MOUNTAINEER CASINO RACETRACK & RESORT - September 16, 2025 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 16 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$4,000 (W V A Bred Races Not Considered In Eligibility).

(NW2 L X) Claiming Price: \$4,000

Distance: Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Ameri Brilliance - 50.16 - August 7, 2004)

Purse: \$8,500

Available Money: \$8,500

Value of Race: \$8,160 1st \$4,930, 2nd \$1,700, 3rd \$850, 4th \$425, 5th \$170, 6th \$85

Weather: Clear, 72° Track: Fast

Off at: 8:54 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23May25 ⁶ SA ¹	2	Pax a Punch (Pagan, Michael)	111	Lb	1	1	1 ^{Head}	11 1/2	1 ^{6 1/2}	0.70*	shook clear angled out
19Aug25 ⁶ MNR ³	7	Wow Bubble (Aviles, Yan)	118	Lb	5	6	3 ²	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 3/4}	1.60	no match saved 2nd
14Jul25 ¹ MNR ⁵	5	Baby Dog (Parker, Deshawn)	123	Lb	4	2	2 ^{Head}	3^{5}	3 ^{Head}	7.00	pressed btw weakened,
26Aug25 ⁸ TDN ⁵	8	Reason to Believe (Gonzalez, Kevin)	118		6	5	5 ²	5 ³	4 ^{3 3/4}	10.90	lagged mild rally lane
24Aug25 8MNR1	4	Grand Slam Boy (Barbaran, Erik)	126	L bf	3	3	4 ⁶	4 ³	5 ⁴	23.40	faded to lane
18Sep24 8BTP4	3	Liberty Blue (Diaz, Renzo)	123	Lb	2	4	6	6	6	43.00	always outrun

Fractional Times: 23.31 47.08 Final Time: 53.41

Split Times: (23:77) (6:33)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Pax a Punch, Chestnut Gelding, by Stay Thirsty out of Spring Moon, by Zensational. Foaled Jan 05, 2022 in California.

Breeder: Terry C. Lovingier **Owner:** Tijuana Racing Stables

Trainer: Silva, Jose

Claiming Prices: 2 - Pax a Punch: \$4,000; 7 - Wow Bubble: \$4,000; 5 - Baby Dog: \$4,000; 8 - Reason to Believe: \$4,000; 4 - Grand Slam

Boy: \$4,000; 3 - Liberty Blue: \$4,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Narizon (Stewards), Sword of Damocles (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$44,000

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Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Pax a Punch	3.40	2.20	2.20	\$2.00 Perfecta	2-7	6.20	30,003
7	Wow Bubble		2.20	2.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	2-7-5-8	17.40	15,503
5	Baby Dog			2.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	2-7-5	10.60	16,378

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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Pgn	n Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin				
2	Pax a Punch	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{6 1/2}				
7	Wow Bubble	6	3 ^{Head}	21 1/2	2 ⁶ 1/2				
5	Baby Dog	2	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 1/2	38 1/4				
8	Reason to Believe	5	5 ^{8 1/4}	59 1/2	4 ⁸ 1/4				
4	Grand Slam Boy	3	4 ² 1/4	4 ⁶ 1/2	5 ¹²				
3	Liberty Blue	4	6 ^{10 1/4}	6 ^{12 1/2}	6 ¹⁶				

Trainers: 2 - Silva, Jose; 7 - Barbaran, Horacio; 5 - Clouston, Eddie; 8 - Brown, John; 4 - Barbaran, Horacio; 3 - Kriple, Zvi

Owners: 2 - Tijuana Racing Stables; 7 - Super Super Stable; 5 - Michelle Helms; 8 - Urieta's Racing Stable; 4 - Kathleen A. Estevez; 3 - Zvi Kriple;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms

PAX A PUNCH pressed on lead shook clear in upper stretch angling out while widening late. WOW BUBBLE pressed through the turn ceding in upper stretch proving no match for the winner while saving place near mid track. BABY DOG pressed between horses through the turn ceding in upper stretch weakening late. REASON TO BELIEVE slow early lagged to upper stretch giving a mild rally there. GRAND SLAM BOY faded to lane. LIBERTY BLUE was always outrun.

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