

DELAWARE PARK - October 8, 2025 - Race 5

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 50% Other Sources) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED IN A CLAIMING RACE OF \$40,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NOT WON 2 RACES IN 2025 (CLAIMING RACES FOR \$32,000 OR LESS NOT CONSIDERED) OR CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 8, 2025 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Races Where Entered For \$32,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility And Allowances). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Pisgah - 1:07.92 - April 25, 2006)

Purse: \$32,000

Plus: \$1,500 Starters Bonus

Plus: \$1,600 Other Sources


Available Money: \$35,100

Value of Race: \$33,500 1st \$19,200, 2nd \$8,000, 3rd \$3,200, 4th \$1,600, 5th \$500, 6th \$500, 7th \$500

Weather: Clear, 66° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:59 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

EQUIBASE

 [Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18May25 ⁴ CD ¹	6	Big Hat Willie (Cruz, Angel)	122	L b	5	1	3 ²	3 ²	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	4.40	track, 5wbid, kept on
14Sep25 ² DEL ¹	2	Howgreatisnate (Hernandez, Julio)	125	L b	2	5	4 ^{1/2}	6 ⁴	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	1.50*	split, rally 3w, miss
22Aug25 ⁵ PEN ¹	7	Sheriff Ronnie (Torres, Jomar) VA CERTIFIED	125	L b	6	6	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹	3 ¹	4.20	wide trip, up for show
21Sep25 ⁶ LRL ⁸	3	Karan's Notion (Burnham, Matilda)	115	L f	3	2	6 ⁵	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	13.10	btwn, 6wbid, outkicked
6Sep25 ² DEL ¹	5	Runaway Jack (Gomez, Kevin)	122	L bf	4	7	7	7	7	5 ^{3 1/4}	20.70	trail, pass tired foes
30Jul25 ⁸ DEL ⁵	8	Take a Hint (Hazlewood, Yedsit)	117	L f	7	3	2 ¹	1 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	6 ⁵	2.30	press, bid, yield
17Aug25 ⁹ EMD ⁶	1	Masen (GB) (Chuan, Martin)	122	- -	1	4	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	7	29.20	pace, yield, stdy 1/8

Fractional Times: 22.32 45.45 58.37

Split Times: (23:13) (12:92) (12:86)

Run-Up: 20 feet

Final Time: 1:11.23

Winner: Big Hat Willie, Chestnut Gelding, by First Samurai out of Cleo's Krewe, by Flatter. Foaled Apr 01, 2020 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Canamer Farm

Owner: Sheik Shakoor

Trainer: Atras, Rob

Claiming Prices: 7 - Sheriff Ronnie: \$50,000; 5 - Runaway Jack: \$50,000; 8 - Take a Hint: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Petingas Twin (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$80,398

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Big Hat Willie	10.80	4.80	4.20	\$1.00 Exacta	6-2	16.20	70,049
2	Howgreatisnate		3.00	2.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-2-7	23.20	54,815
7	Sheriff Ronnie			2.80	\$1.00 Daily Double	9-6	31.00	10,032
					\$0.50 Pick 3	8-9-6 (3 correct)	40.25	10,082
					\$0.50 Pick 4	6-8-9-6 (4 correct)	224.30	11,665
					\$0.50 Pick 5	5-6-8-9-6 (5 correct)	1,208.25	31,272
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-2-7-3	17.75	38,277

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Big Hat Willie	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}
2	Howgreatisnate	5	4 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{3 1/4}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}
7	Sheriff Ronnie	6	5 ⁴	5 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/4}	3 ^{1 1/2}
3	Karan's Notion	2	6 ⁴	4 ³	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}
5	Runaway Jack	7	7 ⁹	7 ^{7 1/4}	7 ^{3 1/4}	5 ³
8	Take a Hint	3	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ¹	6 ^{6 1/4}
1	Masen (GB)	4	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	5 ²	7 ^{11 1/4}

Trainers: 6 - Atras, Rob; 2 - Simoff, Andrew; 7 - Kreiser, Timothy; 3 - Heil, Nancy; 5 - Robertson, McLean; 8 - Capuano, Gary; 1 - Raven, Kerri

Owners: 6 -Sheik Shakoor; 2 - Imaginary Stables; 7 - Mason Dixon Stable; 3 -Nancy B. Heil; 5 - Xtreme Racing Stables, LLC; 8 - Fowler, Jr., Paul L. and Hazard, John; 1 -Nicole Droder;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BIG HAT WILLIE tracked the pace three wide, made a five wide bid to take command exiting the turn, held off rallying foe to secure the victory. HOWGREATISNATE raced off the pace on the inside, split foes in the final furlong, angled out three wide to rally and just missed. SHERIFF RONNIE raced off the pace on the outside, never saved ground, up for show. KARAN'S NOTION settled off the pace between foes, made a six wide bid at the top of the stretch but was outkicked late. RUNAWAY JACK unhurried at the start to be the early trailer, passed tired foes in the stretch. TAKE A HINT pressed the early pace from the two path, took command inside the three eighths, yielded at the three sixteenths and faded. MASEN (GB) claimed the early lead on the inside, gave way inside the three eighths, steadied at the final furlong and retreated.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred