

HORSESHOE INDIANAPOLIS - October 23, 2025 - Race 7

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR REGISTERED INDIANA BREDS THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FIVE RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since September 23 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000 (Races Where Entered For \$15,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). If this race is taken off the turf, it will be run at 1 mile and 1/16 on the main track. (Rail at 36 feet). (S C) **Claiming Price: \$20,000**

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Encino - 1:39.38 - July 5, 2025)

Purse: \$44,000

Includes: \$29,000 ITDF - Indiana TB Development Fund

Plus: \$1,200 State Bred

Available Money: \$45,200

Value of Race: \$45,200 1st \$27,600, 2nd \$8,800, 3rd \$4,400, 4th \$2,200, 5th \$880, 6th \$440, 7th \$440, 8th \$440

Weather: Clear, 54° **Track:** Good

Off at: 5:40 **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	
10Sep25 ³ IND ¹	7	V Max (Achard, Alex)	120	L	6	6	6 ^{Head}	7 ⁴	6 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	2.80	3p,rally1/4 rail,drv	
20Oct25 ⁷ IND ³	2	Justhappytobehere (Burgos, Alberto)	123	L	b	1	4	3 ^{Head}	5 ¹	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	5.40	bmp gt,angld3p1/4,bid	
9Oct25 ³ IND ²	4	Gas Alley (Roman, Evin) VA CERTIFIED	120	L	3	2	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1.40*	dueled,couldn't last	
20Oct25 ⁷ IND ⁴	8	Jailhouse Justice (Pedroza, Jr., Marcelino)	120	L	b	7	7	7 ⁴	6 ^{Head}	7 ⁵	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Neck}	10.20	angld4p1/8,improved
20Oct25 ⁷ IND ⁵	6	Backyard Justice (Ulloa, Andres)	120	L	b	5	5	1 ^{Head}	2 ²	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}	5 ^{2 1/2}	37.50	dueled,gave way1/4
20Oct25 ⁷ IND ⁷	9	Jeopardy Theory (Ramos, Joseph)	120	L	8	3	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ²	6 ^{2 3/4}	9.10	stalked 5path,no bid	
6Oct25 ⁴ IND ¹	3	Rigoberto (Gutierrez, Jose)	117	L	2	1	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	7 ⁶	7 ^{5 3/4}	4.70	stalked 4path,no bid	
1Oct25 ⁹ IND ⁶	5	Rich Kingdom (Sanjur, Santo)	123	L	4	8	8	8	8	8	8	52.10	jostled start,took bck	

Fractional Times: 23.56 48.51 1:12.06 1:36.06 **Final Time:** 1:42.50

Split Times: (24:95) (23:55) (24:00) (6:44)

Run-Up: 110 feet **Temporary Rail:** 36 feet

Winner: V Max, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Unbridled Express out of Fighting Xena, by Noble Causeway. Foaled Apr 16, 2021 in Indiana.

Breeder: Robert J. Hunt

Owner: Marianne Hunt

Trainer: West, Ethan

Claiming Prices: 8 - Jailhouse Justice: \$20,000; 6 - Backyard Justice: \$20,000; 5 - Rich Kingdom: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Berlone (Trainer), King Ice (Main-Track-Only), Little Jake (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$123,958

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	V Max	7.60	4.60	2.60	\$2.00 Exacta	7-2	48.00	95,840
2	Justhappytobehere		5.40	3.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-2-4	31.00	57,523
4	Gas Alley			2.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-2-4-8	19.52	43,251
					\$0.50 Pick 3	8-3-7 (3 correct)	117.75	14,833
					\$2.00 Daily Double	3-7	36.60	14,262
					\$0.10 Super High Five	7-2-4-8-6	53.14	15,013

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	V Max	6	6 ^{3 1/4}	7 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{3 3/4}	4 ²	1 ¹
2	Justhappytobehere	4	3 ¹	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ²	3 ¹	2 ¹
4	Gas Alley	2	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 3/4}
8	Jailhouse Justice	7	7 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{4 3/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/4}
6	Backyard Justice	5	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}
9	Jeopardy Theory	3	5 ^{1 3/4}	4 ³	5 ^{3 1/4}	6 ⁵	6 ⁶
3	Rigoberto	1	4 ^{1 1/4}	3 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/4}	7 ⁷	7 ^{8 3/4}
5	Rich Kingdom	8	8 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{8 1/2}	8 ^{9 3/4}	8 ¹³	8 ^{14 1/2}

Trainers: 7 - West, Ethan; 2 - Lauer, Michael; 4 - Lauer, Michael; 8 - Granitz, Anthony; 6 - Granitz, Anthony; 9 - Danner, Kelsey; 3 - Contreras, Cipriano; 5 - Riley, Donna

Owners: 7 -Marianne Hunt; 2 - Lauer, Penny S. and Falcon Racing Stable; 4 -Penny S. Lauer; 8 - Bradshaw, Anthony and Granitz, Anthony J.; 6 - Granitz, Anthony J. and OKelley, Rod; 9 - Ironhorse Racing Stable LLC; 3 - Contreras Stable, Inc. and Desperado Racing LLC; 5 - Riley, Donna and Riley, Carter;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

V MAX was unrushed in the three path, rallied near the quarter pole inside and got through late on the rail under steady urging. JUSTHAPPYTOBEHERE bumped the gate, stalked the pace inside, angled to the three path near the quarter pole, bid late but couldn't get to the winner. GAS ALLEY dueled inside but couldn't last. JAILHOUSE JUSTICE was unrushed inside, angled to the four path near the eighth pole and improved position late. BACKYARD JUSTICE dueled outside of a foe and gave way near the quarter pole. JEOPARDY THEORY stalked the pace in the five path with no late bid. RIGOBERTO stalked the pace in the four path with no bid. RICH KINGDOM was jostled at the start, took back and had no bid.

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