

BELMONT AT THE BIG A - June 13, 2026 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since December 13, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs.

Claiming Price \$10,000 (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). **Claiming Price:** \$10,000

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

Purse: \$28,000

Available Money: \$28,000

Value of Race: \$28,000 1st \$15,400, 2nd \$5,600, 3rd \$3,360, 4th \$1,680, 5th \$1,120, 6th \$840

Weather: Clear, 85° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:09 **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	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Mar26 ⁵ OP ⁵	1	Metatron's Muse (Gonzalez, Silvestre)	121 L	1	6	6	5 ^{Head}	3 ²	3 ⁶	1 ^{Head}	2.79	3w 1/4, brushed, up
20May26 ² PRX ³	6	Expensive Cut (Silvera, Ruben)	121 L bf	4	4	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2.88	4w 1/4, brushed, missed
3May26 ³ BAQ ²	5	Sagamore Mischief (Franco, Manuel)	121 L	3	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{7 1/4}	1.96*	under pressure, caught
16May26 ⁶ BAQ ⁸	2	Laughing Boy (Gutierrez, Reylu)	123 L bf	2	5	5 ⁴	6	6	4 ^{Head}	4 ⁴	30.35	chased 2-3w, weakened
25May26 ⁶ BAQ ⁶	9	Centavo (Hernandez Moreno, Omar)	123 --	6	1	4 ²	4 ¹	5 ^{Head}	6	5 ^{3/4}	15.72	chased 5-4w, tired
24May26 ³ BAQ ⁷	8	First Trumpet (Lezcano, Jose)	123 L	5	3	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	6	3.16	prompted 3-2w, tired

Fractional Times: 22.69 45.76 1:10.95 1:23.94

Final Time: 1:37.34 **Time from Gate:** 1:39.38

Split Times: (23:07) (25:19) (12:99) (13:40)

Run-Up: 46 feet

Winner: Metatron's Muse, Chestnut Gelding, by Flatter out of Countess Curlin, by Curlin. Foaled May 08, 2020 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC

Owner: Ilkay Kantarmaci

Trainer: Kantarmaci, Ilkay

4 Claimed Horse(s):	Expensive Cut	New Trainer: Mertkan Kantarmaci	New Owner: Mertkan Kantarmaci
	First Trumpet	New Trainer: Michelle Giangiulio	New Owner: Aaron Racing Stables
	Metatron's Muse	New Trainer: Orlando Noda	New Owner: Noda Brothers LLC
	Sagamore Mischief	New Trainer: Ilkay Kantarmaci	New Owner: Ilkay Kantarmaci

Claiming Prices: 1 - Metatron's Muse: \$10,000; 6 - Expensive Cut: \$10,000; 5 - Sagamore Mischief: \$10,000; 2 - Laughing Boy: \$10,000; 9 - Centavo: \$10,000; 8 - First Trumpet: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Bourbon Chase (PrivVet-Injured), Glint (PrivVet-Injured), Prove Worthy (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$201,757

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Metatron's Muse	7.58	4.32	2.78	\$1.00 Pick 3	3-3-1 (3 correct)	75.25	62,568
6	Expensive Cut		3.88	2.60	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-1	11.89	32,029
5	Sagamore Mischief			2.26	\$1.00 Exacta	1-6	15.27	135,321
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-6-5-2	10.68	30,716
					\$0.50 Trifecta	1-6-5	12.02	65,064

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Metatron's Muse	6	6 ^{9 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}
6	Expensive Cut	4	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}
5	Sagamore Mischief	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}
2	Laughing Boy	5	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{3 3/4}	4 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{9 3/4}
9	Centavo	1	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{8 1/4}	5 ^{13 3/4}
8	First Trumpet	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{7 3/4}	6 ^{14 1/2}

Trainers: 1 - Kantarmaci, Ilkay; 6 - Padilla-Preciado, Ernesto; 5 - Rodriguez, Gustavo; 2 - Simmonds, Michael; 9 - Chatterpaul, Naipaul; 8 - Chatterpaul, Naipaul

Owners: 1 -Ilkay Kantarmaci; 6 - JKX Racing; 5 - Novak Stable, Inc.; 2 -Michael A. Simmonds; 9 -Naipaul Chatterpaul; 8 -Naipaul Chatterpaul;

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METATRON'S MUSE broke in at the start under coaxing, chased along the inside coming under coaxing near the quarter pole before being set down spinning three wide into upper stretch, dug in under a drive leaning out slightly against and brushing EXPENSIVE CUT from just inside the three-sixteenths marker to near the sixteenth pole when gaining a clear lane away from the leader, seized command seventy yards from the finish, then dug in to fend off EXPENSIVE CUT to the wire. EXPENSIVE CUT chased two to three wide under a ride from the seven-sixteenths pole, angled four wide into upper stretch, dug in under a drive and was lightly leaned on and brushed from inside the three-sixteenths to near the sixteenth marker when trying to keep the aforementioned foe in behind the leader, dug in head to head and missed on the wire. SAGAMORE MISCHIEF coaxed from the gate, cut the pace from the two path under pressure to the outside from FIRST TRUMPET, tucked inside through the turn and came under encouragement with five-sixteenths to run, spun two to three wide into upper stretch, dug in under a drive under threat from a pair, got caught inside the sixteenth pole and was along well clear of the rest for the show honors. LAUGHING BOY coaxed from the gate, chased two to three wide under a ride from three furlongs out, angled six wide into upper stretch, weakened. CENTAVO chased five then four wide under urging from the seven-sixteenths pole, angled out eight wide into upper stretch, tired. FIRST TRUMPET a bit fractious in the gate prior to the start, prompted the leader from the outside three then two wide coming under urging three furlongs out, angled four to five wide into upper stretch, tired.