

DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 1

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000. **Claiming**

Price: \$10,000

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Grand Contender - 1:36.89 - November 23, 2013)

Purse: \$16,000

Includes: \$10,000 Other Sources

Plus: \$3,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement


Available Money: \$19,000

Value of Race: \$16,510 1st \$9,600, 2nd \$3,200, 3rd \$2,090, 4th \$1,140, 5th \$480

Weather: Cloudy, 66° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:03 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Dec23 ⁹ DED ³	6	Call Me Firey (Pompell, Thomas)	122	L	bf	5	1	³ Head	³ 1 1/2	² 1	¹ Head	¹ 1/2	5.40 stalk,3w,duel,wonnod
13Dec23 ⁶ RP ⁵	4	Daboogeyman (Roman, Kevin)	123	L	b	3	4	¹ Head	¹ 1	¹ Head	² 2	² 3 1/4	5.30 led,headed,duel,lstnod
25Nov23 ³ DED ⁵	1	All Together (Santiago, Edward)	114	L		1	2	² 1	² Head	⁴ 1/2	⁴ 1 1/2	³ Neck	1.10* prompt, rebid for show
7Dec23 ⁵ DED ⁴	8	Kat's Soldier (Stokes, Louis)	120	L	bf	7	5	⁵ 1/2	⁴ 1/2	³ 1 1/2	³ 1	⁴ 3 1/2	3.00 4w3/8,vied, faltered
7Dec23 ⁵ DED ⁵	5	Mustbelieve (Munoz, Sergio)	118	L	bf	4	6	7	⁶ 1	⁶ 6	⁶ 6	⁵ Head	28.60 passed tiring rivals
7Dec23 ⁵ DED ⁸	3	My Uncle Billy (Ruiz, Efigenio)	122	L	b	2	7	⁶ 1 1/2	⁵ 1	⁵ 1/2	⁵ 1/2	⁶ 7 1/2	8.30 mid pack, no threat
7Dec23 ⁵ DED ⁷	7	Tapit Twice (Lozada, Carlos)	122	L	b	6	3	⁴ 2	7	7	7	7	22.70 off pace, dropped back

Fractional Times: 23.92 49.04 1:15.61 1:29.46

Split Times: (25:12) (26:57) (13:85) (13:90)

Run-Up: 22 feet

Final Time: 1:43.36

Winner: Call Me Firey, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Call Me George out of Firey Atlantic, by Stormy Atlantic. Foaled May 02, 2020 in Arkansas.

Breeder: Indian Creek Thoroughbred Farm, LLC

Owner: Indian Creek Thoroughbred Farms, LLC

Trainer: Dison, Phillip

Claiming Prices: 6 - Call Me Firey: \$10,000; 4 - Daboogeyman: \$10,000; 1 - All Together: \$10,000; 8 - Kat's Soldier: \$10,000; 5 - Mustbelieve: \$10,000; 3 - My Uncle Billy: \$10,000; 7 - Tapit Twice: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Flying in Hot (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$69,320

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Call Me Firey	12.80	6.60	3.60	\$1.00 Exacta	6-4	40.80	73,298
4	Daboogeyman		5.60	3.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-4-1	49.95	43,636
1	All Together			2.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-4-1-8	17.42	32,145

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Call Me Firey	1	³ 1	³ 1	² Head	¹ Head	¹ 1/2
4	Daboogeyman	4	¹ Head	¹ 1	¹ Head	² Head	² 1/2
1	All Together	2	² Head	² 1	⁴ 2 1/2	⁴ 3	³ 3 3/4
8	Kat's Soldier	5	⁵ 3 1/4	⁴ 2 1/2	³ 1	³ 2	⁴ 4
5	Mustbelieve	6	⁷ 5 1/4	⁶ 4	⁶ 3 1/2	⁶ 5	⁵ 7 1/2
3	My Uncle Billy	7	⁶ 3 3/4	⁵ 3	⁵ 3	⁵ 4 1/2	⁶ 7 1/2
7	Tapit Twice	3	⁴ 1 1/4	⁷ 5	⁷ 9 1/2	⁷ 11	⁷ 15

