

FINGER LAKES - August 18, 2025 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since June 18 Allowed 2 lbs. (Claiming Races Not Considered In Allowances). (NW3 L)

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt

Current Track Record: (Hilary Star - 1:02.80 - April 16, 1989)

Purse: \$26,900

Includes: \$3,500 NYSTBDF - New York TB Breeding Development Fund

Available Money: \$26,900

Value of Race: \$26,200 1st \$16,140, 2nd \$4,680, 3rd \$2,959, 4th \$1,614, 5th \$807

Weather: Clear, 73° Track: Fast

Off at: 1:05 Start: Good for all except 2 Timing Method: Electronic

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Video Race Replay

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 3/8 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|--|-----|-----|----|-------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 6Aug25 ¹ FL ² | 5 | Newport Bridge (Cruz, Joel) | 122 | L b | 5 | 1 | 2 ⁴ | 1 ³ | 1 ^{3 1/2} | 1 ¹ | 2.80 | 2p trn, kept to whip |
| 20Jul25 ⁴ SAR ² | 1 | Charlie's Express (Elliott, Christopher)  | 122 | L b | 1 | 2 | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ² | 2 ³ | 2 ^{3 1/2} | 0.25* | in tight7/16to3/8 |
| 6Aug25 ¹ FL ³ | 2 | My Cool Hand Luke (Flores, Jeremias) | 122 | L b | 2 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 3 ² | 13.10 | brk slw, passed faders |
| 14Jul25 ⁴ FL ¹ | 4 | Gold Templar (Bailey, Laird) | 124 | L f | 4 | 3 | 4 ¹² | 4 ⁶ | 3 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{3 1/4} | 25.75 | 3p trn,weakened |
| 29Jul25 ⁶ FL ¹ | 3 | John's in Charge (Worrie, Andre) | 120 | L f | 3 | 4 | 3 ^{Head} | 3 ^{Head} | 4 ² | 5 | 11.60 | faded inside |

Fractional Times: 22.63 46.43 59.05

Split Times: (23:80) (12:62) (6:85)

Run-Up: 56 feet

Final Time: 1:05.90

Winner: Newport Bridge, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Mission Impazible out of Pont de l'Alma, by Catienus. Foaled Mar 11, 2020 in New York.

Breeder: William L. E. Sinkler

Owner: David Oyola

Trainer: Oyola, David

Total WPS Pool: \$53,621

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-------------------|------|-------|------|-------------------|-----------------|--------|--------|
| 5 | Newport Bridge | 7.60 | 2.20 | 2.10 | \$2.00 Exacta | 5-1 | 13.00 | 28,300 |
| 1 | Charlie's Express | | 2.10 | 2.10 | \$0.10 Superfecta | 5-1-2-4 | 1.55 | 10,823 |
| 2 | My Cool Hand Luke | | | 2.10 | \$0.50 Trifecta | 5-1-2 | 5.25 | 20,295 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 3/8 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-------------------|-------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 5 | Newport Bridge | 1 | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ³ | 1 ^{3 1/2} | 1 ¹ |
| 1 | Charlie's Express | 2 | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ³ | 2 ^{3 1/2} | 2 ¹ |
| 2 | My Cool Hand Luke | 5 | 5 ^{16 1/4} | 5 ¹¹ | 5 ⁹ | 3 ^{4 1/2} |
| 4 | Gold Templar | 3 | 4 ^{4 1/4} | 4 ⁵ | 3 ^{6 1/2} | 4 ^{6 1/2} |
| 3 | John's in Charge | 4 | 3 ⁴ | 3 ⁵ | 4 ⁷ | 5 ^{9 3/4} |

Trainers: 5 - Oyola, David; 1 - Sacco, Gregory; 2 - Barrow, Paul; 4 - Falk, Jacqueline; 3 - Englehart, Chris

Owners: 5 -David Oyola; 1 -Donna Wright; 2 -Allen C. Hallett; 4 - Gold Bear Farm and Falk, Jacqueline; 3 - Roll the Dice Thoroughbreds LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

NEWPORT BRIDGE Contested the lead along the two path while keeping CHARLIE'S EXPRESS in tight quarters inside, kicked clear on the turn and under the whip proved best. CHARLIE'S EXPRESS Vied for the lead along the rail, appeared in tight nearing the seven-sixteenths to the three-eighths pole, dropped back on the turn, angled out and finished well. MY COOL HAND LUKE Broke slow, lagged back along the rail, angled out and passed faders. GOLD TEMPLAR Tracked the leaders along the three path, chased and weakened. JOHN'S IN CHARGE Tracked the leaders along the two path and faded inside. A claim of foul was lodged by the rider of CHARLIE'S EXPRESS against the winner for interference up the backstretch, was not allowed.

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