

ASSINIBOIA DOWNS - October 5, 2026 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE APRIL 5 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Claiming Price \$3,000 (Races Won For Less Are Not Considered For Eligibility Purposes). Manitoba Bred Claiming Price \$4,500. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$4,500 - \$3,000
Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Victor's Pride - 1:23.20 - August 16, 1978)
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: \$9,890 (US\$6,940) 1st \$6,120 (US\$4,294) , 2nd \$2,240 (US\$1,572) , 3rd \$1,020 (US\$716) , 4th \$510 (US\$358)
Weather: Cloudy, 15° C **Track:** Fast
Off at: 7:35 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)
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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23Sep26 ² ASD ¹	3	Lt. Norm (Mamdeen, Christopher)	125	L	bf	3 1	3 ^{Head}	2 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	0.90*	stk duel,got thru insd
22Sep26 ⁸ ASD ²	4	Betterlucknexttime (Whitehall, Antonio)	125	L	b	4 2	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{3 1/4}	1.00	pace try otsd, bid
22Sep26 ⁸ ASD ⁵	2	Wrong Direction (Knights, Rachaad)	125	L	bf	2 4	4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3 3/4}	14.35	stlkd frcd pace otsd
22Sep26 ⁸ ASD ⁴	1	Charming Charlie (Chickeness, Sheldon)	125	L	b	1 3	1 ^{Head}	4	4	4	9.70	spd off rail, gave way

Fractional Times: 26.34 50.28 1:15.45 **Final Time:** 1:28.24 **Time from Gate:** 1:28.24
Split Times: (23:94) (25:17) (12:79)
Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Lt. Norm, Bay Gelding, by [City of Light](#) out of Annadale, by Speightstown. Foaled Mar 05, 2021 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Ann Marie Farms
Owner: Sherri Leanne Laing
Trainer: Laing, Sherri

Claiming Prices: 3 - Lt. Norm: \$3,000; 4 - Betterlucknexttime: \$4,500; 2 - Wrong Direction: \$3,000; 1 - Charming Charlie: \$3,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$22,710

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Lt. Norm	3.80	2.10	\$1.00 Exactor	3-4	2.15	16,060
4	Betterlucknexttime		2.10	\$0.20 Triactor	3-4-2	0.79	7,379
2	Wrong Direction			\$0.20 Superfecta	3-4-2-1	0.82	4,886

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Lt. Norm	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}
4	Betterlucknexttime	2	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}
2	Wrong Direction	4	4 ^{1 3/4}	3 ²	3 ⁵	3 ^{4 1/2}
1	Charming Charlie	3	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{8 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Laing, Sherri; 4 - Nault, Michael; 2 - Gardipy, Jr., Tom; 1 - Gardipy, Jr., Tom

Owners: 3 -Sherri Leanne Laing; 4 - A2 Thoroughbreds and True North Thoroughbreds; 2 -Kenneth Lee Gardipy; 1 - Racing Lake Stable;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

LT. NORM stalked forced pace inside, got through along the rail to challenge mid backstretch, dueled final turn, short lead stretch, opened up mid stretch. BETTERLUCKNEXTTIME forced pace outside, shook rival, dueled outside turn, bid stretch, gave way mid stretch. WRONG DIRECTION stalked forced pace outside, back of duel final turn, finished evenly. CHARMING CHARLIE had inside speed off the rail, gave way between horses mid backstretch.