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OAKLAWN PARK - February 26, 2026 - Race 3

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$50,000 OR LESS OR CLAIMING PRICE \$62,500. Weight, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since November 26, 2025 Allowed 3 lbs. (Horses Which Have Never Won A Race At A Mile Or Over Allowed 3 lbs.) Claiming Price \$62,500. **Claiming Price:** \$62,500

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Heatherthen - 1:40.20 - April 18, 1984)

Purse: \$59,000

Available Money: \$59,000

Value of Race: \$59,000 1st \$35,400, 2nd \$11,800, 3rd \$5,900, 4th \$2,950, 5th \$590, 6th \$590, 7th \$590, 8th \$590, 9th \$590

Weather: Cloudy, 69° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:37 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
2Jan26 ³ OP ¹	9	Western Warrior (Vazquez, Ramon)	122 L b	9	9	8 ¹	7 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	1 ^{2 1/2}	3.70	5p5/16,6p upr,rallied
7Feb26 ³ OP ²	3	Misinformation (Torres, Cristian)	117 L	3	2	2 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	1.40*	dueled,3-2p,caught1/16
27Dec25 ¹⁰ OP ¹¹	2	Just Like Max (Mendoza, Amir)	111 b	2	1	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	44.60	vied 2p-ins, fought on
7Feb26 ³ OP ¹	4	Horse of the Sea (Torres, Jaime)	122 L	4	7	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ²	4.60	2-3p,cue5/16,flatnd1/8
3Jan26 ³ OP ⁸	6	Jets Rio (Asmussen, Keith)	119 L b	6	5	3 ^{Head}	3 ²	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Nose}	30.40	bump st,bmp1st,4-3path
7Feb26 ³ OP ³	5	Highly Connected (Cedillo, Abel)	116 f	5	3	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	6 ⁵	6 ^{11 3/4}	6.20	bump 1st, 4-3p, weaken
16Jan26 ³ FG ¹	1	Best Known Secret (Navarro, Christian)	122 L	1	6	9	8 ^{Head}	8 ¹	7 ¹	7 ¹⁰	39.90	rated inside,no impact
8Feb26 ⁴ OP ⁵	8	Large Risk (Esquivel, Emmanuel)	119 L b	8	8	7 ^{Head}	9	9	9	8 ^{1/2}	41.90	off pace 3p, no threat
17Jan26 ³ FG ³	7	Herbs Bolt (Saez, Luis)	122 L b	7	4	6 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ¹	8 ^{Head}	9	4.90	bump st,5-4p,gave way

Fractional Times: 23.83 47.58 1:12.51 1:39.03 **Final Time:** 1:45.44

Split Times: (23:75) (24:93) (26:52) (6:41)

Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: Western Warrior, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Essential Quality out of Trophy Girl, by Warrior's Reward. Foaled Apr 28, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Tracy Farmer

Owner: Tracy Farmer

Trainer: Casse, Mark

Claiming Prices: 6 - Jets Rio: \$62,500; 7 - Herbs Bolt: \$62,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$159,623

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Western Warrior	9.40	4.60	3.60	\$1.00 Exacta	9-3	11.70	120,554
3	Misinformation		3.00	2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-3-2	106.85	76,706
2	Just Like Max			10.20	\$1.00 Pick 3	2-6-9 (3 correct)	239.10	31,545
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-9	41.10	17,574
					\$0.10 Superfecta	9-3-2-4	69.11	54,764

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Western Warrior	9	8 ⁴	7 ^{4 3/4}	7 ^{2 3/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}
3	Misinformation	2	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}
2	Just Like Max	1	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}
4	Horse of the Sea	7	5 ^{2 3/4}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ⁴
6	Jets Rio	5	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ⁶
5	Highly Connected	3	4 ^{2 3/4}	5 ^{2 3/4}	5 ^{1 3/4}	6 ^{2 3/4}	6 ⁶
1	Best Known Secret	6	9 ⁵	8 ^{4 3/4}	8 ^{3 1/4}	7 ^{7 3/4}	7 ^{17 3/4}
8	Large Risk	8	7 ⁴	9 ⁵	9 ^{4 1/4}	9 ^{8 3/4}	8 ^{27 3/4}
7	Herbs Bolt	4	6 ³	6 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{1 3/4}	8 ^{8 3/4}	9 ^{28 1/4}

Trainers: 9 - Casse, Mark; 3 - Casse, Mark; 2 - Garcia, Genaro; 4 - Cox, Brad; 6 - Moquett, Ron; 5 - Williams, Matt; 1 - Bainum, Kelly; 8 - Contreras, Cipriano; 7 - Sharp, Joe

Owners: 9 -Tracy Farmer; 3 - Amestoy, Jr., Pierre Jean, Amestoy, Leslie A. and Buckway Ranch, LLC; 2 - Southwest Racing Stables, Inc. and Murphy, Bruce; 4 - Glassman Racing LLC; 6 - Bowen Thoroughbred Racing, LLC; 5 - Bennett and Wetzell Holdings; 1 - Galloping Bruin Racing, Kelly Stables and Tapped Out Racing; 8 - Contreras Stable, Inc. and Davis, William; 7 - Smith, Robert J., Powers, Robert, Edwards, Mark and Arcari, Dane;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

WESTERN WARRIOR was wellback in the three path, angled out to the five path while coming under a ride midway around the far turn, took aim from the six path at the top of the lane, rallied outside of foes, and drew clear in the final sixteenth. MISINFORMATION dueled for the lead with an inner foe from the three path, took command while off the rail entering the far turn, was cued passing the three-eighths pole, kicked on from the two path down the stretch, but got overtaken by the winner around the sixteenth. JUST LIKE MAX vied for the lead in the two path, lost ground entering the far turn, continued under a nudge along the rail around the far turn, and fought on along the inside down the lane to hold show. HORSE OF THE SEA tracked in the three path, was cued between foes from the two path midway around the far turn, took aim while tipping back out to the three path at the top of the stretch, but flattened in the final furlong. JETS RIO bumped with an outer foe at the start, then bumped with an inner foe going into the first turn, pressed an inner duo from the four path up the backstretch, was driven from the three path into the far turn, but faded down the lane. HIGHLY CONNECTED bumped with an outer foe going into the first turn, stalked between foes in the four path, was ridden in the three path around the far turn, but weakened. BEST KNOWN SECRET rated inside up the backstretch but made no impact. LARGE RISK raced off the pace in the three path and never threatened. HERBS BOLT bumped with an inner foe at the start, chased in the five path, rounded the far turn while ridden along from the four path, but gave way in the stretch.