

MOUNTAINEER CASINO RACETRACK & RESORT - December 9, 2025 - Race 5
STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$4,000 OR LESS IN 2024 - 2025. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 9 Allowed 3 lbs. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$4,000 - \$0
Distance: Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Mayor Steve - 55.92 - August 31, 2003)
Purse: \$14,000
Available Money: \$14,000
Value of Race: \$13,580 1st \$8,120, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,400, 4th \$700, 5th \$280, 6th \$140, 7th \$140
Weather: Cloudy, 36° **Track:** Good
Off at: 8:53 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18Nov25 ² MNR ²	1	Gates of Heaven (Stokes, Joe)	123	L b	1	5	6 ⁵	6 ¹¹	4 ^{Head}	1 ^{Nose}	1.20	late burst, up on wire
11Nov25 ⁶ MNR ²	8	Grand Ambition (Negron, Luis)	123	L bf	6	1	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ²	2 ^{2 3/4}	1.20*	ins grabbed on wire
1Dec25 ¹ MNR ²	2	Ee Yah (Oliveros, Charle)	123	L bf	2	2	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}	3 ⁴	3 ^{1/2}	19.90	chased ins even finish
1Dec25 ⁸ MNR ¹	4	S S Trackside Fun (Gonzalez, Kevin)	126	L b	3	4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 3/4}	16.10	hard pursuit bit short
11Nov25 ⁶ MNR ³	6	No Name Dude (Taboada Flores, Limber)	123	L bf	4	6	5 ^{1/2}	4 ²	5 ³	5 ^{5 1/2}	4.30	evenly, needed more
23Nov25 ² MNR ³	7	Offutt Cole (Tapara, Luis)	123	L b	5	3	4 ³	5 ¹	6 ⁹	6 ^{10 1/2}	47.90	faded on the turn
2Dec24 ⁵ MNR ²	10	Gimme Gold (Yaranga, Yuri)	123	b	7	7	7	7	7	7	69.00	showed little

Fractional Times: 21.50 44.51 **Final Time:** 56.85
Split Times: (23:01) (12:34)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Gates of Heaven, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Kantharos out of On Rainbow Bridge, by Bold Executive. Foaled Jan 10, 2018 in California.
Breeder: Ruis Racing
Owner: Hickory Woods Farm
Trainer: Clouston, Eddie

Scratched Horse(s): Little Big (Stewards), Living Water (Stewards), Probale Ten (Stewards), Remys Gunsmoke (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$39,352

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Gates of Heaven	4.40	2.20	2.20	\$2.00 Perfecta	1-8	9.40	38,004
8	Grand Ambition		2.40	2.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	1-8-2-4	71.00	17,318
2	Ee Yah			4.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	1-8-2	29.10	29,196

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
1	Gates of Heaven	5	6 ⁷	6 ^{7 1/2}	4 ⁶	1 ^{Nose}
8	Grand Ambition	1	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ²	2 ^{Nose}
2	Ee Yah	2	2 ¹	2 ²	3 ²	3 ^{2 3/4}
4	S S Trackside Fun	4	3 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ²	4 ^{3 1/4}
6	No Name Dude	6	5 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/4}	5 ⁵
7	Offutt Cole	3	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{9 1/4}	6 ^{10 1/2}
10	Gimme Gold	7	7 ¹²	7 ^{18 1/2}	7 ^{18 1/4}	7 ²¹

Trainers: 1 - Clouston, Eddie; 8 - Adamo, Anthony; 2 - Ocasio, Osvaldo; 4 - Richison, Crystal; 6 - Kocijan, Marcus; 7 - Gilbert, Timothy; 10 - Stanoszek, Sara
Owners: 1 - Hickory Woods Farm; 8 - ICON Racing Stables; 2 - Ocasio, Osvaldo and Melendez, Maria; 4 -Byron K. Schunk; 6 -Juan Lopez; 7 -Merry Smith; 10 -Sara Stanoszek;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

GATES OF HEAVEN lagging through the turn circled out to upper stretch coming with a late burst to get a nose down on the wire. GRAND AMBITION away alertly set a clear pace digging in from the inside down the lane being grabbed on the wire. EE YAH chased the pace racing inside to upper stretch finishing evenly. S S TRACKSIDE FUN chased through the turn into upper stretch extending late coming up a bit short. NO NAME DUDE raced evenly needing more. OFFUTT COLE faded on the turn. GIMME GOLD showed little.