

EVANGELINE DOWNS - July 16, 2026 - Race 8

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(INCLUDES UP TO \$1,000 LTBASBF) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE JANUARY 16, 2026. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since June 16, 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500 (Claiming Races For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight And Eligibility). (S C) **Claiming Price:** \$7,500

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

Purse: \$17,500

Includes: \$12,100 Other Sources

Includes: \$2,400 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund

Available Money: \$17,500

Value of Race: \$17,500 1st \$10,500, 2nd \$3,500, 3rd \$1,925, 4th \$1,050, 5th \$525

Weather: Cloudy, 85° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:28 **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
4Jun26 ⁶ EVD ³	2	Like This (Melancon, Jansen)	122	L	bf	2 4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1.90*	under pressure, held
12Jun26 ¹ EVD ²	6	Charco (Thornton, Timothy)	122	L		6 1	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Neck}	3.30	willingly,couldnt gain
20Jun26 ⁶ EVD ³	8	Louisiana Wildlife (Barrera, Elio)	122	L	f	8 2	6 ⁶	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	21.80	challenged, not enough
26Jun26 ⁵ EVD ³	5	Throwin' Shade (Ramirez, Jr., Julio)	122	L	bf	5 7	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ⁶	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 3/4}	34.40	improved position
12Jun26 ⁶ EVD ¹	3	Hawija (Hernandez, Javier)	117	L		3 5	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Nose}	2.50	pressed, leveled off
12Jun26 ⁶ EVD ⁴	4	Ampitup (Hernandez, Harry)	122	L	b	4 3	4 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}	7 ⁸	6 ^{1 1/4}	4.10	angled out, no rally
12Jun26 ¹ EVD ⁶	7	Sweet Talkin Slick (Hernandez, Colby)	122	L	b	7 6	5 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{15 1/2}	23.10	rail bid, no response
20Mar26 ³ GP ⁸	1	Dogwood Crossing (Nieves, Emanuel)	122	b		1 8	8	8	8	8	18.40	trailed,not urged late

Fractional Times: 22.07 45.34 58.08

Final Time: 1:11.57 **Time from Gate:** 1:13.43

Split Times: (23:27) (12:74) (13:49)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Like This, Bay Gelding, by Cloud Computing out of Sweet Summer Sun, by Quiet American. Foaled Apr 13, 2020 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Allied Racing Stable, LLC

Owner: Baronne Farms LLC

Trainer: Landry, Allen

3 Claimed Horse(s): Ampitup
Charco
Hawija

New Trainer: Juan A. Larrosa
New Trainer: Samuel Breaux
New Trainer: Eduardo Ramirez

New Owner: Dale White, Sr.
New Owner: Hat Racing LLC
New Owner: John Tolson IV

Claiming Prices: 2 - Like This: \$7,500; 6 - Charco: \$7,500; 8 - Louisiana Wildlife: \$7,500; 5 - Throwin' Shade: \$7,500; 3 - Hawija: \$7,500;
4 - Ampitup: \$7,500; 7 - Sweet Talkin Slick: \$7,500; 1 - Dogwood Crossing: \$7,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Craken Jax (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$62,388

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
2	Like This	5.80	3.20	2.60	\$0.50 Pick 3	2-1-2 (3 correct)	9.70	30,251	
6	Charco		4.00	3.60	\$0.50 Pick 4	4-2-1/2/5/7-2/9 (4 correct)	477.35	42,009	
8	Louisiana Wildlife			7.00	\$0.50 Pick 5	10-4-2-1/2/5/7-2/9 (5 correct)	1,888.70	47,854	
					\$0.20 Pick 6 Jackpot	1-10-4-2-1/2/5/7-2/9 (5 correct)	497.02	7,147	6,244
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-2	4.40	23,490	
					\$1.00 Exacta	2-6	11.60	57,317	
					\$0.10 Superfecta	2-6-8-5	58.43	30,118	
					\$0.50 Trifecta	2-6-8	42.20	36,634	

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	Like This	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹
6	Charco	1	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹
8	Louisiana Wildlife	2	6 ⁴	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/4}
5	Throwin' Shade	7	7 ¹⁰	7 ⁶	5 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3 3/4}
3	Hawija	5	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	5 ^{5 1/2}
4	Ampitup	3	4 ¹	5 ³	7 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}
7	Sweet Talkin Slick	6	5 ³	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}
1	Dogwood Crossing	8	8 ^{11 1/2}	8 ¹²	8 ^{11 1/4}	8 ^{22 1/4}

Trainers: 2 - Landry, Allen; 6 - Ducoing, Sturges; 8 - Alberto, Antonio; 5 - Zeno, Benjamin; 3 - Degeyter, Jr., Randy; 4 - Degeyter, Jr., Randy; 7 - Breaux, Samuel; 1 - Suarez, Aubrie

Owners: 2 - Baronne Farms LLC; 6 - Dantin, Dan and Ajubita, Thomas; 8 - Lovern, Jason and Lovern, Pamela Belk; 5 -Rafael Moreno; 3 -Haylie Robinson; 4 -Larry J. Romero; 7 - Moran, Sr., Clyde P. and Moran, Andy; 1 - Rovinsky, Kirk and Best Bet Equine, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

LIKE THIS moved up inside to set a pressured pace, was under pressure through the drive and held under steady left handed urging. CHARCO led early, pressed the pace four wide, challenged on the turn, went willingly to the wire, couldn't gain ground and was all out for place. LOUISIANA WILDLIFE bid along the rail on the turn, angled out for the drive, challenged for the lead, didn't have enough late and earned show in a game effort. THROWIN' SHADE was slow early, closed steadily and improved position. HAWIJA pressed the pace between horses to the turn, dropped back and leveled off. AMPITUP pressed the pace three wide, dropped back into the turn, angled out to be widest in the drive and lacked a rally. SWEET TALKIN SLICK was never far back, bid along the rail on the turn and lacked a response. DOGWOOD CROSSING trailed the field and was not urged late.

Track Attendance: 0

Total

Handle: \$18,443

Handle: \$1,762,975