

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - March 27, 2026 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$2,200 ATB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE SEPTEMBER 27, 2025 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since December 27, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Races For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Heavenville - 1:36.02 - March 28, 2026)

Purse: \$11,000

Available Money: \$11,000

Value of Race: \$11,000 1st \$6,480, 2nd \$2,160, 3rd \$1,188, 4th \$648, 5th \$324, 6th \$100, 7th \$100

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:18 **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	
7Feb26 ¹ HOU ³	4	Macho Grande (Hamilton, Weston)	123	L	bf	3	2	4 ^{Head}	4 ²	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}	4.80	bid1/4, strj battle, up
21Feb26 ⁴ HOU ²	9	Brock On By (Diaz, Rene)	121	L	b	7	1	2 ⁴	2 ⁴	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}	2.80*	duel2w, gd fnsh, 1st bob
6Feb26 ⁵ DED ²	2	Barbacoa (Hernandez, Javier)	122	L		2	4	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	4.30	trk cls, bid1/4, gd fnsh
6Feb26 ⁵ DED ³	7	Twelve Volt (Parker, Deshawn)	121	L	b	5	7	7	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ³	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 1/4}	3.90	passed tired foes
13Feb26 ⁴ DED ¹	1	Ells (Diego, Iram)	123	L		1	6	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	6 ⁴	5 ³	3.70	trk ins, one-paced late
28Feb26 ⁴ HOU ⁴	5	Mo Saturdays (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	121	L	bf	4	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{10 3/4}	9.10	sent, duel clr, wknd1/4
6Feb26 ⁴ HOU ⁶	8	Nautical Moon (Luzzi, Lane)	121	L	bf	6	5	6 ²	7	7	7	7	9.80	3w, done after 1/2-mile

Fractional Times: 23.40 46.85 1:12.23 1:25.38

Final Time: 1:39.03 **Time from Gate:** 1:40.97

Split Times: (23:45) (25:38) (13:15) (13:65)

Run-Up: 68 feet

Winner: Macho Grande, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Mucho Macho Man out of Artisticdifference, by Eskendereya. Foaled Mar 01, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Schludecker Racing Stable

Owner: Terry Eoff

Trainer: Eoff, Terry

1 Claimed Horse(s): Ells

New Trainer: Jerry Gourneau

New Owner: Henry S. Witt, Jr.

Claiming Prices: 4 - Macho Grande: \$5,000; 9 - Brock On By: \$5,000; 2 - Barbacoa: \$5,000; 7 - Twelve Volt: \$5,000; 1 - Ells: \$5,000; 5 - Mo Saturdays: \$5,000; 8 - Nautical Moon: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Covert Kat (PrivVet-Illness), Samsplayerslounge (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$8,439

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Macho Grande	11.60	5.00	3.20	\$1.00 Daily Double	8-4	46.30	316
9	Brock On By		5.20	3.60	\$1.00 Exacta	4-9	26.50	2,928
2	Barbacoa			2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-9-2	51.75	2,429
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-9-2-7	39.41	2,104
					\$1.00 Pick 3	4-8-4 (3 correct)	276.30	513
					\$0.50 Pick 4	3-4-8-4 (4 correct)	416.00	947

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Macho Grande	2	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}
9	Brock On By	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}
2	Barbacoa	4	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{3/4}
7	Twelve Volt	7	7 ^{7 3/4}	6 ⁸	6 ^{4 1/2}	5 ⁵	4 ^{5 1/4}
1	Ells	6	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}
5	Mo Saturdays	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}
8	Nautical Moon	5	6 ^{5 3/4}	7 ^{9 1/2}	7 ^{7 1/2}	7 ^{9 1/2}	7 ^{21 1/4}

Trainers: 4 - Eoff, Terry; 9 - Caldwell, J.; 2 - Saucedo, Jesse; 7 - Ramirez-Rodriguez, Abel; 1 - Rodriguez-Torres, Pedro; 5 - Cravens III, Ronnie; 8 - Gourneau, Jerry

Owners: 4 -Terry Eoff; 9 -Tim Cook; 2 -Jesse Saucedo; 7 -Erin Gaarz; 1 - R/T Roofing and Concrete; 5 -Jeffrey Thomas Hoffman; 8 -Henry S. Witt, Jr.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MACHO GRANDE settled well off the early pace, moved up late on the backstretch run with the dueling leaders in range, bid wide for the lead from the five-sixteenths marker, engaged in a spirited stretch duel with BROCK ON BY and prevailed in a tight photo. BROCK ON BY broke sharply from the outside and got a share of the early lead to the outside of MO SATURDAYS, went clear of the rest heading down the backstretch, finished willingly under a stiff drive, but lost the bob at the wire. BARBACOA was pushed on from the start to get forward position, settled at the front of the tracking group, responded when asked to quicken near the half-mile pole, got within range of the lead approaching the stretch, chased the top pair to the wire, and had to settle for third. TWELVE VOLT took back to last after the start, bided time to the half, made a mild bid to advance through the far turn, was mildly gaining, and passed tired foes. ELLS tracked inside well off the pace with the second group, tried to rally but could only go one-paced through the late stages, and did not threaten. MO SATURDAYS was sent hard from the start to get to the lead, pulled clear of the rest with BRONX ON BY keeping pace to the outside, came under a drive approaching the quarter pole, and tired in the stretch. NAUTICAL MOON raced three-wide near the back and had nothing to offer after passing the half-mile pole.