MEADOWLANDS - October 10, 2025 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% NJB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since August 10 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price

\$7,500, For Each \$500 To \$6,500 1 lb. (NW2 L) Claiming Price: \$7,500 - \$6,500

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf Current Track Record: (Steamboat Bill - 1:40.25 - October 21, 2017)

Purse: \$18,950

Plus: \$4,080 NJB - New Jersey Bred Enhancement

Available Money: \$23,030

Value of Race: \$23,030 1st \$14,280, 2nd \$3,400, 3rd \$1,700, 4th \$850, 5th \$700, 6th \$700, 7th \$700, 8th \$700

Weather: Clear, 60° Track: Firm

Off at: 8:58 Start: Good for all except 3,4 Timing Method: Electronic

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/	E F	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
20Sep25 ² MED ³	3	Chaz the Chief (Leon, Sonny) VACERTIFIED	124 L b	,	3	7	6 ^{Head}	7 ³	5 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Neck}	2.00	bumped hard start
22Aug25	1	Hard Par (Elliott, Christopher)	121 Lb	,	1	4	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	61 1/2	3 ^{Head}	21 3/4	1.70*	split, rally, gamely
14Sep25 ⁹ MTH ⁷	5	Dangerous Driver (Beato, Inoel)	121 Lb	,	5	5	7 ³	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	5 ⁴	3 ^{Neck}	5.60	broke in, bumped
13Sep25 ⁵ BAQ⁴	8	Broderick (Panaijo, Jorge)	117 Lb	,	7	2	5 ²	5 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{3 3/4}	11.60	3w bid, outkicked
20Sep25 ² MED ⁶	4	Equaljusticeforall (Vargas, Jr., Jorge)	119 Lb	f	4	8	8	8	8	6 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	8.20	bumped, checked start
10Sep25 ¹ PEN ²	7	Always Fun (Hernandez, Julio)	121 L b	,	6	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	4 ¹	6 ¹	19.10	vied inside, weakened
4Oct25 ⁷ LRL ⁷	2	Leigh's Last Hero (Rangel, Joezer)	121 Lb	,	2	6	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	7 ^{Head}	7 ⁵	7 ^{7 1/2}	13.50	bumped st, check 5/16
20Sep25 ² MED ⁴	9	Zihuatanejo (Martinez, Francisco)	121 bf		8	3	2 ¹	2 ¹	3 ¹	8	8	14.50	vied, steady, gave way

Fractional Times: 23.19 47.02 1:11.88 1:36.88

Split Times: (23:83) (24:86) (25:00) (6:18)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Chaz the Chief, Chestnut Gelding, by Uptowncharlybrown out of I Ain't P T, by A.P. Indy. Foaled Mar 07, 2020 in New Jersey.

Final Time: 1:43.06

Breeder: Rock Talk Farm LLC Owner: Rock Talk Farm Trainer: David, Carlos

1 Claimed Horse(s): Chaz the Chief New Trainer: Michael V. Simone New Owner: Robert Deckert, Jr.

Claiming Prices: 3 - Chaz the Chief: \$7,500; 1 - Hard Par: \$7,500; 5 - Dangerous Driver: \$7,500; 8 - Broderick: \$7,500; 4 -

Equaljusticeforall: \$6,500; 7 - Always Fun: \$7,500; 2 - Leigh's Last Hero: \$7,500; 9 - Zihuatanejo: \$7,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Sobieski (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$65,510

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Chaz the Chief	6.00	3.00	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	3-1	9.30	53,975
1	Hard Par		3.40	2.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-1-5	13.25	34,950
5	Dangerous Driver			2.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-1-5-8	12.96	21,371
	_				\$1.00 Daily Double	3-3	210.50	9,130
					\$0.50 Pick 3	8-3-3 (3 correct)	290.60	6,154
					\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	3 8-3-6 (3 correct)	85.45	0
					\$1.00 Consolation	3-6	50.60	0
					Double			

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Chaz the Chief	7	6 ^{3 1/4}	72 1/2	5 ^{1 3/4}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}
1	Hard Par	4	41 1/4	3 ¹	6 ^{2 1/4}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Neck}
5	Dangerous Driver	5	7 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	3 ²
8	Broderick	2	5 ^{1 1/4}	5 ^{1 1/4}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/4}
4	Equaljusticeforall	8	8 ^{6 1/2}	8 ^{5 1/2}	8 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{5 3/4}	5 ⁶
7	Always Fun	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{3/4}	6 ^{7 1/2}
2	Leigh's Last Hero	6	3 ¹	4 ¹ 1/4	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ^{6 3/4}	78 1/2
9	Zihuatanejo	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	8 ^{11 3/4}	8 ¹⁶

Trainers: 3 - David, Carlos; 1 - Handal, Raymond; 5 - Moreno-Barban, Leandro; 8 - Reynolds, Patrick; 4 - Milne, Joan; 7 - Perri, Gina; 2 - Castillo, Michelle;

9 - Aro, Michael

Owners: 3 - Rock Talk Farm; 1 - Adelphi Racing Club, Dark Horse Racing Stable, MacWilliams, Patrick O. and Cutair Racing; 5 - R.T Racing Stable; 8 -

Two B and One C Stable; 4 - Liberation Farm; 7 - MG Racing Team LLC; 2 -Barbara J. Geraghty; 9 -Maria Luisa Rodriguez;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms

CHAZ THE CHIEF was bumped hard at the start, raced off the pace inside, moved up three wide on the far turn, rallied four wide in upper stretch, charged to the front at the sixteenth marker and held off the runner up. HARD PAR tracked on the inside, advanced inside on the far turn, moved up and split rivals at the furlong marker, then rallied on the rail, dug in gamely inside of CHAZ THE CHIEF to the finish. DANGEROUS DRIVER broke in bumping a rival, raced two or three wide off the pace, moved up four wide on the far turn, rallied five wide in the stretch drive and got up for third. BRODERICK stalked three wide, bid three wide on the far turn, dueled into the stretch, dug in gamely and was outkicked. EQUALJUSTICEFORALL was bumped hard and checked after the start, trailed the field, came wide into the stretch and failed to threaten. ALWAYS FUN vied inside for the lead, dueled on the far turn and weakened in the stretch. LEIGH'S LAST HERO was bumped hard at the start, pulled while close up between rivals, stalked between, then checked on the far turn and dropped back. ZIHUATANEJO vied two wide for the lead, steadied in tight entering the far turn and gave way. A Jockey Objection by the rider of ZIHUATANEJO against BRODERICK was dismissed.

