

**COLONIAL DOWNS - August 21, 2025 - Race 3**

HANDICAP - Thoroughbred

TO BE RUN OVER NATIONAL FENCES FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH ARE RATED 110 OR LOWER. The highest rated horse will be assigned 158 lbs. with all other weights adjusted accordingly based on the current ratings. Minimum weight 140 lbs., not including apprentice allowances.

**Distance:** Two And One Fourth Miles On The Hurdle **Current Track Record:** (Boss Man - 3:54.00 - August 9, 2021)

**Purse:** \$35,000

**Plus:** \$3,050 Starters Bonus

**Available Money:** \$38,050

**Value of Race:** \$38,050 1st \$21,000, 2nd \$7,000, 3rd \$3,500, 4th \$1,750, 5th \$1,200, 6th \$1,200, 7th \$1,200, 8th \$1,200

**Weather:** Cloudy, 73° **Track:** Firm

**Off at:** 11:58 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/2	1m	11/2	2m	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Jun25 <sup>2</sup> LRL <sup>7</sup>	3	Bright Eyed Eagle (IRE) (Galligan, Gerard)	156	L f	3	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>5</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	10.90	btwn,split 1/8,drw clr
24Jul25 <sup>3</sup> CNL <sup>8</sup>	4	Hold Hard (IRE) (Dalton, Bernard)	157	L	4	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	11.70	2-3w,angld1/8,late bid
17Jul25 <sup>2</sup> CNL <sup>3</sup>	1	Dante's Fire (Watters, Graham)	155	L f	1	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>3/4</sup>	2.20	btwn,5w1/4,mildly
17Jul25 <sup>2</sup> CNL <sup>5</sup>	5	Benjis Benefit (IRE) (Procter, Freddie)	140	h	5	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	12.10	pace,wknd stretch
7Aug25 <sup>3</sup> CNL <sup>5</sup>	8	Love Foreverafter (Poretz, Eric)	157	L b	8	7 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	6.40	split turn,ang in,wknd
17Jul25 <sup>2</sup> CNL <sup>4</sup>	2	Pavoni (Tierney, Conor)	150	L	2	4 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>9</sup>	1.90*	2-3w,no kick
31Jul25 <sup>5</sup> DEL <sup>3</sup>	7	Icandothat (McDermott, Sean)	158	L b	7	2 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>20</sup>	7 <sup>38 3/4</sup>	8.50	chsd ins,bob 6th,faded
23Nov24 <sup>2</sup> AIK <sup>9</sup>	6	Clara Belle (Mulqueen, Stephen)	154	L b	6	8	8	8	8	8	8	9.10	showed little

**Fractional Times:** N/A N/A N/A N/A N/A **Final Time:** 4:05.58

**Run-Up:** 225 feet

**Winner:** Bright Eyed Eagle (IRE), Chestnut Gelding, by Gleneagles (IRE) out of =Euphrasia (IRE), by =Windsor Knot (IRE). Foaled Mar 10, 2017 in Ireland.

**Breeder:** Sonessa Bloodstock Ltd

**Owner:** Reed, Nancy A. and Griswold, Jack S.

**Trainer:** Neilson, Katherine

**Total WPS Pool:** \$14,344

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Bright Eyed Eagle (IRE)	23.80	12.60	6.00	\$1.00 Pick 3	7-4/5/12-3 (3 correct)	86.80	5,394
4	Hold Hard (IRE)		12.20	5.40	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-3	37.80	2,535
1	Dante's Fire			3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	3-4	72.60	10,076
					\$0.10 Superfecta	3-4-1-5	139.00	4,467
					\$0.50 Trifecta	3-4-1	139.35	7,096

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	1/2	1m	11/2	2m	Str	Fin
3	Bright Eyed Eagle (IRE)	5 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>
4	Hold Hard (IRE)	6 <sup>11</sup>	6 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>
1	Dante's Fire	3 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>
5	Benjis Benefit (IRE)	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/4</sup>
8	Love Foreverafter	7 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>	6 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
2	Pavoni	4 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>5 3/4</sup>
7	Icandothat	2 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>14 3/4</sup>
6	Clara Belle	8 <sup>18</sup>	8 <sup>8</sup>	8 <sup>7 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>16 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>26 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>53 1/2</sup>

**Trainers:** 3 - Neilson, Katherine; 4 - Fout, Paul; 1 - Morris, Neil; 5 - Kingsley, Jr., Archibald; 8 - Morris, Neil; 2 - McKenna, Todd; 7 - McDermott, Sean; 6 - Brian, Keri

**Owners:** 3 - Reed, Nancy A. and Griswold, Jack S.; 4 - Rolling Tide LLC; 1 - Stainbrook, James, Bonanni, Vincent and PathFinder Racing; 5 - Richard C. Colton, Jr.; 8 - Ballybristol Farm LLC; 2 - Keystone Thoroughbreds; 7 - Vivian E. Rall; 6 - Beswick Brothers and Coleman, Aidan;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

BRIGHT EYED EAGLE (IRE) settled back and was placed between rivals nearing the fifth hurdle, then was between horses again near the quarter pole, split rivals in the lane and drew clear to prove best under hand urging. HOLD HARD (IRE) settled back in the two to three path, fell back briefly nearing the eighth hurdle, angled inwards at the furlong marker and had a late rally. DANTE'S FIRE was settled back early and moved up between rivals in the second circuit, came about five wide into the upper stretch and had a mild late gain. BENJIS BENEFIT (IRE) set an unchallenged early pace and showed the way but weakened in the stretch. LOVE FOREVERAFTER was settled back early and split rivals at the top of the turn, angled in at the upper stretch and weakened. PAVONI was settled in the two path and shifted out to be three wide in the second circuit but had no kick in the stretch. ICANDOTHAT chased the pace from the inside, bobbled on the sixth jump and faded in the upper stretch. CLARA BELLE trailed and showed little.