

## HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - January 21, 2026 - Race 4

**EQUIBASE**

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR ACCREDITED WEST VIRGINIA-BRED FILLIES AND MARES FOUR YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR STARTER SINCE JULY 21, 2025 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000. Weight, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since December 21 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since November 21 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000 (Races Where Entered For \$15,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (S C) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

**Distance:** Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Immortal Eyes - 50.09 - April 16, 2011)

**Purse:** \$32,700

**Available Money:** \$32,700

**Value of Race:** \$32,700 1st \$19,620, 2nd \$6,540, 3rd \$3,270, 4th \$1,635, 5th \$981, 6th \$654



[Video Race Replay](#)

**Weather:** Cloudy, 34° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 8:40 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
2Aug25	7	CT <sup>4</sup>	3	Bella Mela (Nunez, Juan)	VA CERTIFIED	122	L b	3 1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
17Oct25	7	CT <sup>1</sup>	4	Dreamy Sonde (Cullum, Walter)		122	L b	4 4	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
21Nov25	7	CT <sup>3</sup>	1	Navy Band (Ebow III, Warren)	VA CERTIFIED	115	L b	1 6	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
31Oct25	7	CT <sup>5</sup>	5	Moonlit Kiss (Reynolds, Larry)		122	L f	5 2	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>Nose</sup>
6Dec25	7	CT <sup>2</sup>	2	Jlodiamond (Santaella, Moises)		117	L b	2 5	5 <sup>8</sup>	5 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>7 1/4</sup>
9Jan26	2	CT <sup>5</sup>	6	Dixie Yodeler (Peltroche, Freddy)		122	L b	6 3	6	6	11.90 slow start,no factor

**Fractional Times:** 22.14 46.02

**Final Time:** 52.67

**Split Times:** (23:88) (6:65)

**Run-Up:** 10 feet

**Winner:** Bella Mela, Chestnut Mare, by Bustin Stones out of Stone Cold Flirt, by Yes It's True. Foaled Apr 04, 2020 in West Virginia.

**Breeder:** Alex Kazdan

**Owner:** Alex Kazdan

**Trainer:** Contreras, Javier

**1 Claimed Horse(s): Dreamy Sonde**

New Trainer: Anthony Farrior

New Owner: Conroy Thoroughbreds LLC

**Claiming Prices:** 4 - Dreamy Sonde: \$20,000; 6 - Dixie Yodeler: \$20,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$25,833

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Bella Mela	12.60	5.20	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	3-4	21.50	20,545
4	Dreamy Sonde		3.80	2.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	3-4-1	135.90	12,136
1	Navy Band			3.60	\$1.00 Superfecta	3-4-1-5	392.90	7,922
					\$1.00 Pick 3	2-6-3 (3 correct)	125.00	5,081
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-3	11.20	5,416

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
3	Bella Mela	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
4	Dreamy Sonde	4	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
1	Navy Band	6	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/4</sup>
5	Moonlit Kiss	2	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>
2	Jlodiamond	5	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>
6	Dixie Yodeler	3	6 <sup>11 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>12 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 3 - Contreras, Javier; 4 - Runco, Jeff; 1 - Runco, Jeff; 5 - Grams, Timothy; 2 - Brown, Ronney; 6 - Davis III, Russell

**Owners:** 3 -Alex Kazdan; 4 -Pascal, Lawrence J. and Harding, Sr., Philip Arthur; 1 - Coleswood Farm, Inc.; 5 - Grams Racing Stable LLC; 2 -Timothy Locklear; 6 - Bearowitz, LLC;

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

BELLA MELA broke sharp, widened the margin under steady handling leaving the quarter pole, unchallenged through the lane, held sway driving. DREAMY SONDE roused on between rivals into the turn, two deep pursuit from the furlong marker, chased on well bested the rest. NAVY BAND sent through the chute, circled off the pace five wide into the lane, running on the wrong lead, came home willingly for the show. MOONLIT KISS pressed three wide to keep pace around the turn, evened out through the final sixteenth. JLODIAMOND chased off the pace inside around the turn, clean rail trip through the lane, flattened out to the wire. DIXIE YODELER slow start, never factored.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred