

FAIRMOUNT PARK - August 23, 2025 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred  
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs.  
Non-winners Of A Race Since May 23 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Claiming Races For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000  
**Distance:** One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Rocket Professor - 1:39.80 - July 19, 2014)  
**Purse:** \$9,000  
**Plus:** \$2,160 IOA - Illinois Registered Owner Award  
**Available Money:** \$11,160  
**Value of Race:** \$11,160 1st \$7,560, 2nd \$1,800, 3rd \$900, 4th \$540, 5th \$180, 6th \$180  
**Weather:** Clear, 83° **Track:** Fast  
**Off at:** 3:21 **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
9Aug25 <sup>6</sup> FP <sup>5</sup>	2	Steve (Santos, Ademar)	120	L	1	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>9</sup> 1/4	1.10*	drew off, easy winner
2Aug25 <sup>2</sup> FP <sup>5</sup>	3	Cutaday (Giles, Emmanuel)	124	L	2	2	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup> 3/4	15.70	no match, 2nd best
8Jul25 <sup>1</sup> FP <sup>2</sup>	5	Spoonman (Tavares, Javier)	124	L b	4	5	6	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>5</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup> 1/4	1.40	5-w 2nd, along for 3rd
9Aug25 <sup>6</sup> FP <sup>7</sup>	6	Fetchs Brahm (Gonzalez, Alex)	124	L b	5	4	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>22</sup> 1/4	3.50	4-w 2nd, never fired
12Aug25 <sup>5</sup> FP <sup>8</sup>	4	Anunka (Ortega, Harold)	124	L bf	3	6	5 <sup>3</sup>	6	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>10</sup> 1/4	41.70	saved, no factor
8Jul25 <sup>1</sup> FP <sup>8</sup>	7	Leland John (Ortiz, Alvin)	124	L bf	6	3	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	6	6	6	40.10	5-w 2nd, finished earl

**Fractional Times:** 24.75 49.28 1:15.43 1:42.01 **Final Time:** 1:46.55  
**Split Times:** (24:53) (26:15) (26:58) (4:54)  
**Run-Up:** 20 feet

**Winner:** Steve, Chestnut Gelding, by Mshawish out of Miss Hopper, by Grasshopper. Foaled Feb 15, 2022 in Illinois.  
**Breeder:** Acres of Green, LTD.  
**Owner:** Acres of Green, Ltd.  
**Trainer:** Appleton, Josh

**1 Claimed Horse(s):** Steve New Trainer: Marvel U. Straub New Owner: Mike Straub

**Claiming Prices:** 2 - Steve: \$5,000; 3 - Cutaday: \$5,000; 5 - Spoonman: \$5,000; 6 - Fetchs Brahm: \$5,000; 4 - Anunka: \$5,000; 7 - Leland John: \$5,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Heartbreak Game (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$32,163

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payout	Pool
2	Steve	4.20	3.40	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	2-3	34.60	18,782
3	Cutaday		8.60	3.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	2-3-5	28.90	14,317
5	Spoonman			2.10	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-3-5-6	4.17	6,875
					\$1.00 Daily Double	2-2	18.00	2,309
					\$0.50 Pick 3	2-2-1/2 (3 correct)	33.80	2,211
					\$0.50 Pick 4	2/3-2-2-1/2 (4 correct)	79.55	2,621
					\$0.50 Pick 5	6-2/3-2-2-1/2 (5 correct)	147.70	4,345

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Steve	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>9</sup> 1/4
3	Cutaday	2	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>5</sup>	2 <sup>9</sup> 1/4
5	Spoonman	5	6 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>14</sup>
6	Fetchs Brahm	4	4 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>19</sup> 1/4
4	Anunka	6	5 <sup>4</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>9</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>11</sup>	5 <sup>41</sup> 1/2
7	Leland John	3	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>10</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>12</sup>	6 <sup>51</sup> 3/4

**Trainers:** 2 - Appleton, Josh; 3 - Lynch, Harry; 5 - Burdess, Terry; 6 - Durham, Mike; 4 - Breaux, Danita; 7 - Pompell, Robert

**Owners:** 2 - Acres of Green, Ltd.; 3 -Areli Mejia; 5 -Carmelo Mendoza; 6 -Jodie Durham; 4 -Danita Breaux; 7 -Kristi Cortez;

**Footnotes |** [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

STEVE set a clear early pace, raced three wide through the turns, opened up and drew off as an easy winner. CUTADAY was allowed to settle early, angled out in the drive, was no match late and was second best. SPOONMAN was void of any early speed, raced five wide through the second turn, offered no rally and was along for third. FETCHS BRAHM was unhurried early, raced four wide through the second turn and never fired. ANUNKA was outrun early, saved ground into the second turn and was no factor. LELAND JOHN followed the early pace, raced five wide into the second turn and was finished early.