

HORSESHOE INDIANAPOLIS - September 23, 2026 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR THREE YEAR OLDS OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE MARCH 23, 2026. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 22 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000 Indiana bred maidens and Indiana claiming races for \$25,000 or less not considered in eligibility(Claiming Races For \$20,000 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating Allowances). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (St. Maximus Gato - 1:01.58 - June 8, 2012)

Purse: \$24,000

Includes: \$8,640 State Bred

Plus: \$8,640 State Bred

Available Money: \$32,640

Value of Race: \$31,680 1st \$20,160, 2nd \$6,720, 3rd \$3,360, 4th \$1,440

Weather: Cloudy, 62° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:15 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

[GPS Race Chart](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18Aug26 ⁶ IND ²	3	Latigo (Crispin, Alexander)	119	L	2	1	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ¹	0.30*	3p,duel str,steady drv
18Aug26 ⁶ IND ⁴	4	Commander Storm (Burgos, Alberto)	119	L b	3	4	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{3 3/4}	5.30	inside,duel str,yield
15Sep26 ¹ IND ²	5	Rigoberto (Pedroza, Jr., Marcelino)	119	L b	4	3	4	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ⁷	3 ¹²	5.00	stalked4p,no late bid
3Sep26 ³ IND ⁵	1	Maximus C (Romero, Joseph)	118	L	1	2	1 ^{Head}	4	4	4	6.60	stmb,vied,faded5/16

Fractional Times: 22.36 45.08 57.14

Final Time: 1:03.60 **Time from Gate:** 1:05.25

Split Times: (22:72) (12:06) (6:46)

Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Latigo, Chestnut Gelding, by [Jimmy Creed](#) out of Steel Courage, by El Corredor. Foaled Apr 30, 2019 in Indiana.

JIMMY CREED  Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: Deann Baer & Greg Baer

Owner: Spiess Stable LLC and Klopp, Randy L.

Trainer: Klopp, Randy

Claiming Prices: 3 - Latigo: \$20,000; 4 - Commander Storm: \$20,000; 5 - Rigoberto: \$20,000; 1 - Maximus C: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Bergen (Trainer), Dreaming Smart (Trainer), Healing Waters (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$22,776

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Latigo	2.60	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	3-4	5.20	18,158
4	Commander Storm		2.80				
5	Rigoberto						

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
3	Latigo	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ¹
4	Commander Storm	4	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ¹
5	Rigoberto	3	4 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{4 3/4}
1	Maximus C	2	1 ^{Head}	4 ⁴	4 ¹⁰	4 ^{16 3/4}

Trainers: 3 - Klopp, Randy; 4 - Haran, John; 5 - Dorochenko, Gennadi; 1 - Gonzalez, Jr., Agustin

Owners: 3 - Spiess Stable LLC and Klopp, Randy L.; 4 - Clabar Mor Stables, LLC and Haran Thoroughbreds, LLC; 5 -Brianna Johnson; 1 - Campos Family Ventures, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

LATIGO vied early in the three path, dueled through the stretch and was clear late under a steady drive. COMMANDER STORM vied inside early, dueled through the stretch but was outfinished. RIGOBERTO stalked the pace in the four path but had no late bid. MAXIMUS C stumbled at the start, vied between rivals and faded on the turn.