

ASSINIBOIA DOWNS - August 26, 2026 - Race 4



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race In 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. Manitoba Bred Claiming Price \$7,500. (NW2 L) **Claiming**
Price: \$7,500 - \$5,000
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Nephrite - 1:09.00 - October 8, 1989)
All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise
Purse: \$10,198
Plus: \$900 MBIP - Manitoba Bred Incentive Program
Available Money: \$11,098
Value of Race: \$11,098 (US\$8,018) 1st \$6,660 (US\$4,811) , 2nd \$2,020 (US\$1,459) , 3rd \$1,110 (US\$802) , 4th \$505 (US\$365) , 5th \$303 (US\$219) , 6th \$250 (US\$181) , 7th \$250 (US\$181)
Weather: Cloudy, 22° C **Track:** Fast
Off at: 9:07 **Start:** Good for all except 1 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
12Aug26 ⁴ ASD ³	7	Betterlucknexttime (Whitehall, Antonio)	123	L b	7	2	3 ² 1/2	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	1 ^{3/4}	0.35*	stk duel otsd,egd away
11Aug26 ⁷ ASD ¹	4	Ralph's Gift (Khelawan, Kerron)	122	L	4	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ² 1/2	7.35	dbl duel insd,gve best
22Jul26 ³ ASD ⁷	6	Haggis (Dalrymple, Dario)	125	b	6	1	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁴	3 ³	3 ³ 3/4	5.25	otsd duel,gave way btw
12Aug26 ⁵ ASD ⁴	3	Shocking Malice (Bennett, Mathew)	123	L	3	4	5 ^{Head}	5 ²	4 ¹	4 ¹ 3/4	24.20	off rail, lacked rly
4Aug26 ⁵ ASD ⁵	5	Saturdays Babe (Townsend, Shavon)	120	L b	5	7	7	7	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	20.05	passed tired rivals
4Aug26 ⁵ ASD ²	2	Ghost Ya (Stephenson, Neville)	123	L	2	6	6 ⁶	4 ¹ 1/2	6 ¹ 1/2	6 ³	28.10	4-5-wd, faded
10Jun26 ⁸ ASD ⁶	1	Oliver Tiz (Patterson, Javaniel)	118	L bf	1	5	4 ^{1/2}	6 ² 1/2	7	7	19.95	hopped brk,insd,faded

Fractional Times: 23.61 47.71 1:00.98 **Final Time:** 1:14.53 **Time from Gate:** 1:14.53
Split Times: (24:10) (13:27) (13:55)
Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Betterlucknexttime, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Nonios out of Nickel Candy, by Silver Deputy. Foaled Mar 20, 2022 in MB.
Breeder: Larry Falloon & Denis Huberdeau
Owner: A2 Thoroughbreds and True North Thoroughbreds
Trainer: Nault, Michael

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Ralph's Gift** New Trainer: Jared Brown New Owner: Jared Brown

Claiming Prices: 7 - Betterlucknexttime: \$7,500; 4 - Ralph's Gift: \$5,000; 6 - Haggis: \$7,500; 3 - Shocking Malice: \$5,000; 5 - Saturdays Babe: \$5,000; 2 - Ghost Ya: \$5,000; 1 - Oliver Tiz: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$102,014

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Betterlucknexttime	2.70	2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Exactor	7-4	5.90	67,724
4	Ralph's Gift		3.90	2.40	\$0.20 Triactor	7-4-6	3.47	53,208
6	Haggis			2.40	\$3.00 Pick 3	5-7-7 (3 correct)	387.60	20,798
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-7	59.30	9,237
					\$0.20 Superfecta	7-4-6-3	8.84	37,028

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Betterlucknexttime	2	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}
4	Ralph's Gift	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}
6	Haggis	1	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ³ 1/4
3	Shocking Malice	4	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁵ 3/4	4 ⁴	4 ⁷
5	Saturdays Babe	7	7 ¹⁰ 3/4	7 ¹⁰ 1/4	5 ⁵	5 ⁸ 3/4
2	Ghost Ya	6	6 ⁴ 3/4	4 ⁴ 1/4	6 ⁵ 1/4	6 ⁹ 1/4
1	Oliver Tiz	5	4 ⁴	6 ⁷ 3/4	7 ⁶ 3/4	7 ¹² 1/4

Trainers: 7 - Nault, Michael; 4 - Dickey, Elton; 6 - Hrymak, Brent; 3 - Pruitt, Lise; 5 - Hunter, Judy; 2 - Homer, Jason; 1 - Laing, Sherri

Owners: 7 - A2 Thoroughbreds and True North Thoroughbreds; 4 -Elton Dickey; 6 - Hrymak, Brent and Hrymak, Heather; 3 - Arnason Farms; 5 - Dark Cloud Racing; 2 - Homer Thoroughbreds; 1 -Murray Clearsky;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BETTERLUCKNEXTTIME stalked duel outside, challenged stretch, dueled, edged away late. RALPH'S GIFT dueled inside, shook pace rival stretch, dueled inside winner, gave grudgingly. HAGGIS dueled outside, gave way between horses nearing eighth pole. SHOCKING MALICE stalked off rail, lacked rally. SATURDAYS BABE trailed to stretch, passed tired rivals. GHOST YA stalked four-five-wide, faded. OLIVER TIZ hopped break, inside early, dropped back, faded.