

LOUISIANA DOWNS - August 20, 2025 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(INCLUDES UP TO \$4,500 Other Sources) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 20, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price\$5,000. (SNW3 L) **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: \$10,000
Includes: \$500 LTBA - Louisiana TB Breeders Association
Includes: \$5,000 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund
Available Money: \$10,000
Value of Race: \$10,000 1st \$6,000, 2nd \$2,000, 3rd \$1,100, 4th \$600, 5th \$300
Weather: Cloudy, 91° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:07 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Jul25 ⁶ LAD ⁷	5	Takeover Fiftyfour (Ramirez, Jr., Julio)	123	L b	5	5	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	3.20	5w bid, clear late
23Jun25 ² LAD ⁴	4	Iron Moon (Gonzalez, Nicasio)	123	L bg	4	2	2 ⁴	1 ²	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}	10.40	fought back, held 2nd
4Jul25 ⁶ LAD ⁵	2	Hawaiian Argument (Munoz, Sergio)	123	L bg	2	6	6	6	4 ¹	5 ³	3 ^{3/4}	18.00	outside trip, closed
4Jul25 ⁶ LAD ²	1	Purrrfect Rhythm (Dominguez, Joel)	123	L b	1	4	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	1.40*	inside trip, no rally
4Jul25 ⁶ LAD ³	6	Midnight Halo (Castillo, Alexander)	123	L b	6	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁵	2 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{13 1/4}	2.00	led, stalked,bid,empty
4Jul25 ⁶ LAD ⁶	3	Go Brother Go (Batista, Alexis)	123	L bg	3	3	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	6	6	6	9.60	through after half

Fractional Times: 24.74 49.05 1:14.65 1:41.95 **Final Time:** 1:46.57
Split Times: (24:31) (25:60) (27:30) (4:62)
Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Takeover Fiftyfour, Bay Gelding, by Takeover Target out of Fiftyfour Forever, by Closing Argument. Foaled Mar 03, 2021 in Louisiana.
Breeder: J. Adcock & Lon Baronne
Owner: L and G Racing Stables
Trainer: Ramirez, Julio

Claiming Prices: 5 - Takeover Fiftyfour: \$5,000; 4 - Iron Moon: \$5,000; 2 - Hawaiian Argument: \$5,000; 1 - Purrrfect Rhythm: \$5,000; 6 - Midnight Halo: \$5,000; 3 - Go Brother Go: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$18,341

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Takeover Fiftyfour	8.40	3.40	3.60	\$1.00 Exacta	5-4	29.10	13,423
4	Iron Moon		9.00	6.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-4-2	61.10	9,808
2	Hawaiian Argument			7.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-4-2-1	52.55	9,115

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Takeover Fiftyfour	5	4 ⁶	4 ⁷	3 ⁴	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/4}
4	Iron Moon	2	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/4}
2	Hawaiian Argument	6	6 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{9 1/2}	4 ⁶	5 ^{3 1/4}	3 ^{1 1/2}
1	Purrrfect Rhythm	4	5 ⁷	5 ^{7 1/2}	5 ⁷	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/4}
6	Midnight Halo	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}	5 ^{3 1/4}
3	Go Brother Go	3	3 ^{5 1/2}	3 ⁷	6 ^{8 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/4}	6 ^{16 1/2}

Trainers: 5 - Ramirez, Julio; 4 - Ramirez, Julio; 2 - Zenon, Sr., Shelton; 1 - Gibson, Jonas; 6 - Foster, Joseph; 3 - Munoz, Yovani

Owners: 5 - L and G Racing Stables; 4 -Hector H. Luna; 2 - Sebastien, Ronald J. and Sebastien, Linda P.; 1 - K and K Racing Stables LLC; 6 - Reunited Racing and Farm LLC and Joey Foster Racing and Farm LLC; 3 -Narcizo Reyes Velasquez;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TAKEOVER FIFTYFOUR raced mid pack, rallied around the turn, went five wide into the stretch, got up near the eighth pole and inched away late. IRON MOON was taken off the rail on the first turn, moved up on the backstretch to assume command, drew away into the turn for a clear lead, was headed near the eighth pole, fought back, didn't have enough late and held for place. HAWAIIAN ARGUMENT was unhurried early, trailed in an outside trip, went six wide leaving the turn and finished well to get up for show. PURRRFECT RHYTHM was unhurried early, saved ground, bid along the rail to get within range and failed to rally. MIDNIGHT HALO drew clear early, secured a spot along the rail, led around first turn, stalked inside to 11 angled out, bid four wide and came up empty late. GO BROTHER GO raced mid pack, was through after a half and stopped.