

ASSINIBOIA DOWNS - May 20, 2026 - Race 4

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since April 20 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500. **Claiming Price:** \$7,500

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Sunny Famous - 1:02.80 - September 19, 1992)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$15,000

Plus: \$2,700 MBIP - Manitoba Bred Incentive Program

Available Money: \$17,700

Value of Race: \$14,950 (US\$10,877) 1st \$9,000 (US\$6,548) , 2nd \$3,000 (US\$2,183) , 3rd \$1,500 (US\$1,091) , 4th \$750 (US\$546) , 5th \$450 (US\$327) , 6th \$250 (US\$182)

Weather: Rainy, 18° C **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:51 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

[GPS Race Chart](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18Apr26 ⁵ FON ⁶	6	Lexington River (Cumberbatch, Renaldo)	124 L b	6 1	3 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 3/4	4.15	pace score 3-wd	
12May26 ¹ ASD ²	5	Golden Buck (Nelson, Tyrone)	123 L b	5 2	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	2 ⁴ 1/2	6.35	stkd frcd pace 4-wd	
24Apr26 ⁶ FON ⁵	1	Brannigan (Balroop, Sven)	122 L b	1 3	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Nose}	4.70	insd spd, held show	
24Sep25 ⁷ ASD ¹	2	Paco's Pico (Whitehall, Antonio)	124 L b	2 4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁴	4 ¹	1.75*	frcd pace btw hrs	
8Oct25 ⁶ ASD ⁵	3	Wrong Direction (Knights, Rachaad)	122 L b	3 6	6	6	6	5 ¹ 1/4	9.80	stdied erly, belatd rly	
3Sep25 ¹ ASD ³	4	No Show No Call (Ali, Ronald)	122 L	4 5	5 ²	5 ² 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	6	3.65	stk frcd pace off rail	

Fractional Times: 24.26 47.97 1:00.34

Final Time: 1:06.89 **Time from Gate:** 1:06.89

Split Times: (23:71) (12:37) (6:55)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Lexington River, Chestnut Gelding, by Klimt out of Awesome Tune, by Awesome Again. Foaled Mar 29, 2021 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Paul Pruet

Owner: Henry S. Witt, Jr.

Trainer: Gourneau, Jerry

Claiming Prices: 6 - Lexington River: \$7,500; 1 - Brannigan: \$7,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$42,835

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Lexington River	10.30	5.50	3.90	\$0.20 Triactor	6-5-1	27.84	21,583
5	Golden Buck		6.50	4.70	\$1.00 Daily Double	2-6	24.50	7,906
1	Brannigan			3.20	\$1.00 Exactor	6-5	32.70	29,533
					\$0.20 Superfecta	6-5-1-2	85.89	12,990

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
6	Lexington River	1	3 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 3/4
5	Golden Buck	2	4 ²	4 ¹ 1/4	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 3/4
1	Brannigan	3	1 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁶ 1/4
2	Paco's Pico	4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	4 ²	4 ⁶ 1/4
3	Wrong Direction	6	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁷ 1/4	6 ⁷ 1/2	5 ⁷ 1/4
4	No Show No Call	5	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁴ 3/4	5 ⁶	6 ⁸ 1/2

Trainers: 6 - Gourneau, Jerry; 5 - Gardipy, Jr., Tom; 1 - Gourneau, Jerry; 2 - Anderson, Wendy; 3 - Gardipy, Jr., Tom; 4 - Taphorn, Mike

Owners: 6 - Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 5 - Dale Henry; 1 - Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 2 - Wind Dancer Stable and Wright, Keith; 3 - Kenneth Lee Gardipy; 4 - Staffmax Stable and Club 3 D Stable;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

LEXINGTON RIVER forced pace three-wide, took short lead mid turn, opened up into stretch, held well. GOLDEN BUCK stalked forced pace four-wide, advanced wide into stretch, made an inside bid to the sixteenth pole, second best. BRANNIGAN had inside speed under pressure, gave way late turn, held the show. PACO'S PICO forced pace between horses, gave way late turn, made a show bid in the drive. WRONG DIRECTION steadied early, dropped back, rallied wide passed a tired rival. NO SHOW NO CALL stalked forced pace off rail early, dropped back inside turn, faded.