¹
5	Party Foul	1	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	2 ¹
2	Shudder	2	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²
1	Cherry River	4	4 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Rushton, Stetson; 5 - Kemper, Kerry; 2 - Barraza, Rafael; 1 - Vicchilli, Russell

Owners: 3 - Rushton Racing Stable, LLC; 5 - K Bar K Enterprises; 2 - Richardson, Ray and Richardson, Gale; 1 - Wild Flowers Ranch, LLC;

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MY BUDDY MEL stalked the pace from three wide before showing a strong late kick to run down the leader to prevail. PARTY FOUL broke sharply to take a clear lead to set the pace to deep stretch before being nailed in the final jumps. SHUDDER tracked the leader from the inside then showed a late kick in the stretch but was no match for the top two. CHERRY RIVER trailed the field while racing wide throughout, closed well late but was not a factor.

ARAPAHOE PARK - June 21, 2026 - Race 7



MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000. Colorado

Bred Claiming Price \$10,000. **Claiming Price: \$8,000**

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (No It Ain't - 1:08.19 - August 12, 2011)

Purse: \$9,500

Available Money: \$9,500

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Value of Race: \$9,500 1st \$5,700, 2nd \$1,900, 3rd \$950, 4th \$570, 5th \$285, 6th \$95

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:05 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
2May26 ⁴ FON ⁵	1	Ruiz Junior (Cardoso, David)	124	BL	bf	1 5	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	1 ³	1 ³ 1/4	3.00	unchallenged, best
21Mar26 ¹ FON ⁷	2	Kidinthe Candystore (Ramos, Adrian)	120	BL	bf	2 2	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	2 ⁵	5.00	chsd, no mtch, clr2nd
14Jun26 ⁵ ARP ²	6	Romans Word (Haar, Nathan)	121	BL	bf	5 6	6	5 ^{1/2}	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ² 1/4	1.90*	trld, adv4w, alongshow
16Aug25 ⁶ ELY ⁴	4	Kona Street (Luark, Mike)	124	BL		4 4	5 ²	3 ²	3 ¹	4 ³ 1/4	5.90	btw7/16, best of rest
29Mar26 ⁵ FON ⁶	7	Tiz Trophy Time (Gonzalez, Pedro)	124	BL	bf	6 1	3 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	6	5 ⁵ 1/4	6.00	off pace, retreated
15Nov25 ³ ARP ⁴	3	Three Drinks (Delorme, Larren)	121	BL	b	3 3	4 ^{1/2}	6	5 ^{Head}	6	4.00	outrun

Fractional Times: 22.09 45.45 58.05

Final Time: 1:11.22 **Time from Gate:** 1:12.17

Split Times: (23:36) (12:60) (13:17)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Ruiz Junior, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Girvin out of Fort Carillon, by Runaway Groom. Foaled Feb 03, 2022 in Florida.

Breeder: Amalio Ruiz Lozano

Owner: Miguel A. Pena

Trainer: Pena, Miguel

Claiming Prices: 1 - Ruiz Junior: \$8,000; 2 - Kidinthe Candystore: \$8,000; 6 - Romans Word: \$10,000; 4 - Kona Street: \$8,000; 7 - Tiz Trophy Time: \$8,000; 3 - Three Drinks: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): More Cookies (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$7,089

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Ruiz Junior	8.00	4.60	3.60	\$2.00 Pick 3	6-ALL-1 (3 correct)	9.80	72
2	Kidinthe Candystore		4.60	3.20	\$2.00 Daily Double	3-1	120.60	113
6	Romans Word			2.80	\$2.00 Exacta	1-2	45.60	1,770
					\$2.00 Quinella	1-2	31.80	1,220
					\$2.00 Superfecta	1-2-6-4	188.20	958
					\$2.00 Trifecta	1-2-6	101.00	1,861
					\$2.00 Consolation Double	3-5	17.00	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Ruiz Junior	5	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	1 ³	1 ³ 1/4
2	Kidinthe Candystore	2	2 ² 1/2	2 ²	2 ³	2 ³ 1/4
6	Romans Word	6	6 ⁸	5 ⁵	4 ⁶	3 ⁸ 1/4
4	Kona Street	4	5 ⁶	3 ² 1/2	3 ⁵	4 ¹⁰ 1/2
7	Tiz Trophy Time	1	3 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁷ 1/2	5 ¹³ 3/4
3	Three Drinks	3	4 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁷ 1/2	6 ¹⁹

Trainers: 1 - Pena, Miguel; 2 - Rushton, Stetson; 6 - Rushton, Stetson; 4 - Jensen, Michael; 7 - Stortzum, Cady; 3 - Kemper, Kerry

Owners: 1 -Miguel A. Pena; 2 -Kevin E. Waggoner; 6 - Rushton Racing Stable, LLC and Eaton, Dwain; 4 -Darrell E. Alvey; 7 -Cady Stortzum; 3 -Mason A. King;

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RUIZ JUNIOR hustled to the front to set an unchallenged pace to prove best. KIDINTHECANDYSTORE chased the leader from the inside but was no match and stayed on to be a clear second. ROMANS WORD showed no early speed then advanced from four wide through the turn and was along for the show. KONA STREET raced near the back to the half mile marker then moved between horses going into the turn but lacked a late kick and was best of the rest. TIZ TROPHY TIME broke well to be placed off the pace to the half mile marker then slowly retreated. THREE DRINKS settled in the middle of the pack for the first quarter then faded going into the turn and was outrun.