

BELMONT AT THE BIG A - June 14, 2026 - Race 9

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$12,180 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since December 14, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at One Mile and One Eighth on the Main Track.) (Rail at 18 feet). **Claiming Price:** \$50,000

Distance: One And One Eighth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Slew the Dragon - 1:47.00 - November 3, 1985)

Purse: \$70,000

Available Money: \$70,000

Value of Race: \$70,000 1st \$38,500, 2nd \$14,000, 3rd \$8,400, 4th \$4,200, 5th \$2,800, 6th \$1,050, 7th \$1,050

[GPS Race Chart](#)

Weather: Cloudy, 78° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 5:19 **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
30Apr26 ⁷ BAQ ³	5	Paros (Carmouche, Kendrick)	121	L	5	1	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ³	1 ³	1 ⁴ 1/2	1 ³ 1/2	6.70	ins turns,responded
7May26 ² BAQ ⁵	4	Big Blue Line (Silvera, Ruben)	121	L b	4	5	3 ¹	3 ²	2 ²	2 ²	2 ²	11.01	2path turns,willingly
30Apr26 ⁷ BAQ ¹	2	Ocean Atlantique (Franco, Manuel)	123	L b	2	7	6 ²	6 ² 1/2	4 ¹ 2	4 ³	3 ³ 4	1.25*	inside turns,improved
7May26 ³ BAQ ⁵	3	Classic Creation (Davis, Dylan)	121	L b	3	6	7	7	7	5 ³	4 ¹	24.57	ins turns, no threat
15May26 ¹ LRL ⁵	1	Sardis (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	121	L b	1	3	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	5 ²	3 ^{Head}	5 ⁷ 1/4	9.26	ins1st,3p2nd,no rally
2Aug25 ⁶ WO ¹⁰	8	Frosted Over (Civaci, Sahin)	121	L	6	4	5 ¹ 2	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹	6 ³ 1/2	6 ⁸	9.86	2-3p turns,no factor
14May26 ⁵ CD ⁸	9	Presider (Zayas, Edgard)	121	L b	7	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 ^{Head}	7	7	2.26	3-2path turns,faltered

Fractional Times: 24.47 48.27 1:11.43 1:35.35

Final Time: 1:48.42 **Time from Gate:** 1:50.16

Split Times: (23:80) (23:16) (23:92) (13:07)

Run-Up: 35 feet **Temporary Rail:** 18 feet

Winner: Paros, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Cairo Prince out of Kalabaka, by Trappe Shot. Foaled May 10, 2020 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Marianne Franco, MD

Owner: Jupiter Stable LLC and Albano, Dr. John

Trainer: Rodriguez, Gustavo

4 Claimed Horse(s):	Big Blue Line	New Trainer: Ernesto Padilla-Preciado	New Owner: JKX Racing
	Frosted Over	New Trainer: Rachel Sells	New Owner: Rachel Sells
	Presider	New Trainer: Mertkan Kantarmaci	New Owner: Five Horsemen Stables
	Sardis	New Trainer: Ilkay Kantarmaci	New Owner: Ilkay Kantarmaci

Claiming Prices: 5 - Paros: \$50,000; 4 - Big Blue Line: \$50,000; 2 - Ocean Atlantique: \$50,000; 3 - Classic Creation: \$50,000; 1 - Sardis: \$50,000; 8 - Frosted Over: \$50,000; 9 - Presider: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Brigadier General (RegVet-Injured), Determinedly (Main-Track-Only), Power Seeker (Main-Track-Only), Sharp Spark (Main-Track-Only), Tok Tok (PrivVet-Injured), Whittington Park (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$353,592

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Paros	15.40	8.90	4.04	\$1.00 Pick 3	1-1-5 (3 correct)	83.07	84,317
4	Big Blue Line		8.80	4.66	\$0.50 Pick 4	3-1-1-5 (4 correct)	121.51	151,947
2	Ocean Atlantique			2.72	\$0.50 Pick 5	(X-COUNTRY P5)	1,958.08	29,947
					\$0.50 Pick 5	5-1-10-1-5 (5 correct)		
					\$1.00 Pick 6	5/7/10/11-3-1-1-5 (5 correct)	395.79	258,912
					\$1.00 Pick 6	5/8-5/7/10/11-3-1-1-5 (6 correct)	1,544.82	179,007
					\$1.00 Pick 6	5/8-5/7/10/11-3-1-1-5 (5 correct)	20.86	0
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-5	24.54	106,037
					\$1.00 Exacta	5-4	73.50	268,800
					\$0.10 Superfecta	5-4-2-3	92.42	65,859
					\$0.50 Trifecta	5-4-2	68.45	129,734

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Paros	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ³	1 ³	1 ⁴ 1/2	1 ³ 1/2
4	Big Blue Line	5	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁴	2 ³	2 ⁴ 1/2	2 ³ 1/2
2	Ocean Atlantique	7	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁷ 1/2	4 ⁵	4 ⁶ 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/2
3	Classic Creation	6	7 ⁶ 1/2	7 ¹⁰	7 ⁸ 1/2	5 ⁹ 1/2	4 ⁶ 1/4
1	Sardis	3	4 ² 1/2	4 ⁶	5 ⁵ 1/2	3 ⁶ 1/2	5 ⁷ 1/4
8	Frosted Over	4	5 ⁴	5 ⁷ 1/2	6 ⁷ 1/2	6 ¹² 1/2	6 ¹⁴ 1/2
9	Presider	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ³	3 ⁵	7 ¹⁶	7 ²² 1/2

Trainers: 5 - Rodriguez, Gustavo; 4 - Abreu, Fernando; 2 - Sharp, Joe; 3 - Terranova II, John; 1 - Trombetta, Michael; 8 - Rice, Linda; 9 - Sharp, Joe

Owners: 5 - Jupiter Stable LLC and Albano, Dr. John; 4 - Paterpop Racing and Penn, John B.; 2 - TEC Racing (Elliott S. Logan); 3 - Funbelly Stables, LLC; 1 - Three Diamonds Farm; 8 - A. Bianco Holding Limited; 9 - Carl R. Moore;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

PAROS was asked to move up and get the lead just inside the seven-eighths pole, showed the way on the inside with a clear advantage, extended the advantage while asked on the far turn, came out inside the three-sixteenths pole then was straightened by the rider, responded well under a brisk hand-ride in the final furlong and proved much the best. BIG BLUE LINE settled in the two path, chased the winner on the far turn, pursued that foe in the stretch and willingly earned the place. OCEAN ATLANTIQUE settled on the inside towards the rear, was urged along on the far turn, saved ground into the stretch and improved for the show. CLASSIC CREATION saved ground at the rear of the field, was urged along with a half-mile to run, continued inside through the far turn and failed to threaten. SARDIS came outward at the start, saved ground on the first turn, settled off the pace, was urged along in the three path on the far turn and failed to threaten. FROSTED OVER went around the first turn in the two path, settled outside without cover, was urged along in the three path

on the far turn and was no factor. PRESIDER was hustled to the front, lost the advantage just inside the seven-eighths pole, raced in the three path on the first turn, followed the solo leader, was urged along passing the half-mile pole, dropped back in the two path into the far turn and faltered.

Total Attendance: 0

Handle: \$6,731,417

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