Trainers: 6 - Dison, Phillip; 4 - Hewitt, Michael; 1 - Beavin, Judy; 8 - Bernard, John; 5 - Melancon, Donald; 3 - Bernard, John; 7 - Dixon, Tim

Owners: 6 - Indian Creek Thoroughbred Farms, LLC; 4 -Sarah Hewitt; 1 -Judy Beavin; 8 -Bertha Bernard; 5 - Person, Orville and Simms, Dwayne; 3 - Louisiana Rocks Racing Stable LLC; 7 -Tim Dixon;

Footnotes
CALL ME FIREY stalked the pace from three wide down the backstretch then moved up to engage the leader at the quarter pole and matched strides outside of DABOOGHEYMAN to the wire and won the nod. DABOOGHEYMAN was roused to a clear lead down the backstretch then was headed at the quarter pole and matched strides inside of CALL ME FIREY to the wire and was outnoddod. ALL TOGETHER prompted the pace from the inside to the final turn then fell back but made a rebid to be up for the show. KAT'S SOLDIER raced in the middle of the pack around the first turn then moved up and went four wide at the three furlong to challenge the leader but faltered. MUSTBELIEVE saved ground around the first turn then angled out to three or four wide on the backstretch then tipped back inside in the stretch to pass tiring rivals. MY UNCLE BILLY raced in the middle of the pack on the inside around the first turn then made a mild bid on the backstretch but was not a threat. TAPIT TWICE raced off the pace early the dropped back.

DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2023. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 21 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since October 21 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$6,250 (Claiming Races For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating Allowances). (C)

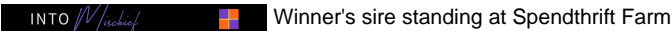
Claiming Price: \$6,250
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Heitai - 1:18.04 - November 1, 2013)
Purse: \$15,000
Includes: \$9,000 Other Sources
Plus: \$4,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement
Available Money: \$19,000
Value of Race: \$15,000 1st \$9,000, 2nd \$3,000, 3rd \$1,650, 4th \$900, 5th \$450
Weather: Cloudy, 66° Track: Fast
Off at: 1:29 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
25Oct23 ⁴ DED ⁹	4	Kingswood (Del-Cid, Vicente)	119	L	4	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	1 ²	1 ¹ 1/4	7.00	pressed, led, clrd
8Dec23 ⁷ DED ⁶	8	Moro Mafia (Stokes, Joe)	118	L	8	4	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2.80	4w2nd,late run, up2nd
24Nov23 ⁴ DED ⁸	6	Tizhotndusty (Melancon, Jansen)	119	L	6	7	6 ¹	7 ⁵	5 ¹ 2	3 ³ 1/2	17.30	3w2nd,4wupr, not enuf
24Nov23 ⁷ DED ³	1	Sir Eli (Birzer, Alex)	119	L bf	1	5	4 ¹	5 ^{Head}	6 ²	4 ^{Neck}	5.10	ins, late bid, improve
22Nov23 ⁹ DED ³	7	Hurts So Bad (Vargas, Juan)	119	L	7	3	3 ¹ 2	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 2	5 ¹	4.20	stalked, retreated
8Dec23 ⁷ DED ¹⁰	2	I See Clearly Now (Ruiz, Efigenio)	117	L	2	8	8	8	8	6 ²	31.30	passed tiring rivals
1Dec23 ⁴ DED ⁴	5	Mind On My Money (Lozada, Carlos)	116	L f	5	6	7 ⁵	6 ¹	7 ¹	7 ¹ 1/2	34.20	mild bid, lacked room
14Dec23 ² DED ³	3	Overtaxed (Dominguez, Joel)	119	L	3	1	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹ 2	2 ^{Head}	8	1.80*	prssrd lead, tired

Fractional Times: 23.66 48.38 1:14.24 Final Time: 1:20.93
Split Times: (24:72) (25:86) (6:69)
Run-Up: 38 feet

Winner: Kingswood, Bay Gelding, by Into Mischief out of Tizdubai, by Cee's Tizzy. Foaled Feb 11, 2018 in Kentucky.



