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LONE STAR PARK - April 17, 2026 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$2,700 Open ATB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2026 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$6,250. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (That Tat - 1:01.88 - April 11, 2003)

Purse: \$13,500

Includes: \$10,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account

Available Money: \$13,500

Value of Race: \$13,500 1st \$7,980, 2nd \$2,660, 3rd \$1,463, 4th \$798, 5th \$399, 6th \$100, 7th \$100

Weather: Cloudy, 82° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 7:03 **Start:** Good for all except 1 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Mar26 ⁷ HOU ³	2	Ore Mine (Valdez-Jiminez, Ernesto)	124	L b	2	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ² 1/2	1 ³ 1/2	1.60*	took commad early
28Feb26 ⁶ HOU ⁸	1	Son of a Bling (Diaz, Rene)	124	L	1	7	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ^{1/2}	5 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 3/4	9.30	hop st,sv grnd,clsd2nd
22Mar26 ⁴ HOU ¹	6	Flotation Station (Elliott, Stewart)	124	L b	6	2	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	2.00	stlk3w,bid5/16,wkn1/8
7Mar26 ² HOU ⁵	5	Northvale Road (Diego, Iram)	124	L h	5	3	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ² 3/4	5.40	prssd2w,one-paced
16Mar26 ¹⁰ SUN ⁵	3	Pudding (Wethey Jr., Floyd)	124	L	3	4	6 ⁴	6 ⁹	6 ¹⁰	5 ¹ 3/4	4.80	sttld,bid5/16,no bid
8Jan26 ⁸ DED ³	7	Play Rule (Hamilton, Weston)	124	L b	7	5	4 ²	4 ³ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	6 ⁷	24.70	4-5w,lacked late bid
20Feb26 ⁸ HOU ⁹	4	Samsplayerslounge (Huaman, Luis)	124	L b	4	6	7	7	7	7	19.50	far back, no factor

Fractional Times: 22.12 45.22 57.75

Final Time: 1:04.34 **Time from Gate:** 1:05.43

Split Times: (23:10) (12:53) (6:59)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Ore Mine, Chestnut Gelding, by Kantharos out of Gemstone, by Gemologist. Foaled Mar 08, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Ed Orr & Sue Orr

Owner: Jeffrey Thomas Hoffman

Trainer: Cravens III, Ronnie

2 Claimed Horse(s): **Flotation Station**
Ore Mine

New Trainer: Kevin Morgan, Jr.

New Owner: Kevin Morgan, Jr.

New Trainer: Dick Cappellucci

New Owner: Jerry A. Groen

Claiming Prices: 2 - Ore Mine: \$5,000; 1 - Son of a Bling: \$6,250; 6 - Flotation Station: \$5,000; 5 - Northvale Road: \$5,000; 3 - Pudding: \$5,000; 7 - Play Rule: \$6,250; 4 - Samsplayerslounge: \$6,250;

Total WPS Pool: \$11,964

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Ore Mine	5.20	3.20	2.40	\$2.00 Daily Double	1-2	26.20	728
1	Son of a Bling		7.20	3.80	\$2.00 Exacta	2-1	29.60	6,872
6	Flotation Station			2.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-1-6-5	7.11	2,022
					\$0.50 Trifecta	2-1-6	17.90	3,343

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
2	Ore Mine	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ² 1/2	1 ³ 1/2
1	Son of a Bling	7	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁵	5 ⁴ 1/4	2 ³ 1/2
6	Flotation Station	2	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ² 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/4
5	Northvale Road	3	2 ¹	3 ¹	3 ⁴	4 ⁶ 1/4
3	Pudding	4	6 ⁵	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁵ 3/4	5 ⁹
7	Play Rule	5	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁴	6 ¹⁰ 3/4
4	Samsplayerslounge	6	7 ⁹	7 ¹⁴ 1/2	7 ¹⁵ 3/4	7 ¹⁷ 3/4

Trainers: 2 - Cravens III, Ronnie; 1 - Caldwell, J.; 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 5 - Gourneau, Jerry; 3 - Cappellucci, Dick; 7 - Roubion, Steve; 4 - Mejia, Jacobo

Owners: 2 -Jeffrey Thomas Hoffman; 1 - Treloar, Theresa and Penta, Steve; 6 - Ackerley Brothers Farm; 5 -Henry S. Witt, Jr.; 3 -Bob Matney; 7 - Hamlin Ventures; 4 -Jacobco Mejia;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ORE MINE jumped out to a clear early lead, held sway through the turn, and widened the margin in the stretch. SON OF A BLING hopped at the start to be last away, settled off the pace while saving ground, angled out three-wide for the stretch run, and closed strongly to gain the place. FLOTATION STATION stalked the early pace three-wide to the turn, took a run at ORE MINE on the lead approaching the quarter pole, but weakened in the final furlong. NORTHVALE ROAD pressed the early pace two-wide, became boxed in at the top of the stretch, then went one paced and lacked a closing response through the stretch. PUDDING was allowed to settle back well off the early pace, started to run on late on the turn, loomed a threat turning for home, but became a little erratic in upper stretch and lost momentum. PLAY RULE raced four to five wide throughout and lacked a late bid. SAMSPLAYERSLOUNGE dropped far behind after the start and was not a factor.