

HORSESHOE INDIANAPOLIS - October 25, 2025 - Race 4

STAKES Indiana Stallion S. - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES, TWO YEARS OLD REGISTERED INDIANA BRED, SIRE BY REGISTERED INDIANA STALLIONS. No nomination fee, \$150 to pass the entry box, and an additional \$100 to start with \$100,000 Added. After paying 1% to owners of horses finishing sixth through last, the remaining purse will be divided, 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Weight: 122 lbs. Non-winners of two races other than claiming, 2 lbs; of one race other than claiming, 4 lbs. Closed on Friday, October 10th with 17 Nominations. (S)

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt Current Track Record: (W. B. Smudge - 1:07.59 - October 14, 2014)

Purse: \$102,750 Added

Includes: \$65,000 ITDF - Indiana TB Development Fund

Available Money: \$102,750

Value of Race: \$102,750 1st \$57,951, 2nd \$19,317, 3rd \$10,624, 4th \$5,795, 5th \$2,898, 6th \$1,028, 7th \$1,028, 8th \$1,028, 9th \$1,027, 10th \$1,027, 11th \$1,027

Weather: Cloudy, 49° Track: Fast

Off at: 1:02 Start: Good for all except 1,2,8,9,10 Timing Method: Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Oct25 ¹¹ IND ⁷	6	Sahara Hottie (Sanjur, Santo)	120 b	6	5	4 ^{1/2}	5 ²	2 ¹	1 ^{Neck}	9.60	bid1/4rail,splt rivals
1Oct25 ¹¹ IND ¹	10	Spirited Justice (Contreras, Luis)	122 b	9	2	3 ^{1/2}	3 ²	1 ^{3 1/2}	2 ¹	0.50*	4p,bd5/16,clear,caught
11Sep25 ⁴ IND ¹	1	Smokinghot Justice (Burgos, Alberto)	118 --	1	9	9 ⁵	8 ³	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	51.20	hop st,5p3/16,rallied
1Oct25 ¹¹ IND ⁶	4	Party in the Club (Bermudez, Samuel)	118 f	4	8	8 ^{1/2}	6 ²	6 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/4}	7.70	awk,chckd3/16,bid late
6Oct25 ¹ IND ¹	12	Prayer Unbridled (Parker, Deshawn)	120 b	11	3	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	5 ^{2 1/2}	36.70	stalked3p,faded str
10Sep25 ² IND ⁴	2	Zealous Justice (De La Cruz, Fernando)	120 b	2	10	10 ^{6 1/2}	10 ¹⁵	8 ^{1/2}	6 ^{2 1/2}	8.00	improved position late
9Sep25 ¹ IND ¹	11	Sweet Jannaelise (Ulloa, Andres)	120 f	10	7	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	9 ^{2 1/2}	7 ¹	60.00	took back,improvd late
8Oct25 ¹ IND ¹	8	Relentless Chick (Gutierrez, Jose)	120 --	7	4	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	8 ^{2 1/4}	11.40	fell prerace,clear
1Oct25 ¹¹ IND ⁴	3	Starry Eye Justice (Cedillo, Abel)	120 --	3	6	6 ^{1/2}	9 ^{1 1/2}	10 ²⁵	9 ^{4 1/4}	23.70	saved ground
8Oct25 ⁶ IND ¹	9	Imperial Merlot (Ramos, Joseph)	120 b	8	1	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	7 ²	10 ³³	27.20	press2p.bmp3/16,gv way
8Oct25 ¹ IND ³	5	Doodle (Roman, Evin)	118 --	5	11	11	11	11	11	52.10	sqzd,well back,gv way

Fractional Times: 21.97 45.59 58.16

Final Time: 1:11.74

Split Times: (23:62) (12:57) (13:58)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Sahara Hottie, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Sahara Sky out of Yellah, by Kettle Corn. Foaled Apr 16, 2023 in Indiana.

