

**EVANGELINE DOWNS - June 27, 2026 - Race 7**

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(INCLUDES UP TO \$1,000 LTBASBF) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year

Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. (S) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

**Distance:** Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Mico Margarita - 1:08.37 - April 12, 2014)

**Purse:** \$14,000

**Includes:** \$9,200 Other Sources

**Includes:** \$1,800 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund

**Available Money:** \$14,000

**Value of Race:** \$14,000 1st \$8,400, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,540, 4th \$840, 5th \$420

**Weather:** Clear, 86° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 8:19 **Start:** Good for all except 1,2,3 **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
28May26 <sup>1</sup> EVD <sup>3</sup>	4	Closing Agent (Ramirez, Jr., Julio)	124	L bf	4	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	5.80	made lead, held firm
13Jun26 <sup>9</sup> EVD <sup>2</sup>	7	Bellastone Country (Barrera, Elio)	121	L	7	1	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	3.10	prssd2w,bid,hung
13Jun26 <sup>9</sup> EVD <sup>6</sup>	6	Samuel (Melancon, Jansen)	121	L	6	6	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2.10*	bid3w,needed more
18Jun26 <sup>8</sup> EVD <sup>8</sup>	8	One Grand Slam (Castillo, Isaac)	124	L bf	8	5	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Nose</sup>	2.60	close up 4w, evenly
30May26 <sup>1</sup> EVD <sup>6</sup>	5	Taurean (Vargas, Juan)	124	L bf	5	2	6 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>4</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	22.80	even effort
11Jun26 <sup>3</sup> EVD <sup>6</sup>	3	Stanley Little Boy (Magnon, Devin)	124	L	3	7	8	8	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	32.60	poor st,kept task,impv
30Jan26 <sup>1</sup> DED <sup>8</sup>	1	Man of the Hill (Rodriguez, Jose)	121	L b	1	8	7 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>	9.90	raced erratically
4Jun26 <sup>8</sup> EVD <sup>6</sup>	2	Truvy's Hit (Inirio, Junior)	123	L b	2	4	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	8	8	15.50	poor st,drop out 3/8

**Fractional Times:** 23.04 46.99 1:00.07

**Final Time:** 1:13.83 **Time from Gate:** 1:15.97

**Split Times:** (23:95) (13:08) (13:76)

**Run-Up:** 35 feet

**Winner:** Closing Agent, Bay Gelding, by Custom for Carlos out of Ide's Child, by Ide. Foaled Mar 03, 2022 in Louisiana.

**Breeder:** Randy Ellis

**Owner:** Gregory A. Ellis

**Trainer:** Mouton, Chadwick

**Claiming Prices:** 4 - Closing Agent: \$5,000; 7 - Bellastone Country: \$5,000; 6 - Samuel: \$5,000; 8 - One Grand Slam: \$5,000; 5 - Taurean: \$5,000; 3 - Stanley Little Boy: \$5,000; 1 - Man of the Hill: \$5,000; 2 - Truvy's Hit: \$5,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$71,903

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Closing Agent	13.60	5.60	3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	4-7	30.20	49,469
7	Bellastone Country		3.80		\$0.50 Trifecta	4-7-6	45.40	40,017
6	Samuel			2.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	4-7-6-8	19.87	29,740
					\$0.50 Pick 3	7-1-4 (3 correct)	86.65	9,288
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-4	105.90	8,184

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Closing Agent	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 3/4</sup>
7	Bellastone Country	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 3/4</sup>
6	Samuel	6	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
8	One Grand Slam	5	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3/4</sup>	4 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
5	Taurean	2	6 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>5</sup>	6 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
3	Stanley Little Boy	7	8 <sup>9</sup>	8 <sup>9</sup>	7 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
1	Man of the Hill	8	7 <sup>5</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>10 1/4</sup>
2	Truvy's Hit	4	4 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>18 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 4 - Mouton, Chadwick; 7 - Cano, Juan; 6 - Degeyter, Jr., Randy; 8 - Shamsie, Mike; 5 - Mojica, Edith; 3 - Boxie, Joseph; 1 - Thomas, Lee; 2 - Zenon, Sr., Shelton

**Owners:** 4 -Gregory A. Ellis; 7 -Juan Munoz Cano; 6 -Brittany Johns; 8 -Austin James Shamsie; 5 - Valls Thoroughbreds LLC; 3 -Joseph Stanley Boxie; 1 - Elite Thoroughbred Racing LLC; 2 -Kenneth James Zeno;

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

CLOSING AGENT brushed with the inside rival at the start was hustled up to take the lead passing the five-furlong pole, maintained a narrow lead through the turn while traveling well, was set down at the head of the stretch, came under steady urging but managed to fend off all challengers to prevail. BELLASTONE COUNTRY pressed the CLOSING AGENT in the two-path, came under heavy pressure from the quarter pole, had every chance in the stretch but could not get by. SAMUEL settled between horses just off the pace, came out three-wide for the stretch run, but could not find an extra gear when needed in deep stretch. ONE GRAND SLAM was always close up but four-wide, finished evenly through the stretch, and was unable to improve. TAUREAN chased at the back of the main pack, was floated out four-wide into the stretch, and finished mildly. STANLEY LITTLE BOY got squeezed and pinched back at the start, dropped far behind early, kept to task on the inside path and improved. MAN OF THE HILL broke in a tangle, was a bit rank and taken to the outside, made a big move three to four wide after passing the three-furlong pole, came out five-wide into the stretch and flattened out. TRUVY'S HIT broke off balance and ducked out sharply, recovered quickly, and moved up into contention along the rail, struggled to keep pace near the three-furlong pole, dropped back, and was uninvolved in the later stages.