

LOUISIANA DOWNS - August 3, 2026 - Race 6

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING,
STARTER, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$15,000.
Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 127 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 3, 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming
Price \$15,000 (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) (Condition Eligibility Preferred). (C)
Claiming Price: \$15,000
Distance: One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Country Jim - 1:39.40 - July 4, 1982)
Purse: \$24,000
Includes: \$5,000 Other Sources
Plus: \$3,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement
Available Money: \$27,000
Value of Race: \$24,330 1st \$14,400, 2nd \$4,800, 3rd \$2,970, 4th \$1,440, 5th \$720
Weather: Clear, 94° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 6:26 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23Jun26 ⁷ LAD ³	2	Big Drinker (Castillo, Isaac)	125 L b	2	6	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	2 ⁴	1 ¹	10.40	4-3w 2nd, bid, duel, bst
20Jun26 ⁹ LS ⁴	1	Brilliant Plan (Vargas, Juan)	122 L	1	3	3 ²	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{6 3/4}	0.50*	bid btwn 2nd, outkicked
23Jun26 ⁷ LAD ¹	3	Causeway Benny (Luzzi, Lane)	124 L b	3	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ⁵	6.40	pace inside, saved 3rd
11Jul26 ⁶ EVD ²	6	Critical Threat (Arana, Kelvin)	122 L f	6	5	6	6	6	6	4 ^{1 1/4}	4.40	lagged, improved inside
12Jun26 ⁸ EVD ¹	4	Purple Heart (Nieves, Emanuel)	125 L f	4	2	2 ²	2 ¹	2 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{3/4}	9.80	pressd, bid btwn, fade
3Jul26 ⁶ EVD ⁸	5	Up N Gone (Barrera, Elio)	122 L bf	5	4	5 ²	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ³	5 ¹	6	16.30	5-4w 2nd, gave way

Fractional Times: 25.24 50.20 1:15.29 1:41.31 **Final Time:** 1:45.88 **Time from Gate:** 1:46.99
Split Times: (24:96) (25:09) (26:02) (4:57)
Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Big Drinker, Bay Gelding, by Stay Thirsty out of Divine Legacy, by Full Mandate. Foaled Feb 23, 2020 in California.
Breeder: Rusty Brown
Owner: Les Blake
Trainer: Wong, Jonathan

Claiming Prices: 6 - Critical Threat: \$15,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Chupapi Munyayo (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$43,455

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Big Drinker	22.80	4.40	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	2-1	31.30	25,682
1	Brilliant Plan		2.20	2.10	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-1-3	48.90	13,329
3	Causeway Benny			3.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-1-3-6	22.23	9,403
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-2	21.80	5,980
					\$0.50 Pick 3	1-1-2 (3 correct)	76.35	4,577

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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2	Big Drinker	6	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹
1	Brilliant Plan	3	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹
3	Causeway Benny	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	4 ^{1 1/4}	4 ⁵	3 ^{7 3/4}
6	Critical Threat	5	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{4 3/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{12 3/4}
4	Purple Heart	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{4 1/2}	5 ¹⁴
5	Up N Gone	4	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ³	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{14 3/4}

Trainers: 2 - Wong, Jonathan; 1 - Jacks, Karen; 3 - Jeansonne, Justin; 6 - Espinoza, Edgar; 4 - Turner, Patti; 5 - Mouton, Chadwick

Owners: 2 -Les Blake; 1 -Karen E. Jacks; 3 - Oldacre Stable LLC; 6 -Eleuterio Jose Altmirano; 4 -Mark C. Scurria; 5 -Rachel Denius;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BIG DRINKER broke back, lacked speed three to four wide first turn, continued to race out in the strip, four wide down to three wide in the second bend when advancing, challenged on the outside into the stretch, dueled outside the runner up and proved best late under firm handling. BRILLIANT PLAN inside of traffic when in a bit tight first turn, moved out to be three wide onto the backstretch, advanced and challenged three down to two path second turn, vied between horses into the lane, dueled with the winner then was outkicked by that one late. CAUSEWAY BENNY broke forwardly, showed the way first turn two path, moved inside, continued to show the way, vied into the lane inside the top two, could not keep pace with that pair the final furlong, saved the show. CRITICAL THREAT void of speed, continued to lag far turn, asked along began to move closer soon after along the inside, in some traffic with a quarter to run, improved position when clear for the drive. PURPLE HEART pressed the leader from off the inside, moved to challenge between horses midway on the second turn, dropped to the inside when vying into the lane and began to weaken. UP N GONE back off the pace outside, five down to four wide through the second turn when within striking distance, gave way through the stretch.