Breeder: Duane Swingley

Owner: Marion F. Gorham

Trainer: Gorham, Robert

Scratched Horse(s): Eltinge (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$110,036

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Sahara Hottie	21.20	6.20	4.00	\$0.50 Pick 3	2-3-6 (3 correct)	189.20	6,841
10	Spirited Justice		2.10	2.10	\$2.00 Daily Double	3-6	955.80	11,569
1	Smokinghot Justice			11.20	\$2.00 Exacta	6-10	49.00	85,396
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-10-1-4	112.62	56,211
					\$0.50 Trifecta	6-10-1	250.45	47,707
					\$2.00 Consolation Double	3-7	62.40	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Sahara Hottie	5	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{Neck}
10	Spirited Justice	2	3 ²	3 ²	1 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{Neck}
1	Smokinghot Justice	9	9 ⁸	8 ⁹	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/4}
4	Party in the Club	8	8 ^{7 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ⁷	4 ^{3 3/4}
12	Prayer Unbridled	3	5 ³	4 ⁴	4 ⁵	5 ⁸
2	Zealous Justice	10	10 ¹³	10 ^{13 1/2}	8 ^{11 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}
11	Sweet Jannaelise	7	7 ⁷	7 ^{8 1/2}	9 ¹²	7 ¹³
8	Relentless Chick	4	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	5 ⁶	8 ¹⁴
3	Starry Eye Justice	6	6 ^{6 1/2}	9 ¹²	10 ^{14 1/2}	9 ^{16 1/4}
9	Imperial Merlot	1	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	7 ^{9 1/2}	10 ^{20 1/2}
5	Doodle	11	11 ^{19 1/2}	11 ^{28 1/2}	11 ^{39 1/2}	11 ^{53 1/2}

Trainers: 6 - Gorham, Robert; 10 - Medina, Tomas; 1 - West, Aaron; 4 - Douglass, Devarus; 12 - Phillips, Terry; 2 - West, Aaron; 11 - Granitz, Anthony; 8 - Garcia, Genaro; 3 - Klopp, Randy; 9 - Cunningham, Anthony; 5 - Lauer, Michael

Owners: 6 -Marion F. Gorham; 10 -Keeley Chay Justice; 1 -Alexa Ashton Justice; 4 - KP Thoroughbreds LLC, Douglass, Devarus, Quinkert, Terry, Lisanby, Janet and Hinger-Hubiak, Lucienne; 12 -Terry Phillips; 2 -McKenna Ccamaque; 11 - Granitz, Anthony J. and Bauers, Joseph; 8 - Southwest Racing Stables, Inc., Murphy, Bruce and Murphy, Lori; 3 - Spiess Stable LLC, Turner, Charles, Turner, Gran and Klopp, Randy L.; 9 - Swifty Farms Inc.; 5 -Penny S. Lauer;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SAHARA HOTTIE bore in at the start, stalked the pace in the three path, bid inside near the quarter pole, split rivals in early stretch, rallied and was just in time under a steady drive. SPIRITED JUSTICE broke when the gate malfunctioned during loading, but was reloaded without incident, raced in the four path, bid on the turn and went clear but was caught on the wire. SMOKINGHOT JUSTICE was one of several entrants who unseated the rider when the gate malfunctioned during loading, was reloaded without incident, hopped at the start, angled to the five path in early stretch and rallied strongly. PARTY IN THE CLUB bore out at the start, raced in the two path, was checked in early stretch in traffic and bid late. PRAYER UNBRIDLED stalked the pace in the three path and faded in the stretch. ZEALOUS JUSTICE unseated her rider when the gate malfunctioned during the loading process, was reloaded without incident, raced well back and improved position late. SWEET JANNAELISE took back early and improved position late. RELENTLESS CHICK unseated her

rider and fell when the gate malfunctioned during the loading process and was reloaded, was clear early and gave way in the stretch. STARRY EYE JUSTICE saved ground. IMPERIAL MERLOT broke when the gate malfunctioned during the loading process, but reloaded without incident, pressed the pace in the two path, was bumped entering the stretch and gave way. DOODLE was squeezed back at the start, raced well back and gave way on the turn. THE STEWARDS DENIED AN OBJECTION BY THE RIDER OF IMPERIAL MERLOT AGAINST THE WINNER ALLEGING INTERFERENCE NEAR THE TOP OF THE STRETCH. PRIOR TO THE RACE, THE GATE OPENED WITH SIX ENTRANTS ALREADY LOADED. SMOKINGHOT JUSTICE, ZEALOUS JUSTICE, ELTINGE AND RELENTLESS CHICK ALL UNSEATED THEIR RIDERS. ELTINGE WAS SCRATCHED AFTER RUNNING LOOSE. IMPERIAL MERLOT AND SPIRITED JUSTICE ALSO BROKE WITH THE BELL.