

BELMONT AT THE BIG A - June 28, 2026 - Race 3

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$16,008 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$20,000 THREE TIMES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON \$55,000 OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE SINCE SEPTEMBER 28, 2025 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$110,000. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since May 28, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$110,000 (Allowance Horses Preferred)(1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$110,000

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Kelly Kip - 1:07.54 - April 10, 1999)

Purse: \$92,000

Available Money: \$92,000

Value of Race: \$92,000 1st \$50,600, 2nd \$18,400, 3rd \$11,040, 4th \$5,520, 5th \$3,680, 6th \$1,380, 7th \$1,380

Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:24 **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	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22May26 ⁷ BAQ ⁴	7	El Grande O (Franco, Manuel)	123 L b	7	6	2 ¹	2 ²	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 3/4	7.35	out,3p,lead3/16,clr1/8
22May26 ⁷ BAQ ²	2	Over and Ollie (Davis, Dylan)	123 L b	2	2	4 ¹	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	2 ¹ / ₂	9.91	2p turn,3p1/4,chased
9May26 ⁶ BAQ ⁴	6	Radio Red (Carmouche, Kendrick)	123 L b	6	4	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Neck}	4.54	out,4path turn,chased
9May26 ⁶ BAQ ²	4	Acoustic Ave (Castellano, Javier)	123 L b	4	7	7	6 ³ 1/2	5 ¹	4 ¹ 1/4	4.88	bit awkward brk,5p trn
22May26 ⁷ BAQ ¹	1	T Kraft (Lezcano, Jose)	123 L b	1	5	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	6 ³ 1/2	5 ⁴	2.41*	inside turn,no rally
25Apr26 ⁸ TAM ⁵	5	Rookie Card (Zayas, Edgard)	123 L	5	1	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	6 ^{Neck}	7.41	inside turn, gave way
26Apr26 ⁷ AQU ¹	3	Ignite the Light (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	123 L b	3	3	5 ^{Head}	7	7	7	3.59	3p-ins turn,no threat

Fractional Times: 22.16 44.46 56.17

Final Time: 1:08.80 **Time from Gate:** 1:10.85

Split Times: (22:30) (11:71) (12:63)

Run-Up: 49 feet

Winner: El Grande O, Dark Bay or Brown Horse, by Take Charge Indy out of Rainbow's Song, by Unbridled's Song. Foaled Feb 03, 2021 in New York.

Breeder: Stonewall Farm

Owner: Barry K. Schwartz

Trainer: Rice, Linda

Scratched Horse(s): Light Man (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$300,092

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	El Grande O	16.70	7.84	4.62	\$1.00 Pick 3	3-4-7 (3 correct)	53.93	65,535
2	Over and Ollie		10.46	5.24	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-7	12.98	35,005
6	Radio Red			3.86	\$1.00 Exacta	7-2	62.75	213,681
					\$0.10 Superfecta	7-2-6-4	148.35	43,967
					\$0.50 Trifecta	7-2-6	142.44	87,675

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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7	El Grande O	6	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 3/4
2	Over and Ollie	2	4 ²	3 ²	3 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 3/4
6	Radio Red	4	3 ²	4 ² 1/4	2 ² 1/2	3 ² 1/4
4	Acoustic Ave	7	7 ³ 1/4	6 ³ 3/4	5 ³ 3/4	4 ² 1/2
1	T Kraft	5	6 ³ 1/4	5 ³ 3/4	6 ⁴ 3/4	5 ³ 3/4
5	Rookie Card	1	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ³ 1/2	6 ⁷ 3/4
3	Ignite the Light	3	5 ³	7 ⁷ 1/4	7 ⁸ 1/4	7 ⁸

Trainers: 7 - Rice, Linda; 2 - Dutrow, Jr., Richard; 6 - Gargan, Danny; 4 - Rice, Linda; 1 - Mott, William; 5 - Gargan, Danny; 3 - Dutrow, Jr., Richard

Owners: 7 -Barry K. Schwartz; 2 -Dennis Narlinger; 6 - Reeves Thoroughbred Racing; 4 - A. Bianco Holding Limited; 1 - LRE Racing LLC; 5 - Gatsas Stables and R. A. Hill Stable; 3 - Jay Em Ess Stable;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

EL GRANDE O broke out at the start, stalked the pace on the outside, made a bid near the seven-sixteenths pole, vied in the three path on the turn, took the lead into the stretch, was put to a left-handed crop while going clear inside the three-sixteenths pole and held under steady urging. OVER AND OLLIE was hustled from the gate then well placed towards the front, chased in the two path on the turn, spun into the stretch in the three path, pursued the winner in the drive and earned the place. RADIO RED was urged along on the outside, chased in the four path on the turn, pursued the winner in the stretch and lacked the needed kick then missed the place while just able to get the show. ACOUSTIC AVE broke a bit awkwardly, moved out early then was urged along on the outside, went around the turn in the five path and improved position to just miss the show. T KRAFT settled off the pace, was roused while saving ground on the turn and lacked the needed response. ROOKIE CARD angled in while going to the front then showed the way, raced inside on the turn, was asked late on that bend, lost the advantage to the winner into the stretch and gave way. IGNITE THE LIGHT settled off the pace, dropped back passing the nine-sixteenths pole, was urged along in the three path for most of the turn, dropped to the rail late on that bend and failed to threaten.