

**PARX RACING - January 13, 2026 - Race 6**

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At One Mile Or Over Since December 13 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500. (NW3 L) **Claiming**

**Price:** \$7,500

**Distance:** One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Tragedy - 1:38.70 - December 12, 1995)

**Purse:** \$21,000

**Plus:** \$2,460 Starters Bonus

**Available Money:** \$23,460

**Value of Race:** \$23,460 1st \$12,600, 2nd \$4,200, 3rd \$2,310, 4th \$1,260, 5th \$630, 6th \$410, 7th \$410, 8th \$410, 9th \$410, 10th \$410, 11th \$410

**Weather:** Clear, 45° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 2:26 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
31Dec25	4	True Connection (Rivera, Luis)	125	L b	8	4	5 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	0.90*	rallied 3w, drew clr
24Dec25	2	Watch Hill (Rivera, Kendry)	117	L f	2	5	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	17.60	rail bid 1/2, re-rally
24Dec25	2	Kevin's Strike (Martinez, Francisco)	122	L b	5	1	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	7.40	dueled, held 3rd
24Dec25	2	Exclusive Dancer (Gonzalez, Silvestre)	122	L b	7	8	8 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>6</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	5.50	between, mild rally
24Dec25	2	Just Be Honest (Correa, Julio)	122	L b	3	6	9 <sup>6</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>4</sup>	8 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>3/4</sup>	25.00	inside trip, mildly
24Nov25	2	Fully Committed (Wolfson, Andrew)	122	L b	11	7	7 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6.60	4w, 3w, no rally
24Dec25	3	Real Blues (Silvera, Ruben)	122	L b	9	2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	7.10	stalked 3w, tired
24Dec25	2	Bijah Again (Torres, Bryan)	115	L f	6	3	2 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	69.10	vied early, tired
29Dec25	10	Badbadbobby (Adorno, Abner)	122	L bf	10	10	6 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>4</sup>	9 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	68.40	inside, tired
24Dec25	2	Modern Era (Castillo, Angel)	122	L	4	9	11	10 <sup>Head</sup>	10 <sup>1</sup>	10 <sup>5</sup>	10 <sup>10 3/4</sup>	39.40	outrun
24Dec25	2	Vin Santo (Gonzalez, Jr., Franklin)	122	L bf	1	11	10 <sup>1/2</sup>	11	11	11	11	99.60	off bit slow, outrun

**Fractional Times:** 24.15 48.70 1:14.13 1:41.68

**Final Time:** 1:46.06

**Split Times:** (24:55) (25:43) (27:55) (4:38)

**Run-Up:** 40 feet

**Winner:** True Connection, Bay Gelding, by [Connect](#) out of Tippany, by Tapit. Foaled Apr 03, 2021 in Kentucky.

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Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

**Breeder:** Haymarket Farm LLC

**Owner:** Top Notch Racing

**Trainer:** Padilla-Preciado, Ernesto

**Claiming Prices:** 9 - True Connection: \$7,500; 3 - Watch Hill: \$7,500; 6 - Kevin's Strike: \$7,500; 8 - Exclusive Dancer: \$7,500; 4 - Just Be Honest: \$7,500; 12 - Fully Committed: \$7,500; 10 - Real Blues: \$7,500; 7 - Bijah Again: \$7,500; 11 - Badbadbobby: \$7,500; 5 - Modern Era: \$7,500; 2 - Vin Santo: \$7,500;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Ramiel (Stewards), Real Talented (Also-Eligible)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$91,987

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	True Connection	3.80	2.60	2.40	\$2.00 Exacta	9-3	65.40	75,176
3	Watch Hill		9.60	5.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-3-6	74.60	43,473
6	Kevin's Strike			4.20	\$1.00 Pick 3	3-3-1/9 (3 correct)	14.40	15,166
					\$2.00 Daily Double	3-9	17.20	15,873
					\$0.10 Superfecta	9-3-6-8	47.75	25,351

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	True Connection	4	5 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>2 1/4</sup>
3	Watch Hill	5	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/4</sup>
6	Kevin's Strike	1	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
8	Exclusive Dancer	8	8 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>	6 <sup>9</sup>	4 <sup>8 3/4</sup>
4	Just Be Honest	6	9 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>4</sup>	9 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>10</sup>	5 <sup>10</sup>
12	Fully Committed	7	7 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	5 <sup>6</sup>	5 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>10 3/4</sup>
10	Real Blues	2	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>11 1/4</sup>
7	Bijah Again	3	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>8 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>10</sup>	8 <sup>11 1/4</sup>
11	Badbadbobby	10	6 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>8</sup>	9 <sup>12</sup>	9 <sup>15 3/4</sup>
5	Modern Era	9	11 <sup>11</sup>	10 <sup>11</sup>	10 <sup>13 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>16</sup>	10 <sup>19 1/2</sup>
2	Vin Santo	11	10 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	11 <sup>11</sup>	11 <sup>14 1/4</sup>	11 <sup>21</sup>	11 <sup>30 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 9 - Padilla-Preciado, Ernesto; 3 - King, Clarence; 6 - Pattershall, Mary; 8 - Gonzalez-Milian, Jose; 4 - Ramirez, Silvino; 12 - Abrams, Ronald; 10 - Crowell, Susan; 7 - Williams, Abdul; 11 - Aro, Michael; 5 - St. Lewis, Uriah; 2 - Aro, Michael

**Owners:** 9 - Top Notch Racing; 3 - Island Dream Racing; 6 - Five C's Stable; 8 - Gladstone Harris; 4 - PTJ Stable; 12 - Wing and A Prayer 1 LLC; 10 - Positive Connection Stable; 7 - Abdul Williams; 11 - Maria Luisa Rodriguez; 5 - Trin-Brook Stables, Inc.; 2 - Fix It Stable;

**Footnotes |** [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TRUE CONNECTION raced off the rail, off the pace, rallied three wide on the far turn, led into the stretch, drew clear and held well under urging. WATCH HILL tracked on the inside, made a rail bid at the half mile marker, then chased on the far turn, rallied outside in the stretch run and came up second best. KEVIN'S STRIKE vied inside for the early lead, then vied two wide at the half mile marker, briefly shook free, dueled on the far turn, dug in and held third. EXCLUSIVE DANCER raced off the pace between foes, then rallied mildly outside. JUST BE HONEST raced off the pace with an inside trip and gained mildly on the rail. FULLY COMMITTED raced four wide early, settled three wide off the pace, chased on the far turn and had no rally. REAL BLUES stalked three wide, chased on the far turn and tired. BIJAH AGAIN vied two wide for the early lead, then chased, went three wide on the far turn and tired. BADBADBOBBY raced off the pace inside, chased on the far turn and tired. MODERN ERA was outrun. VIN SANTO was off a bit slow and outrun.

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