COLONIAL DOWNS - September 6, 2025 - Race 5

STAKES Kitten's Joy S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

OUTER TURF FOR TWO YEAR OLDS. No nomination fee. \$300 to enter and \$300 to start. Supplementary nomination of \$1,250 (which includes entry and starting fees) may be made at the time of entry. \$125,000, with 60% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Weights: Colts and Geldings, 122 lbs. Fillies, 119 lbs. Non-winners of a race other than maiden or claiming at a mile or over allowed 2 lbs. A race other than claiming at a mile or over 4 lbs. Starters and riders to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. This race will be limited to fourteen (14) starters. In the event more than fourteen entrants pass through the entry box, preference will be given to stakes winners, winners, then highest lifetime earnings. Any horse excluded from running due to the aforementioned preference shall be refunded the entry fee and supplementary nomination fee, if applicable. Trophy to the winning owner. Nominations closed Wednesday, August 20, 2025 with

34 nominations and 1 supplement. (Rail at 90 feet). **Distance:** One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Outer turf **Current Track Record:** (Public Defender - 1:39.92 - August 9, 2025)

Purse: \$125,000 Guaranteed Plus: \$1,200 Starters Bonus Available Money: \$126,200

Value of Race: \$126,200 1st \$75,000, 2nd \$25,000, 3rd \$13,750, 4th \$7,500, 5th \$3,750, 6th \$1,200

Weather: Clear, 87° Track: Firm

Off at: 2:09 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25Jul25 4CNL1	1	Casa Cielo (Arrieta, Francisco)	120	1	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{2 3/4}	2.50	rated, kicked clear
16Aug25 ¹¹ WO ⁷	7	Jutland (Lopez, Paco)	118 b	6	5	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ⁴	2 ^{3 1/4}	1.30*	closer,no match str
9Aug25 ² CNL ⁴	4	Kid Charlemagne (Carmouche, Kendrick)	118 b	4	4	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4.20	pressed,determind 3rd
16Aug25 ⁹ SAR ⁴	6	Tough Critic (Cancel, Eric)	118	5	6	6	6	6	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 3/4}	3.30	mildly, outkicked 3rd
8Aug25 ⁷ DEL ¹	2	Empire of Glory (Ruiz, Jorge) (sobs	118 b	2	1	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	5 ²	5 ^{2 1/2}	24.10	relented inside
23Aug25 ⁵ CNL ¹	3	Smols (Ashton, Gavin)	118 bf	3	3	5 ²	5 ²	5 ^{1/2}	6	6	18.00	lacked response

Fractional Times: 24.00 48.42 1:12.85 1:36.82 Final Time: 1:43.25

Split Times: (24:42) (24:43) (23:97) (6:43)

Run-Up: 100 feet Temporary Rail: 90 feet

Winner: Casa Cielo, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Caravaggio out of Curlin's Journey, by Curlin. Foaled Mar 23, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Diamond Thoroughbreds and Investments **Owner:** Don't Tell My Wife Stables 2024, LLC

Trainer: Desormeaux, J.

Scratched Horse(s): J J Grey (Stakes Scratch)

Total WPS Pool: \$159,323

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Casa Cielo	7.00	3.00	2.20	\$1.00 Pick 3	5-7-1 (3 correct)	119.40	10,269
7	Jutland		2.60	2.10	\$0.50 Pick 4	1/8-5-7-1 (4 correct)	104.80	28,908
4	Kid Charlemagne			2.60	\$0.50 Pick 5	4-1/8-5-7-1 (5 correct)	530.60	70,995
	_				\$1.00 Daily Double	7-1	31.70	11,678
					\$1.00 Exacta	1-7	7.70	100,092
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-7-4-6	4.28	38,777
					\$0.50 Trifecta	1-7-4	9.80	57,867

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	n Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Casa Cielo	2	11/2	1 ¹	11/2	1 ²	12 3/4
7	Jutland	5	41 1/2	42 1/2	3 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{2 3/4}
4	Kid Charlemagne	4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	3^{6}	3^{6}
6	Tough Critic	6	6 ⁵	6 ⁵	6 ^{2 1/2}	4 ⁶	4 ⁶
2	Empire of Glory	1	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	5 ⁶ 1/4	5 ^{7 3/4}
3	Smols	3	5 ³	5 ³	5 ²	6 ^{8 1/4}	6 ^{10 1/4}

Trainers: 1 - Desormeaux, J.; 7 - Danner, Kelsey; 4 - Thomas, Jonathan; 6 - Weaver, George; 2 - Lawrence II, James; 3 - Munoz, Carlos

Owners: 1 - Don't Tell My Wife Stables 2024, LLC; 7 - NBS Stable; 4 - Gatehouse Racing and Thomas, Jonathan; 6 - Brockley, Thomas, Brockley, Daryn A., Dew Sweepers and R. A. Hill Stable; 2 - Marcano Racing; 3 - CM Thoroughbreds;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms

CASA CIELO broke well from along the inside, showed the way into the first turn along the inside, rated kindly in the run up the backstretch and into the far turn, let out a notch when straightened for home, kicked clear under steady handling. JUTLAND settled off the early pace, moved closer off the inside second turn, set down for the drive, proved no match for the winner, clearly second best. KID CHARLEMAGNE pressed the winner from the outside for over six furlongs, fell back from between the top two entering the stretch, had little more for that pair through the lane, while coming back in determined fashion to narrowly earn the show. TOUGH CRITIC void of early foot, continued back, came on the outside for the drive, staged a mild rally but was outfinished for the show spot. EMPIRE OF GLORY forwardly placed inside, continued within striking distance second turn, relented through the stretch. SMOLS raced back off the pace, failed to respond when called on in the drive.

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