

LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE - September 21, 2025 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 21 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000 (Maiden, Claiming, And Starter Races For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Soi Phet - 1:33.95 - September 6, 2014)

Purse: \$22,000

Plus: \$1,060 Other Sources

Available Money: \$23,060

Value of Race: \$23,060 1st \$13,200, 2nd \$4,400, 3rd \$2,640, 4th \$1,320, 5th \$500, 6th \$500, 7th \$500

Weather: Clear, 77° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:05 **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
29Aug25 ⁴ DMR ⁴	5	Mighty Kai (Fresu, Antonio)	123	L	5	7	6 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	2.10*	squeezed early,ins,4w
30Aug25 ² DMR ⁸	3	Wild Recruit (Ayuso, Armando)	123	L f	3	2	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	2 ^{1 3/4}	4.00	hrd2load,outsd,lug str
31Aug25 ⁴ DMR ⁷	7	Resemblance (Kimura, Kazushi)	123	L b	7	5	7	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/4}	4.40	2wd-inside,mild rally
23Aug25 ² DMR ⁷	1	Three Georges (Franco, Geovanni)	118	L b	1	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{4 1/2}	2 ¹	4 ³	10.50	duel inside,yield uppr
1Sep25 ⁵ DMR ⁴	4	Sea Dog (Monroy, Francisco)	124	L b	4	6	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	5 ⁵	5 ¹⁵	6.50	3-4w,2w-ins,no respons
29Aug25 ⁴ DMR ³	6	It's a Factor (Herrera, Diego)	118	L b	6	4	5 ¹	3 ¹	6 ⁷	6 ⁶	6 ³	2.90	4-5wd, 3-2wd, tired
29Aug25 ⁴ DMR ⁹	2	Don't Get Me Wrong (Mussad, David)	118	- -	2	1	3 ^{Head}	7	7	7	7	78.80	2-3w, ins-2wd, empty

Fractional Times: 23.18 46.87 1:11.30 1:23.80

Final Time: 1:36.72

Split Times: (23:69) (24:43) (12:50) (12:92)

Run-Up: 195 feet

Winner: Mighty Kai, Bay Gelding, by [Twirling Candy](#) out of My Happy Place, by Tapit. Foaled Mar 14, 2021 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc

Owner: Giordano, Charles A. and Garcia, Juan J.

Trainer: Garcia, Victor

Claiming Prices: 5 - Mighty Kai: \$16,000; 3 - Wild Recruit: \$16,000; 7 - Resemblance: \$16,000; 1 - Three Georges: \$16,000; 4 - Sea Dog: \$16,000; 6 - It's a Factor: \$16,000; 2 - Don't Get Me Wrong: \$16,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$107,681

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Mighty Kai	6.20	3.40	2.60	\$1.00 Pick 3	8-5-5 (3 correct)	48.30	22,755
3	Wild Recruit		5.60	4.40	\$2.00 Daily Double	5-5	18.40	9,308
7	Resemblance			3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	5-3	20.40	62,293
					\$1.00 Superfecta	5-3-7-1	445.60	41,032
					\$1.00 Trifecta	5-3-7	57.80	43,743

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Mighty Kai	7	6 ^{3 1/2}	5 ⁴	4 ⁶	3 ³	1 ^{1 1/4}
3	Wild Recruit	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	2 ^{1 1/4}
7	Resemblance	5	7 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁷	4 ^{4 1/2}	3 ³
1	Three Georges	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	4 ^{4 1/4}
4	Sea Dog	6	4 ²	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁵	5 ⁵	5 ^{7 1/4}
6	It's a Factor	4	5 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{7 1/2}	6 ¹⁰	6 ^{22 1/4}
2	Don't Get Me Wrong	1	3 ²	7 ⁶	7 ^{14 1/2}	7 ¹⁶	7 ^{25 1/4}

Trainers: 5 - Garcia, Victor; 3 - Hess, Jr., Robert; 7 - Knapp, Steve; 1 - Kruljac, Ian; 4 - Jauregui, O.; 6 - Garcia, Antonio; 2 - Ruffu, Gail

Owners: 5 - Giordano, Charles A. and Garcia, Juan J.; 3 - Lambert, Jeffrey, Harringer, Tyler and Rodriguez, Lawrence; 7 - Thomsen Racing LLC; 1 -James P. Abel; 4 - Jauregui Racing Stables, Inc.; 6 -Norman Tavares; 2 -Gail E. Ruffu;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MIGHTY KAI got squeezed back not too long after the start, tucked inside at the back, steered out on the backstretch and improved position, chased four wide into the lane, closed well from outside and drove past the runner-up late. WILD RECRUIT hard to load behind the gate, dueled from outside, pressed up the backstretch, fought on even terms again around the second bend, cleared in upper stretch, lugged out midstretch, challenged by MIGHTY KAI at the sixteenth pole and could not fend off the winner. RESEMBLANCE settled outside a rival at the back, continued in the two path into the far turn, angled to the rail around the bend, moved out in the drive, summoned a mild rally and gained third. THREE GEORGES dueled from inside, inched ahead on the backstretch, headed again on the far turn, yielded in upper stretch and weakened. SEA DOG chased three then four wide early, two wide then along the rail on the far turn and never responded to urging. IT'S A FACTOR chased four then five wide outside a pair of rivals on the clubhouse turn, rounded the far turn two to three wide and tired in the drive. DON'T GET ME WRONG chased two then three wide on the first turn, dropped off the pace on the backstretch, fell further back around the far turn raced on the inside then two path and came up empty in the stretch.