

LOUISIANA DOWNS - August 10, 2026 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(INCLUDES UP TO \$6,700 Other Sources) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since June 10 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000 (Races Where Entered For \$7,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (SNW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000

Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Emerald Forest - 1:21.07 - July 13, 2021)

Purse: \$14,000

Includes: \$1,600 LTBA - Louisiana TB Breeders Association

Includes: \$5,700 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund

Available Money: \$14,000

Value of Race: \$14,000 1st \$8,400, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,540, 4th \$840, 5th \$420

Weather: Clear, 96° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:05 **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	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Jul26 ² LS ¹	1	Deacon Jones (Castillo, Alexander)	122	L	b	1	4	4 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ³	1 ¹ 3/4	2.00 3w,4-5p,edged clear
22Jun26 ⁶ LAD ¹	5	Big Duck (Barrera, Elio)	124	L	b	5	1	1 ¹	1 ¹ /2	2 ¹ Head	2 ¹ /2	3.00 2w,3-4p,held well 2nd
1Jun26 ⁴ LAD ³	2	Boy Charlie (Lozada, Carlos)	122	L	b	2	3	2 ¹ /2	2 ²	1 ¹ Head	3 ² 1/4	1.20* vied inside,outkicked
2Jun26 ⁴ LAD ³	4	Live Affair (Williams, Rey)	122	L	b	4	5	5	4 ²	4 ⁶	4 ¹⁵	28.90 asked 4w,evenly lane
14Mar26 ¹ FG ⁸	3	Girlie's Max (Castillo, Isaac)	122	L		3	2	3 ¹ /2	5	5	5	5.30 close early,gave way

Fractional Times: 22.88 46.63 1:12.43 **Final Time:** 1:25.94 **Time from Gate:** 1:27.11

Split Times: (23:75) (25:80) (13:51)

Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Deacon Jones, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Breaking Lucky out of Lady Heather, by Brahms. Foaled Mar 10, 2021 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Glenn Jones & D. Missy Rutherford

Owner: Blick Stables

Trainer: Bryant, George

Claiming Prices: 1 - Deacon Jones: \$10,000; 5 - Big Duck: \$10,000; 2 - Boy Charlie: \$10,000; 4 - Live Affair: \$10,000; 3 - Girlie's Max: \$10,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$21,395

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Deacon Jones	6.00	3.40	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	1-5	8.10	11,412
5	Big Duck		3.60	2.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-5-2	11.25	5,966
2	Boy Charlie			2.10	\$0.10 Superfecta	1-5-2-4	2.66	4,214
					\$1.00 Daily Double	5-1	6.50	4,086
					\$0.50 Pick 3	8-5-1 (3 correct)	6.95	5,157

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Deacon Jones	4	4 ²	3 ² 1/2	3 ^{Head}	1 ¹ 3/4
5	Big Duck	1	1 ¹	1 ¹ /2	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 3/4
2	Boy Charlie	3	2 ¹	2 ¹ /2	1 ^{Head}	3 ² 1/4
4	Live Affair	5	5 ³	4 ⁴	4 ³ 1/4	4 ⁴ 1/2
3	Girlie's Max	2	3 ¹ 1/2	5 ⁶	5 ⁹ 1/4	5 ¹⁹ 1/2

Trainers: 1 - Bryant, George; 5 - Bruno, Donald; 2 - Dunn, Henry; 4 - Lara, Jorge; 3 - Rodriguez-Torres, Pedro

Owners: 1 - Blick Stables; 5 -Donald Bruno; 2 -Henry Ray Dunn; 4 -Penny Scarberry; 3 - R/T Roofing and Concrete;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

DEACON JONES rated off of the early pace, saved ground to the turn then angled out, set down three wide to upper stretch, rallied from the four to five path in the lane, took command at the sixteenth-marker then edged clear in the late stages. BIG DUCK vied for the early lead then took command, set the pace from off of the rail along the backstretch, dueled outside of BOY CHARLIE into the turn, continued to battle that foe into upper stretch, drifted to the three to four path into the lane, overtaken into the final sixteenth, couldn't match strides late with the winner and held well for second. BOY CHARLIE forward early, went up to press the pace from the inside, disputed the pace to the quarter pole then vied for the lead to upper stretch, continued to battle from the rail into the final furlong, was outkicked in the final sixteenth, missed for second and was a clear third. LIVE AFFAIR took back and settled outside, asked four wide to upper stretch, needed more in the lane and finished evenly. GIRLIE'S MAX close up to the early pace while between runners, stalked the pace to the turn, dropped back along the bend then came up empty in the stretch.