

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - January 2, 2026 - Race 1

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$1,600 ATB) FOR TEXAS ACCREDITED MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For A Claiming Price Of Less Than \$25,000 in their last 3 starts). (S)

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Bucharest - 1:02.92 - April 13, 1996)

Purse: \$33,000

Includes: \$30,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account

Plus: \$7,000 TTA - TX Thoroughbred Assoc.

Available Money: \$40,000

Value of Race: \$40,000 1st \$24,000, 2nd \$8,000, 3rd \$4,400, 4th \$2,400, 5th \$1,200

Weather: Clear, 78° Track: Fast

Off at: 6:31 Start: Good for all except 6 Timing Method: Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
20Nov25	1	RP ⁸	3	Witt's Ten Touch (Pena, Brayan)	122	L h	3 2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{2 3/4}	6.10 hustled clear,hld sway
---	2	Onthethirstyside (Elliott, Stewart)	122	L	2 3		3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ⁷	2 ^{1/2}	1.70*	trk2w,late bid,gain2nd
13Nov25	4	RP ⁶	6	Texas Hunk (Singh, Rohan)	122	L b	5 5	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{3 1/2}	2.90 4-3wide, bid 3/8, hung
---	1	RP ⁶	Four Jim (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	122	L b	1 4	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹		4 ^{15 3/4}	6.30 stlkd ins,wknd late
5Dec25	4	RP ⁶	Preacherman (Diaz, Rene)	122	L b	4 1	5	5	5	5	2.00	close,stdy3/8,no bid

Fractional Times: 22.48 46.31 59.73**Final Time:** 1:06.82**Split Times:** (23:83) (13:42) (7:09)**Run-Up:** 45 feet**Winner:** Witt's Ten Touch, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by American Dubai out of Touch of Run, by Run Production. Foaled Mar 04, 2023 in Texas.**Breeder:** Henry S. Witt Jr.**Owner:** Henry S. Witt, Jr.**Trainer:** Davidson, Sarah**Scratched Horse(s):** Texas Tough (RegVet-Illness)**Total WPS Pool:** \$6,864

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Witt's Ten Touch	14.20	4.20	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	3-2	19.50	2,520
2	Onthethirstyside		3.20	2.10	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-2-6	17.45	2,343
6	Texas Hunk			2.40				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
3	Witt's Ten Touch	2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{2 3/4}
2	Onthethirstyside	3	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ³	2 ^{2 3/4}
6	Texas Hunk	5	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ²	3 ^{3 1/4}
1	Four Jim	4	2 ¹	4 ²	3 ²	4 ^{6 3/4}
4	Preacherman	1	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ¹⁰	5 ^{22 1/2}

Trainers: 3 - Davidson, Sarah; 2 - Willis, Mindy; 6 - Dupuy, Allen; 1 - Castellanos, Jaime; 4 - Caldwell, J.**Owners:** 3 -Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 2 -Mindy J. Willis; 6 -Allen C. Dupuy; 1 -Darrell W. Bravenec; 4 - Indigo Racing;**Footnotes** | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

WITT'S TEN TOUCH was hustled hard from the start and went a length clear early, maintained that margin through the turn, held clear under steady handling and urging, and was widening a bit in the final yards. ONTHETHIRSTYSIDE was pushed on early, tracked in the middle of the tight pack, never more than a couple of lengths from the front, kept to the two-path throughout, wasn't doing enough in upper stretch but found best stride late and moved up to take down the second prize. TEXAS HUNK was off a step slow, then forced out by PREACHERMAN from the inside, raced four-wide down the backstretch, moved up into contention going into the turn, got to within a length of the leader with a three-wide bid approaching the quarter pole, but flattened out a bit in the stretch and was passed up late for the place. FOUR JIM was under a ride from the break, settled in a stalking position to the inside of WITT'S TEN TOUCH, came under pressure to keep up late on the turn, was still in the mix in mid-stretch, but faded in the final furlong. PREACHERMAN broke outward, then was hustled forward position, was close up in the run down the backstretch, then started to drop back a bit, steadied when cut off by TEXAS HUNK before the three-furlong pole, lost momentum, and was unable to recover.

