

ASSINIBOIA DOWNS - August 12, 2026 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race In 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. Manitoba Bred Claiming Price \$7,500. (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$7,500 - \$5,000
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: \$10,200

Plus: \$900 MBIP - Manitoba Bred Incentive Program

Available Money: \$11,100

Value of Race: \$10,246 (US\$7,358) 1st \$6,120 (US\$4,395) , 2nd \$2,040 (US\$1,465) , 3rd \$1,020 (US\$732) , 4th \$510 (US\$366) , 5th \$306 (US\$220) , 6th \$250 (US\$180)

Weather: Cloudy, 24° C **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:02 **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
4Aug26 ³ ASD ⁵	4	Short Speech (Bynoe, Damario)	118	L	h	4 3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{5 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4.20	otstd, determined rly
28Jul26 ⁶ ASD ⁷	6	Apple Fest (Knights, Rachaad)	122	L		6 1	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ²	1 ¹	2 ^{7 1/4}	1.25*	pace try insd
28Jul26 ⁶ ASD ⁸	2	Casually Classy (Whitehall, Antonio)	123	L		2 2	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	2.30	wel plcd 3-4-wd,evn fn
28Jul26 ⁴ ASD ²	1	Mini Glazed Donut (Cumberbatch, Renaldo)	122	L		1 4	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/4}	4.50	off rail, lacked rally
15Jul26 ² ASD ⁶	3	By Request (Stephenson, Neville)	122	L	b	3 5	5 ⁶	5 ⁸	5 ⁵	5 ^{4 1/2}	33.00	4-5-wd, lacked rly
15Jul26 ² ASD ⁵	5	Broken Promises (Townsend, Shavon)	123	L		5 6	6	6	6	6	35.75	shwd ltl

Fractional Times: 23.67 48.01 1:01.14

Final Time: 1:07.93 **Time from Gate:** 1:07.93

Split Times: (24:34) (13:13) (6:79)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Short Speech, Bay Filly, by [Mr Speaker](#) out of Life Is Short, by Old Fashioned. Foaled Apr 01, 2023 in Texas.

MR SPEAKER  Winner's sire standing at Forks of the Paluxy Farm

Breeder: Stephen Baker

Owner: Henry S. Witt, Jr.

Trainer: Gourneau, Jerry

Claiming Prices: 4 - Short Speech: \$5,000; 6 - Apple Fest: \$5,000; 2 - Casually Classy: \$5,000; 1 - Mini Glazed Donut: \$7,500; 3 - By Request: \$5,000; 5 - Broken Promises: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$53,220

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Short Speech	10.40	4.70	3.10	\$1.00 Exactor	4-6	18.00	39,867
6	Apple Fest		2.80	2.40	\$0.20 Triactor	4-6-2	6.54	18,855
2	Casually Classy			2.10	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-4	5.75	15,529
					\$0.20 Superfecta	4-6-2-1	15.77	13,905

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
4	Short Speech	3	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ²	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}
6	Apple Fest	1	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ²	1 ¹	2 ^{1/2}
2	Casually Classy	2	3 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{6 1/2}	3 ^{7 3/4}
1	Mini Glazed Donut	4	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ⁶	4 ⁷	4 ^{8 1/4}
3	By Request	5	5 ⁷	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{9 1/2}	5 ^{9 1/2}
5	Broken Promises	6	6 ¹³	6 ^{14 1/2}	6 ^{14 1/2}	6 ¹⁴

Trainers: 4 - Gourneau, Jerry; 6 - Hrymak, Brent; 2 - Pruitt, Lise; 1 - Husbands, Tiffany; 3 - Gourneau, Jerry; 5 - Hunter, Judy

Owners: 4 -Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 6 - Hrymak, Brent and Hrymak, Heather; 2 - Arnason Farms; 1 - JGoyRacing; 3 -Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 5 - Dark Cloud Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SHORT SPEECH chased leader outside, came with a determined rally to take over late. APPLE FEST opened up early, short clear lead stretch, gave best, tired late. CASUALLY CLASSY, well placed three-four-wide, finished evenly. MINI GLAZED DONUT stalked off rail, lacked rally. BY REQUEST stalked four-five-wide, lacked rally. BROKEN PROMISES dropped back early, showed little.