

TURF PARADISE - March 24, 2026 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE SEPTEMBER 24, 2025 OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE DECEMBER 24, 2025 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Weight, 124 lbs.

Claiming Price \$8,500 (Claiming Races For \$8,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility). Arizona Bred Claiming Price \$10,000. (C)

Claiming Price: \$10,000 - \$8,500

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Meant for Me - 1:13.48 - April 4, 2024)

Purse: \$13,000

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

Available Money: \$13,000

Value of Race: \$13,000 1st \$7,930, 2nd \$2,600, 3rd \$1,300, 4th \$650, 5th \$390, 6th \$130

Weather: Clear, 93° Track: Fast

Off at: 3:13 Start: Good for all except 4 Timing Method: Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Mar26 ⁶ TUP ⁸	7	Cousin Richie (Franco, Geovanni)	124 L b	6 2		3 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³ 1/2	2.80	stalk3w, vied, clear
4Mar26 ⁶ TUP ¹	4	John Dunbar (Asencio, Jose)	124 L b	3 6		6	5 ¹ 1/2	3 ² 1/2	2 ^{1/2}	0.80*	bmpst, chkd, cued ins
25Feb26 ⁵ TUP ⁶	6	Peso (Montalvo, Carlos)	124 L b	5 1		5 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	3 ²	3.80	setld, gain3w, up show
21Jan26 ⁶ TUP ¹	3	Freeze 'Em (Kellenberger, Kody)	124 L h	2 3		2 ^{Head}	2 ³ 1/2	2 ¹	4 ¹	15.60	press btw, vied, faded
4Mar26 ⁶ TUP ⁴	1	Staysober (Ironeyes, Jayden)	127 L b	1 5		1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	5 ¹	5 ² 1/4	49.20	swift, yield1/2, wknd
25Feb26 ⁵ TUP ³	5	Drinking Again (Alvarado, Frank)	124 L bf	4 4		4 ^{Head}	6	6	6	5.20	bmpd foe, off pace

Fractional Times: 22.52 44.72 1:09.02

Final Time: 1:15.36

Split Times: (22:20) (24:30) (6:34)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Cousin Richie, Bay Gelding, by Richard's Kid out of Crown On Tap, by Tapizar. Foaled Mar 04, 2020 in California.

Breeder: Larry Odbert

Owner: Mitch Sutherland

Trainer: Evans, Justin

1 Claimed Horse(s): **John Dunbar**

New Trainer: W. R. Whitehouse

New Owner: W. R. Whitehouse

Claiming Prices: 7 - Cousin Richie: \$8,500; 4 - John Dunbar: \$8,500; 6 - Peso: \$8,500; 3 - Freeze 'Em: \$8,500; 1 - Staysober: \$8,500; 5 - Drinking Again: \$8,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Standard of Proof (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$49,825

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Cousin Richie	7.60	3.20	2.20	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-7	11.30	8,884
4	John Dunbar		2.20	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	7-4	7.30	30,576
6	Peso			2.40	\$1.00 Quinella	4-7	3.10	2,836
					\$0.50 Trifecta	7-4-6	8.20	19,056
					\$0.10 Superfecta	7-4-6-3	6.20	11,478
					\$0.50 Pick 3	6-3-7 (3 correct)	19.55	13,166

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Cousin Richie	2	3 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³ 1/2
4	John Dunbar	6	6 ² 1/4	5 ⁵ 1/4	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ³ 1/2
6	Peso	1	5 ² 1/4	4 ³ 3/4	4 ⁴	3 ⁴
3	Freeze 'Em	3	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁶
1	Staysober	5	1 ¹ 1/2	3 ³ 1/2	5 ⁵	5 ⁷
5	Drinking Again	4	4 ²	6 ⁶ 3/4	6 ⁶	6 ⁹ 1/4

Trainers: 7 - Evans, Justin; 4 - Silva, Jr., Jose; 6 - Peery, Debbie; 3 - Laing, Sherri; 1 - Leon, Alexis; 5 - Rycroft, Riley

Owners: 7 -Mitch Sutherland; 4 -Kirk Sutherland; 6 - Seymour, Carl and Debbi; 3 -Murray Clearsky; 1 -Reid H. Mitchell; 5 -Janet Kropp;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

COUSIN RICHIE stalked the early pace three wide, moved up to vie for command with FREEZE 'EM through the turn, took charge entering the stretch and kicked clear along the inside lead. JOHN DUNBAR was bumped by inner foe at the start, tracked the pace from the inside, took hold to avoid weakening foe in the turn, moved up along the inside in the upper stretch to find a prominent position but had no closing bid, held for the place honors. PESO settled off the pace three wide, gained position through the turn, picked off one more foe in the stretch to earn the show award. FREEZE 'EM pressed the early pace between foes, led briefly just after the half, vied for command through the turn with COUSIN RICHIE, faded down the stretch. STAYSOBER was off swiftly, relinquished the lead at the half mile marker, backed off through the turn, showed little in the stretch. DRINKING AGAIN bumped outer foe at the start, settled off the pace between foes, trailed at the three eighths.