

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - September 10, 2026 - Race 5



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since August 10 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000, if for \$4,500, allowed 2 lbs. NO WVB CLAUSE.
(NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000 - \$4,500
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Lucy's Bob Boy - 1:16.44 - December 11, 2012)
Purse: \$13,300
Available Money: \$13,300
Value of Race: \$13,300 1st \$7,896, 2nd \$2,632, 3rd \$1,316, 4th \$658, 5th \$395, 6th \$263, 7th \$140
Weather: Cloudy, 78° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 9:10 **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	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Aug26 ³ CT ⁵	1	My Yoke (Davis, Jacqueline)	124	L f	1	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1.50*	pressured pace,gamely
13Aug26 ⁸ CT ⁹	8	Hamdoun (Lopez, Carlos)	120	L b	6	7	4 ²	4 ³	4 ³	2 ^{1/2}	2.90	rail bid1/8,rallied
1Aug26 ³ CT ⁸	6	Wishful Thoughts (Santiago, Wilfredo) VA CERTIFIED	124	L b	4	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	3 ⁴	47.20	contested pace,willing
29Aug26 ² TIM ²	5	Chaperone (Bocachica, Arnaldo)	124	L	3	2	6 ²	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Neck}	4.30	save ground, no punch
18Jul26 ⁹ CT ⁷	9	Apolaustic (Rodriguez, Victor)	124	L f	7	6	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Nose}	29.00	bid3w1/8,empty late
25Jul26 ³ CNL ⁵	7	Axel Foley (Latchman, Reshawn)	120	L bf	5	1	3 ⁵	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	6 ^{3 3/4}	2.70	chase3w3/8,weakened
29Aug26 ¹ CT ⁵	4	C'Est La Vie Nick (Montano, Jose)	120	L b	2	5	7	7	7	7	20.40	off pace4w,no factor

Fractional Times: 23.70 47.51 1:13.35 **Final Time:** 1:20.52 **Time from Gate:** 1:21.12
Split Times: (23:81) (25:84) (7:17)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: My Yoke, Bay Gelding, by Practical Joke out of Trial and Error, by Uncle Mo. Foaled Mar 25, 2022 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Klaravich Stables Inc.
Owner: Ernesto Perez
Trainer: Perez, Ernesto

Claiming Prices: 1 - My Yoke: \$5,000; 8 - Hamdoun: \$5,000; 6 - Wishful Thoughts: \$5,000; 5 - Chaperone: \$5,000; 9 - Apolaustic: \$5,000; 7 - Axel Foley: \$5,000; 4 - C'Est La Vie Nick: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Cat Fast (Veterinarian), War Salute (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$38,856

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	My Yoke	5.00	3.00	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	1-8	6.80	30,966
8	Hamdoun		3.40	3.00	\$1.00 Trifecta	1-8-6	357.50	23,822
6	Wishful Thoughts			11.00	\$1.00 Superfecta	1-8-6-5	1,070.20	22,062
					\$2.00 Daily Double	8-1	28.20	6,118
					\$1.00 Pick 3	8-8-1 (3 correct)	266.10	7,985
					\$1.00 Pick 4	2-8-8-1/2/3 (4 correct)	519.60	17,121
					\$1.00 Pick 5	5/6-2-8-8-1/2/3 (5 correct)	1,107.80	36,516

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	My Yoke	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}
8	Hamdoun	7	4 ⁶	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}
6	Wishful Thoughts	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²
5	Chaperone	2	6 ⁸	5 ^{7 1/2}	6 ⁷	4 ⁶
9	Apolaustic	6	5 ⁸	6 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/4}
7	Axel Foley	1	3 ¹	3 ²	3 ³	6 ^{6 1/4}
4	C'Est La Vie Nick	5	7 ¹⁰	7 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}	7 ¹⁰

Trainers: 1 - Perez, Ernesto; 8 - King, Adam; 6 - Heath, George; 5 - Simone, Michael; 9 - Brown, Kelton; 7 - Gazzier, Kristy; 4 - Rose, David

Owners: 1 -Ernesto Perez; 8 -Adam King; 6 -Roger B. Sterling; 5 -Moshe Mark; 9 - Johnny Mac Stables; 7 -David Porto; 4 -Nick Zavolas;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MY YOKE hustled up out of the gate, set a pressured pace along the rail into the far turn, no breathers through the lane, held on resolutely for the score. HAMDOUN pocket trip off the top duo down the back stretch, bid inside leaving the furlong marker, worked off the rail through the lane, rallied with good energy for the place. WISHFUL THOUGHTS broke sharp, contested the pace two wide into the far turn, fought on through the stretch, conceded late stayed on willingly for the show. CHAPERONE saved ground off the pace, had no late punch. APOLAUSTIC urged along off the pace and off the rail down the backside, came up empty through the stretch. AXEL FOLEY chased the leaders three wide into the far turn, weakened through the final sixteenth. C'EST LA VIE NICK raced off the pace four and five wide, never threatened.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred