

FORT ERIE - September 16, 2025 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2025 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000, if for \$7,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$6,250 Or Less Not Considered InEligibility)(Waiver Claiming Exempt) (Colts And Geldings Preferred)(*Plus Up To \$540 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeders Awards). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$8,000 - \$7,000
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: \$23,100
Includes: \$4,620 Ontario Sired / Bred Breeders Awards
Includes: \$3,080 State Bred
Available Money: \$23,100
Value of Race: \$18,172 (US\$13,189) 1st \$12,012 (US\$8,718) , 2nd \$3,080 (US\$2,235) , 3rd \$1,540 (US\$1,118) , 4th \$924 (US\$671) , 5th \$616 (US\$447)
Weather: Clear, 79° C **Track:** Fast
Off at: 5:05 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
8Sep25 ⁵ FE ⁶	3	Half to Reload (Pinto, Melanie)	124	L b	3	1	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹	¹ ²	1.00*	3-p str, drew clear
5Sep25 ⁸ WO ⁷	2	Paperback Hero (Husbands, Christopher)	122	L b	2	2	2 ²	2 ⁴ 1/2	2 ⁴	2 ¹ 3/4	1.40	dueled, outfinished
1Sep25 ² FE ³	4	Always a Way (Crawford, Juan)	122	L b	4	5	5	5	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/2	6.85	3-p str, finished well
21Jul25 ³ FE ⁵	1	My Two Aunt Joans (Zenteno, Edgar)	122	L	1	4	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ⁷ 1/4	14.80	5-path str, no rally
25Aug25 ⁴ FE ⁶	5	Attestation (Gaskin, Da-Sean)	120	L b	5	3	4 ¹	4 ¹ 1/2	5	5	8.15	6-path str, no impact

Fractional Times: 22.39 44.90 56.88 **Final Time:** 1:09.70
Split Times: (22:51) (11:98) (12:82)
Run-Up: 42 feet

Winner: Half to Reload, Chestnut Gelding, by Reload out of Officer Mary, by Officer. Foaled Apr 02, 2020 in BC.
Breeder: Shamrock Racing Stables LTD
Owner: Ascot Stud, Enns, Amanda R., Blake, Sr., Michael S., Stocker-Parks, Rachel and Stout, Mark
Trainer: Blake, Michael

Claiming Prices: 3 - Half to Reload: \$8,000; 2 - Paperback Hero: \$7,000; 4 - Always a Way: \$7,000; 1 - My Two Aunt Joans: \$7,000; 5 - Attestation: \$8,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$39,492

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Half to Reload	4.00	2.20	2.10	\$0.20 Pick 3	1-8-3 (3 correct)	10.99	4,466
2	Paperback Hero		2.30	2.10	\$0.20 Pick 4	2-1-8-3 (4 correct)	59.44	13,648
4	Always a Way			2.40	\$0.20 Pick 5	1-2-1-8-3 (5 correct)	159.67	16,309
					\$0.20 Triactor	3-2-4	0.93	9,859
					\$1.00 Daily Double	8-3	18.35	3,809
					\$1.00 Exactor	3-2	2.55	20,651
					\$0.20 Superfecta	3-2-4-1	2.95	6,813

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Half to Reload	1	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ ¹	¹ ²
2	Paperback Hero	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ²
4	Always a Way	5	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁷	4 ⁵	3 ³ 3/4
1	My Two Aunt Joans	4	3 ²	3 ⁴ 1/2	3 ⁵	4 ⁹ 1/4
5	Attestation	3	4 ³ 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁶ 1/2	5 ¹⁶ 1/2

Trainers: 3 - Blake, Michael; 2 - Agostino, Roy; 4 - Ceccato, Sharon; 1 - Robillard, Joshua; 5 - Humber, Joseph

Owners: 3 - Ascot Stud, Enns, Amanda R., Blake, Sr., Michael S., Stocker-Parks, Rachel and Stout, Mark; 2 -Reginald Johnston; 4 - Newell, Michael and Vetere, Jim; 1 - Mamba 8 Racing and ICON Racing Stables; 5 -Joy K. Elkins;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

HALF TO RELOAD set a pressured pace, had a slim lead on the turn and from the three path through the stretch drew clear. PAPERBACK HERO forced the early pace, dueled on the turn and vied through the stretch but was outfinished. ALWAYS A WAY was unhurried early, trailed the field on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch finished well. MY TWO AUNT JOANS tracked the early leaders and was hustled along on the turn but from the five path at the top of the stretch had no rally. ATTESTATION was in range but chased on the turn and from the six path at the top of the stretch had no impact.