

EVANGELINE DOWNS - July 4, 2026 - Race 6

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
 (INCLUDES UP TO \$200 LTBASBF) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since June 4, 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since May 4, 2026 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$15,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (SNW2 X) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt - Originally Scheduled For 1 Mile On Turf **Current Track Record:** (Sunbean - 1:35.75 - July 6, 2013)

Purse: \$42,000

Includes: \$39,300 Other Sources

Includes: \$500 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund

Available Money: \$42,000

Value of Race: \$42,000 1st \$25,200, 2nd \$8,400, 3rd \$4,620, 4th \$2,520, 5th \$1,260

Weather: Cloudy, 84° **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 8:15 **Start:** Good for all except 3 **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7May26 ⁵ EVD ¹	3	Moonie Pie (Barrera, Elio)	120	L b	3	6	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	2 ²	1 ^{5 3/4}	0.60*	stlk,bid1/4,drw clear
30May26 ⁹ EVD ²	2	Viv's Wild Aces (Melancon, Jansen)	120	L	2	2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	4.70	pace,led upr,yielded
15Jun26 ³ LAD ⁴	1	Lola and Rose (Nieves, Emanuel)	120	L b	1	5	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	27.30	sttld ins,even,gain3rd
16May26 ⁹ EVD ¹	8	Becky'sgottahaveit (Hernandez, Colby)	120	L	7	1	7	7	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ³	14.50	svd grnd,lacked rally
30Apr26 ⁷ EVD ³	4	Diva Beach (Castillo, Isaac)	120	L b	4	4	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{4 1/4}	6.20	stlkd2w,wknd stretch
15Jun26 ³ LAD ²	7	Ground Control (Hernandez, Harry)	120	L	6	7	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ⁶	6 ¹²	6 ^{41 1/2}	8.90	tk bk,bid 3/8,faltered
6Jun26 ² EVD ¹	6	Blessed Assurance (Rodriguez, Jose)	120	L bf	5	3	4 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	7	7	7	9.80	eased far turn,wkldoff

Fractional Times: 24.65 48.51 1:13.23 1:25.83 **Final Time:** 1:38.78 **Time from Gate:** 1:40.75

Split Times: (23:86) (24:72) (12:60) (12:95)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Moonie Pie, Chestnut Filly, by Dialed In out of Heatseeker Sharon, by Heatseeker (IRE). Foaled Feb 06, 2022 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Keith Hernandez, Earl Hernandez & John Duvielh

Owner: Hernandez, Earl J., Hernandez, Keith J. and Duvielh, John

Trainer: David, Jr., Sam

Claiming Prices: 2 - Viv's Wild Aces: \$20,000; 8 - Becky'sgottahaveit: \$20,000; 7 - Ground Control: \$20,000; 6 - Blessed Assurance: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Saved by Grace (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$76,784

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Moonie Pie	3.20	2.20	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	3-2	6.30	51,894
2	Viv's Wild Aces		4.20	3.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-2-1	25.90	32,230
1	Lola and Rose			5.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-2-1-8	35.21	17,955
					\$0.50 Pick 3	8-5-3 (3 correct)	19.55	11,514
					\$1.00 Daily Double	5-3	7.70	6,030

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Moonie Pie	6	3 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{5 3/4}
2	Viv's Wild Aces	2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{5 3/4}
1	Lola and Rose	5	5 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{6 1/4}
8	Becky'sgottahaveit	1	7 ⁵	7 ⁵	5 ³	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{7 3/4}
4	Diva Beach	4	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	4 ³	5 ^{10 3/4}
7	Ground Control	7	6 ⁵	5 ⁴	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ⁵	6 ¹⁵
6	Blessed Assurance	3	4 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{9 1/2}	7 ¹⁷	7 ^{56 1/2}

Trainers: 3 - David, Jr., Sam; 2 - Alberto, Antonio; 1 - Courville, Ricky; 8 - David, Jr., Sam; 4 - Calhoun, W.; 7 - Alberto, Antonio; 6 - Govea, Cesar

Owners: 3 - Hernandez, Earl J., Hernandez, Keith J. and Duvielh, John; 2 - SJB Racing LLC; 1 - Leger, Michael J. and Courville, Ricky; 8 - Alston Thoroughbreds, LLC; 4 - Mansfield Racing; 7 - Lovern, Jason and Lovern, Pamela Belk; 6 - L and G Racing Stables;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MOONIE PIE steadied slightly at the start when the outside foe came over, still got a good forward position behind the pace, was content to stalk to the far turn, then angled out three-wide for the stretch run, responded when set down in upper stretch, collared the leader and drew clear in the late stages. VIV'S WILD ACES showed good speed from the break, won the race into the first turn, led the way with DIVA BEACH keeping close attendance to the outside down the backstretch, left that rival behind at the quarter pole, and had a clear lead into the stretch, but weakened a bit from the early efforts and could not hold back the winner and just barely saved second. LOLA AND ROSE settled along the rail, raced in the back half of the field through the early stages, moved up to be in range of the frontrunners on the far turn, had a clear inside path in the stretch, but could not muster a late kick but managed to gain the minor award. BECKY'SGOTTAHAVEIT broke well from the outside post, but got caught four to five wide into the first turn, backed off the pace, then got over to the rail when clear, saved ground to the stretch, then came out in the three-path for a clear run but lacked a rally. DIVA BEACH stalked the early pace two-wide, then could not keep up in the stretch. GROUND CONTROL was taken back on the first turn to avoid going wide, advanced from last on the run up the backstretch, launched a bid from the three-furlong pole, came four-wide into the lane, but could not sustain the run and faltered in mid-stretch. BLESSED ASSURANCE raced in mid-pack to the far turn, dropped back to last and was uninvolved from that point, eased to the finish line, and walked off.