

LOUISIANA DOWNS - August 12, 2026 - Race 4

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. **Claiming**

Price: \$5,000

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Tangent (NZ) - 1:08.40 - April 28, 1984)

Purse: \$7,500

Includes: \$5,000 Other Sources

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

Available Money: \$9,500

Value of Race: \$7,900 1st \$4,500, 2nd \$1,900, 3rd \$825, 4th \$450, 5th \$225

Weather: Clear, 99° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:31 **Start:** Good for all except 6 **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Jul26 ⁴ LAD ²	7	Velocity Storm (Castillo, Isaac)	120 b	6 5	6	6	5 ²	5 ⁵	1 ^{1 3/4}	1.50*	lag,shift 5w,surge clr
22Jul26 ⁵ LAD ⁴	2	Cajunsmores (Lozada, Carlos)	117 L b	2 2	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}	7.00	2wd mv,came bck 2nd
20Jul26 ¹ LAD ⁴	5	Ay Ay Ron (Nieves, Emanuel)	120 L	4 1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	5.40	ins,spurt awy 3/16,wkn
28Jul26 ¹ LAD ⁶	6	Hay Lover Boy (Vargas, Juan)	124 L b	5 6	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	2.20	fidgety,off slw,4w,evn
28Jul26 ⁴ LAD ⁵	4	Midnight Supercell (Ramirez, Jr., Julio)	124 L	3 3	3 ^{1/2}	4 ²	3 ^{Head}	5 ^{9 3/4}	5 ^{9 3/4}	4.10	ins foe,rail 1/4,faded
11Sep23 ³ LAD ⁷	1	Triple (Baez, Jan)	121 L f	1 4	5 ⁴	6	6	6	6	37.70	ins,ridden 5/16,tired

Fractional Times: 22.82 46.71 59.91

Final Time: 1:14.15 **Time from Gate:** 1:15.35

Split Times: (23:89) (13:20) (14:24)

Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Velocity Storm, Bay Gelding, by Eagle out of Angel Eyes, by Animal Kingdom. Foaled Jan 20, 2023 in Arkansas.

Breeder: Phillip Osborne (RMA Ranch)

Owner: Alberto O. Solis

Trainer: Lara, Jorge

Claiming Prices: 7 - Velocity Storm: \$5,000; 2 - Cajunsmores: \$5,000; 5 - Ay Ay Ron: \$5,000; 6 - Hay Lover Boy: \$5,000; 4 - Midnight Supercell: \$5,000; 1 - Triple: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Samuel (Veterinarian), Sweet Candy Boy (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$40,615

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Velocity Storm	5.00	2.80	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	7-2	13.30	33,278
2	Cajunsmores		5.00	4.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-2-5	30.90	22,672
5	Ay Ay Ron			2.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-2-5-6	11.11	17,804
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-7	6.10	6,137
					\$0.50 Pick 3	5-1-7 (3 correct)	8.90	10,288
					\$0.50 Pick 4	5-5-1/6-3/7/8 (4 correct)	231.35	20,661

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Velocity Storm	5	6 ^{8 1/2}	5 ⁴	5 ³	1 ^{1 3/4}
2	Cajunsmores	2	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{1 3/4}
5	Ay Ay Ron	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	3 ³
6	Hay Lover Boy	6	4 ^{4 1/2}	3 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/2}
4	Midnight Supercell	3	3 ⁴	4 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}
1	Triple	4	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁶	6 ⁸	6 ^{16 1/4}

Trainers: 7 - Lara, Jorge; 2 - Lara, Jorge; 5 - Witt II, Ernie; 6 - Davis, Veronica; 4 - Ramirez, Rosa; 1 - Dixon, Tim

Owners: 7 -Alberto O. Solis; 2 -Terrell Jarrett Jr.; 5 -Ernie Witt II; 6 -Veronica Davis; 4 -Gregorio Cordero; 1 -Tim Dixon;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

VELOCITY STORM lagged well off the early pace while removed from the rail, commenced a run leaving the three eighths, angled five wide with momentum into the lane, leveled off under stout right handed asking, rolled past inner foes with about fifty yards remaining then drew clear. CAJUNSMORES angled out near the half and stalked the clear leader, moved up to have aim past the five sixteenths, saw the leader spurt back away leaving the three sixteenths, dug down to find more and gained the place through the final yards. AY AY RON sped clear early, set the pace towards the inside, turned away an intial threat entering the stretch, spurted away under a drive leaving the three sixteenths, failed to deny the winner leaving the sixteenth pole and weakened late. HAY LOVER BOY , fidgety in the gate, was off slow, regrouped and settled off the inside, gained four wide past the five sixteenths then flattened out through the drive. MIDNIGHT SUPERCELL chased off the rail and to the inside of a rival leaving the far turn, shifted in to be close to the inner rail entering the stretch and faded. TRIPLE saved ground pursuing the pace, was under pressure mid turn, lacked a punch and faltered through the lane.