

TURF PARADISE - January 14, 2026 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since December 14 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$4,500. Arizona Bred Claiming Price \$6,250. (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$6,250 - \$4,500

Distance: Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Zip Pocket - 55.40 - April 22, 1967)

Purse: \$9,500

Includes: \$1,000 AZHR (Arizona Horse Racing)

Available Money: \$9,500

Value of Race: \$9,500 1st \$5,795, 2nd \$1,900, 3rd \$950, 4th \$475, 5th \$285, 6th \$95

Weather: Clear, 73° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:42 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30Dec25	3	Tough as an Ox (Rodriguez, Guillermo)	124	L b	1	4	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	1 Neck	7.60	cls, bxd1/4, 4w, surged
4Feb25	6	Alpine Sermon (Garcia, Francisco)	122	L b	6	6	3 Head	3 1/2	1 Head	2 1/2	3.50	adv, game, headed wire
4Dec25	3	Manzoni (Lopez, Karlo)	122	L	4	2	1 Head	1 1/2	2 Head	3 1/2	1.50*	vied3w, game, solid try
5Jan26	5	Dominate (McGregor, Kiaman)	122	L	2	1	2 1 1/2	2	3 1/2	4 3/4	6.10	vied, battled, game, wknd
19Apr25	9	Jimmy's Wild Boy (Alvarado, Frank)	122	L b	5	3	5	5 1 1/2	5 1/2	5	5.60	good effort, outfinisht
16Dec25	6	Extremely Wicked (Americano, Manuel)	122	b	3	5	6	6	6	6	3.20	even effrt, no imprmnt

Fractional Times: 22.84 46.25

Final Time: 58.61

Split Times: (23:41) (12:36)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Tough as an Ox, Bay Gelding, by Ransom the Moon out of Ox Flower, by Oxbow. Foaled Apr 01, 2022 in California.

Breeder: Daehling Farms LLC

Owner: Mitchell W. Cathey

Trainer: Woolley, Jr., Bennie

Claiming Prices: 1 - Tough as an Ox: \$4,500; 4 - Manzoni: \$6,250; 2 - Dominate: \$4,500; 5 - Jimmy's Wild Boy: \$4,500; 3 - Extremely Wicked: \$4,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Doris Avenue (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$52,575

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Tough as an Ox	17.20	7.80	5.00	\$1.00 Daily Double	1-1	17.60	11,487
6	Alpine Sermon		4.80	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	1-6	51.80	38,856
4	Manzoni			2.60	\$1.00 Quinella	1-6	24.40	3,780
					\$0.50 Trifecta	1-6-4	101.65	23,133
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-6-4-2	54.18	14,484
					\$0.50 Pick 3	2-1-1 (3 correct)	52.05	18,807
					\$0.50 Pick 4	3/5-2-1-1 (4 correct)	99.85	26,539

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
1	Tough as an Ox	4	4 1 3/4	4 ³	4 1 3/4	1 Neck
6	Alpine Sermon	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	1 Head	2 Neck
4	Manzoni	2	1 Head	1 1 1/2	2 Head	3 3/4
2	Dominate	1	2 Head	2 1 1/2	3 Head	4 2 1/4
5	Jimmy's Wild Boy	3	5 2 1/4	5 4 1/2	5 3 1/4	5 ³
3	Extremely Wicked	5	6 3 1/4	6 ⁶	6 4 3/4	6 ⁴

Trainers: 1 - Woolley, Jr., Bennie; 6 - Story, Chad; 4 - McFarlane, Dan; 2 - Crowe, Shelly; 5 - Belvoir, Vann; 3 - Matt, Wendell

Owners: 1 - Mitchell W. Cathey; 6 - Barro Racing, LLC; 4 - Joseph A. Schumer; 2 - Jacqueline Smith; 5 - BG Stables and Collins, James; 3 - Wendell L. Matt;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TOUGH AS AN OX was roused from the break to get forward position, was always close up then boxed in late on the turn, tried to split horses at the top of the stretch but lost the path, angled out to the four-path, finished strong but still had much to do, surged late, and was just up in the last jumps. ALPINE SERMON was allowed to settle after the start, advanced three-wide on the turn to loom a big threat at the top of the stretch, battled gamely to the wire but came up short in the last jumps. MANZONI vied three-wide for the early lead, then took command passing the seven-sixteenths marker, was between horses in a three-way drive to the wire, kept on well to the wire but came up just short in a solid try. DOMINATE hustled to the front early, was overtaken by MANZONI past the seven-sixteenths marker, battled back through the turn, was still in contention in mid-stretch, but weakened a bit in the final furlong. JIMMY'S WILD BOY tracked behind the early pace, came under a stiff ride to keep up through the turn, gave a good effort but was outfinished in the final furlong. EXTREMELY WICKED dropped back to last after an even beginning but not far from the front, chased to the stretch and finished with interest but could not improve.