

EVANGELINE DOWNS - August 9, 2025 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.
Claiming Price \$20,000, For Each \$2,500 To \$15,000 2 lbs. (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000 - \$15,000
Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (School Spirit - 1:22.02 - May 22, 2014)
Purse: \$19,000
Includes: \$5,400 Other Sources
Plus: \$3,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement
Available Money: \$22,000
Value of Race: \$19,000 1st \$11,400, 2nd \$3,800, 3rd \$2,090, 4th \$1,140, 5th \$570
Weather: Clear, 89° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 6:29 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22Jul25 ⁶ LAD ⁴	4	Our Favorite Son (Nieves, Emanuel)	121	L b	4	3	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	6.40	speed,dug in,held sway
11Jun25 ⁴ IND ⁶	8	Concentration (Batista, Alexis) VA CERTIFIED	124	L b	8	5	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ²	2 ^{6 1/2}	11.80	trk3w,bid1/4,game2nd
4Jul25 ⁴ EVD ²	5	The Monopoly Man (Melancon, Jansen)	124	L b	5	1	2 ³	3 ³	3 ²	3 ^{Neck}	2.00	prssd pace,held 3rd
5Jul25 ⁴ EVD ³	3	North of Bali (Dominguez, Joel)	124	L b	3	4	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ⁴	17.60	grinding finish,imprvd
21Jun25 ⁶ EVD ⁴	7	Quaternion (Hernandez, Colby)	124	L	7	7	5 ¹	6 ²	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹	1.00*	chsd2-3w,lckd rally
4Jul25 ⁴ EVD ³	2	Lick Skillet (Barrera, Elio)	121	L	2	8	7 ²	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ²	17.20	slw st,mid mv,flattend
16May25 ⁶ EVD ⁵	6	Gold Thief (Thornton, Timothy)	118	L	6	2	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	7 ³	7 ²	20.00	mid-pack, faded
3Jul25 ⁴ EVD ⁶	1	Josan (Pompell, Thomas)	121	L bf	1	6	8	8	8	8	117.10	outrun, no factor

Fractional Times: 22.71 45.92 1:11.07 **Final Time:** 1:24.55
Split Times: (23:21) (25:15) (13:48)
Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Our Favorite Son, Chestnut Gelding, by Tapwrit out of Putthebabiesdown, by Closing Argument. Foaled Feb 11, 2022 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Rigney Racing, LLC
Owner: Alexis Claire Racing Services LLC, Pinnacle Racing LLC and Dice Table Racing Stable LLC
Trainer: Claire, Alexis

1 Claimed Horse(s): The Monopoly Man New Trainer: Kearney Segura New Owner: Howard Romero

Claiming Prices: 4 - Our Favorite Son: \$20,000; 8 - Concentration: \$20,000; 5 - The Monopoly Man: \$20,000; 3 - North of Bali: \$20,000; 7 - Quaternion: \$20,000; 2 - Lick Skillet: \$20,000; 6 - Gold Thief: \$20,000; 1 - Josan: \$20,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$73,576

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Our Favorite Son	14.80	10.00	6.00	\$1.00 Exacta	4-8	103.60	60,087
8	Concentration		10.80	6.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-8-5	139.30	46,462
5	The Monopoly Man			2.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	4-8-5-3	176.92	26,663
					\$0.50 Pick 3	8-5-4 (3 correct)	92.90	5,948
					\$1.00 Daily Double	5-4	21.80	3,333

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Our Favorite Son	3	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}
8	Concentration	5	3 ⁴	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
5	The Monopoly Man	1	2 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ⁷
3	North of Bali	4	6 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/4}
7	Quaternion	7	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ⁵	5 ^{11 1/4}
2	Lick Skillet	8	7 ⁷	4 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁵	6 ^{12 1/4}
6	Gold Thief	2	4 ⁴	5 ⁵	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{14 1/4}
1	Josan	6	8 ⁹	8 ¹¹	8 ^{8 1/2}	8 ^{16 1/4}

Trainers: 4 - Claire, Alexis; 8 - Claire, Alexis; 5 - Diodoro, Robertino; 3 - Nixon, Thomas; 7 - Felks, Joseph; 2 - Segura, Kearney; 6 - Thomas, Lee; 1 - Morrell, Cynthia

Owners: 4 - Alexis Claire Racing Services LLC, Pinnacle Racing LLC and Dice Table Racing Stable LLC; 8 - Dice Table Racing Stable LLC and Alexis Claire Racing Services LLC; 5 -Robertino Diodoro; 3 -David Yochum; 7 -Keith Plaisance; 2 - Landry, Judy and Landry, Robert J.; 6 - Elite Thoroughbred Racing LLC and Menard, David; 1 -Arthur Morrell;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

OUR FAVORITE SON broke well, cleared away from the field except for MONOPOLY MAN, who was never far back, led the way through the turn, then dug in under a threat from CONCENTRATION leaving the quarter pole, responded to steady handling and urging to hold that stubborn foe at bay to the wire. CONCENTRATION reared several times in the gate before the start, tracked close up three wide, launched a bid for the lead approaching the quarter pole, chased gamely, but was unable to get to the winner. THE MONOPOLY MAN broke well, pressed OUR FAVORITE SON briefly down the backstretch, then settled in a stalking position, leaving that rival to dictate the fractions, was unable to go with that foe and CONCENTRATION in the stretch, but kept on and just held the third spot from a closing rival. NORTH OF BALI off slowly, was having to be coaxed some in the early stages to avoid losing contact, came under a ride approaching the three furlong pole, then produced a grinding rally in the stretch to improve but was never a serious threat. QUATERNION was slow into stride, chased from the middle of the pack and lacked a rally. LICK SKILLET was last to break, made a mild three-wide middle move on the turn, then flattened out in the stretch. GOLD THIEF came away well, raced in the middle of the pack and faded on the turn. JOSAN was under a drive from the start, was always outrun and did not factor.

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