

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK - March 29, 2026 - Race 4

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$440 ATB) FOR TEXAS ACCREDITED FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000, if for \$7,500, allowed 2 lbs. (SNW2

L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000 - \$7,500

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

Purse: \$11,000

Available Money: \$11,000

Value of Race: \$11,000 1st \$6,420, 2nd \$2,140, 3rd \$1,177, 4th \$642, 5th \$321, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100

Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:27 **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	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Feb26 ⁹ HOU ⁸	6	Sassy Flyer (Hernandez, Javier)	121 L b	6 6	6	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ⁵	2.40*	dueled,left lead, clea
7Mar26 ⁴ HOU ¹	1	Paynter's Palette (Luzzi, Lane)	123 L	1 5	5	8	8	5 ¹	2 ^{Neck}	3.80	bid3w,closed,up2ndquix
15Mar26 ² HOU ¹	3	Quixx (Diaz, Rene)	124 L	3 4	4	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	3.90	duel ins, outkicked
14Feb26 ⁴ HOU ⁵	8	I'm On Edge (Elliott, Stewart)	121 L	8 1	1	3 ^{Head}	4 ²	3 ¹	4 ³	4.50	trk4w,loom1/4,flattnd
15Feb26 ⁷ HOU ⁹	2	Too Much Guitar (Rivera, Santos)	123 L b	2 8	8	7 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Neck}	32.20	intight,pss tired foes
14Feb26 ⁴ HOU ⁸	7	R S American Tide (Fuentes, Mario)	123 L b	7 2	2	4 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	6 ¹ 1/2	11.10	stmbld,adv,loom,faltrd
14Feb26 ⁴ HOU ⁷	5	Find the Light (Wiseman, Isaiah)	123 L b	5 3	3	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	7 ³	7 ⁷ 3/4	30.00	briefly cls,dropped bk
14Feb26 ⁴ HOU ⁵	4	Dixie's Heart (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	123 L	4 7	7	6 ¹	7 ¹ 1/2	8	8	4.00	mid-pack,lacked fnsh

Fractional Times: 22.51 45.83 58.61

Final Time: 1:12.49 **Time from Gate:** 1:14.12

Split Times: (23:32) (12:78) (13:88)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Sassy Flyer, Chestnut Mare, by Sky Flight out of Sassy Sondra, by Officer. Foaled May 10, 2020 in Texas.

Breeder: Richard Martin & Danny Payne

Owner: Martin, Richard and Payne, Danny W.

Trainer: Payne, Danny

Claiming Prices: 6 - Sassy Flyer: \$10,000; 1 - Paynter's Palette: \$10,000; 3 - Quixx: \$10,000; 8 - I'm On Edge: \$7,500; 2 - Too Much Guitar: \$10,000; 7 - R S American Tide: \$10,000; 5 - Find the Light: \$10,000; 4 - Dixie's Heart: \$10,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$7,073

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
6	Sassy Flyer	6.80	4.20	2.60	\$1.00 Daily Double	2-6	9.70	365	
1	Paynter's Palette		5.00	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	6-1	11.40	3,017	
3	Quixx			3.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-1-3	15.35	2,558	
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-1-3-8	10.29	1,665	
					\$1.00 Pick 3	2-2-6 (3 correct)	40.20	431	
					\$0.20 Z-5 Super Hi-5	6-1-3-8-2	98.46	448	965

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Sassy Flyer	6	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ⁵
1	Paynter's Palette	5	8 ⁴ 1/4	8 ⁵ 3/4	5 ³ 1/2	2 ⁵
3	Quixx	4	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3 ⁵ 1/4
8	I'm On Edge	1	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁶ 1/4
2	Too Much Guitar	8	7 ³ 1/4	5 ³ 1/2	6 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁹ 1/4
7	R S American Tide	2	4 ¹ 3/4	2 ^{Head}	4 ² 1/2	6 ⁹ 1/2
5	Find the Light	3	5 ² 1/4	6 ⁴	7 ⁵	7 ¹¹
4	Dixie's Heart	7	6 ² 1/4	7 ⁴ 1/4	8 ⁸	8 ¹⁸ 3/4

Trainers: 6 - Payne, Danny; 1 - Ashford, Jr., H.; 3 - Caldwell, J.; 8 - Asmussen, Steven; 2 - Govea, Cesar; 7 - Ruggeri, Nicole; 5 - Hurley, Tina; 4 - Jacks, Karen

Owners: 6 - Martin, Richard and Payne, Danny W.; 1 - Lokey, Catherine E. and Marguerite; 3 - Indigo Racing; 8 -James Sherwood; 2 - L and G Racing Stables; 7 - Ruggeri, Nicole and Ruggeri, Andre; 5 -Andrew Stronach; 4 -Nancy Elizabeth Smith;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SASSY FLYER sharp start, dueled outside of QUIXX to the turn, took command passing the three-furlong pole, then brushed off a challenge from R S AMERICAN TIDE, floated a bit wide on the turn, raced on the left lead through the stretch, but still managed to finish well and pull clear in the final yards. PAYNTER'S PALETTE dropped to last going into the turn, came off the rail to launch a three-wide rally from the top of the stretch, closed in up the inside, and was just up to win the second prize. QUIXX was sent aggressively to the front from the break, dueled with SASSY FLYER to the turn, came into the stretch with a narrow advantage but could not match strides in the final stages. I'M ON EDGE hustled away, tracked four-wide, was in range of the leaders approaching the quarter pole, but flattened out and was outfinished. TOO MUCH GUITAR was put in tight after the start, settled at the back to the turn, moved up three-wide, came under pressure near the quarter pole, flattened out in the stretch but was able to outfinish tired foes. R S AMERICAN TIDE stumbled at the start and was last away, then advanced four-wide to loom a threat passing the quarter pole, then faltered in the stretch. FIND THE LIGHT broke well, dropped to the middle of the field, and was under a drive to keep pace, then was outfinished. DIXIE'S HEART raced in mid-pack along the rail, started to weaken on the turn, and lacked a finish.