

HASTINGS RACECOURSE - August 4, 2025 - Race 3

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred  
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$17,500. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 25 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since Then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$17,500, For Each \$1,250 To \$16,000 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered For Allowances). British Columbia Bred Claiming Price \$22,000. (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$17,500 - \$16,000  
**Distance:** One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Timely Stitch - 1:42.20 - July 6, 1996)  
**All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise**

**Purse:** \$20,000

**Plus:** \$2,100 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$22,100

**Value of Race:** \$19,200 (US\$13,934) 1st \$11,000 (US\$7,983) , 2nd \$4,000 (US\$2,903) , 3rd \$2,000 (US\$1,451) , 4th \$1,000 (US\$726) , 5th \$800 (US\$581) , 6th \$400 (US\$290)

**Weather:** Hazy, 75° C **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 3:35 **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
19Jul25 <sup>6</sup> HST <sup>3</sup>	4	Lucky Force (Perez, Amadeo)	120 L	4	2	6	6	5 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1.95*	trailed, closed 3 wide
7Jun25 <sup>3</sup> SA <sup>6</sup>	5	Nauvoo (Seecharan, Learie)	120 L b	5	3	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>7</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup> 3/4	6.00	clear lead, nipped
12Jul25 <sup>5</sup> HST <sup>3</sup>	3	Newhart (Mamdeen, Christopher)	120 L b	3	6	5 <sup>1</sup> /2	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup> 3/4	22.50	settled, rallied insid
11Jul25 <sup>4</sup> HST <sup>1</sup>	1	Strait of Georgia (Reyes, Antonio)	120 L b	1	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup> 1/4	3.70	stalked, rallied 2 wid
12Jul25 <sup>2</sup> HST <sup>1</sup>	2	Pursue (Balgobin, Richard)	113 L	2	5	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>1</sup> /2	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	4.15	settled, rallied 3 wid
12Jul25 <sup>5</sup> HST <sup>1</sup>	6	Touch the Sun (Morales, Silvino)	124 L	6	4	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup> /2	6	6	6	2.95	settled, lacked kick

**Fractional Times:** 23.07 45.92 1:10.85 1:35.85 **Final Time:** 1:42.85

**Split Times:** (22:85) (24:93) (25:00) (7:00)

**Run-Up:** 36 feet

**Winner:** Lucky Force, Bay Gelding, by Counterforce out of Check Point, by Posse. Foaled May 13, 2020 in BC.

**Breeder:** Dustin Bud Downing

**Owner:** Edwin Claggett

**Trainer:** MacPherson, Craig

**Claiming Prices:** 4 - Lucky Force: \$22,000; 1 - Strait of Georgia: \$22,000; 2 - Pursue: \$22,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$44,810

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Lucky Force	5.90	3.60	2.90	\$1.00 Triactor	4-5-3	259.10	14,186
5	Nauvoo		6.50	4.50	\$2.00 Daily Double	1-4	7.70	4,171
3	Newhart			6.20	\$1.00 Exactor	4-5	32.90	18,494
					\$0.20 Superfecta	4-5-3-1	232.27	6,164

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Lucky Force	2	6 <sup>7</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>11</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>
5	Nauvoo	3	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>7</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>
3	Newhart	6	5 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>10</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup> 3/4
1	Strait of Georgia	1	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>7</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>5</sup> 1/2
2	Pursue	5	3 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>8</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>6</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>6</sup> 3/4
6	Touch the Sun	4	4 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>9</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>6</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>8</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>7</sup> 3/4

**Trainers:** 4 - MacPherson, Craig; 5 - Milburn, Peter; 3 - Snow, Mel; 1 - Heads, Barbara; 2 - MacPherson, Craig; 6 - Heads, Barbara

**Owners:** 4 -Edwin Claggett; 5 - Hastings Horsepower and Motley Crew; 3 - Snow, Mel, Rozenek, Conrad and Danard, Don B.; 1 - Anderson, Dr. Bryan, Anderson, Carol, Reid, Nigel and Prail, Denise; 2 - Canyon Farms; 6 - Estate of R.J.Bennett and Lois Bennett;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

LUCKY FORCE broke sharply, but was taken in hand and dropped back to trail entering the stretch the first time, began to advance two wide midway down the backside, continued with a two wide move into the final turn, and closed determinedly three wide in the drive to get up in the final strides. NAUVOO away well and rushed to a clear lead entering the first turn, widened his advantage through the stretch the first time and through the second turn, held that clear advantage through the final turn and into the lane, and just failed to last. NEWHART settled well off the early pace while saving ground at the rail through the stretch the first time, maintained his position into the second turn while continuing to save ground, raced into a striking position in the run to the final turn, rallied from along the rail through the final turn, and finished willingly from along the rail in the drive to garner a share. STRAIT OF GEORGIA away alertly and stalked the leader into the stretch the first time while saving ground at the rail, held his position through the second turn and in the run down the backside, rallied two wide entering the final turn, but needed more late while finishing three wide in the drive. PURSUE settled off the lone pacesetter through the stretch the first time while racing one out from the rail, held that position in the run down the backside, rallied three wide while struggling to keep up through the final turn, and finished from along the rail in the drive. TOUCH THE SUN settled off the early pace while racing two out from the rail entering the stretch the first time, dropped back to trail in the run to the final turn, and failed to respond when called upon.