

DELTA DOWNS - January 7, 2026 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES FOUR YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 124 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since December 7 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since November 7 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000. (NW2

L) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000**Distance:** Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Heitai - 56.69 - February 1, 2014)**Purse:** \$26,500**Includes:** \$20,000 Other Sources**Plus:** \$6,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement[Video Race Replay](#)**Available Money:** \$32,500**Value of Race:** \$26,680 1st \$15,900, 2nd \$5,300, 3rd \$2,915, 4th \$1,590, 5th \$975**Weather:** Cloudy, 73° **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 4:46 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Sep25	5	SA ⁹	6	Approval Rating (Del-Cid, Vicente)	120	L b	6 1	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 1 1/2	1.00* stlkd, late kick, clrd
28Nov25	1	DED ⁸	1	Heavenly Dream (Roman, Kevin)	120	L b	1 3	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ²	2 ^{3 1/2}	10.30 good spd, collared late
6Dec25	5	DED ²	7	My Boy Vander (Barrera, Elio)	120	L	7 6	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 1 1/4	1.80 3wtrn, flattened out
3Dec25	4	DED ³	3	Glitters Andie (Cardoso, David)	120	L	3 7	7	6 ^{Head}	5 ¹	4 ^{2 3/4}	32.20 no spd, 4wup,imprvd
4Dec25	1	DED ⁷	4	Welcometomyholiday (Mudd, Jamison)	115	L h	4 5	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	4 ²	5 1/2	8.60 squeezed, even effort
3Dec25	4	DED ⁴	5	Railey Jean (Hernandez, Javier)	116	L	5 4	6 ²	7	6 ³	6 ¹⁵	21.40 bmp, not a factor
4Dec25	1	DED ¹⁰	2	Welcometohazeville (Rosier, Chris)	119	L b	2 2	2 ^{Head}	5 ³	7	7	8.70 off pc, gave way

Fractional Times: 22.07 45.74**Final Time:** 59.10**Split Times:** (23:67) (13:36)**Run-Up:** 26 feet**Winner:** Approval Rating, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Ride On Curlin out of Rated Xtreme, by Magna Graduate. Foaled Mar 12, 2022 in Florida.**Breeder:** Helen Barbazon & Joseph Barbazon**Owner:** Les Blake**Trainer:** Wong, Jonathan**Claiming Prices:** 6 - Approval Rating: \$20,000; 1 - Heavenly Dream: \$20,000; 7 - My Boy Vander: \$20,000; 3 - Glitters Andie: \$20,000; 4 - Welcometomyholiday: \$20,000; 5 - Railey Jean: \$20,000; 2 - Welcometohazeville: \$20,000;**Total WPS Pool:** \$17,012

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Approval Rating	4.00	3.20	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	6-1	22.90	16,272
1	Heavenly Dream		8.60	4.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-1-7	22.25	12,902
7	My Boy Vander			2.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-1-7-3	18.32	9,984

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
6	Approval Rating	1	3 ¹	2 ²	2 ²	1 1 1/2
1	Heavenly Dream	3	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ²	2 1 1/2
7	My Boy Vander	6	5 ^{2 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁵
3	Glitters Andie	7	7 ⁵	6 ⁷	5 ⁶	4 6 1/4
4	Welcometomyholiday	5	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁴	5 ⁹
5	Railey Jean	4	6 ³	7 ⁷	6 ⁷	6 9 1/2
2	Welcometohazeville	2	2 ¹	5 ⁴	7 ¹⁰	7 24 1/2

Trainers: 6 - Wong, Jonathan; 1 - Ramirez-Rodriguez, Abel; 7 - Gelner, Jayde; 3 - Hibdon, Mark; 4 - Klanfer, Alan; 5 - Dixon, Tim; 2 - Brinkman, Brett**Owners:** 6 -Les Blake; 1 - End Zone Athletics, Inc.; 7 - Thompson Racing LLC (Stephen Thompson); 3 -Mark N. Hibdon; 4 - Blue Ridge Racing; 5 -Sherry J. Cobb; 2 -Sarah Grainger;**Footnotes |** [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

APPROVAL RATING stalked the pace from two wide through the turn then made a late kick to run down the leader and drew clear. HEAVENLY DREAM showed good speed to take a clear lead but was collared in the final yards to be second best. MY BOY VANDER raced in the middle of the pace from four wide then made a mild three wide bid on the turn and flattened out. GLITTERS ANDIE broke out and bumped with outside rival then was void of speed while racing two wide through the turn, angled out to four wide in upper stretch to improve her position. WELCOMETOMYHOLIDAY was squeezed at the start then race in the middle of the pack while showing an even effort. RAILY JEAN bumped with rival leaving in the starting gate then raced near the back and was not a factor. WELCOMETOHAZEVILLE raced off the pace to the turn and gave way.