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - January 2, 2026 - Race 2**EQUIBASE**

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$7,300 ATB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE OCTOBER 2,

2025 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since October 2, 2025

Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$30,000. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$35,000. (Rail at 30 feet). (NW1 3M) **Claiming Price:** \$30,000**Distance:** One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Gaelico - 1:42.05 - February 21, 2015)**Purse:** \$36,500**Includes:** \$30,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account**Available Money:** \$36,500**Value of Race:** \$36,500 1st \$21,840, 2nd \$7,280, 3rd \$4,004, 4th \$2,184, 5th \$1,092, 6th \$100**Weather:** Clear, 78° **Track:** Firm**Off at:** 6:57 **Start:** Good for all except 5 **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
14Nov25 ⁹ RP ³	1	Big Bernie (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	121	L bf	1	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ²	1 ^{3/4}	6.10	pace,yield1/4,won drvg
6Nov25 ⁸ RP ⁴	2	Carlea's Dream (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	121	L	2	2	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}	3.10	stlk2w,bid1/4,outfnshd
7Nov25 ¹ RP ³	3	Ti Caillou (Parker, Deshawn)	121	L f	3	4	5 ^{1/2}	6	5 ¹	5 ⁶	3 ^{Nose}	6.80	svd grnd,gained 3rd
20Dec25 ⁶ RP ⁴	4	Tap the Dot (Elliott, Stewart)	121	L	4	5	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	1.20*	trk btw, needed more
5Oct25 ⁵ RP ⁴	6	Kentucky Dawn (Luzzi, Lane)	121	L bf	6	1	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	4 ²	4 ¹	5 ^{10 3/4}	6.20	trk ins,mild late gain
15Nov25 ⁹ RP ³	5	Mackinnon (Diaz, Rene)	121	L b	5	6	6	5 ^{Head}	6	6	6	7.00	missed brk,dull effort

Fractional Times: 23.94 48.20 1:11.99 1:37.44**Final Time:** 1:44.08**Split Times:** (24:26) (23:79) (25:45) (6:64)**Run-Up:** 55 feet **Temporary Rail:** 30 feet**Winner:** Big Bernie, Bay Horse, by Bernardini out of I'm So Fancy, by Unbridled's Song. Foaled Mar 04, 2019 in Kentucky.**Breeder:** Nursery Place & Godolphin**Owner:** Martiniano Martinez**Trainer:** Castellanos, Jaime**Claiming Prices:** 3 - Ti Caillou: \$35,000; 6 - Kentucky Dawn: \$30,000;**Total WPS Pool:** \$8,001

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Big Bernie	14.20	5.80	4.20	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-1	96.40	767
2	Carlea's Dream		4.20	3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	1-2	27.50	3,069
3	Ti Caillou			4.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-2-3	81.40	2,443
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-2-3-4	16.45	1,684

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Big Bernie	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}
2	Carlea's Dream	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}
3	Ti Caillou	4	5 ^{1 3/4}	6 ^{2 3/4}	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}
4	Tap the Dot	5	4 ^{1 1/4}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}
6	Kentucky Dawn	1	3 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/2}
5	Mackinnon	6	6 ^{2 1/4}	5 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{13 1/4}

Trainers: 1 - Castellanos, Jaime; 2 - Jacks, Karen; 3 - Willis, Mindy; 4 - Asmussen, Steven; 6 - Eoff, Terry; 5 - Caldwell, J.**Owners:** 1 -Martiniano Martinez; 2 - Carl R. Moore Management LLC; 3 - Sheffield, Tracy and Desormeaux, Joe; 4 - Asmussenequine.com and Riley, Martin; 6-Terry Eoff; 5 - Dupy, Wanda and Dupy, Steve;**Footnotes** | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BIG BERNIE made the early lead under mild pressure from CARLEA'S DREAM to the far turn, yielded the lead near the quarter pole, but fought back in upper stretch, regained the upper hand, and held on to the wire under strong handling. CARLEA'S DREAM was restless in the gate, stalked BIG BERNIE to the far turn, bid for the lead late, and gained the advantage late on the far turn, but had no answer when that rival came back and had to settle for second. TI CAILLOU secured the rail and was held up near the back through the first turn, saved ground to the stretch, tipped out to the three path for the run home, was kept to steady urging through the stretch, and finished up well enough to gain the minor award. TAP THE DOT raced between horses in the second flight, was never far back but was not doing enough late to make an impact. KENTUCKY DAWN was away well, then content to track behind the leading pair, did not have much of a response when called upon midway on the far turn but kept on and was mildly gaining in the final yards. MACKINNON missed the break, then went four-wide into the first turn, tracked two-wide down the backstretch near the back of the pack, struggled to keep up on the far turn, lost ground and was not a factor in the stretch run.

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - January 2, 2026 - Race 3

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$1,380 ATB) FOR TEXAS ACCREDITED FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since October 2, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. (SNW2 L)

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Brass Jacks - 1:15.77 - May 21, 1994)

Purse: \$34,500

Includes: \$30,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account

Plus: \$7,000 TTA - TX Thoroughbred Assoc.

