

FORT ERIE - September 15, 2026 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred  
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2026 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$6,250, if for \$6,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)(Waiver Claiming Exempt) (Colts And Geldings Preferred)(\*Plus Up To \$540 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeders Awards). ( C ) **Claiming Price:** \$6,250 - \$6,000  
**Distance:** Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Set in Stone - 1:08.18 - June 15, 2010)  
**All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise**

**Purse:** \$24,375  
**Includes:** \$4,875 Ontario Sired / Bred Breeders Awards  
**Includes:** \$3,250 State Bred  
**Available Money:** \$24,375

[Video Race Replay](#)

**Value of Race:** \$17,043 (US\$12,261) 1st \$9,750 (US\$7,014) , 2nd \$3,250 (US\$2,338) , 3rd \$1,625 (US\$1,169) , 4th \$1,268 (US\$912) , 5th \$650 (US\$468) , 6th \$500 (US\$360)

**Weather:** Clear, 70° C **Track:** Fast  
**Off at:** 2:15 **Start:** Good for all except 5,6 **Timing Method:** Electronic

| Last Raced                           | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey)             | Wgt | M/E  | PP | Start | 1/4                             | 1/2                             | Str                             | Fin                             | Odds  | Comments              |
|--------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------|-----|------|----|-------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| 17Aug26 <sup>1</sup> FE <sup>1</sup> | 2   | A La Carte (Vanek, Helen)       | 122 | L b  | 1  | 2     | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>     | <sup>1</sup>                    | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2 1/2</sub> | 1.15* | 3-path str, held sway |
| 31Aug26 <sup>1</sup> FE <sup>2</sup> | 7   | Cantucci (Mosqueira, Ismael)    | 124 | b    | 6  | 1     | <sup>4</sup> / <sub>Head</sub>  | <sup>3</sup> / <sub>1</sub>     | <sup>2</sup> / <sub>1</sub>     | <sup>2</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | 2.90  | 5-p str, no match     |
| 31Aug26 <sup>1</sup> FE <sup>4</sup> | 6   | Bingo's Grind (Johnson, Kirk)   | 124 | L b  | 5  | 5     | 5                               | <sup>4</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | <sup>3</sup> / <sub>1</sub>     | <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>     | 2.80  | off slow, needed more |
| 31Aug26 <sup>2</sup> FE <sup>5</sup> | 3   | Santiago Salsa (David, Michael) | 122 | L bf | 2  | 3     | <sup>2</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | <sup>2</sup> / <sub>Head</sub>  | <sup>4</sup> / <sub>Head</sub>  | <sup>4</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | 32.55 | 4-p str, leveled off  |
| 31Aug26 <sup>1</sup> FE <sup>5</sup> | 4   | Attestation (Forde, Xarel)      | 122 | L bf | 3  | 4     | <sup>3</sup> / <sub>Head</sub>  | 5                               | 5                               | 5                               | 14.50 | 3-p str, no response  |
| 18Aug26 <sup>1</sup> FE <sup>4</sup> | 5   | Where Is Essa (Crawford, Juan)  | 122 | L f  | 4  | 6     | ---                             | ---                             | ---                             | ---                             | 6.10  | reared st, walked off |

**Fractional Times:** 23.17 46.87 58.58 **Final Time:** 1:10.83 **Time from Gate:** 1:12.54  
**Split Times:** (23:70) (11:71) (12:25)  
**Run-Up:** 42 feet

**Winner:** A La Carte, Bay Gelding, by Uncle Mo out of Leigh Court, by Grand Slam. Foaled May 14, 2018 in Kentucky.  
**Breeder:** Speedway Stables, LLC  
**Owner:** Bruno Schickedanz  
**Trainer:** Mileni, Jr., Nick

**Claiming Prices:** 2 - A La Carte: \$6,000; 7 - Cantuucci: \$6,250; 6 - Bingo's Grind: \$6,250; 3 - Santiago Salsa: \$6,000; 4 - Attestation: \$6,000; 5 - Where Is Essa: \$6,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Ernie's Martini (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$39,590

| Pgm | Horse         | Win  | Place | Show | Wager Type          | Winning Numbers         | Payoff | Pool   |
|-----|---------------|------|-------|------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------|--------|
| 2   | A La Carte    | 4.30 | 2.40  | 2.10 | \$0.20 Pick 3       | 8-5-1/2 (3 correct)     | 21.37  | 5,489  |
| 7   | Cantucci      |      | 2.90  | 2.20 | \$0.20 Pick 4       | 6-8-5-1/2 (4 correct)   | 32.65  | 20,641 |
| 6   | Bingo's Grind |      |       | 2.60 | \$0.20 Pick 5       | 5-6-8-5-1/2 (5 correct) | 216.00 | 29,350 |
|     |               |      |       |      | \$0.20 Triactor     | 2-7-6                   | 2.24   | 18,098 |
|     |               |      |       |      | \$1.00 Daily Double | 5-1                     | 4.75   | 3,596  |
|     |               |      |       |      | \$1.00 Daily Double | 5-2                     | 14.25  | 0      |
|     |               |      |       |      | \$1.00 Exactor      | 2-7                     | 5.25   | 24,198 |
|     |               |      |       |      | \$0.20 Superfecta   | 2-7-6-3                 | 12.06  | 17,288 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name     | Start | 1/4                             | 1/2                             | Str                             | Fin                             |
|-----|----------------|-------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 2   | A La Carte     | 2     | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub>     | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2 1/2</sub> |
| 7   | Cantucci       | 1     | <sup>4</sup> / <sub>2</sub>     | <sup>3</sup> / <sub>1</sub>     | <sup>2</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2 1/2</sub> |
| 6   | Bingo's Grind  | 5     | <sup>5</sup> / <sub>2 1/4</sub> | <sup>4</sup> / <sub>2</sub>     | <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2 1/2</sub> | <sup>3</sup> / <sub>3</sub>     |
| 3   | Santiago Salsa | 3     | <sup>2</sup> / <sub>1 1/2</sub> | <sup>2</sup> / <sub>1</sub>     | <sup>4</sup> / <sub>3 1/2</sub> | <sup>4</sup> / <sub>5</sub>     |
| 4   | Attestation    | 4     | <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>     | <sup>5</sup> / <sub>2 1/2</sub> | <sup>5</sup> / <sub>3 1/2</sub> | <sup>5</sup> / <sub>6 1/2</sub> |
| 5   | Where Is Essa  | 6     | ---                             | ---                             | ---                             | ---                             |

**Trainers:** 2 - Mileni, Jr., Nick; 7 - Bird, Alan; 6 - Mileni, Jr., Nick; 3 - Smith, Kenneth; 4 - Humber, Joseph; 5 - Ceccato, Sharon

**Owners:** 2 -Bruno Schickedanz; 7 -Alan Bird; 6 -Nick Guy Mileni, Jr.; 3 -Ashley Palmer; 4 -Joy K. Elkins; 5 - Vetere, Jim, Green, Michael Thomas and Ceccato, Sharon;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

A LA CARTE set the pace, had the lead on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch held sway. CANTUCCI was away alertly, moved up on the turn and from the five path at the top of the stretch was no match for the winner. BINGO'S GRIND was off slow and raced evenly from the inside on the turn but needed more. SANTIAGO SALSA stalked the early leader and was a factor on the turn but from the four path at the top of the stretch leveled off. ATTESTATION was in touch and roused from between foes on the turn but from the three path at the top of the stretch had no response. WHERE IS ESSA reared at the start and walked off. A STEWARDS' INQUIRY INTO THE START LEFT THE RESULTS AS POSTED.