

FAIRMOUNT PARK - October 4, 2025 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred  
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs.  
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 4 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000 (Claiming Races For \$7,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW4 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000

**Distance:** Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Ye Country - 1:08.60 - November 26, 1977)

**Purse:** \$12,000

**Plus:** \$4,320 IOA - Illinois Registered Owner Award

**Available Money:** \$16,320

**Value of Race:** \$12,000 1st \$7,200, 2nd \$2,400, 3rd \$1,200, 4th \$720, 5th \$240, 6th \$240

**Weather:** Clear, 85° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 4:51 **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
16Sep25 <sup>7</sup> FP <sup>3</sup>	3	Purple Octopus (Mojica, Orlando)	124	L b	1	6	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	1.80	took up brk,insid,drv
13Sep25 <sup>8</sup> FP <sup>3</sup>	4	Last Minute (Bendezu, Alexander)	126	L b	2	4	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Nose</sup>	0.40*	sprinted clr,no match
2Sep25 <sup>6</sup> FP <sup>7</sup>	7	Tricky Moment (Giles, Emmanuel)	120	L b	5	1	2 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	36.60	4-5w upper,kept on
9Sep25 <sup>2</sup> FP <sup>1</sup>	6	Severance (Diego, Javier)	124	L bf	4	5	6	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>10 1/4</sup>	60.30	inside run, no rally
16Sep25 <sup>4</sup> FP <sup>1</sup>	8	Solomon Vandy (Santos, Ademar)	126	L f	6	2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	12.10	failed to sustain bid,
3Aug25 <sup>6</sup> HAW <sup>6</sup>	5	Via Del Corso (Gonzalez, Santiago)	120	L b	3	3	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6	6	6	25.70	5-w turn, no menace

**Fractional Times:** 22.53 45.88 58.59

**Final Time:** 1:11.90

**Split Times:** (23:35) (12:71) (13:31)

**Run-Up:** 20 feet

**Winner:** Purple Octopus, Bay Gelding, by Adios Charlie out of Grin, by Flatter. Foaled Feb 28, 2021 in Florida.

**Breeder:** Four Horsemen's Ranch

**Owner:** Mick Latham

**Trainer:** Lynch, Harry

**Claiming Prices:** 3 - Purple Octopus: \$10,000; 4 - Last Minute: \$10,000; 7 - Tricky Moment: \$10,000; 6 - Severance: \$10,000; 8 - Solomon Vandy: \$10,000; 5 - Via Del Corso: \$10,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Crepe Yarns (Veterinarian), Mystic Power (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$31,663

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Purple Octopus	5.60	2.10	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	3-4	8.00	13,730
4	Last Minute		2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Trifecta	3-4-7	21.20	11,701
7	Tricky Moment			3.80	\$1.00 Daily Double	5-3	12.60	1,111
					\$0.50 Pick 3	4-5-3 (3 correct)	223.20	1,488
					\$0.10 Superfecta	3-4-7-6	10.69	4,507

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Purple Octopus	6	4 <sup>5</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>5 3/4</sup>
4	Last Minute	4	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>5 3/4</sup>
7	Tricky Moment	1	2 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>5 3/4</sup>
6	Severance	5	6 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
8	Solomon Vandy	2	3 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>16 1/2</sup>
5	Via Del Corso	3	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>11 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>20</sup>

**Trainers:** 3 - Lynch, Harry; 4 - Rodriguez, Hugo; 7 - Martin, Dawn; 6 - Thurman, Rhonda; 8 - Straub, Marvel; 5 - Rodriguez, Eduardo

**Owners:** 3 -Mick Latham; 4 - Victory Stables LLC; 7 -Dawn Martin; 6 -Cheryl Cerny; 8 -Mike Straub; 5 -David Dory;

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

PURPLE OCTOPUS took up at the break, raced off the pace after the poor start, moved up strongly from the inside near the quarter pole, continued its inside run through the drive and drew off under steady pressure. LAST MINUTE sprinted off to a clear early lead, collared near the three sixteenths pole, kept on but was no match for the winner. TRICKY MOMENT stalked the pace, raced four to five wide into the upper stretch and kept on to the wire. SEVERANCE dropped back early on, had an inside run and no late run. SOLOMON VANDY stalked the pace, raced six wide into the upper stretch and failed to sustain a bid. VIA DEL CORSO raced near the back, five wide through the far turn and never menaced.