Available Money: \$41,500

Value of Race: \$41,500 1st \$24,780, 2nd \$8,260, 3rd \$4,543, 4th \$2,478, 5th \$1,239, 6th \$100, 7th \$100

Weather: Clear, 78° Track: Fast

Off at: 7:26 Start: Good for all except 1 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
20Sep25	8	RP ⁴	4	Texas Creed (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	121	L b	4 1	3 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ⁵	0.50* well-handled, surge clr
22Nov25	8	RP ⁷	2	Cheating Heart (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	121	L b	2 4	4 ¹	6 ¹	3 ²	2 ²	8.10 mid-pack, rallied 2nd
11Dec25	3	RP ⁴	7	Dr Skyscraper (Alvarez, Jose)	121	L b	7 3	1Head	1 ¹	2 ² 1/2	3 ² 3/4	8.30 duel 2w, no match late
4Jul25	5	LS ⁵	5	Pollito Tito (Hamilton, Weston)	121	L	5 5	6 ¹	5Head	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	18.10 stl d3w, outkicked late
25Aug25	3	LAD ¹	6	Obvious Conclusion (Singh, Rohan)	121	L b	6 2	2 ¹	4Head	4 ¹	5 ⁸ 1/4	8.60 cls, wknd, outrun late
18Dec25	8	RP ⁹	1	Bradix (Diego, Iram)	121	L	1 6	5Head	7	7	6 ¹	23.50 slow start, saved grnd
8Jun25	1	LS ⁷	3	Rocky Rock It (Elliott, Stewart)	121	L b	3 7	7	3 ¹	6 ¹ 1/2	7	4.60 wide, no factor

Fractional Times: 23.23 46.83 1:11.80

Final Time: 1:18.07

Split Times: (23:60) (24:97) (6:27)

Run-Up: 38 feet

Winner: Texas Creed, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by [Jimmy Creed](#) out of Lori's Attitude, by Temple City. Foaled Feb 23, 2022 in Texas.

JIMMY CREED  Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: CJ Thoroughbreds

Owner: Lone Star Racing Club

Trainer: Cravens III, Ronnie

Total WPS Pool: \$16,756

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Texas Creed	3.00	2.40	2.10	\$1.00 Daily Double	1-4	76.60	262
2	Cheating Heart		4.60	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	4-2	5.10	5,227
7	Dr Skyscraper			3.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-2-7	7.15	3,948
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-2-7-5	8.70	2,283
					\$1.00 Pick 3	3-1-4 (3 correct)	491.00	1,270

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Texas Creed	1	3 ¹	2 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ⁵
2	Cheating Heart	4	4 ³	6 ³ 3/4	3 ⁴	2 ⁵
7	Dr Skyscraper	3	1Head	1 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁷
5	Pollito Tito	5	6 ⁴ 1/4	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁷	4 ⁹ 3/4
6	Obvious Conclusion	2	2Head	4 ³ 1/2	4 ⁶	5 ¹¹ 1/4
1	Bradix	6	5 ⁴	7 ⁴ 3/4	7 ¹³	6 ¹⁹ 1/2
3	Rocky Rock It	7	7 ⁵ 1/4	3 ² 1/2	6 ¹¹ 1/2	7 ²⁰ 1/2

Trainers: 4 - Cravens III, Ronnie; 2 - Cappellucci, Dick; 7 - Davidson, M.; 5 - Asmussen, Steven; 6 - Love, Sr., Alan; 1 - Padilla, Carlos; 3 - Willis, Mindy

Owners: 4 - Lone Star Racing Club; 2 -Glen Robertson; 7 -Colleen Davidson; 5 -Tyree J. Wolessensky; 6 -Ken Pullen; 1 -Kenneth E. Sykes; 3 - Star Bright Thoroughbreds;

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TEXAS CREED settled just behind the dueling leaders down the backstretch, ranted up three-wide to bid for the lead approaching quarter pole while being confidently handled, responded when roused at the top of the stretch, opened up and held clear to the wire. CHEATING HEART settled mid-pack early, moved up closer midway through the turn, then found best stride in the final furlong and rallied to gain the place. DR SKYSCRAPER dueled two-wide with OBVIOUS CONCLUSION through the early stages, left that rival behind passing the three-furlong pole, got a new challenge from TEXAS CREED approaching the quarter, could not go on with that one and weakened in the final furlong to get passed for second. POLLITO TITO settled three-wide near the back early, moved closer on the turn, then was outkicked in the final furlong. OBVIOUS CONCLUSION dueled inside of DR SKYSCRAPER through the early stages, weakened with about three furlongs to go, and was outrun through the stretch. BRADIX was a little slow to begin, saved ground, but lacked a rally. ROCKY ROCK IT lacked any early interest and was six-wide and last to the turn, continued wide through the turn, and was not a factor in the late stages.

