

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - September 12, 2025 - Race 5



ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 12 Allowed 4 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances)(W V A Races Not Considered In Eligibility). (NW2 L X)
Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Good Lord - 1:22.68 - June 30, 2012)
Purse: \$31,700
Available Money: \$31,700
Value of Race: \$31,700 1st \$19,020, 2nd \$6,340, 3rd \$3,170, 4th \$1,585, 5th \$951, 6th \$634
Weather: Cloudy, 70° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 9:16 **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
22Aug25 ¹³ CT ⁹	3	Runaldo (Bocachica, Arnaldo)	124	L b	3	1	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{Neck}	0.60*	3w,sustained,allout up
14Aug25 ⁷ CT ⁴	6	Dorado (Ho, Wesley)	124	L b	5	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	2 ^{2 1/4}	3.30	pressured pace, game
22Aug25 ¹³ CT ¹⁰	7	Espresso (Almodovar, Gerald)	124	L bf	6	6	2 ¹	2 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	8.50	btw1/4,4w,lef-ld,show
14Aug25 ⁷ CT ³	1	Bail Is Denied (Acosta, J.)	122	L b	1	2	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ⁴	4 ⁶	3.80	bid2w1/8,flattened out
7Aug25 ⁷ CT ⁶	4	Big Joe B (Araujo, Denis)	120	L b	4	5	6	6	6	5 ²	19.90	off pace2w,3w1/8,nobid
7Aug25 ³ CT ⁴	2	Ciderhouse Way (Rodriguez, Victor)	124	L f	2	3	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	6	46.30	saved ground,weakened

Fractional Times: 24.07 48.34 1:12.69 **Final Time:** 1:26.20
Split Times: (24:27) (24:35) (13:51)
Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: Runaldo, Gray or Roan Gelding, by [Creative Cause](#) out of Boozin' Susan, by French Deputy. Foaled May 08, 2020 in West Virginia.

CREATIVE CAUSE Winner's sire standing at Marjorie Farms

Breeder: Huntertown Farm LLC
Owner: Huntertown Farm LLC
Trainer: Runco, Jeff

Scratched Horse(s): W V Lad (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$85,254

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Runaldo	3.20	2.40	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	3-6	4.80	35,241
6	Dorado		3.40	2.60	\$1.00 Trifecta	3-6-7	20.30	26,290
7	Espresso			4.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	3-6-7-1	38.30	18,819
					\$2.00 Daily Double	1-3	95.60	8,220
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-1-3 (3 correct)	313.00	13,255
					\$1.00 Pick 4	2-5-1-3/5 (4 correct)	1,325.50	35,095
					\$1.00 Pick 5	6-2-5-1-3/5 (5 correct)	37,193.00	63,410

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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3	Runaldo	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{Neck}
6	Dorado	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	2 ^{Neck}
7	Espresso	6	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}
1	Bail Is Denied	2	4 ²	4 ³	4 ⁴	4 ⁴
4	Big Joe B	5	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ⁶	6 ⁸	5 ¹⁰
2	Ciderhouse Way	3	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁸	6 ¹²

Trainers: 3 - Runco, Jeff; 6 - Contreras, Javier; 7 - Brown, Keith; 1 - Sigler, Ronald; 4 - Atkins, Michael; 2 - Gazzier, Kristy

Owners: 3 - Huntertown Farm LLC; 6 -Javier Contreras; 7 -Gary L. Hemp; 1 - Casey's Legacy LLC; 4 -Michael G. Atkins; 2 -Cristina V. Mosby;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

RUNALDO tracked the pace three wide down the back stretch, sent to the attack leaving the quarter pole, long sustained bid drew even with the pace setter nearing the sixteenth marker, all out up in the final jumps. DORADO quick start, set a pressured pace along the rail into the far turn, kicked away from outer foe leaving the quarter pole, battled inside through the final sixteenth, game effort in defeat. ESPRESSO prompted the pace two deep down the backside, roused between runners leaving the quarter pole, four wide and unable to switch leads, held on late for the show money. BAIL IS DENIED drafted inside just off the top trio down the back stretch, bid just off the rail turning for home, bid flattened out through the final stages. BIG JOE B raced off the pace two wide, bid three deep into the lane, had no late punch. CIDERHOUSE WAY saved ground off the pace, roused inside leaving the furlong marker, weakened.

Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred