

DEL MAR - November 2, 2025 - Race 7

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$21,000 TWICE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR STATE BRED OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$100,000. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since August 2 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since Then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$100,000 (Maiden Races And Claiming Races Races For \$50,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) (Non-Starters For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less In The Last 2 Starts Preferred). (Rail at 30 feet). (NW2\$ X) **Claiming Price:** \$100,000

Distance: One And Three Eighth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Spring House - 2:11.14 - August 23, 2008)

Purse: \$63,000

Plus: \$18,900 CBOIF - California Bred Owner Fund

Plus: \$500 Other Sources

Available Money: \$82,400

Value of Race: \$63,500 1st \$37,800, 2nd \$12,600, 3rd \$7,560, 4th \$3,780, 5th \$1,260, 6th \$500

Weather: Clear, 69° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 3:32 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30Aug25 ¹¹ DMR ⁸	5	Balnikhov (IRE) (Rispoli, Umberto)	121	L	5	6	6	6	6	² Head	¹ 2 ¹ / ₄	2.10	ins-2wd,angled,handily
4Oct25 ⁴ SA ⁴	4	Flashiest (Ayuso, Armando)	121	L b	4	⁵ 1 ¹ / ₂	⁵ 1	⁵ 1 ¹ / ₂	⁵ 1 ¹ / ₂	³ Head	² Head	15.10	tugged,bpd btwn midstr
27Sep25 ⁶ SA ³	1	DQ-Spycatcher (Lezcano, Abel)	123	L b	1	¹ 1	¹ 2	¹ 1	¹ / ₂	¹ / ₂	³ Neck	1.40*	ins,drftd/bpd midstr
10Oct25 ⁹ KEE ⁹	3	Reiquist (Kimura, Kazushi)	121	L	3	² 1	² 1	² 1	² 1	⁴ 1/ ₂	⁴ 1 ¹ / ₄	18.00	re-bid btwn,bpd midstr
6Sep25 ⁶ CNL ⁵	2	Twirling Point (Berrios, Hector)	121	L h	2	³ 1/ ₂	³ 1/ ₂	³ Head	⁴ Head	⁵ 1 ¹ / ₂	⁵ 2 ¹ / ₄	2.70	ins,lack room/check1/8
11Oct25 ⁹ SA ⁸	6	Aligato (Hernandez, Juan)	121	L b	6	⁴ 1/ ₂	⁴ 1/ ₂	⁴ 1	³ 1/ ₂	6	6	12.40	3deep,3-4wd3rd,weaknd

Fractional Times: 25.66 50.01 1:15.84 1:40.90 2:04.84 **Final Time:** 2:16.14

Split Times: (24:35) (25:83) (25:06) (23:94) (11:30)

Run-Up: 121 feet **Temporary Rail:** 30 feet

Winner: Balnikhov (IRE), Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by =Adaay (IRE) out of Leeward, by First Defence. Foaled Feb 23, 2019 in Ireland.

Breeder: T. de La Heronniere & Gestut Zur Kuste AG

Owner: Little Red Feather Racing, Madaket Stables LLC and Old Bones Racing Stable, LLC 

Trainer: D'Amato, Philip

Claiming Prices: 5 - Balnikhov (IRE): \$100,000; 4 - Flashiest: \$100,000; 3 - Reiquist: \$100,000; 2 - Twirling Point: \$100,000;

Disqualification(s): # 1 Spycatcher from 3 to 4

Total WPS Pool: \$312,128

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Balnikhov (IRE)	6.20	4.60	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	5-4	43.40	155,538
4	Flashiest		8.20	5.00	\$2.00 Quinella	4-5	53.60	6,266
3	Reiquist			5.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-4-3	126.60	90,154
					\$0.10 Superfecta	5-4-3-1	75.68	57,465
					\$2.00 Daily Double	6-5	106.40	26,050
					\$0.50 Pick 3	5-6-5 (3 correct)	48.20	57,519
					\$0.50 Pick 4	1/7-5-6-5 (4 correct)	81.80	104,314

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin
5	Balnikhov (IRE)	⁶ 4 ¹ / ₂	⁶ 5	⁶ 4 ¹ / ₂	⁶ 3 ¹ / ₂	² 1/ ₂	¹ 2 ¹ / ₄
4	Flashiest	⁵ 3	⁵ 4	⁵ 3	⁵ 2	³ 1/ ₂	² 2 ¹ / ₄
1	Spycatcher	¹ 1	¹ 2	¹ 1	¹ / ₂	¹ / ₂	³ 2 ¹ / ₄
3	Reiquist	² 1	² 2	² 1	² 1/ ₂	⁴ 3/ ₄	⁴ 2 ¹ / ₂
2	Twirling Point	³ 2	³ 3	³ 2	⁴ 2	⁵ 1 ¹ / ₄	⁵ 3 ³ / ₄
6	Aligato	⁴ 2 ¹ / ₂	⁴ 3 ¹ / ₂	⁴ 2	³ 1 ¹ / ₂	⁶ 2 ³ / ₄	⁶ 6

Trainers: 5 - D'Amato, Philip; 4 - Powell, Leonard; 1 - Glatt, Mark; 3 - Yakteen, Tim; 2 - Thomas, Jonathan; 6 - Glatt, Mark

Owners: 5 - Little Red Feather Racing, Madaket Stables LLC and Old Bones Racing Stable, LLC; 4 - Wachtel Stable, Barber, Gary, Drion, Nicolas G. and Powell, Mathilde; 1 - Muir Hut Stables LLC; 3 - CUYATHY LLC; 2 - Augustin Stables; 6 - Double L Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BALNIKHOV (IRE) dropped back and angled inside, trailed to the final turn, tipped two wide at the quarter pole, angled out into the lane and split rivals, stormed to the front under hand urging and was ridden out to the wire. FLASHIEST raced under a hold between rivals in the two path around the first turn, was taken back slightly and moved inside first time in the stretch, tipped back to the two path on the clubhouse turn, tugged closer between rivals, given his cue at the top of the lane, got knocked into REIQUIST midstretch, kept on gamely and edged SPYCATCHER for second. SPYCATCHER grabbed the lead from inside and dictated the pace in the opening stages, took pressure on the backstretch, dueled around the far turn, turned away outer rival into the lane, challenged by a trio of rivals entering the final furlong, shifted out and bumped FLASHIEST shortly after and lost command, stayed on well in deep stretch but got edged for second. REIQUIST was closest in pursuit from the two path, challenged from outside past the half-mile pole, dueled around the turn, lost touch with the leader into the lane, re-bid between runners approaching the eighth pole, got bumped from inside midstretch and missed third. TWIRLING POINT tracked along the rail for three turns, lacked room behind the leader and had to check with a furlong remaining and could not rally once in the clear. ALIGATO stalked three deep to the final turn, chased four deep approaching the stretch, got moved out a bit at the top of the lane and weakened. FOLLOWING AN INQUIRY, THE STEWARDS DISQUALIFIED SPYCATCHER FROM THIRD TO FOURTH FOR DRIFTING OUT AND KNOCKING FLASHIEST INTO REIQUIST, COSTING REIQUIST A CHANCE AT A BETTER PLACING.