SAM HO USTON RACE PARK - January 2, 2026 - Race 4

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$7,300 ATB) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE

SINCE OCTOBER 2, 2025 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race

Since October 2, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$30,000. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$35,000. (NW1 3M) **Claiming Price:**

\$30,000

Distance: One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Capt. Tiff's Beau - 1:40.52 - October 24, 1998)**Purse:** \$36,500**Includes:** \$30,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account**Available Money:** \$36,500**Value of Race:** \$35,405 1st \$21,900, 2nd \$7,300, 3rd \$4,015, 4th \$2,190**Weather:** Clear, 78° **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 7:52 **Start:** Good for all **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
20Dec25	10	RP ⁶	3	Gee I'm Foxy (Gonzalez, Elvin)	121	L b	3 2	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	2 ⁴	1	Neck
8Nov25	1	RP ¹	1	She'sskysthelimit (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	123	L b	1 1	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1	Head	2 ^{2 1/4}
18Dec25	3	RP ¹	2	Midnight Lady (Pena, Brayan)	123	L b	2 4	4	4	4	4		3 ^{3/4}
10Dec25	8	RP ⁵	5	Blameitonmidnight (Hamilton, Weston)	121	L	4 3	3 ¹	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	4	5.30

Fractional Times: 25.42 49.07 1:13.69 1:40.54**Final Time:** 1:44.91**Split Times:** (23:65) (24:62) (26:85) (4:37)**Run-Up:** 58 feet**Winner:** Gee I'm Foxy, Bay Filly, by Klimt out of Foxy Sara, by Even the Score. Foaled Mar 16, 2022 in Kentucky.**Breeder:** Kathie Maybee & Gary Jemo**Owner:** Barry Hodgson**Trainer:** Hodgson, Barry**Claiming Prices:** 1 - She'sskysthelimit: \$30,000; 2 - Midnight Lady: \$30,000;**Scratched Horse(s):** Runnin N Gunnin (RegVet-Unsound)**Total WPS Pool:** \$11,926

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Gee I'm Foxy	8.60	3.00	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-3	5.00	391
1	She'sskysthelimit		2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	3-1	7.50	4,374
2	Midnight Lady			\$1.00 Pick 3	1-4-3 (3 correct)	105.00	675

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Gee I'm Foxy	2	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2	Head 1 Neck
1	She'sskysthelimit	1	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1	Head 2 Neck
2	Midnight Lady	4	4 ³	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ⁴	4 ⁵	3 ^{2 1/2}
5	Blameitonmidnight	3	3 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ⁴	4 ^{3 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Hodgson, Barry; 1 - Jacks, Karen; 2 - Davidson, Sarah; 5 - Baldillez Jr., Alejandro**Owners:** 3 -Barry Hodgson; 1 - Carl R. Moore Management LLC; 2 -Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 5 - Paduck Enterprises LLC;**Footnotes |** [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

GEE I'M FOXY pressed the pace set by SHE'SSKYSTHELIMIT two-deep for the first half, made a try at that one approaching the quarter pole, but was turned back, kept trying through the stretch run, and finally vanquished that stubborn foe in the final strides. SHE'SSKYSTHELIMIT flew out of the gate, seized the early advantage, slowed down the pace, maintained a slight lead as GEE I'M FOXY ramped up the pressure going into the far turn, turned back every try to deep stretch, then could not hold off the winner in the last jumps. MIDNIGHT LADY broke a step slow then settled last but not far from the front owing to the slow pace, finished up well to gain third while never a serious threat to the top pair. BLAMEITONMIDNIGHT got caught three-wide on the first turn, tracked in third position still three-wide down the backstretch, was unable to keep pace when the top two opened up midway through the turn, came under pressure at the top of the stretch, and was outfinished for third.

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - January 2, 2026 - Race 5

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$7,300 ATB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE OCTOBER 2,

2025 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since October 2, 2025

Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$30,000. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$35,000. (Rail at 30 feet). (NW1 3M) **Claiming Price:** \$30,000

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Gaelico - 1:42.05 - February 21, 2015)

Purse: \$36,500

Includes: \$30,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account

Available Money: \$36,500

Value of Race: \$36,500 1st \$21,780, 2nd \$7,260, 3rd \$3,993, 4th \$2,178, 5th \$1,089, 6th \$100, 7th \$100

Weather: Clear, 78° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 8:19 **Start:** Good for all except 4 **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
6Nov25 ⁸ RP ³	4	Ocelot (Gonzalez, Elvin)	121	L b	4	7	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹	4 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1.10*	stdld bk,wtd,won clear
1Nov25 ⁵ RP ²	3	Illustrator (Diego, Iram)	121	L	3	6	7	7	6 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2.90	held up, rally, gain 2nd
15Nov25 ⁹ RP ⁵	1	Wow That's Hot (Elliott, Stewart)	123	L	1	2	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 ^{4 1/2}	5.80	duel, dug in 1/4, wknd
5Oct25 ⁵ RP ²	5	Regal Terka (Parker, Deshawn)	121	L	5	5	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ²	7	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	5.50	mid-pack, even effort
6Dec25 ⁹ GP ⁶	7	Ruddy Buddy (Luzzi, Lane)	121	--	7	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{1/2}	7	5 ^{1/2}	15.20	stalked, lacked finish
31Oct25 ⁸ RP ⁶	6	Brucelea (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	121	L	6	4	4 ²	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 3/4}	15.50	4-6w, lacked rally
7Nov25 ¹ RP ⁴	2	Bobby Brinkley (Diaz, Rene)	123	L b	2	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	7	11.60	duel 2w, wknd, outfnshd

Fractional Times: 23.52 48.04 1:11.53 1:36.73

Final Time: 1:42.99

Split Times: (24:52) (23:49) (25:20) (6:26)

Run-Up: 63 feet **Temporary Rail:** 30 feet

Winner: Ocelot, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Big Blue Kitten out of More Miss Crissy, by More Than Ready. Foaled Mar 24, 2018 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Calumet Farm

Owner: Yari Rivera

Trainer: Ashford, Tristan

Claiming Prices: 1 - Wow That's Hot: \$30,000; 2 - Bobby Brinkley: \$35,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$19,961

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Ocelot	4.20	2.80	2.40	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-4	10.10	362
3	Illustrator		3.20	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	4-3	5.00	6,441
1	Wow That's Hot			3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-3-1	9.75	5,594
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-3-1-5	5.56	3,112
					\$1.00 Pick 3	4-3-4 (3 correct)	13.30	755
					\$0.50 Pick 4	1-4-3-4 (3 correct)	9.90	994

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Ocelot	7	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}
3	Illustrator	6	7 ^{6 1/4}	7 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{2 3/4}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}
1	Wow That's Hot	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}
5	Regal Terka	5	6 ^{4 3/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{3 1/4}	4 ³	4 ⁷
7	Ruddy Buddy	1	3 ¹	3 ¹	3 ¹	7 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}
6	Brucelea	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	5 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁸
2	Bobby Brinkley	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	5 ⁴	7 ^{9 3/4}

Trainers: 4 - Ashford, Tristan; 3 - Ashford, Jr., H.; 1 - Asmussen, Steven; 5 - Willis, Mindy; 7 - Werneth, Robert; 6 - Jacks, Karen; 2 - Caldwell, J.

Owners: 4 -Yari Rivera; 3 -Ron A. Stolich; 1 -Clark O. Brewster; 5 -John Wilke; 7 -Michael G. Marks; 6 -Karen E. Jacks; 2 - Dupy, Wanda and Dupy, Steve;

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OCELOT came away from the gate sluggishly and was given a reminder from the rider to get into the race, settled well off the pace near the rear, then started a forward move late on the backstretch, dropped down to the rail into the far turn, had to wait for room, split horses into upper stretch, then finished strong to win clear. ILLUSTRATOR was held up in last through the early stages, then moved up into contention on the far turn, and finished up well to gain the place in a tight finish for second. WOW THAT'S HOT dueled inside of BOBBY BRINKLEY to the far turn, was being confidently ridden to the stretch, then responded when set down, fought on gamely, then weakened a bit in deep stretch. REGAL TERKA settled mid-pack early, lacked room to make a bid through the far turn, then went evenly through the stretch. RUDDY BUDDY got a good stalking position early, just behind the leaders. moved up to join that pair heading into the far turn, but struggled to get on even terms, came under a ride approaching the quarter pole, went five-wide into the stretch, and lacked a finish. BRUCELEA settled in mid-pack four-wide early, then went six-wide through the far turn and lacked a rally. BOBBY BRINKLEY dueled early with WOW THAT'S HOT, raced two-wide onto the main course from the chute, put a head in front heading down the backstretch, came under a stiff drive on the far turn, but was outfinished in the stretch.

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SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - January 2, 2026 - Race 6

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$6,600 ATB) FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE, FOUR, AND FIVE YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 119

lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For A Claiming Price Of Less Than \$25,000 in their last 3 starts).

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Bucharest - 1:02.92 - April 13, 1996)

Purse: \$33,000

Includes: \$30,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account

Available Money: \$33,000

Value of Race: \$33,000 1st \$19,680, 2nd \$6,560, 3rd \$3,608, 4th \$1,968, 5th \$984, 6th \$100, 7th \$100

Weather: Clear, 76° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:49 **Start:** Good for all except 1,2 **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Dec25	7	RP ²	6	First Class Lady (Elliott, Stewart)	123	L	6 1	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ³	0.70* stlk,chased,clear late
30Oct25	1	DED ⁷	5	Midnight Breeze (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	123	h	5 4	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ²	2 ^{Nose}	10.10 led clear,saved place
---	3		Sense of Awe (Luzzi, Lane)	123	L	3 2	5Head	6 ¹⁸	5 ² 1/2	3 ³ 1/4	5.80	late bid,missed 2nd
7Nov25	3	RP ²	4	Synoptic (Wiseman, Isaiah)	119	L	4 3	3 ² 1/2	3 ² 1/2	3 ² 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/4	13.20 prssd.bid1/4,flattened
25Aug24	6	ELP ¹²	1	City of Secrets (Alvarez, Jose)	123	L	1 7	4 ³	4 ³	4 ^{1/2}	5 ²	3.00 broke air,chsd,tired
---	2		Katabatic Wind (Pena, Brayan)	119	L	2 6	6 ⁵	5 ²	6	6	22.80	off slow, no threat
30Oct25	1	DED ⁸	7	Blush With Joy (Singh, Rohan)	123	h	7 5	7	7	---	---	14.40 pulled up1/2,walk off

Fractional Times: 22.04 46.19 59.31

Final Time: 1:06.20

Split Times: (24:15) (13:12) (6:89)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: First Class Lady, Bay Filly, by Uncle Mo out of Lady Pauline, by Munnings. Foaled Feb 27, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC

Owner: Douglas Scharbauer

Trainer: Asmussen, Steven

Total WPS Pool: \$18,079

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	First Class Lady	3.40	3.20	2.40	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-6	6.00	800
5	Midnight Breeze		8.80	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	6-5	19.60	6,343
3	Sense of Awe			3.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-5-3	29.45	5,179
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-5-3-4	17.68	2,674
					\$1.00 Pick 3	3-4-6 (3 correct)	19.70	950

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
6	First Class Lady	1	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ²	1 ³
5	Midnight Breeze	4	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ²	2 ³
3	Sense of Awe	2	5 ⁸	6 ⁹ 1/2	5 ⁶	3 ³
4	Synoptic	3	3 ² 1/2	3 ²	3 ³	4 ⁶ 1/4
1	City of Secrets	7	4 ⁵	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/2	5 ¹¹ 1/2
2	Katabatic Wind	6	6 ⁸	5 ⁷ 1/2	6 ⁸ 1/2	6 ¹³ 1/2
7	Blush With Joy	5	7 ¹³	7 ²⁷ 1/2	---	---

Trainers: 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 5 - Love, Sr., Alan; 3 - Pish, Danny; 4 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Calhoun, W.; 2 - Cruz, Eduardo; 7 - Love, Sr., Alan

Owners: 6 -Douglas Scharbauer; 5 -Ken Pullen; 3 - Duffy's Racing Stable LLC; 4 - Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; 1 - Martin Racing Stable LLC, Gorsky, Bob and Circustown Racing Stables, LLC; 2 -Catherine Estelle Adams; 7 -Ken Pullen;

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FIRST CLASS LADY broke on top, ceded the front to MIDNIGHT BREEZE, chased that rival to deep stretch, then went clear in the final yards. MIDNIGHT BREEZE sent hard from the break, made the front by the five-furlong pole, maintained an advantage of a length or more to mid-stretch, then yielded to FIRST CLASS LADY while saving the place. SENSE OF AWE broke with the early leaders but steadily dropped back in the run down the backstretch to be last on the turn, found a good stride late, rallied and just missed getting into second. SYNOPTIC was up on the early pace, dropped back a bit on the turn, then launched a bid for the lead from the quarter pole, but flattened out in the stretch. CITY OF SECRETS broke in the air, then rushed up the inside to chase the leading trio into the turn, but was unable to sustain the run through the stretch and tired. KATABATIC WIND off slow and outrun early despite being under a ride, and was never a threat. BLUSH WITH JOY trailed early, was pulled up on the backstretch, and gradually eased to a stop just before the finish line, and walked off.

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - January 2, 2026 - Race 7

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$7,000 ATB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since October 2, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. (NW2 X)

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Bucharest - 1:08.91 - May 11, 1994)

Purse: \$35,000

Includes: \$30,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account

Available Money: \$35,000

Value of Race: \$35,000 1st \$20,880, 2nd \$6,960, 3rd \$3,828, 4th \$2,088, 5th \$1,044, 6th \$100, 7th \$100

Weather: Clear, 72° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 9:16 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25Nov25	10	ZIA ⁸	8	Knock Knock Joke (Parker, Deshawn)		121	L	6 7	7	4 ^{Head}	5 ²	1 1 3/4
25Oct25	7	RP ⁴	9	Mikel W (Alvarez, Jose)		121	L f	7 2	1 ²	1 ¹	2 1/2	2 ^{Neck}
6Dec25	7	RP ¹	4	Mind Bolt (Cabrera, David)		123	L	3 1	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}
3Jul25	1	LS ¹	3	Golden Grit (Diaz, Rene)		121	L b	2 3	3 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 1/2
11Dec25	7	RP ¹	6	Risk It (Elliott, Stewart)		123	L b	4 5	5 ¹	3 ¹	4 ^{Head}	5 3 3/4
25Oct25	7	RP ⁶	1	Zavala (Wethey Jr., Floyd)		121	L b	1 4	2 ^{Head}	7	7	6 ^{Nose}
28Nov25	6	ZIA ³	7	Here Comes Braylon (Gonzalez, Elvin)		121	L b	5 6	6 ¹	6 1/2	6 ^{Head}	7
												9.40 3-4w,some late interes

