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FAIR GROUNDS - March 14, 2026 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES

SINCE SEPTEMBER 14, 2025. Weight, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since February 14 Allowed 3 lbs.

Claiming Price \$5,000 (Louisiana Bred Races For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Distance: One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Shared Sense - 1:39.91 - March 24, 2022)

Purse: \$15,000

Includes: \$4,000 Other Sources

Plus: \$3,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$18,000

Value of Race: \$15,000 1st \$9,000, 2nd \$3,000, 3rd \$1,650, 4th \$900, 5th \$450

Weather: Cloudy, 75° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:48 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Jan26 ⁹ FG ¹	9	Hexcel (Pedroza, Jr., Marcelino)	121	L b	9	5	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ¹ 1/4	12.40	stalk 2w,wore down foe
4Feb26 ² DED ³	1	Whiskey and Easy (McMahon, C.J.)	121	L bf	1	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	2 ² 3/4	6.90	stubborn,yielded late
28Feb26 ³ FG ³	2	Uxmal (Cannon, Declan)	121	L f	2	6	6 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	1.70*	stp slw,inside,outkick
16Feb26 ² FG ⁶	5	Background (Ortiz, Jose)	121	L b	5	3	3 ¹	4 ¹	4 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 3/4	2.20	trck 3w,no late kick
13Feb26 ⁴ DED ⁶	6	Smoothdini (Barrera, Elio)	121	L	6	8	8 ³	7 ^{1/2}	7 ³	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	30.40	stp slw,2w-ins,wknd
31Jan26 ⁹ FG ¹	7	Ben Dreaming (Magnon, Devin)	121	L f	7	4	7 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	6 ² 1/2	3.90	coaxed 5w,flattened
12Feb26 ⁵ DED ²	4	Feathers Road (Dominguez, Joel)	121	L b	4	7	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	7 ²	7 ^{3/4}	16.80	stp slw,rank,4w,tired
21Feb26 ⁹ FG ⁵	8	Motor City Menace (Graham, James)	121	L bf	8	9	9	9	9	8 ¹	8 ¹ 3/4	30.00	no speed
6Feb26 ⁵ DED ⁹	3	Napoleonic Code (Meeks, Micah)	116	L o	3	2	4 ^{Head}	8 ⁵	8 ³	9	9	61.90	ridden 1/2,empty lane

Fractional Times: 24.61 48.10 1:12.50 1:38.40

Final Time: 1:42.76

Split Times: (23:49) (24:40) (25:90) (4:36)

Run-Up: 33 feet

Winner: Hexcel, Chestnut Gelding, by Mendelssohn out of In a Snit, by Lookin At Lucky. Foaled Feb 03, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Grantley Acres

Owner: Narcizo Reyes Velasquez

Trainer: Ramirez, Rosa

1 Claimed Horse(s): Uxmal

New Trainer: Jonathan Wong

New Owner: M and M Racing (Mike Sisk)

Claiming Prices: 9 - Hexcel: \$5,000; 1 - Whiskey and Easy: \$5,000; 2 - Uxmal: \$5,000; 5 - Background: \$5,000; 6 - Smoothdini: \$5,000; 7 - Ben Dreaming: \$5,000; 4 - Feathers Road: \$5,000; 8 - Motor City Menace: \$5,000; 3 - Napoleonic Code: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$100,701

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Hexcel	26.80	14.20	5.00	\$1.00 Exacta	9-1	147.80	78,687
1	Whiskey and Easy		11.60	6.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-1-2	203.00	42,474
2	Uxmal			2.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-1-2-5	114.84	30,553
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-9	36.30	13,250

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Hexcel	5	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	1 ¹ 1/4
1	Whiskey and Easy	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	2 ¹ 1/4
2	Uxmal	6	6 ³ 3/4	3 ² 1/2	3 ² 1/2	3 ²	3 ⁴
5	Background	3	3 ² 1/2	4 ³	4 ³	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/2
6	Smoothdini	8	8 ⁵ 1/4	7 ⁵	7 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁴	5 ⁷ 1/4
7	Ben Dreaming	4	7 ⁴ 1/4	6 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁴	6 ⁶	6 ⁷ 3/4
4	Feathers Road	7	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁴	6 ⁴	7 ⁶	7 ¹⁰ 1/4
8	Motor City Menace	9	9 ⁸ 1/4	9 ¹⁰ 1/2	9 ¹⁰ 1/2	8 ⁸	8 ¹¹
3	Napoleonic Code	2	4 ³ 1/2	8 ⁵ 1/2	8 ⁷ 1/2	9 ⁹	9 ¹² 3/4

Trainers: 9 - Ramirez, Rosa; 1 - Mocklin, Jr., Richard; 2 - Lopez, Elias; 5 - Santamaria, Carlos; 6 - Cano, Juan; 7 - Magnon, Rylee; 4 - Cano, Juan; 8 - Heath, Destin; 3 - Gomez, Jorge

Owners: 9 -Narcizo Reyes Velasquez; 1 - Rick Mocklin Racing, LLC; 2 - Lopez Racing Stable, Inc.; 5 - Quien Sabe Racing Stable; 6 -Juan Munoz Cano; 7 -Jason G. Grudzien; 4 -Juan Munoz Cano; 8 - Black Balled Racing, LLC; 3 -Jesus Nique;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

HEXCEL forwardly placed early on, stalked to half, responded into the lane, wore down the stubborn WHISKEY AND EASY into deep stretch, edged away late. WHISKEY AND EASY took early lead, set decent pace to quarter, stubbornly led into the final furlong, grudgingly gave way into deep stretch and was a clear second. UXMAL off step slow, settled inside, bid to mid-stretch, outkicked to the final sixteenth, held safely for third. BACKGROUND fractious prior to the start, tracked three wide to half, chased into upper stretch, no late kick. SMOOTHDINI off bit slow, settled two wide to half, chased inside to the furlong pole, weakened late. BEN DREAMING settled, coaxed five wide to half, continued to be wide to upper stretch, flattened out in the lane. FEATHERS ROAD off bit slow, rank early, coaxed four wide to half, angled in into upper stretch, tired. MOTOR CITY MENACE lacked speed to half, trailed inside to quarter, no factor lane. NAPOLEONIC CODE settled second flight, ridden along two wide at the half-mile, empty in the stretch.