

BELMONT AT THE BIG A - May 3, 2026 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$13,050 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 3, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$62,500 (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void).

Claiming Price: \$62,500

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Easy Goer - 1:32.40 - April 8, 1989)

Purse: \$75,000

Available Money: \$75,000

Value of Race: \$72,750 1st \$41,250, 2nd \$15,000, 3rd \$9,000, 4th \$4,500, 5th \$3,000

Weather: Clear, 55° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:12 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Mar26 ² AQU ²	6	Eliminate (Carmouche, Kendrick)	121	L b	5	5	5	5	5	4 ³ / _{1/2}	1 ³ / ₄	1.21*	bobld after st,5-3p,7p
11Apr26 ¹ AQU ¹	3	Castle Chaos (Franco, Manuel)	123	L bf	3	2	4 ¹ / ₂	4 ¹	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	2 ³ / ₄	3.64	bmp st,ins,led3/8-1/16
26Apr26 ² AQU ⁴	4	Unlimitedpotential (Davis, Dylan)	123	L b	4	3	3 ¹ / _{1/2}	3 ¹ / ₂	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹ / ₂	3 ² / _{1/2}	1.96	bmp brk,4-5p,6p1/4
26Apr26 ² AQU ⁷	1	Three Technique (Kocakaya, Gokhan)	123	L	1	4	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹ / ₂	3 ¹ / ₂	4 ¹⁸ / _{1/2}	22.06	ins foe,2p,4p1/4,wknd
12Apr26 ⁸ AQU ⁵	2	Miles Ahead (Rodriguez, Jaime)	121	L b	2	1	2 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹ / ₂	4 ¹ / _{1/2}	5	5	5.95	3-4p turn,5p1/4,falter

Fractional Times: 23.50 46.53 1:11.53 1:24.30

Final Time: 1:37.41 **Time from Gate:** 1:39.57

Split Times: (23:03) (25:00) (12:77) (13:11)

Run-Up: 45 feet

Winner: Eliminate, Chestnut Gelding, by Curlin out of I'm a Looker, by Henny Hughes. Foaled Mar 01, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC

Owner: Carl R. Moore

Trainer: Sharp, Joe

Claiming Prices: 6 - Eliminate: \$62,500; 3 - Castle Chaos: \$62,500; 4 - Unlimitedpotential: \$62,500; 1 - Three Technique: \$62,500; 2 - Miles Ahead: \$62,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Ranger Battalion (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$221,617

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Eliminate	4.42	2.64	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	6-3	7.04	102,059
3	Castle Chaos		3.68	2.34	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-3-4-1	2.07	27,723
4	Unlimitedpotential			2.12	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-3-4	5.02	52,549

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Eliminate	5	5 ³	5 ² / _{1/2}	5 ² / _{1/2}	4 ¹ / _{1/2}	1 ³ / ₄
3	Castle Chaos	2	4 ² / _{1/2}	4 ¹ / _{1/2}	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	2 ³ / ₄
4	Unlimitedpotential	3	3 ¹	3 ¹	3 ¹	2 ¹ / ₂	3 ¹ / _{1/2}
1	Three Technique	4	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹ / ₂	3 ¹	4 ⁴
2	Miles Ahead	1	2 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹ / ₂	4 ¹	5 ⁵	5 ²² / _{1/2}

Trainers: 6 - Sharp, Joe; 3 - Kantarmaci, Ilkay; 4 - Noda, Orlando; 1 - Kantarmaci, Ilkay; 2 - Arriaga, Antonio

Owners: 6 -Carl R. Moore; 3 -Ilkay Kantarmaci; 4 - Final Turn Racing Stable LLC and PlayingTheField Racing; 1 - Kantarmaci, Mertkan and Sun-Will Stables LLC; 2 - DEA Thoroughbred Racing LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ELIMINATE was last away then bobbled shortly after the start, settled on the outside, was asked in the five path on the turn, tucked to the three path late on that bend then moved back out to the four path, rallied in the seven path into the stretch and closed well to get up in the final sixteenth and prevail under confident handling. CASTLE CHAOS bumped soundly with UNLIMITEDPOTENTIAL at the start, settled off the pace, moved up with a half-mile to run, made a rail bid early on the turn, took the lead at the three-eighths pole, responded well under a left-handed crop in upper stretch, drifted out coming to the furlong marker, led into the final sixteenth but was caught while able to get the place. UNLIMITEDPOTENTIAL bumped soundly with CASTLE CHAOS at the start, stalked the pace on the outside, was asked in the four then five path on the turn, made a bid in the six path into the stretch, battled outside of the runner-up into the final furlong and was outfinished while clear for the show. THREE TECHNIQUE tossed his head a bit at the start then was sent hard, moved up to get the lead then set the pace under pressure to his outside, was urged along late on the backstretch, vied inside on the turn, lost the advantage with three furlongs to run, came into the stretch in the four path, chased under a drive into the final furlong and weakened. MILES AHEAD pressed the pace on the outside of the leader, was urged along in the three then four path on the turn, spun into the stretch in the five path and faltered.