

FORT ERIE - September 29, 2025 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds.
120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 29 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000, if for \$7,000, allowed 2 lbs.
(Races Where Entered For \$6,250 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) (*Plus Up To \$540 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeders
Awards). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$8,000 - \$7,000
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Hey Cue - 1:14.33 - September 29, 2025)
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: \$17,248 (US\$12,376) 1st \$9,240 (US\$6,630) , 2nd \$4,620 (US\$3,315) , 3rd \$1,540 (US\$1,105) , 4th \$924 (US\$663) , 5th \$924 (US\$663)

Weather: Clear, 74° C **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:05 **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	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Sep25 ¹ FE ⁵	4	Let's Be First (Sanchez, Alexis)	120	L	4	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³	1 ²	1 ¹	6.05	3-path str, held sway
9Sep25 ¹⁰ FE ⁵	1	Maiken the Viking (Husbands, Christopher)	122	L	bf	1	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ³	0.35*	3-p str clrlly 2nd best
20Sep25 ¹⁰ WO ⁸	2	Dancing in Rio (Vandermeersch, Amanda)	120	L	2	4	5	5	3 ¹	3 ²	8.00	svd grnd, up for show
15Sep25 ³ FE ⁶	3	Alway's Rosie (Crawford, Juan)	120	L	bf	3	5	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	21.00	brk prly, 4p no impact
15Sep25 ¹ FE ²	5	Hyper Angel (Bynoe, Desean)	120	L	5	2	3 ⁴	3 ³	4 ¹	5	4.40	speed, 5-p str, faded

Fractional Times: 23.10 46.08 1:11.33 **Final Time:** 1:18.37
Split Times: (22:98) (25:25) (7:04)
Run-Up: 16 feet

Winner: Let's Be First, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Reload out of Pioneer Days, by Pioneerof the Nile. Foaled Mar 08, 2022 in ON.
Breeder: Denny Andrews
Owner: Magen Finnessey
Trainer: Spada, Lauren

Claiming Prices: 4 - Let's Be First: \$8,000; 1 - Maiken the Viking: \$8,000; 2 - Dancing in Rio: \$8,000; 3 - Alway's Rosie: \$7,000; 5 - Hyper Angel: \$8,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Holymolymeohmy (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$14,476

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Let's Be First	14.10	6.10	2.80	\$1.00 Pick 3	4-3-4 (3 correct)	22.90	4,888
1	Maiken the Viking		2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Triactor	4-1-2	48.70	5,456
2	Dancing in Rio			2.70	\$2.00 Daily Double	3-4	26.80	2,149
					\$2.00 Exactor	4-1	35.90	8,700
					\$0.20 Superfecta	4-1-2-3	23.38	3,255

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Let's Be First	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³	1 ²	1 ¹
1	Maiken the Viking	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ³	2 ²	2 ¹
2	Dancing in Rio	4	5 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	3 ⁵	3 ^{11 1/4}
3	Alway's Rosie	5	4 ⁵	4 ⁶	5 ⁷	4 ^{13 1/4}
5	Hyper Angel	2	3 ¹	3 ³	4 ⁶	5 ^{14 1/4}

Trainers: 4 - Spada, Lauren; 1 - Davis, Richard; 2 - Loescher, Paula; 3 - Keen, Howard; 5 - Husbands, Anthony

Owners: 4 -Magen Finnessey; 1 - Heste Sport Inc.; 2 -Sergio Magrin; 3 -Howard Keen; 5 - Tara Horse Farm Inc.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

LET'S BE FIRST was away alertly, had a clear lead on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch held sway. MAIKEN THE VIKING was hustled early, a factor from the inside on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch was clearly second best. DANCING IN RIO was well back, saved ground on the turn and was up for show. ALWAYS'S ROSIE broke poorly and raced evenly on the turn but from the four path at the top of the stretch had no impact. HYPER ANGEL showed early speed from the outside but chased on the turn and from the five path at the top of the stretch faded.