

LOUISIANA DOWNS - May 26, 2026 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES

SINCE NOVEMBER 26, 2025. Weight, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since March 26, 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since

November 26, 2025 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fighting K - 1:02.84 - September 11, 1993)

Purse: \$8,500

Includes: \$5,000 Other Sources

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

Available Money: \$10,500

Value of Race: \$8,500 1st \$5,100, 2nd \$1,700, 3rd \$935, 4th \$510, 5th \$255

Weather: Cloudy, 86° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 6:29 **Start:** Good for all except 2,3,6 **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
16May26 ⁶ LAD ⁵	7	Castille (Pena, Jonuelle)	115 L b	7	1	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/4}	9.00	chsd,3wbid,edged late
4May26 ⁷ LAD ¹	2	Violent River (Hernandez, Harry)	124 L b	2	3	2 ²	2 ^{Head}	2 ²	2 ^{4 1/2}	1.30*	bmpst, vied, gamely
16May26 ⁷ LAD ³	1	Playing Hardball (Nieves, Emanuel)	120 L b	1	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/4}	6.30	vied, yield1/4, flatnd
4May26 ⁷ LAD ⁴	6	Huey Duey (Barrera, Elio)	120 L f	6	8	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	5 ³	4 ^{Head}	2.70	stmbld,5w,no final bid
16May26 ⁷ LAD ⁵	8	Affectionto Autism (Castillo, Isaac)	120 L b	8	5	5 ^{Head}	5 ⁴	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	4.30	adv4w,no closing bid
16May26 ⁷ LAD ⁶	5	Tresillian (Williams, Rey)	122 L b	5	7	8	8	7 ^{1/2}	6 ^{4 3/4}	20.60	improved outside str
25Aug25 ¹ LAD ⁶	3	Loudthundrhevyrain (Nava-Marin, Jose)	117 L b	3	4	4 ^{Head}	7 ³	8	7 ^{3/4}	74.80	frac,bmpst,off pace
12Dec25 ⁵ DED ⁴	4	Bad Brad (Ramirez, Jr., Julio)	117 L bf	4	6	7 ¹	6 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	8	31.00	never threatened

Fractional Times: 22.77 46.29 58.69

Final Time: 1:05.41 **Time from Gate:** 1:06.67

Split Times: (23:52) (12:40) (6:72)

Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Castille, Bay Gelding, by [Maximus Mischief](#) out of Andapinkcarnation, by Uncle Mo. Foaled Mar 11, 2021 in Indiana.

MAXIMUS MISCHIEF Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift

Breeder: Deann Baer & Greg Baer DVM

Owner: Eric D. Nelson, Jr.

Trainer: Nelson, Jr., Eric

Claiming Prices: 7 - Castille: \$5,000; 2 - Violent River: \$5,000; 1 - Playing Hardball: \$5,000; 6 - Huey Duey: \$5,000; 8 - Affectionto Autism: \$5,000; 5 - Tresillian: \$5,000; 3 - Loudthundrhevyrain: \$5,000; 4 - Bad Brad: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$39,206

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Castille	20.00	7.20	4.80	\$1.00 Exacta	7-2	28.40	33,434
2	Violent River		2.60	2.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-2-1	92.60	20,727
1	Playing Hardball			5.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-2-1-6	37.29	12,800
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-7	66.50	4,686
					\$0.50 Pick 3	7-6-7 (3 correct)	41.95	3,419

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
7	Castille	1	3 ²	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/4}
2	Violent River	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/4}
1	Playing Hardball	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ²	3 ^{5 3/4}
6	Huey Duey	8	6 ^{3 1/4}	4 ^{3/4}	5 ^{2 3/4}	4 ⁷
8	Affectionto Autism	5	5 ^{3 1/4}	5 ^{3/4}	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ⁷
5	Tresillian	7	8 ^{4 1/2}	8 ^{8 3/4}	7 ^{1 1/4}	6 ^{7 1/2}
3	Loudthundrhevyrain	4	4 ³	7 ^{5 3/4}	8 ^{7 3/4}	7 ^{12 1/4}
4	Bad Brad	6	7 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{4 3/4}	6 ^{5 3/4}	8 ¹³

Trainers: 7 - Nelson, Jr., Eric; 2 - Gibson, Jonas; 1 - Wong, Jonathan; 6 - Foster, Joseph; 8 - Wong, Jonathan; 5 - Lorefice, Matthew; 3 - Ramirez, Rosa; 4 - Ramirez, Rosa

Owners: 7 -Eric D. Nelson, Jr.; 2 -Jonas Gibson; 1 -Taboada Racing Stables LLC; 6 - Collier, Sarah and Collier, Rodney; 8 - Taboada Racing Stables LLC; 5 -Steve Sistrunk; 3 -Javier Ramirez Oyarvide; 4 -Javier Ramirez Oyarvide;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

CASTILLE chased the dueling leaders in the early stages, launched a three wide bid to contest the lead at the quarter, dueled with VIOLENT RIVER in the final furlong, edged clear late. VIOLENT RIVER bumped outer foe at the start, vied for command with PLAYING HARDBALL, shook clear of that one in the upper stretch while meeting a bid from CASTILLE, dueled with that one in the final furlong for a gamely finish. PLAYING HARDBALL vied for early command with VIOLENT RIVER, met a few more bids around the quarter, flattened out in the stretch. HUEY DUEY stumbled at the start, advanced along the outside, found a competitive position five wide rounding the far turn but had no closing bid. AFFECTIONTO AUTISM advanced four wide for a prominent position around the quarter, lacked a closing bid. TRESILLIAN opted to be the early trailer, improved along the outside of the stretch. LOUDTHUNDREHYRAIN was a tad fractious in the gate, bumped inner foe at the start, raced off the pace, made no impact. BAD BRAD settled off the pace, never threatened.