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TAMPA BAY DOWNS - March 8, 2026 - Race 4

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since February 8 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since January 8 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000 (Races Where Entered For \$6,250 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW3 L) **Claiming Price: \$8,000**

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (It's Me Mom - 1:08.67 - April 7, 2012)

Purse: \$20,500

Includes: \$500 FOA - Florida Owners Awards

Includes: \$1,000 Other Sources

Available Money: \$20,500

Value of Race: \$20,050 1st \$12,070, 2nd \$3,800, 3rd \$1,900, 4th \$1,140, 5th \$190, 6th \$190, 7th \$190, 8th \$190, 9th \$190, 10th \$190

Weather: Cloudy, 81° **Track:** Good

Off at: 2:12 **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
13Feb26 ³ TAM ²	10	Awesome Fantasy (Gil, Cipriano)	120	L b	10	8	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	5.20	bid3/8,4p,late gn,up
15Feb26 ³ TAM ⁶	1	Mr. Sweets (Rodriguez, Israel)	118	L bf	1	9	9 ⁸	4 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	6.30	5p,bid3/8,late gain
15Feb26 ³ TAM ³	4	Federal Exchange (Gonzalez, Cesar)	111	L bf	4	5	3 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/4}	23.60	4p,traffic3/8,improved
13Feb26 ³ TAM ³	7	Mendello (Ho, Wesley)	118	L b	7	2	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{3/4}	38.60	stalk,3p,chase on
5Feb26 ³ TAM ⁵	9	Metaphor (Leon, Sonny)	118	L bf	9	7	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	8 ²	5 ^{3/4}	1.30*	5p,traffic3/8,evenly
15Feb26 ³ TAM ⁵	3	Devilish Desire (Castanon, Jesus)	118	L b	3	4	8 ^{Head}	8 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1 3/4}	30.50	inside,3p,no threat
21Feb26 ⁴ GP ¹	2	Kantharos Jr (Trejos, Joseph)	122	L bf	2	3	7 ¹	9 ⁸	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{3/4}	3.10	svd gnd,no bid
11Sep25 ³ DEL ³	6	Zingales King (Corujo, Leonardo)	118	L b	6	1	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	8 ^{3 1/4}	11.80	led,2p,faded
15Feb26 ³ TAM ⁴	8	Awesome Entry (Villa-Gomez, Huber)	118	L bf	8	10	10	10	10	9 ⁴	44.30	trailed,2p,empty
12Nov25 ⁵ CT ⁴	5	Little Lukey (Hess, Sara)	118	L bf	5	6	2 ²	5 ^{1/2}	9 ^{3 1/2}	10	19.70	prsd pc,2p,tired

Fractional Times: 22.72 46.61 58.93

Final Time: 1:11.79

Split Times: (23:89) (12:32) (12:86)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Awesome Fantasy, Chestnut Gelding, by [Bucchero](#) out of Starship Fantasy, by Yes It's True. Foaled Jan 07, 2021 in Florida.

BUCCHERO

Winner's sire standing at Ironhorse Stallions

Breeder: Helen Barbazon & Joseph Barbazon

Owner: Maria Bowersock

Trainer: Bowersock, Maria

1 Claimed Horse(s): Metaphor

New Trainer: Tim P. Padilla

New Owner: Tim P. Padilla

Claiming Prices: 10 - Awesome Fantasy: \$8,000; 1 - Mr. Sweets: \$8,000; 4 - Federal Exchange: \$8,000; 7 - Mendello: \$8,000; 9 - Metaphor: \$8,000; 3 - Devilish Desire: \$8,000; 2 - Kantharos Jr: \$8,000; 6 - Zingales King: \$8,000; 8 - Awesome Entry: \$8,000; 5 - Little Lukey: \$8,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$140,450

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
10	Awesome Fantasy	12.40	5.60	4.20	\$1.00 Exacta	10-1	31.90	127,875	
1	Mr. Sweets		7.00	5.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	10-1-4	139.55	78,416	
4	Federal Exchange			6.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	10-1-4-7	320.01	52,471	
					\$1.00 X-5 Super High Five	10-1-4-7-9		2,961	2,426
					\$0.50 Pick 3	2-8-10 (3 correct)	27.45	17,378	
					\$1.00 Daily Double	8-10	16.00	17,434	

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
10	Awesome Fantasy	8	5 ⁴	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}
1	Mr. Sweets	9	9 ^{6 1/4}	4 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
4	Federal Exchange	5	3 ^{2 1/2}	6 ²	5 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}
7	Mendello	2	4 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 3/4}
9	Metaphor	7	6 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{3 1/2}	8 ⁴	5 ^{3 1/2}
3	Devilish Desire	4	8 ⁶	8 ^{3 3/4}	7 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/4}
2	Kantharos Jr	3	7 ⁵	9 ^{3 3/4}	6 ³	7 ⁶
6	Zingales King	1	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{6 3/4}
8	Awesome Entry	10	10 ^{14 1/4}	10 ^{11 3/4}	10 ^{9 1/2}	9 ¹⁰
5	Little Lukey	6	2 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	9 ⁶	10 ¹⁴

Trainers: 10 - Bowersock, Maria; 1 - Campbell, Joel; 4 - Ward, Dennis; 7 - Arnett, Jon; 9 - Smith, Craig; 3 - Spanabel, Kelly; 2 - McGoey, Monica; 6 - Rose, Orlando; 8 - Posadas, Pedro; 5 - Donaldson, Debra

Owners: 10 - Maria Bowersock; 1 - Edward C. Potash; 4 - Jose L. Serrano; 7 - Harry L. Veruchi; 9 - Highfield Investment Group, Inc. and Dialed In Racing Stable; 3 - 4 Aces Racing Stable; 2 - Jose Navas-Gonzalez; 6 - Von A Stables LLC; 8 - Jose Henry Morales; 5 - Mawnico Investments LLC and One Thousand Stable LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

AWESOME FANTASY raced in the middle of the pack on the outside up the backstretch, began a bid from the four path coming around the turn, and gained ground late to get up for the win. MR. SWEETS raced off the pace on the outside through the opening quarter, swung out to the five path to began a bid coming around the bend and gained ground late. FEDERAL EXCHANGE chased the leader on the inside up the backstretch, raced into traffic and was forced to steady nearing the three eighths pole, entered the stretch in the four path and improved position in tight quarters from there. MENDELLO stalked the leader on the outside early, navigated the bend from the three path and chased on to the finish. METAPHOR veered out at the start, settled in the middle of the pack between horses for the run up the backstretch, raced into traffic coming around the turn, entered the stretch in the five path and finished

evenly. DEVILISH DESIRE raced off the pace on the inside up the backstretch, came around the bend in the three path and never threatened. KANTHAROS JR raced in the middle of the pack on the outside through the opening stages, angled in to save ground around the bend and made no bid. ZINGALES KING led the way on the outside up the backstretch, dueled from the two path around the turn and faded in the lane. AWESOME ENTRY trailed the field up the backstretch, came around the turn in the two path and was empty in the lane. LITTLE LUKEY pressed the pace on the inside through the early going, dropped back while racing in the two path around the bend and continued to tire from there. THE RIDER OF HORSE NINE, METAPHOR, CLAIMED FOULD AGAINST HORSE FOUR. FEDERAL EXCHANGE, CITING INTERFERENCE ON THE TURN. UPON REVIEW, NO CHANGES WERE MADE TO THE ORDER OF FINISH.

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