

LOUISIANA DOWNS - May 16, 2026 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since March 16, 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000 (Races Where Entered For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at 1 Mile and 70 Yards). (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Oh My Aching Arch - 1:34.10 - May 28, 2023)

Purse: \$10,000

Includes: \$5,000 Other Sources

Plus: \$2,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$12,000

Value of Race: \$11,420 1st \$7,200, 2nd \$2,000, 3rd \$1,320, 4th \$600, 5th \$300

Weather: Cloudy, 81° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 5:02 **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
4May26 ⁴ LAD ⁵	2	Little Warrior (Nava-Marin, Jose)	120	L b	2	4	5 ^{Head}	6	4 ^{Head}	4 ²	1 ^{1/2}	4.70	2p,btw far,5p1/8,rally
19Feb26 ² FG ⁶	6	Penei (Nieves, Emanuel)	123	L b	6	6	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	6.10	2p-ins,led1/16,out-fin
4May26 ⁶ LAD ¹	1	Randy Daytona (Williams, Rey)	122	L b	1	1	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Neck}	1.50*	ins-3p,fought on btwn
24Oct25 ⁴ DED ⁹	3	Chou Chou d'Aven (FR) (Castillo, Alexander)	123	L	3	3	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{Neck}	3.20	bump st,3-4p,even1/16
19Apr26 ⁵ OP ⁴	4	Great Barrier (Santiago, Edward)	123	L bf	4	5	6	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ²	5 ^{4 1/2}	3.80	bump st, 4-6p, willing
18Apr26 ⁵ LS ⁷	5	Bayou Boy (Lozada, Carlos)	123	L bf	5	2	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	6	6	6	15.20	track inside, no close

Fractional Times: 25.23 49.00 1:12.73 1:25.20 **Final Time:** 1:37.83 **Time from Gate:** 1:39.21

Split Times: (23:77) (23:73) (12:47) (12:63)

Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Little Warrior, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Yockey's Warrior out of Little Lucille, by Leestown. Foaled Apr 17, 2020 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Maxie Wayne Kitchings Jr.

Owner: Maxie Wayne Kitchings, Jr.

Trainer: Gomez, David

Claiming Prices: 2 - Little Warrior: \$10,000; 6 - Penei: \$10,000; 1 - Randy Daytona: \$10,000; 3 - Chou Chou d'Aven (FR): \$10,000; 4 - Great Barrier: \$10,000; 5 - Bayou Boy: \$10,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$14,584

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Little Warrior	11.40	6.60	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	2-6	41.80	6,551
6	Penei		7.00	3.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-6-1	96.40	3,343
1	Randy Daytona			2.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-6-1-3	54.46	1,598
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-2	30.00	2,491
					\$0.50 Pick 3	4-4-2 (3 correct)	42.60	1,307

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Little Warrior	4	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}	1 ^{1/2}
6	Penei	6	4 ²	3 ⁴	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}
1	Randy Daytona	1	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}
3	Chou Chou d'Aven (FR)	3	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 3/4}
4	Great Barrier	5	6 ^{3 3/4}	5 ⁵	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{3 3/4}	5 ²
5	Bayou Boy	2	3 ²	4 ⁴	6 ³	6 ^{5 3/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}

Trainers: 2 - Gomez, David; 6 - Savoie, Sherman; 1 - Melancon, Donald; 3 - Gibson, Jonas; 4 - Hewitt, Michael; 5 - Cravens III, Ronnie

Owners: 2 -Maxie Wayne Kitchings, Jr.; 6 -Sherman Savoie; 1 -Donald Melancon; 3 -Whitney Miller; 4 - Langford, Michael and Langford, Troy; 5 -Charles Bradley Douglas;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

LITTLE WARRIOR was wellback in the two path, driven between foes around the far turn, angled out to the five path passing the furlong grounds, and rallied past an inner trio in the final sixteenth. PENEI raced in range in the two path, was coaxed along around the far turn, angled inside midway around the far turn, ran on to lead passing the sixteenth, but got out-finished by a late charging outer rival. RANDY DAYTONA set the pace inside, was cued midway around the far turn, swung from the three path into the lane, fought on between foes into the final furlong, but got edged out on both sides late to show. CHOU CHOU D'AVEN (FR) bumped with an outer foe at the start, stalked in the three path, ranged up to bid passing the quarter, stayed on to lead in the four path passing the furlong grounds, but evened out in the final sixteenth. GREAT BARRIER bumped with an inner foe at the start, rated in the three path, was ridden in the four path around the far turn, floated out to the six path at the top of the lane, and finished willingly. BAYOU BOY tracked inside but made no closing bid.