

MONMOUTH PARK - August 17, 2025 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO 40% NJB) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$20,000 ONCE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 17 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since June 17 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000 (Maiden Claiming or Races Where Entered for \$14,000 or Less Not Considered in Allowances). (NW1\$ X) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

Distance: One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Cable Boy - 1:38.78 - May 26, 2007)

Purse: \$55,050

Available Money: \$55,050

Value of Race: \$55,050 1st \$33,000, 2nd \$11,000, 3rd \$5,500, 4th \$2,750, 5th \$700, 6th \$700, 7th \$700, 8th \$700

Weather: Clear, 87° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:16 **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
4Jul25 ⁸ MTH ⁷	3	Virginia City (Batista, Jose)	121 L b	3	1	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ⁹	1 ¹ 2	7.80	bumped 1/8, gamely ins
4Jul25 ⁸ MTH ⁵	6	Talklessworkmore (Castillo, Isaac)	121 L b	6	7	5 ¹ 2	5 ³	2 ⁴	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹⁴	4.20	step slow, bumped 1/8
5Jul25 ⁵ MTH ¹	7	Run Happy Pappy (Maragh, Christian)	114 L b	7	4	6 ¹	7 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 2	5 ³	3 ³ 3/4	15.50	4w early, mild rally
19Jul25 ⁴ MTH ³	1	Cartucho (Marin, Samuel)	121 L b	1	5	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	4 ¹ 1/4	0.90*	tracked, no response
1Aug25 ⁹ SAR ⁶	4	Vinsanity (Camacho, Samy)	121 L bf	4	3	4 ¹	3 ^{Head}	3 ³	3 ^{Head}	5 ¹ 1/4	8.40	3w early, 2w, faded
26Jul25 ³ MTH ³	5	Denying (Iorio, Melissa)	121 L b	5	8	7 ¹ 2	6 ^{Head}	7 ²	6 ¹	6 ⁶ 3/4	7.30	steadied start, inside
27Jul25 ³ MTH ⁵	2	Hatch (Sanchez, Mychel)	121 L b	2	2	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹ 2	4 ^{Head}	7 ⁴	7 ⁹ 1/4	11.80	vied inside, gave way
1Aug25 ⁶ MTH ⁷	8	Jersey Perfection (Olver, Madison)	121 L	8	6	8	8	8	8	8	33.70	off rail, outrun

Fractional Times: 23.29 46.75 1:11.53 1:38.33 **Final Time:** 1:42.67

Split Times: (23:46) (24:78) (26:80) (4:34)

Run-Up: 56 feet

Winner: Virginia City, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Khozan out of Defoe Street, by Street Sense. Foaled Feb 18, 2021 in Florida.

Breeder: Brent Fernung & Crystal Fernung

Owner: Morici Racing Stable LLC

Trainer: Morici, Diane

Claiming Prices: 6 - Talklessworkmore: \$20,000; 5 - Denying: \$20,000; 2 - Hatch: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Tested (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$119,401

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Virginia City	17.60	7.80	5.80	\$1.00 Exacta	3-6	52.30	81,372
6	Talklessworkmore		4.80	4.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-6-7	268.05	46,637
7	Run Happy Pappy			7.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-6-7-1	128.35	29,984
					\$0.50 Pick 3	1-9-3 (3 correct)	268.70	6,092
					\$1.00 Daily Double	9-3	195.90	12,098

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Virginia City	1	2 ¹ 2	2 ¹ 2	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹ 2
6	Talklessworkmore	7	5 ³	5 ³	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 2
7	Run Happy Pappy	4	6 ³ 1/2	7 ⁶ 1/4	6 ¹⁰	5 ¹⁰ 1/4	3 ¹⁴ 1/2
1	Cartucho	5	3 ²	4 ²	5 ⁸ 1/2	4 ⁹ 1/4	4 ¹⁸ 1/4
4	Vinsanity	3	4 ²	3 ²	3 ⁵ 1/2	3 ⁹	5 ¹⁹ 1/2
5	Denying	8	7 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁶	7 ¹⁰ 1/2	6 ¹³ 1/4	6 ²⁰ 3/4
2	Hatch	2	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹ 2	4 ⁸ 1/2	7 ¹⁴ 1/4	7 ²⁷ 1/2
8	Jersey Perfection	6	8 ⁵	8 ⁶ 1/4	8 ¹² 1/2	8 ¹⁸ 1/4	8 ³⁶ 3/4

Trainers: 3 - Morici, Diane; 6 - Ness, Jamie; 7 - Sanchez, Jose; 1 - Brown, Chad; 4 - Arriaga, Antonio; 5 - McBurney, Patrick; 2 - Ness, Jamie; 8 - Dougherty, Devon

Owners: 3 - Morici Racing Stable LLC; 6 - Philip Rubin Racing Stable, LLC; 7 - Guadalupe Perez; 1 - Three Chimneys Farm, LLC (Goncalo B. Torrealba), Lawrence, William H. and Walmac Farm; 4 - Next Level Stables; 5 - BK Stables; 2 - Madison Avenue Racing Stable, Inc., Kernan, Jr., Morris E. and Jagger, Inc.; 8 - Samrock Stables, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

VIRGINIA CITY vied two wide for the lead, shook free entering the far turn, dueled with TALKLESSWORKMORE in upper stretch, bumped that rival at the furlong marker, then dug in gamely inside and prevailed determinedly. TALKLESSWORKMORE broke a step slow, raced off the pace, moved up three wide on the far turn, rallied outside of VIRGINIA CITY turning for home, put a head in front, was bumped at the furlong marker, dug in gamely outside, dueled and was outfinished. RUN HAPPY PAPPY raced four wide early, then three wide off the pace, between foes on the backside, came two wide into the lane and rallied mildly for third. CARTUCHO tracked on the inside, chased on the far turn and failed to respond. VINSANITY raced three wide early, stalked two wide, chased two wide on the far turn and faded. DENYING steadied at the start, raced off the pace inside and did not factor. HATCH vied inside for command, dueled and gave way. JERSEY PERFECTION raced off the rail, off the pace and was outrun. A Jockey Objection by the rider of TALKLESSWORKMORE against the winner was dismissed.

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