

TAMPA BAY DOWNS - January 30, 2026 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES AND MARES FOUR YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Weight, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since December 30 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since November 30 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. **Claiming Price:** \$5,000
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (It's Me Mom - 1:08.67 - April 7, 2012)
Purse: \$19,000
Includes: \$500 FOA - Florida Owners Awards
Includes: \$1,000 Other Sources
Available Money: \$19,000
Value of Race: \$17,950 1st \$10,500, 2nd \$3,800, 3rd \$1,900, 4th \$1,050, 5th \$175, 6th \$175, 7th \$175, 8th \$175
Weather: Clear, 68° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 12:38 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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 [Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17Dec25 ² TAM ⁵	2	Jokes Up (Marin, Samuel)	120	L bf	2	3	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{4 1/4}	0.90*	chase,2p,drew off
7Jan26 ⁶ TAM ⁶	8	Thee New Beginning (Camacho, Samy)	118	L b	8	6	4 ¹	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ³	6.80	track,3p,chase on
11Jan26 ¹ TAM ⁷	3	Fairhopecurly (Morales, Angel)	118	L b	3	8	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	45.00	stalk,svd gnd,kept on
11Jan26 ⁸ TAM ³	7	Mt. d'Oro (Gil, Cipriano)	120	L f	7	5	8	7 ³	6 ¹	4 ^{1 1/4}	5.20	outside,5p,mild gain
11Jan26 ⁸ TAM ⁵	1	Racetothefinish (Morales, Pablo)	118	L	1	4	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	3.00	led,svd gnd,faded
11Jan26 ¹ TAM ²	6	Band Sweetheart (Cotto, Jr., Pedro)	120	L b	6	1	7 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{2 3/4}	15.70	btwn,4p,no bid
22Nov25 ¹ TAM ⁵	4	Slew Crown (Feliciano, Ricardo)	119	L	4	7	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	7 ³	7 ²	18.80	stalk,2p,tired
14Jan26 ⁸ TAM ¹⁰	5	Commanders Palace (Hess, Sara)	118	L	5	2	3 ^{1/2}	8	8	8	73.90	chase,svd gnd,empty

Fractional Times: 22.51 45.62 57.88 **Final Time:** 1:10.56
Split Times: (23:11) (12:26) (12:68)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Jokes Up, Chestnut Mare, by Practical Joke out of Liberty Kitten, by Kitten's Joy. Foaled Jan 10, 2020 in ON.
Breeder: Robert Marzilli
Owner: Amaty Racing Stables
Trainer: Gallegos, Jose

2 Claimed Horse(s): **Jokes Up** New Trainer: Lynn Rarick New Owner: Matilde G. Barahona
Mt. d'Oro New Trainer: Michael V. Simone New Owner: Christie Smith

Claiming Prices: 2 - Jokes Up: \$5,000; 8 - Thee New Beginning: \$5,000; 3 - Fairhopecurly: \$5,000; 7 - Mt. d'Oro: \$5,000; 1 - Racetothefinish: \$5,000; 6 - Band Sweetheart: \$5,000; 4 - Slew Crown: \$5,000; 5 - Commanders Palace: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$88,128

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Jokes Up	3.80	2.60	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	2-8	7.90	81,621
8	Thee New Beginning		4.60	3.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-8-3	58.75	47,875
3	Fairhopecurly			9.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-8-3-7	31.49	31,656
					\$1.00 X-5 Super High Five	2-8-3-7-1	1,287.30	39,524

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	Jokes Up	3	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ^{4 1/4}
8	Thee New Beginning	6	4 ¹	3 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{4 1/4}
3	Fairhopecurly	8	5 ²	4 ²	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{7 1/4}
7	Mt. d'Oro	5	8 ^{3 1/4}	7 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{8 1/4}
1	Racetothefinish	4	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{9 1/2}
6	Band Sweetheart	1	7 ^{2 3/4}	5 ²	5 ⁵	6 ¹¹
4	Slew Crown	7	6 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/4}	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{13 3/4}
5	Commanders Palace	2	3 ^{1/2}	8 ^{5 1/4}	8 ^{9 1/2}	8 ^{15 3/4}

Trainers: 2 - Gallegos, Jose; 8 - Yanez, Reynaldo; 3 - Gardea, Abraham; 7 - Hamm, Timothy; 1 - Becker, Scott; 6 - Cudworth, Paul; 4 - Rini, Anthony; 5 - Alessi, James

Owners: 2 - Amaty Racing Stables; 8 - Bianco Stable; 3 - Next Level Stables; 7 - Blazing Meadows Farm LLC; 1 - Ritter, Charles W. and Becker, Scott; 6 - Pine Branch Stables LLC; 4 - Campbell Stables, LLC; 5 -Kristina Gilbert;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

JOKES UP chased the leader between horses up the backstretch, continued around the turn in the two path and drew off in the stretch. THEE NEW BEGINNING tracked the leader on the outside up the backstretch, navigated the turn from the three path and chased on to the wire. FAIRHOPECURLY stalked the leader on the inside early, saved ground around the bend and kept on in the lane. MT. D'ORO raced off the pace on the outside through the opening quarter, swung out to the five path coming around the turn and improved position mildly in the stretch. RACETOTHEFINISH led the way on the inside up the backstretch, saved ground around the turn and faded in the lane. BAND SWEETHEART raced off the pace between horses up the backstretch, navigated the bend from the four path and made no bid. SLEW CROWN stalked the leader between horses through the early going, came around the turn in the two path and tired in the stretch. COMMANDERS PALACE chased the leader between horses up the backstretch, saved ground around the turn and was empty in the lane.