Fractional Times: 22.66 45.29 57.89

Final Time: 1:11.13

Split Times: (22:63) (12:60) (13:24)

Run-Up: 45 feet

Winner: Knock Knock Joke, Bay Gelding, by Practical Joke out of Surrender, by Stormy Atlantic. Foaled May 18, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Sandra Sexton & Silver Fern Farm

Owner: Judge Lanier Racing LLC

Trainer: Cappellucci, Dick

Scratched Horse(s): Let's Go Mark (RegVet-Illness), Tizabling (RegVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$21,666

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Knock Knock Joke	18.20		5.40	\$1.00 Daily Double	6-8	30.90	516
9	Mikel W			3.60	\$1.00 Exacta	8-9	55.30	6,862
4	Mind Bolt			2.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-9-4	87.25	5,547
					\$0.10 Superfecta	8-9-4-3	67.77	3,110
					\$1.00 Pick 3	4-6-8 (3 correct)	86.30	827

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
8	Knock Knock Joke	7	7 ^{4 1/4}	4 ²	5 ^{3/4}	1 1 3/4
9	Mikel W	2	1 ²	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 1 3/4
4	Mind Bolt	1	4 ^{2 1/4}	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	3 ²
3	Golden Grit	3	3 ²	5 ^{2 1/4}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ²
6	Risk It	5	5 ^{2 1/4}	3 ¹	4 ^{3/4}	5 ^{2 1/2}
1	Zavala	4	2 ²	7 ^{2 3/4}	7 ³	6 ^{6 1/4}
7	Here Comes Braylon	6	6 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{6 1/2}

Trainers: 8 - Cappellucci, Dick; 9 - Padilla, Carlos; 4 - Calhoun, W.; 3 - Caldwell, J.; 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Gelner, Jayde; 7 - Cappellucci, Dick

Owners: 8 - Judge Lanier Racing LLC; 9 - Haverkamp, Lynn and Fleenor, Rodney; 4 - Highlander Training Center; 3 -Fred Walden; 6 -Steven M. Asmussen; 1 - Simmons and Associates, Inc.; 7 -William Egert;

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KNOCK KNOCK JOKE lacked early speed and was last down the backstretch, circled the field four-wide on the turn to be within striking distance at the top of the stretch, continued the rally, made the lead inside the sixteenth pole, and won clear in the end. MIKEL W was sent from the outside post, cleared the field and moved over to the inside before the turn, led the way through the turn under confident handling, was no match for the winner, but fought off a host of challengers in the stretch to take the second prize. MIND BOLT got away well, settled just off the early pace three-wide, moved up to challenge passing the five-sixteenths pole, finished willingly but came up short for 2nd in a mad scramble in the final yards. GOLDEN GRIT was two-deep in the second flight, made a bid up the rail in the stretch, finished well, but came up short. RISK IT raced four-wide in the second flight, loomed four-wide at the top of the stretch, put in a good late run but was not quite doing enough in the late stages. ZAVALA raced close up to the half-mile pole, the steadily retreated to the back on the turn and was not a factor in the late stages. HERE COMES BRAYLON raced three to four wide at the back of the field, finished with some interest, but could not improve.

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SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - January 2, 2026 - Race 8

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$6,600 ATB) FOR MAIDENS, THREE, FOUR, AND FIVE YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

(Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For A Claiming Price Of Less Than \$25,000 in their last 3 starts). (Rail at 30 feet).

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Tiz Gianni - 1:35.55 - February 10, 2015)

Purse: \$33,000

Includes: \$30,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account

Available Money: \$33,000

Value of Race: \$33,000 1st \$19,620, 2nd \$6,540, 3rd \$3,597, 4th \$1,962, 5th \$981, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Clear, 72° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 9:43 Start: Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Nov25	6	RP ⁷	8	Eternal Mischief (Cabrera, David)	123	L o	8 3	4 ¹	4 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1	Neck
18Dec25	7	RP ⁴	1	Baker Hayfield (Diaz, Rene)	123	L	1 4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	2	Neck
18Dec25	7	RP ⁵	6	Zorro D' Oro (Wethen Jr., Floyd)	123	L	6 1	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	duel2w,led14,missed
11Dec25	4	RP ⁴	7	Renton (Elliott, Stewart)	119	L	7 6	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{4 1/2}	8.90 good effort
30Oct25	7	RP ³	3	Buck O Five (Wiseman, Isaiah)	119	L	3 5	6 ^{Head}	8	8	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{4 3/4}	6.60 lag,loom5w,outkicked
13Dec25	4	RP ³	5	Borderland (Pena, Brayan)	119	L b	5 7	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	7 ^{Head}	7 ⁵	6 ^{3 1/4}	13.50 sttd,no late kick
---	4		Verrazano's Gold (Luzzi, Lane)	123	L b	4 8	8	7 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	7 ¹⁷	15.60 took up,wide,lck fnsh	
12Dec25	5	RP ³	2	Mischiefous Intent (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	123	L b	2 2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	8	8	7.40 duel ins, wknd 1/4

