

LOUISIANA DOWNS - August 10, 2026 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(INCLUDES UP TO \$4,700 Other Sources) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE AUGUST 10, 2025. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since February 10, 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. (S C) **Claiming**
Price: \$5,000
Distance: One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Country Jim - 1:39.40 - July 4, 1982)
Purse: \$12,000
Includes: \$1,600 LTBA - Louisiana TB Breeders Association
Includes: \$5,700 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund
Available Money: \$12,000
Value of Race: \$12,000 1st \$7,200, 2nd \$2,400, 3rd \$1,320, 4th \$720, 5th \$360
Weather: Clear, 96° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 6:00 **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
20Jul26 ⁴ LAD ¹	3	Clearly Colossal (Hernandez, Harry)	120	L	bf	3 5	5 ²	4 ^{1/2}	3 ⁵	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}	3.60	4-5w,bid 3w,prevailed
1Jun26 ⁴ LAD ⁴	4	Midnight Halo (Castillo, Alexander)	122	L	b	4 4	4 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{6 1/2}	3.00	4-2w,led,gamely
1Jun26 ⁴ LAD ⁸	5	Cali Dreamin (Lozada, Carlos)	122	L	bf	5 1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ⁶	3 ^{5 3/4}	1.90*	pace 3p-ins,yielded
17Jul26 ⁵ EVD ¹	1	Lewis Memorial (Ramirez, Jr., Julio)	124	L	b	1 2	3 ^{Head}	5 ¹	6	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{3/4}	6.70	saved ground,no threat
3Jul26 ² LAD ⁵	7	Gobot (Nieves, Emanuel)	122	L	b	6 6	6	6	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{4 1/2}	16.80	off slow,3w,no factor
22Jul26 ² LAD ⁵	2	Fast Verdict (Williams, Rey)	122	L		2 3	2 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	6	6	3.60	stalk 2p to 3/8,empty

Fractional Times: 25.36 50.48 1:15.78 1:41.84 **Final Time:** 1:46.19 **Time from Gate:** 1:47.22
Split Times: (25:12) (25:30) (26:06) (4:35)
Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Clearly Colossal, Bay Gelding, by Clearly Now out of Spartanburg, by Sharp Humor. Foaled Mar 14, 2023 in Louisiana.
Breeder: Ron Faucheux
Owner: Glynn A. Puryear, Jr. Racing Stable LLC
Trainer: Gibson, Jonas

Claiming Prices: 3 - Clearly Colossal: \$5,000; 4 - Midnight Halo: \$5,000; 5 - Cali Dreamin: \$5,000; 1 - Lewis Memorial: \$5,000; 7 - Gobot: \$5,000; 2 - Fast Verdict: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Oceola (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$20,328

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Clearly Colossal	9.20	3.60	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	3-4	12.70	13,457
4	Midnight Halo		3.60	2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-4-5	10.25	6,602
5	Cali Dreamin			2.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-4-5-1	10.46	4,084
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-3	4.70	3,675
					\$0.50 Pick 3	1-1-3 (3 correct)	11.90	4,404

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Clearly Colossal	5	5 ^{1 3/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Neck}
4	Midnight Halo	4	4 ^{1 1/4}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Neck}
5	Cali Dreamin	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{6 3/4}
1	Lewis Memorial	2	3 ¹	5 ²	6 ⁸	5 ^{6 3/4}	4 ^{12 1/2}
7	Gobot	6	6 ^{3 3/4}	6 ³	5 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{13 1/4}
2	Fast Verdict	3	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ⁶	6 ^{7 1/4}	6 ^{17 3/4}

Trainers: 3 - Gibson, Jonas; 4 - Foster, Joseph; 5 - Lara, Jorge; 1 - Ramirez, Rosa; 7 - Ramirez, Rosa; 2 - Nelson, Jr., Eric

Owners: 3 - Glynn A. Puryear, Jr. Racing Stable LLC; 4 - Reunited Racing and Farm LLC and Joey Foster Racing and Farm LLC; 5 - Jarrett Jr., Terrell and Lara Racing Stables LLC; 1 -Erika N. Turrubiates Lopez; 7 -Erika N. Turrubiates Lopez; 2 - Jones, Catherine and Nelson, Jr., Eric D.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

CLEARLY COLOSSAL got squeezed at the start and was off a step slowly, settled to the first turn then caught a bit in tight between runners along that bend, shifted out into the backstretch and tracked the pace four to five wide nearing the half-mile marker, roused to the far turn, bid three wide to upper stretch, responded in the lane and closed determinedly to the final sixteenth, wore down MIDNIGHT HALO in deep stretch and got up in the final strides to prevail. MIDNIGHT HALO forwardly placed while four wide to the first turn, prompted the moderate pace along the backstretch then confronted CALI DREAMIN to the far turn, dueled outside of that foe to upper stretch, shook free at the furlong grounds then met the late bid of CLEARLY COLOSSAL to the final sixteenth, fought gamely to deep stretch and was bested for the win in the final yards, while well clear of the rest for second. CALI DREAMIN set the early pace three wide and between runners, carved out a moderate pace to the half-mile marker, met the bid of MIDNIGHT HALO into the far turn, dueled that one to upper stretch, yielded to the top pair into the final final sixteenth and was a clear third. LEWIS MEMORIAL saved ground and failed to threaten. GOBOT off slow and settled to the backstretch, coaxed three wide to the quarter marker, did not factor in the stretch drive. FAST VERDICT close up to the early pace, stalked from the two path along the backstretch, dropped back into the second turn then came up empty in the drive.