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PARX RACING - September 1, 2025 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
 (PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 1 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Races Where Entered For \$16,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW2 X) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Iredell - 1:07.21 - December 30, 2017)
Purse: \$52,000

Plus: \$410 Starters Bonus
Plus: \$12,480 PABF - Pennsylvania Bonus Program
Available Money: \$64,890
Value of Race: \$64,890 1st \$43,680, 2nd \$10,400, 3rd \$5,720, 4th \$3,120, 5th \$1,560, 6th \$410
Weather: Clear, 75° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 3:56 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------|-----|------|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 19Aug25 ⁴ PRX ⁹ | 1 | Dropline (Adorno, Abner) | 122 | L b | 1 | 4 | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 1 ¹ | 1 ³ /4 | 1.50* | clear, held rival safe |
| 19Aug25 ⁴ PRX ⁴ | 6 | Bernie's Mitts (Castillo, Angel) | 122 | L | 6 | 2 | 2 ¹ | 2 ¹ | 2 ⁴ | 2 ³ 1/4 | 1.70 | pursued winner, gamely |
| 7Aug25 ⁸ DEL ² | 5 | Paradise Valley (Gonzalez, Silvestre) | 122 | L bf | 5 | 3 | 4 ¹ /2 | 4 ² 1/2 | 3 ¹ 1/2 | 3 ¹ 3/4 | 4.30 | outside, willingly |
| 26May25 ⁸ PRX ⁵ | 3 | Deposition (Rivera, Luis) | 122 | L b | 3 | 6 | 3 ¹ /2 | 3 ¹ | 4 ⁴ | 4 ⁴ 1/4 | 16.10 | close inside, empty |
| 19Aug25 ⁷ PRX ⁵ | 4 | Gordian Knot (Hernandez, Andy) | 122 | L b | 4 | 5 | 5 ^{Head} | 5 ⁵ | 5 ⁸ | 5 ¹² 3/4 | 10.90 | weakened steadily |
| 27Nov24 ⁷ PRX ³ | 2 | Capo (Haddock, Dexter) | 122 | L b | 2 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 7.20 | gave way readily |

Fractional Times: 22.31 45.52 57.55 **Final Time:** 1:10.05
Split Times: (23:21) (12:03) (12:50)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Dropline, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Uncle Lino out of Sour Lemon Drop, by Lemon Drop Kid. Foaled Feb 19, 2021 in Pennsylvania.
Breeder: R H Breeding
Owner: Jack J. Armstrong
Trainer: Mosco, Robert

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Gordian Knot** New Trainer: Michael V. Pino New Owner: Philip Rubin Racing Stable, LLC

Claiming Prices: 5 - Paradise Valley: \$50,000; 4 - Gordian Knot: \$50,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$100,884

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|------|---------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|
| 1 | Dropline | 5.00 | 2.80 | 2.10 | \$2.00 Exacta | 1-6 | 11.60 | 66,237 |
| 6 | Bernie's Mitts | | 3.00 | 2.20 | \$0.50 Trifecta | 1-6-5 | 7.25 | 39,079 |
| 5 | Paradise Valley | | | 2.20 | \$1.00 Pick 3 | 5-4-1 (3 correct) | 42.60 | 3,186 |
| | | | | | \$0.10 Superfecta | 1-6-5-3 | 4.58 | 23,997 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Daily Double | 4-1 | 15.80 | 4,687 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-----------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Dropline | 4 | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 1 ¹ | 1 ³ /4 |
| 6 | Bernie's Mitts | 2 | 2 ¹ 1/2 | 2 ¹ 1/2 | 2 ¹ | 2 ³ /4 |
| 5 | Paradise Valley | 3 | 4 ³ | 4 ³ 1/2 | 3 ⁵ | 3 ⁴ |
| 3 | Deposition | 6 | 3 ² 1/2 | 3 ² 1/2 | 4 ⁶ 1/2 | 4 ⁵ 3/4 |
| 4 | Gordian Knot | 5 | 5 ³ 1/2 | 5 ⁶ | 5 ¹⁰ 1/2 | 5 ¹⁰ |
| 2 | Capo | 1 | 6 ³ 1/2 | 6 ¹¹ | 6 ¹⁸ 1/2 | 6 ²² 3/4 |

Trainers: 1 - Mosco, Robert; 6 - Bullock, Jordan; 5 - Demasi, Kathleen; 3 - St. Lewis, Uriah; 4 - Aristone, Philip; 2 - Solis, Jacinto

Owners: 1 -Jack J. Armstrong; 6 -Nelson Berberena; 5 - Pewter Stable and SKJ Stables Inc.; 3 - Trin-Brook Stables, Inc.; 4 - Briardale Stable; 2 -Jacinto Solis;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

DROPLINE hustled to clear advantage, remained in command and gamely held rival safe in the final stages. BERNIE'S MITTS prompted the winner from the outset and continued gamely to the finish. PARADISE VALLEY raced wide off the leaders and continued willingly in the stretch. DEPOSITION saved ground just off the pace and proved empty in the stretch. GORDIAN KNOT raced off the pace outside and weakened steadily. CAPO broke alertly then dropped back and gave way readily.

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