

TURF PARADISE - February 9, 2026 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE AUGUST 9, 2025 OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE NOVEMBER 9 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Weight, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$4,000 (Claiming Races For \$3,500 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$4,000
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Mr. Pappion - 1:33.20 - January 30, 1993)
Purse: \$10,000
Includes: \$1,000 AZHR (Arizona Horse Racing)
Available Money: \$10,000
Value of Race: \$10,000 1st \$5,900, 2nd \$1,900, 3rd \$900, 4th \$500, 5th \$300, 6th \$100, 7th \$100, 8th \$100, 9th \$100, 10th \$100
Weather: Clear, 81° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 3:37 **Start:** Good for all except 2,3 **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
15Jan26 ⁷ TUP ⁵	5	Cross the Causeway (Americano, Manuel)	124	L b	5	2	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1.60	2-w, drew clear
20Jan26 ⁸ TUP ²	2	Fort Langley (Castellanos, Adrian)	124	L b	2	8	6 ^{Head}	7 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 2	5 ^{Head}	2 ¹	1.30*	rough trip, rallied
20Jan26 ⁸ TUP ⁴	8	Ronamo (Nunnally, Blake)	124	L bf	8	7	9 ³ 1/2	8 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	6 ²	3 ¹	20.90	7-w, late rally
14Jan26 ⁷ TUP ⁸	6	Ruler of Angels (Montalvo, Carlos)	124	L bf	6	10	10	10	7 ²	2 ²	4 ² 3/4	61.90	2-w bid, flattened
18Oct25 ⁴ DEL ¹⁰	7	You Kidding Me (Garcia, Francisco)	124	L bf	7	6	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ¹	4 ¹	5 ¹ 2	72.00	vied, weakened
21Jan26 ² TUP ¹	9	Golden Affair (McGregor, Kiaman)	124	L b	9	4	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 2	7 ¹	6 ¹ 1/4	8.30	3-w, itred
12Jan26 ⁶ TUP ⁴	4	Happy Does (Cruz, Alex)	124	L bf	4	3	7 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 2	3 ²	3 ¹ 2	7 ² 1/4	4.20	3-w, lacked rally
24Jan26 ⁶ TUP ⁸	3	El Siete Leguas (Ramey, Cash)	124	L b	3	9	8 ¹ 1/2	9 ³	8 ^{Head}	8 ¹	8 ⁴	17.30	bobbled, no factor
20Jan26 ⁸ TUP ⁷	1	Mister K (Kellenberger, Kody)	124	L hf	1	1	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 2	9 ¹ 1/2	9 ¹ 2	9 ¹ 2	41.70	brief speed, gave way
1Dec25 ⁷ TUP ¹⁰	10	Baron's Song (Parris, Sachin)	119	L b	10	5	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 2	10	10	10	89.10	3-w, gave way

Fractional Times: 23.52 47.36 1:12.84 1:25.86 **Final Time:** 1:39.31
Split Times: (23:84) (25:48) (13:02) (13:45)
Run-Up: 95 feet

Winner: Cross the Causeway, Chestnut Gelding, by Cross Traffic out of Causeway Carolyn, by Giant's Causeway. Foaled Mar 10, 2020 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Sugarland Thoroughbreds, LLC
Owner: Michael Stark
Trainer: Essex, Charles

Claiming Prices: 5 - Cross the Causeway: \$4,000; 2 - Fort Langley: \$4,000; 8 - Ronamo: \$4,000; 6 - Ruler of Angels: \$4,000; 7 - You Kidding Me: \$4,000; 9 - Golden Affair: \$4,000; 4 - Happy Does: \$4,000; 3 - El Siete Leguas: \$4,000; 1 - Mister K: \$4,000; 10 - Baron's Song: \$4,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Code Breaker (Also-Eligible), Its Thievery (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$56,306

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Cross the Causeway	5.20	2.40	2.20	\$1.00 Daily Double	9-5	8.20	8,191
2	Fort Langley		2.60	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	5-2	6.00	48,803
8	Ronamo			5.20	\$1.00 Quinella	2-5	2.50	4,822
					\$0.50 Trifecta	5-2-8	15.10	34,554
					\$0.10 Superfecta	5-2-8-6	116.87	24,927
					\$0.50 Pick 3	8-9-5 (3 correct)	9.50	22,707

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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5	Cross the Causeway	2	4 ¹ 3/4	4 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2
2	Fort Langley	8	6 ³ 1/4	7 ³	5 ⁴	5 ⁶	2 ¹ 1/2
8	Ronamo	7	9 ⁶ 1/2	8 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁶	3 ² 1/2
6	Ruler of Angels	10	10 ¹⁰	10 ⁷ 3/4	7 ⁴ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	4 ³ 1/2
7	You Kidding Me	6	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ¹	4 ⁵	5 ⁶ 1/4
9	Golden Affair	4	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	4 ³ 1/2	7 ⁸	6 ⁶ 3/4
4	Happy Does	3	7 ³ 1/2	5 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁴ 1/2	7 ⁸
3	El Siete Leguas	9	8 ⁵	9 ⁴ 3/4	8 ⁶ 1/2	8 ⁹	8 ¹⁰ 1/4
1	Mister K	1	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹	9 ⁶ 3/4	9 ¹⁰	9 ¹⁴ 1/4
10	Baron's Song	5	5 ³ 1/4	6 ² 1/2	10 ⁸ 1/4	10 ¹⁰ 1/2	10 ¹⁴ 3/4

Trainers: 5 - Essex, Charles; 2 - Gutierrez, Juan; 8 - Barraza, Rafael; 6 - Trujillo, Marcelino; 7 - Feron, Johnathon; 9 - Lucarelli, Frank; 4 - Cruz, Jaymie; 3 - Kemper, Kasey; 1 - Laing, Sherri; 10 - Zimmerman, Jon

Owners: 5 -Michael Stark; 2 -Juan Quintana Gutierrez; 8 - RB Racing LLC (Rafael Barraza); 6 -Floriberta Trujillo; 7 -Johnathon Feron; 9 - Randall, Chris, Hughes, Gary C. and Lucarelli, Frank; 4 -Mark Freeman; 3 - Alvarez Racing Stables, LLC; 1 -Sherri Leanne Laing; 10 -Stacey Budell;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

CROSS THE CAUSEWAY was forwardly placed racing two-wide, moved through to take the lead entering the stretch and quickly drew clear. FORT LANGLEY steadied at the start when MISTER K broke out then saved ground while racing in tight and lacking room, angled out to be six-wide entering the stretch and finished strongly when clear. RONAMO was unhurried early, came seven-wide into the stretch and rallied late. RULER OF ANGELS raced in the back of the field, came two-wide into the stretch, offered a bid nearing the eighth pole and then flattened out. YOU KIDDING ME vied for the early lead with MISTER K from along the outside, drifted out entering the stretch and weakened. GOLDEN AFFAIR was prominent early racing three-wide and tired. HAPPY DOES was allowed to settle while racing three-wide but lacked a rally. EL SIETE LEGUAS bobbled at the start then was unable to settle and failed to be a factor. MISTER K gave way after showing speed along the inside. BARON'S SONG raced in the middle of the field early while three-wide and gave way.