Breeder: Godolphin
Owner: Danny Stafford
Trainer: Arnett, Jon

1 Claimed Horse(s): Moro Mafia New Trainer: Karl Broberg New Owner: End Zone Athletics, Inc.

Claiming Prices: 4 - Kingswood: \$6,250; 8 - Moro Mafia: \$6,250; 6 - Tizhotndusty: \$6,250; 1 - Sir Eli: \$6,250; 7 - Hurts So Bad: \$6,250; 2 - I See Clearly Now: \$6,250; 5 - Mind On My Money: \$6,250; 3 - Overtaxed: \$6,250;

Total WPS Pool: \$76,550

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Kingswood	16.00	8.60	6.20	\$1.00 Exacta	4-8	31.90	60,739
8	Moro Mafia		4.20	3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-8-6	108.45	44,861
6	Tizhotndusty			3.80	\$1.00 Daily Double	6-4	62.40	16,663
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-8-6-1	116.98	26,215

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Kingswood	2	2 ¹ 2	2 ¹ 2	1 ²	1 ¹ 1/4
8	Moro Mafia	4	5 ³ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	3 ²	2 ¹ 1/4
6	Tizhotndusty	7	6 ⁵	7 ³ 3/4	5 ³ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/4
1	Sir Eli	5	4 ² 1/2	5 ² 3/4	6 ⁴	4 ⁴ 3/4
7	Hurts So Bad	3	3 ²	3 ² 1/2	4 ³	5 ⁵
2	I See Clearly Now	8	8 ¹¹	8 ⁸ 3/4	8 ⁷	6 ⁶
5	Mind On My Money	6	7 ⁶	6 ² 3/4	7 ⁶	7 ⁸
3	Overtaxed	1	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹ 2	2 ²	8 ⁹ 1/2

Trainers: 4 - Arnett, Jon; 8 - Richard, Chris; 6 - Gonzalez, Isai; 1 - Birzer, Bonnie; 7 - Arnett, Jon; 2 - Hibdon, Mark; 5 - Mojica, Edith; 3 - Gonzalez, Isai

Owners: 4 -Danny Stafford; 8 -Maggi Moss; 6 - Cavello Veloce Stables; 1 -Colby Birzer; 7 -Susan F. Arnett; 2 -Mark N. Hibdon; 5 - Mojica Stables, Inc.; 3 - L and G Racing Stables;

Footnotes
KINGSWOOD pressed the pace from the two path down the backstretch then moved up to take the lead before the quarter pole and drew clear. MORO MAFIA raced in the middle of the pack from three wide down the backstretch then tipped out to four wide around the final turn and made a late run to be up for the place money. TIZHOTNDUSTY raced near the back around the first turn then moved up from three wide around the final turn, moving out to four wide in upper stretch for the rally but was not enough. SIR ELI tracked the leaders from the inside through the final turn then made a late bid to improve position. HURTS SO BAD stalked the pace from three wide to the final turn and retreated. I SEE CLEARLY NOW unhurried through the final turn, showed late interest and passed tiring rivals. MIND ON MY MONEY saved ground, made a mild bid into the final turn but lacked room and was taken back. OVERTAXED roused to a pressured lead to the quarter pole and tired.

DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 3**EQUIBASE**

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(INCLUDES UP TO \$1,400 LTBASBF) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000. (S) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000**Distance:** Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (No Its Not - 1:24.31 - January 24, 2003)**Purse:** \$18,000**Includes:** \$13,400 Other Sources**Includes:** \$3,200 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund**Available Money:** \$18,000**Value of Race:** \$18,000 1st \$10,800, 2nd \$3,600, 3rd \$1,980, 4th \$1,080, 5th \$540**Weather:** Cloudy, 66° **Track:** Fast**Off at:** 1:58 **Start:** Good for all except 6 **Timing Method:** Electronic[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Jan23 ⁸ FG ⁶	3	Re Re's Rainbow (Del-Cid, Vicente)	122	L bf	3	2	² Head	¹	¹ ²	¹ ⁷ 1/2	3.20	prssd, led, drew off
16Nov23 ³ DED ⁷	9	Sweet Revival (Lozada, Carlos)	122	L b	9	7	³ ¹	² ¹	² ¹	² Neck	9.70	vied3w, no match
2Dec23 ⁵ DED ⁸	2	Cupie Cutie (Torres, Hugo)	123	L bf	2	6	⁴ 1/2	³ 1/2	³ ¹	³ ² 1/2	35.20	late rail bid, miss2nd
2Dec23 ¹ DED ⁸	10	Blueridgeballerina (Melancon, Jansen)	123	L b	10	9	⁵ ¹	⁵ ⁴	⁴ ³	⁴ 3/4	15.50	bid turn, fnsh evenly
16Nov23 ³ DED ⁵	5	Wheels Like Nala (Negron, Luis)	123	L b	5	5	⁷ ¹	⁷ ¹ 1/2	⁵ 1/2	⁵ Head	7.90	ins, 3w2nd, improved
2Dec23 ⁵ DED ⁶	7	DQ-Gypsy Jackpot (Vargas, Juan)	123	L b	7	4	⁸ ¹ 1/2	⁶ 1/2	⁶ ²	⁶ ⁶	1.80*	mild bid, flatten out
27Oct23 ⁵ DED ⁹	4	Top Con (Ledet, Theodrick)	122	L f	4	3	⁶ ²	⁸ 1/2	⁸ Head	⁷ 3/4	76.60	never a threat
29Jul23 ⁶ LAD ⁶	8	Jivin Astro (Del-Cid, Marlon)	118	L b	8	8	⁹	⁹	⁹	⁸ ¹	76.40	remained back
6Dec23 ³ DED ⁷	1	Glorious Gears (Fusilier, Casey)	123	L b	1	1	¹ 1/2	⁴ 1/2	⁷ ¹	⁹	39.30	brf lead,vied, gaveway
13Dec23 ³ DED ⁴	6	Sparkle City (Santiago, Edward)	118	L bf	6	10	---	---	---	---	2.50	hop, clip heels,lstrdr

Fractional Times: 23.88 49.16 1:16.19**Final Time:** 1:29.86**Split Times:** (25:28) (27:03) (13:67)**Run-Up:** 30 feet**Winner:** Re Re's Rainbow, Gray or Roan Filly, by Half Ours out of Blondie Lox, by Langfuhr. Foaled Apr 02, 2020 in Louisiana.**Breeder:** Earl Hernandez & Keith Hernandez & JohnDuvieilh**Owner:** Marvin Batres**Trainer:** Zeno, Benjamin

Claiming Prices: 3 - Re Re's Rainbow: \$10,000; 9 - Sweet Revival: \$10,000; 2 - Cupie Cutie: \$10,000; 10 - Blueridgeballerina: \$10,000; 5 - Wheels Like Nala: \$10,000; 7 - Gypsy Jackpot: \$10,000; 4 - Top Con: \$10,000; 8 - Jivin Astro: \$10,000; 1 - Glorious Gears: \$10,000; 6 - Sparkle City: \$10,000;

Disqualification(s): # 7 Gypsy Jackpot from 6 to 10**Total WPS Pool:** \$72,296

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Re Re's Rainbow	8.40	5.80	5.20	\$1.00 Exacta	3-9	34.10	73,187
9	Sweet Revival		5.60	6.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-9-2	288.90	47,961
2	Cupie Cutie			14.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-9-2-10	598.13	31,114
					\$0.50 Pick 3	6-4-3 (3 correct)	144.10	15,661
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-3	39.20	6,808

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Re Re's Rainbow	2	² 1/2	¹	¹ ²	¹ ⁷ 1/2
9	Sweet Revival	7	³ 1/2	² ¹	² ²	² ⁷ 1/2
2	Cupie Cutie	6	⁴ ¹ 1/2	³ ²	³ ³	³ ⁷ 3/4
10	Blueridgeballerina	9	⁵ ²	⁵ ³	⁴ ⁴	⁴ ¹⁰ 1/4
5	Wheels Like Nala	5	⁷ ⁵	⁷ ⁷ 1/2	⁵ ⁷	⁵ ¹¹
7	Gypsy Jackpot	4	⁸ ⁶	⁶ ⁷	⁶ ⁷ 1/2	⁶ ¹¹
4	Top Con	3	⁶ ³	⁸ ⁹	⁸ ¹⁰ 1/2	⁷ ¹⁷
8	Jivin Astro	8	⁹ ⁷ 1/2	⁹ ⁹ 1/2	⁹ ¹⁰ 1/2	⁸ ¹⁷ 3/4
1	Glorious Gears	1	¹ 1/2	⁴ ² 1/2	⁷ ⁹ 1/2	⁹ ¹⁸ 3/4
6	Sparkle City	10	---	---	---	---

