

FAIRMOUNT PARK - September 22, 2026 - Race 8
ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD NON WINNERS OF A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING,, STARTER OR
STATE BRED OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$15,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race
Since June 22 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$15,000 (Claiming Races For \$10,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW1
X) **Claiming Price:** \$15,000
Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Lt. Lao - 1:40.80 - July 22, 1989)
Purse: \$19,000
Plus: \$3,000 Starters Bonus
Plus: \$6,840 IOA - Illinois Registered Owner Award
Available Money: \$28,840
Value of Race: \$28,160 1st \$18,480, 2nd \$4,400, 3rd \$3,080, 4th \$990, 5th \$242, 6th \$242, 7th \$242, 8th \$242, 9th \$242
Weather: Cloudy, 68° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:41 **Start:** Good for all except 8 **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Jul26 ⁵ HAW ³	1	DQ-Sound of Victory (Reyes, Frank)	124	L	b	1 5	4 ² 1/2	3 ¹ /2	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}	3.40	driftd str,bthrd foe
8Sep26 ⁵ FP ¹	5	Category Ten (Aranguren, Johanis)	121	L	bf	5 1	5 ¹	5 ¹ /2	4 ² 1/2	3 ¹ /2	2 ³ 1/4	2.10*	forced out str,gamely
8Sep26 ⁵ FP ⁷	3	Jack Sprat (Arrieta, Reynier)	124	L	b	3 3	1 ²	1 ³	1 ²	2 ¹ /2	3 ²	6.50	set pace,weakened 1/8
8Sep26 ⁵ FP ⁴	2	Camp Daddy (Lara, Victor)	119	L	f	2 4	2 ¹ /2	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁴	4 ⁴ 3/4	4.60	tracked 2p, weakened,
29Aug26 ⁶ FP ¹	9	Zee Fire (Bendezu, Alexander)	124	L		8 8	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	6 ¹	6 ¹ /2	5 ² 1/2	5.80	4-5w uppr,no response
8Sep26 ⁵ FP ⁵	7	Wicked Gus (Ortiz, Alvin)	124	L		6 6	7 ¹ /2	7 ² 1/2	7 ¹ /2	7 ²	6 ⁴	22.30	ins upper,no factor
4Aug26 ⁶ FP ⁴	4	Double Thunder (Martinez, Brody)	117	L		4 2	3 ^{Head}	4 ²	5 ⁴	5 ¹ /2	7 ⁵	13.50	stalked 2-3p, tired
30Aug26 ¹¹ PRM ¹	10	Personal Jet (Wales, Travis)	124	L	b	9 7	8 ⁶	8 ⁶	8 ⁷	8 ⁵	8 ² 1/4	19.30	failed to respond,
29Aug26 ⁷ PRM ⁴	8	Beyond Best (Felix, Julio)	124	L	bf	7 9	9	9	9	9	9	21.20	shuffld brk,no menace

Fractional Times: 24.68 48.56 1:13.23 1:39.89 **Final Time:** 1:46.77 **Time from Gate:** 1:48.05
Split Times: (23:88) (24:67) (26:66) (6:88)
Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Category Ten, Bay Gelding, by Violence out of Genre, by Bernardini. Foaled Mar 12, 2020 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Candy Meadows LLC
Owner: John E. Cox
Trainer: Straub, Marvel

Voided Claims: Category Ten(Vet)

Claiming Prices: 1 - Sound of Victory: \$15,000; 5 - Category Ten: \$15,000; 3 - Jack Sprat: \$15,000; 2 - Camp Daddy: \$15,000; 9 - Zee Fire: \$15,000; 7 - Wicked Gus: \$15,000; 4 - Double Thunder: \$15,000;

Disqualification(s): # 1 Sound of Victory from 1 to 2

Scratched Horse(s): Gun It and Run It (Re-entered)

Total WPS Pool: \$35,377

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Category Ten	6.20	3.20	2.80	\$1.00 Exacta	5-1	12.90	26,969
1	Sound of Victory		4.20	3.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-1-3	87.20	15,808
3	Jack Sprat			5.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-1-3-2	21.05	9,631
					\$1.00 Daily Double	9-5	33.10	6,971
					\$1.00 Pick 3	4-9-5/6 (3 correct)	180.60	3,469
					\$1.00 Pick 4	2-4-9-5/6 (4 correct)	969.70	4,564

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Sound of Victory	5	4 ² 1/2	3 ⁴	3 ³ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}
5	Category Ten	1	5 ⁵	5 ⁶ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	3 ¹ /2	2 ^{Neck}
3	Jack Sprat	3	1 ²	1 ³	1 ²	2 ^{Head}	3 ³ 1/2
2	Camp Daddy	4	2 ²	2 ³	2 ²	4 ¹	4 ⁵ 1/2
9	Zee Fire	8	6 ⁶	6 ⁷	6 ¹⁰	6 ⁵ 1/2	5 ¹⁰ 1/4
7	Wicked Gus	6	7 ⁶ 1/4	7 ⁷	7 ¹¹	7 ⁶	6 ¹² 3/4
4	Double Thunder	2	3 ² 1/2	4 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁶	5 ⁵	7 ¹⁶ 3/4
10	Personal Jet	7	8 ⁶ 3/4	8 ⁹ 1/2	8 ¹¹ 1/2	8 ⁸	8 ²¹ 3/4
8	Beyond Best	9	9 ¹² 3/4	9 ¹⁵ 1/2	9 ¹⁸ 1/2	9 ¹³	9 ²⁴

Trainers: 1 - Hernandez, Armando; 5 - Straub, Marvel; 3 - Essenpreis, Eddie; 2 - Manley, Steve; 9 - Quinonez, Maximino; 7 - Straub, Marvel; 4 - Young, R.; 10 - Irion, Heather; 8 - Durham, Mike

Owners: 1 - Hernandez, Armando and Alvarez, Alejandro Roman; 5 -John E. Cox; 3 -Shellye Essenpreis; 2 -Merrit Hudson; 9 - In His Favor Stable; 7 -Chance Lenon; 4 -R. Terry Young; 10 - Thiele Thoroughbreds LLC; 8 -Jodie Durham;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SOUND OF VICTORY stalked the pace along the inside, moved up four wide into the upper stretch to challenge, drifted through the stretch drive forcing Category Ten out through the drive, an objection was filed by jockey of Category Ten and stewards deemed Sound of Victory to be disqualified and placed second for interference. CATEGORY TEN dropped back to raced mid pack, four wide bid near the quarter pole, forced out through the stretch run and finished gamely to the wire. JACK SPRAT set all the pace and weakened the final eighth of a mile. CAMP DADDY tracked the early leader two deep and weakened through the drive. ZEE FIRE was allowed to settle early, raced four to five wide into the upper stretch and had no response. WICKED GUS dropped back early, raced from the inside around the far turn into the lane and never was a factor. DOUBLE THUNDER stalked the pace two to three wide and tired. PERSONAL JET unhurried early and failed to respond. BEYOND BEST shuffled back at the break and never menaced.