Fractional Times: 24.14 49.60 1:15.01 1:27.55

Final Time: 1:39.90

Split Times: (25:46) (25:41) (12:54) (12:35)

Run-Up: 242 feet **Temporary Rail:** 30 feet

Winner: Eternal Mischief, Bay Gelding, by [Into Mischief](#) out of Eternal Bounty (IRE), by \$Galileo (IRE). Foaled Apr 29, 2021 in Kentucky.

Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: R. S. Evans

Owner: Brad Bolles

Trainer: Gustafson, Austin

Total WPS Pool: \$24,132

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
8	Eternal Mischief	9.00	4.00	2.80	\$1.00 Daily Double	8-8	88.20	1,281	
1	Baker Hayfield		3.00	2.40	\$1.00 Exacta	8-1	7.80	7,134	
6	Zorro D' Oro			4.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-1-6	15.45	6,221	
					\$0.10 Superfecta	8-1-6-7	19.54	2,944	
					\$3.00 Pick 3	1-4-8 (3 correct)	87.60	333	
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6-8-8 (3 correct)	163.00	1,481	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	4-6-8-8 (4 correct)	131.05	1,821	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	3-4-6-8-8 (4 correct)	6.75	797	526
					\$0.20 Super High Five	8-1-6-7-3	78.52	595	131
					Jackpot				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Eternal Mischief	3	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ²	6 ^{2 1/4}	3 ¹	1 ^{Neck}
1	Baker Hayfield	4	3 ²	3 ¹	5 ^{1 3/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Neck}
6	Zorro D' Oro	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	3 ^{1/2}
7	Renton	6	7 ⁴	6 ^{2 1/4}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	4 ¹
3	Buck O Five	5	6 ⁴	8 ⁴	8 ^{3 3/4}	5 ⁴	5 ^{5 1/2}
5	Borderland	7	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/4}	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ⁶	6 ^{10 1/4}
4	Verrazano's Gold	8	8 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{13 1/2}
2	Mischiefous Intent	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	8 ¹¹	8 ^{30 1/2}

Trainers: 8 - Gustafson, Austin; 1 - Gustafson, Austin; 6 - Jacks, Karen; 7 - Asmussen, Steven; 3 - Asmussen, Steven; 5 - Davidson, Sarah; 4 - Eoff, Terry; 2 - Cravens III, Ronnie

Owners: 8 -Brad Bolles; 1 -Robert W. Krattiger; 6 -Karen E. Jacks; 7 - Bloom Racing Stable LLC (Jeffrey Bloom); 3 -Benjamin Gase; 5 -Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 4 - Evans, Johnny B. and Eoff, Terry; 2 - K and K Racing Stables LLC;

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ETERNAL MISCHIEF broke well and got a good position early without really being asked, tracked in mid-pack through the first half, then bided time through the far turn, split horses in upper stretch, got a head in front mid-stretch, and prevailed in a spirited dash to the wire. BAKER HAYFIELD settled just behind the leading pair through the early stages, bided time behind horses on the far turn, gots dream trip on the rail into the stretch, and finished with good energy. ZORRO D' ORO dueled/pressed the early pace two-wide to the outside of MISCHIEVOUS INTENT, briefly led passing the quarter pole, dug in when beset by a host of challengers at the top of the stretch, battled gamely to the wire, but missed. RENTON was allowed to settle near the back, kicked on well late but came up short in a good effort. BUCK O FIVE tracked in the back half of the field, moved up through the stretch to loom a threat five-wide into the stretch ut could not sustain the bid enough to pose a threat. BORDERLAND settled behind early while getting to the rail, gradually moved closer through the middle stages, but was unable to generate much of a late kick. VERRAZANO'S GOLD took up and shuffled back after the start, drifted out on the first turn four-to-five wide, continued to race in the same path down the backstretch, then lacked a finish. MISCHIEVOUS INTENT dueled for the early lead inside of ZORRO D'ORO through moderate fractions, weakened passing the quarter pole and had nothing left for the stretch run.

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Track Attendance: 0
Off Track Wagering:

Handle: \$126,207
Handle: \$105,171

