

COLONIAL DOWNS - September 13, 2025 - Race 9

HANDICAP - Thoroughbred
OUTER TURF FOR FILLIES AND MARES, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD (REGISTERED VIRGINIA BRED, SIRE OR CERTIFIED). Free nominations. Weights to be published Wednesday, September 3. Supplementary nominations will be weighted at time of entry. Starters and riders to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. HIGH WEIGHTS PREFERRED then highest 2024-2025 earnings. Trophy to the winning owner. Nominations closed Wednesday, August 27, 2025 with 26 nominations and 1 supplement. (Rail at 70 feet). (S)

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Outer turf **Current Track Record:** (Public Defender - 1:39.92 - August 9, 2025)

Purse: \$100,000

Plus: \$5,000 VBF - Virginia Breeders Fund

Plus: \$1,000 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$106,000

Value of Race: \$106,000 1st \$60,000, 2nd \$20,000, 3rd \$15,000, 4th \$5,000, 5th \$1,200, 6th \$1,200, 7th \$1,200, 8th \$1,200, 9th \$1,200

Weather: Clear, 78° Track: Firm

Off at: 4:50 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
9Aug25 ³ CNL ¹	8	Public Defender (Curtis, Ben)	122	L b	8	4	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 3/4}	0.60*	rated,3p 1/4,drove clr
21Aug25 ³ SAR ¹	1	Vehemente (Sanchez, Mychel)	120	L b	1	1	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{Neck}	4.40	inside speed,gamely
16Aug25 ⁹ CNL ²	2	Winfinity (Loveberry, Jareth)	120	L	2	7	7 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	3 ²	6.60	bmp st,ins,split 1/8
29Jun25 ³ LRL ¹	6	In This Moment (Russell, Sheldon)	120	L	6	3	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{3/4}	6.70	ins 1/4,no final bid
26Jul25 ⁶ CNL ¹	4	Sal's Blue Jacket (Boyce, Forest)	119	L	4	6	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{Neck}	12.40	jostld brk,angld 3/16
29Aug25 ¹ CNL ¹	3	Power Dance (Esquivel, Emmanuel)	117	L b	3	8	9	9	9	7 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/4}	52.40	6-w upper,needed more
16Aug25 ⁹ CNL ⁴	9	Thursday Girl (Gallardo, Antonio)	122	b	9	2	2 ²	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	7 ^{Neck}	20.40	tracked 2p, gave way,
16Aug25 ⁷ DEL ⁵	5	Doesn'thurttoflirt (Villalobos, Ismerio)	121	L	5	5	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	8 ²	8 ^{1 1/2}	53.10	3-5w far turn,no bid
19Jul25 ³ CNL ³	7	Buzzaway (Rosado, Johan)	120	L b	7	9	8 ²	6 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	9	9	86.40	4-w upper,lacked bid

Fractional Times: 24.26 49.31 1:13.09 1:36.36 Final Time: 1:42.36

Split Times: (25:05) (23:78) (23:27) (6:00)

Run-Up: 90 feet

Winner: Public Defender, Bay Filly, by Constitution out of On the Backstreets, by Street Boss. Foaled Feb 12, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: J. D. Stuart, Peter C. Bance & AREnterprises, Inc.

Owner: Stuart, John D. and Rosen, Andrew

Trainer: Cibelli, Jane

Total WPS Pool: \$125,566

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payout	Pool
8	Public Defender	3.20	2.40	2.10	\$1.00 Pick 3	9-3/6/9-8 (3 correct)	11.40	3,957
1	Vehemente		4.40	2.60	\$1.00 Daily Double	6-8	1.80	7,271
2	Winfinity			3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	8-1	11.80	86,753
					\$0.10 Superfecta	8-1-2-6	13.97	47,404
					\$0.50 Trifecta	8-1-2	19.60	61,282

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Public Defender	4	4 ⁴	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 3/4}
1	Vehemente	1	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 3/4}
2	Winfinity	7	7 ^{6 1/2}	8 ^{6 3/4}	8 ⁷	5 ^{2 1/4}	3 ³
6	In This Moment	3	3 ⁴	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	4 ⁵
4	Sal's Blue Jacket	6	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁵	5 ⁴	6 ^{2 3/4}	5 ^{5 3/4}
3	Power Dance	8	9 ⁹	9 ^{8 1/4}	9 ^{7 1/2}	7 ^{4 1/4}	6 ⁶
9	Thursday Girl	2	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	4 ^{2 1/4}	7 ^{7 1/4}
5	Doesn'thurttoflirt	5	6 ⁶	7 ^{6 1/4}	7 ⁶	8 ^{4 1/2}	8 ^{7 1/2}
7	Buzzaway	9	8 ⁷	6 ^{5 1/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	9 ^{6 1/2}	9 ⁹

Trainers: 8 - Cibelli, Jane; 1 - Sharp, Joe; 2 - Ortiz, John; 6 - Russell, Brittany; 4 - Stidham, Michael; 3 - Grainger, William; 9 - Russell, Brittany; 5 - Rubley, Kelly; 7 - De Paz, Horacio

Owners: 8 - Stuart, John D. and Rosen, Andrew; 1 - International Equine; 2 - Dream Big Racing, LLC; 6 -Ronald Salerno; 4 - Hinkle Farms; 3 -William Grainger; 9 - Timbercreek Racing; 5 - Housatonic Stables, Oh Happy Days Stable, Crabtree, Steve and KMR Racing Stable LLC; 7 -Dennis Kubeck;

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PUBLIC DEFENDER rated along, raced three wide near the quarter pole and finished well late to draw clear under strong handling. VEHEMENTE showed good early speed from the inside, collared inside the eighth pole, dug in and narrowly held the place position in a game effort. WINFINITY bumped soundly at the start, raced from the inside through the far turn through the stretch, split rivals from the inside and finished gamely to the wire. IN THIS MOMENT stalked the pace, raced from the inside near the quarter pole and had no final winning bid. SAL'S BLUE JACKET bumped, jostled at the break, raced mid pack early on, raced from the inside around the far turn, angled out near the three sixteenths pole and had no late rally. POWER DANCE trailed early on, raced six wide into the upper stretch and needed more. THURSDAY GIRL tracked the early leader two deep from the outside and gave way. DOESN'THURTOFLIRT settled off the early going, raced three to five wide around the far turn and never threatened. BUZZAWAY raced four wide into the upper stretch and lacked a solid bid.

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Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred

