

LOUISIANA DOWNS - September 17, 2025 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 17, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000 (Races Where Entered For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at 1 Mile and 70 Yards) (Rail at 20 feet). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000
Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Oh My Aching Arch - 1:34.10 - May 28, 2023)

Purse: \$8,500
Includes: \$5,000 Other Sources
Plus: \$2,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement
Available Money: \$10,500

Value of Race: \$8,500 1st \$5,100, 2nd \$1,700, 3rd \$935, 4th \$510, 5th \$255
Weather: Clear, 96° **Track:** Firm
Off at: 6:00 **Start:** Good for all except 5 **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Aug25 ⁵ LAD ²	2	Hot Legs Romolo (Nieves, Emanuel)	124	L b	2	1	1 ²	1 ²	1 ³	1 ⁵	1 ^{8 1/2}	0.40*	fast pace, huge effort
27Aug25 ⁵ LAD ⁵	3	He's Charming (Castillo, Isaac)	126	L b	3	8	4 ²	4 ⁴	3 ²	2 ²	2 ^{3 1/4}	61.50	trkd,no match,2nd best
1Sep25 ⁷ LAD ²	1	Texas Adopter (Munoz, Sergio)	124	L f	1	5	2 ^{Head}	3 ²	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	12.00	chased inside,held 3rd
27Aug25 ⁵ LAD ⁴	5	Dr. Niko (Batista, Alexis)	122	L b	5	10	9 ^{1/2}	10	10	10	4 ¹	4.20	poor st, big late run
22Aug25 ⁴ EVD ³	4	Asaasy (Fusilier, Casey)	124	L	4	4	6 ¹	5 ^{Head}	5 ²	4 ¹	5 ^{2 3/4}	21.90	mid-pack, no factor
1Sep25 ⁷ LAD ⁵	9	Moonovermontgomery (Journet, Jarred)	124	L b	9	6	7 ^{1/2}	7 ²	6 ^{Head}	7 ²	6 ²	51.80	trk3w,lacked finish
1Sep25 ⁴ LAD ⁴	7	Butchy Boy (Lozada, Carlos)	120	L	7	7	8 ¹	8 ^{1/2}	7 ³	6 ¹	7 ^{3 1/4}	106.80	sttld behind,no threat
27Aug25 ⁵ LAD ⁸	10	Deftly Done (Rodriguez, Jose)	120	L bf	10	9	10	9 ⁵	8 ^{Head}	8 ^{1 1/2}	8 ³	85.40	near back,lacked rally
22Aug25 ⁴ EVD ²	6	War Dept Calling (Dominguez, Joel)	120	L	6	2	3 ²	2 ^{1/2}	4 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}	9 ^{8 1/4}	7.00	trk2d,gave wy1/4,tired
6Aug25 ¹ LAD ⁶	8	Starstudded Affair (Castillo, Alexander)	124	L	8	3	5 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	9 ^{1/2}	9 ⁸	10	77.20	mid-pack, empty late

Fractional Times: 22.99 46.50 1:09.94 1:22.00 **Final Time:** 1:34.73
Split Times: (23:51) (23:44) (12:06) (12:73)
Run-Up: 155 feet **Temporary Rail:** 20 feet

Winner: Hot Legs Romolo, Bay Gelding, by Square Eddie out of Octogarian, by Rock Hard Ten. Foaled Mar 23, 2019 in California.
Breeder: Reddam Racing, LLC
Owner: Charles Garvey
Trainer: Diodoro, Robertino

Claiming Prices: 2 - Hot Legs Romolo: \$10,000; 3 - He's Charming: \$10,000; 1 - Texas Adopter: \$10,000; 5 - Dr. Niko: \$10,000; 4 - Asaasy: \$10,000; 9 - Moonovermontgomery: \$10,000; 7 - Butchy Boy: \$10,000; 10 - Deftly Done: \$10,000; 6 - War Dept Calling: \$10,000; 8 - Starstudded Affair: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): All Saints (Also-Eligible), The Hit King Rose (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$38,959

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Hot Legs Romolo	2.80	2.40	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	2-3	18.20	39,741
3	He's Charming		16.80	8.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-3-1	35.25	26,734
1	Texas Adopter			4.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-3-1-5	20.28	21,240
					\$1.00 Daily Double	8-2	2.50	5,928
					\$0.50 Pick 3	5-8-2 (3 correct)	5.15	3,904

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Hot Legs Romolo	1	1 ²	1 ²	1 ³	1 ⁵	1 ^{8 1/2}
3	He's Charming	8	4 ⁴	4 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	2 ⁵	2 ^{8 1/2}
1	Texas Adopter	5	2 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ³	3 ⁷	3 ^{11 3/4}
5	Dr. Niko	10	9 ^{9 1/2}	10 ^{17 1/2}	10 ^{13 1/4}	10 ²³	4 ^{12 1/4}
4	Asaasy	4	6 ⁷	5 ^{8 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}	4 ⁸	5 ^{13 1/4}
9	Moonovermontgomery	6	7 ⁸	7 ¹⁰	6 ^{9 1/2}	7 ^{11 1/2}	6 ¹⁶
7	Butchy Boy	7	8 ^{8 1/2}	8 ¹²	7 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}	7 ¹⁸
10	Deftly Done	9	10 ¹⁰	9 ^{12 1/2}	8 ^{12 1/2}	8 ^{13 1/2}	8 ^{21 1/4}
6	War Dept Calling	2	3 ²	2 ²	4 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁹	9 ^{24 1/4}
8	Starstudded Affair	3	5 ⁶	6 ^{8 1/2}	9 ^{12 3/4}	9 ¹⁵	10 ^{32 1/2}

Trainers: 2 - Diodoro, Robertino; 3 - Gelner, Jayde; 1 - Govea, Cesar; 5 - Claire, Alexis; 4 - Eschete, Nason; 9 - Broussard, Jervon; 7 - Dixon, Tim; 10 - Wilson, Shane; 6 - Cano, Juan; 8 - Wilson, Shane

Owners: 2 -Charles Garvey; 3 -Jayde J. Gelner; 1 - L and G Racing Stables; 5 - Alexis Claire Racing Services LLC, Pinnacle Racing LLC and Dice Table Racing Stable LLC; 4 - Rose, Gail M. and Rose, Earl A.; 9 - CATTTTS Family Racing LLC; 7 -Floyd Parnell; 10 -Hugh Moore; 6 -Juan Munoz Cano; 8 - Brittlyn Stable, Inc.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

HOT LEGS ROMOLO seized the front from the start, led the field through solid fractions, opened up on the turn, and kept on steady to the wire to win in a huge effort. HE'S CHARMING settled a few lengths behind the pacesetter, took up the chase late on the far turn, but was never getting to the winner, held clear for the place. TEXAS ADOPTER chased pace inside, kept to task late to hold third, clear of the rest. DR. NIKO unsettled before the start, broke outward at the break, took up and settled at the back of the field, was still far behind going into the far turn, launched a rally with three furlongs to run, swung six-wide into the lane, and passed more than half the field in the stretch. ASAASY raced in mid-pack to the inside, moved up some through the far turn, but could not sustain a bid. MOONOVERMONTGOMERY went five-wide into the first turn, tracked three-wide down the backstretch, then lacked a finish. BUTCHY BOY settled well behind and was never a threat. DEFTLY DONE settled near the back then lacked a rally. WAR DEPT CALLING tracked two-deep, gave way near the quarter pole, then tired in the stretch. STARSTUDDED AFFAIR raced in the middle of the struggle out field, then came up empty in the lane.

