

TURF PARADISE - December 11, 2025 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since November 11 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,500. Arizona Bred Claiming Price \$10,000. (Rail Set At 21 Feet). (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000 - \$8,500
Distance: About One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Elusive Schemes - 1:33.72 - November 24, 2008)
Purse: \$12,000
Includes: \$1,000 AZHR (Arizona Horse Racing)
Available Money: \$12,000
Value of Race: \$12,000 1st \$7,200, 2nd \$2,280, 3rd \$1,200, 4th \$600, 5th \$360, 6th \$120, 7th \$120, 8th \$120
Weather: Clear, 78° **Track:** Firm
Off at: 3:12 **Start:** Good for all **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
29Nov25 ¹¹ TUP ⁴	6	Levon (Cruz, Alex)	122	L b	6	6	5 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ² 1/2	1 ¹ Neck	5.00	bid 3wd,wore down foe
29Nov25 ¹¹ TUP ²	1	Hot Legs Romolo (Mojica, Orlando)	122	L bf	1	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	0.10*	pace,met bid,bested
8Sep25 ¹¹ PRM ⁶	2	Pleaseusethportal (Corbett, Glenn)	122	L b	2	2	3 ¹	6 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{1/2}	4 ² 1/2	3 ³ 1/4	16.10	angl out,mild late bid
5Sep25 ⁵ EMD ¹	5	Five Twenty Sunset (McGregor, Kiaman)	122	L bf	5	5	6 ¹ 1/2	5 ^{1/2}	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 3/4	18.90	trck 3-4w,no late kick
1Dec25 ⁴ TUP ⁵	3	Let Me Help You (Rodriguez, Guillermo)	121	L b	3	7	7 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	6 ^{Head}	6 ³	5 ^{1/2}	59.70	tight 3/8,swung 3-4w
29Nov25 ¹¹ TUP ⁹	8	Sir Lucas (Morales, Allyssa)	122	L f	8	4	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ³	3 ^{Head}	6 ²	80.50	stalk 2w-ins,weakened
29Nov25 ¹¹ TUP ⁸	7	Mongolian Spring (Americano, Manuel)	122	L b	7	8	8	8	8	8	7 ² 1/4	29.10	swung widest,no bid
28Nov25 ⁵ TUP ⁶	4	Big Bowie (Enriquez, Isaias)	119	L	4	3	4 ¹	3 ^{Head}	7 ¹ 1/2	7 ^{Head}	8	15.00	trck btw 2w,gave way

Fractional Times: 22.56 46.25 1:10.16 1:22.20 **Final Time:** 1:34.49
Split Times: (23:69) (23:91) (12:04) (12:29)
Run-Up: 45 feet **Temporary Rail:** 21 feet

Winner: Levon, Bay Gelding, by Practical Joke out of Gal Factor, by The Factor. Foaled Mar 15, 2020 in ON.
Breeder: South Point Sales Agency
Owner: Sergio Barrio
Trainer: Barrio, Sergio

1 Claimed Horse(s): Hot Legs Romolo New Trainer: Jose Silva, Jr. New Owner: Kirk Sutherland

Claiming Prices: 6 - Levon: \$8,500; 1 - Hot Legs Romolo: \$8,500; 2 - Pleaseusethportal: \$8,500; 5 - Five Twenty Sunset: \$8,500; 3 - Let Me Help You: \$8,500; 8 - Sir Lucas: \$8,500; 7 - Mongolian Spring: \$8,500; 4 - Big Bowie: \$8,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$62,983

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Levon	12.00	2.80	2.10	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-6	6.30	8,050
1	Hot Legs Romolo		2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	6-1	9.70	43,807
2	Pleaseusethportal			2.60	\$1.00 Quinella	1-6	1.80	3,657
					\$0.50 Trifecta	6-1-2	13.75	40,955
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-1-2-5	12.60	28,417
					\$0.50 Pick 3	3-1/2/4/5-6 (3 correct)	10.15	7,259

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Levon	6	5 ⁵	4 ⁴	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹ Neck
1	Hot Legs Romolo	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{1/2}	2 ² Neck
2	Pleaseusethportal	2	3 ³	6 ⁵	4 ⁵	4 ³	3 ² 3/4
5	Five Twenty Sunset	5	6 ⁶	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁶
3	Let Me Help You	7	7 ⁷ 1/2	7 ⁶ 1/2	6 ⁷	6 ⁷	5 ⁷ 3/4
8	Sir Lucas	4	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	3 ²	3 ³	6 ⁸ 1/4
7	Mongolian Spring	8	8 ⁸	8 ⁷ 1/2	8 ⁸ 1/2	8 ¹⁰ 1/4	7 ¹⁰ 1/4
4	Big Bowie	3	4 ⁴	3 ⁴	7 ⁷	7 ¹⁰	8 ¹² 1/2

Trainers: 6 - Barrio, Sergio; 1 - Diodoro, Robertino; 2 - Eikleberry, Kevin; 5 - Toye, Joe; 3 - Rosales, Jorge; 8 - Koch, Neil; 7 - Toye, Joe; 4 - Lucarelli, Frank

Owners: 6 -Sergio Barrio; 1 -Charles Garvey; 2 - Guessman, Ann and Eikleberry, Kevin; 5 - Rage 'n RYDRX; 3 - Baseline Equine LLC; 8 -Neil A. Koch; 7 - Terra Firma Too and Cohen, Richard; 4 -Margaret Root;

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LEVON broke a step slowly, was a bit keen while off of the early pace, pulled on the rider into the backstretch run and advanced between rivals nearing the half-mile pole, chased three wide into the far turn then confronted HOT LEGS ROMOLO nearing the top of the lane, closed determinedly into the final furlong, wore down the game runner-up in the final sixteenth and was up in time to prevail. HOT LEGS ROMOLO broke alertly and was sent for the early lead, set his own pace to the backstretch, dictated terms to the quarter pole then met the bid of LEVON nearing the furlong grounds, gamely battled to the final sixteenth, was bested in deep stretch and was clear of the rest for second. PLEASEUSETHEPORTAL settled off of the early pace and saved ground to the first turn, maintained an inside path along the backstretch, saved all of the ground to the far turn then angled out to upper stretch, offered a mild late rally to the final sixteenth, could not impact the top pair late but was clear in the end for third. FIVE TWENTY SUNSET settled in the second flight, raced three then four wide into the first turn and was widest into the backstretch, tracked the decent pace to the half-mile marker, chased into the far turn, ran in pursuit three then four wide into the stretch and could not muster the needed late response. LET ME HELP YOU broke a step slowly then was unhurried in the early stages, settled to the backstretch then advanced between rivals nearing the far turn, got caught in tight at the three-eighths pole, swung three then four wide to upper stretch, could not find the needed response in the lane and finished evenly. SIR LUCAS showed early speed and was forwardly placed leaving the start, went up and stalked the decent pace into the backstretch, chased HOT LEGS ROMOLO into the far turn, ran in pursuit into upper stretch, could not keep pace to the final furlong and weakened late. MONGOLIAN SPRING settled to the first turn and was unhurried into the backstretch run, trailed into the far turn, swung widest to upper stretch and did not factor in the late stages. BIG BOWIE settled in the second flight leaving the start, tracked between rivals to the backstretch and was well placed nearing the half-mile, chased between foes into the far turn, gave way at the quarter marker and came up empty in the stretch drive.