Trainers: 3 - Zeno, Benjamin; 9 - Chatters, Benard; 2 - Silva, Walter; 10 - Breaux, Samuel; 5 - De Beauville, Alex; 7 - Pomier, Chasey; 4 - Meche, Shane; 8 - Lara, Jorge; 1 - Mason, Gary; 6 - Zeno, Benjamin

Owners: 3 -Marvin Batres; 9 -Kim Hooks McMahon; 2 -Jose Guadalupe Sanchez; 10 -Donald W. Moran, Sr.; 5 -Alex De Beauville; 7 -Brady Broussard; 4 - GM Assets LLC and Meche, Shane; 8 - Jarrett Jr., Terrell and Lara Racing Stables, LLC; 1 -Janet J. Jeanes; 6 -Tyrese Alexander;

Footnotes

RE RE'S RAINBOW pressed the pace from the two path then took the lead entering the backstretch and edged away, was unchallenged and drew off in the stretch. SWEET REVIVAL vied for the lead from three wide but was not match for the winner and fended off the late closer to hold on for second. CUPIE CUTIE raced off the pace on the inside, made a mild bid from the two path at the three furlong marker then moved back inside for a late rail bid and missed the second place money. BLUERIDGEBALLERINA raced in the middle of the pack to the final turn then moved up slightly and finished evenly. WHEELS LIKE NALA saved ground to the final turn then made a three wide bid on the final turn to improve position. GYPSY JACKPOT drifted in shortly after the start then raced near the back around the first turn then made a mild bid on the backstretch but flattened out. TOP CON never a threat. JIVIN ASTRO remained back. GLORIOUS GEARS went to a brief lead around the first turn then vied to the three furlong marker and gave way. SPARKLE CITY hopped out of the starting gate then clipped heels, lost rider and walked off. STEWARD INQUIRY WAS POSTED INTO THE START OF THE RACE, AFTER A REVIEW IT WAS DETERMINED THAT GYPSY JACKPOT INTERFERED WITH SPARKLE CITY, SO GYPSY JACKPOT WAS DISQUALIFIED FROM SIXTH TO LAST.

DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 4

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 21 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since October 21 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Condition Eligibility Preferred). (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Heitai - 1:18.04 - November 1, 2013)

Purse: \$13,000

Includes: \$7,000 Other Sources


Plus: \$2,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$15,000

Value of Race: \$13,520 1st \$7,800, 2nd \$3,000, 3rd \$1,430, 4th \$900, 5th \$390

Weather: Cloudy, 66° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:29 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

 [Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Nov23 ⁶ DED ⁶	2	Battle of Wits (Del-Cid, Marlon)	114	L b	2	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	4.60	vied, led, cleared
30Jun23 ⁷ EVD ⁵	8	A P Humor (Vargas, Juan)	117	L bf	8	4	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	3 ¹	2 ^{2 3/4}	14.40	3w2nd, rallied
25Nov23 ¹ DED ⁴	3	She'smysmokeshow (Lozada, Carlos)	120	L b	3	2	3 ⁴	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Neck}	0.80*	vied, led, tired
8Nov23 ⁷ DED ⁶	7	T R's First (Roman, Kevin)	118	L	7	7	8	7 ^{1/2}	7 ²	4 ^{Head}	17.40	trld, advanced, rally
25Nov23 ¹ DED ⁷	5	Pippa's Prospect (Birzer, Alex)	119	L b	5	5	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	21.90	saved ground, evenly
28Oct23 ⁹ DED ⁵	4	Pintlala (Stokes, Joe)	119	L b	4	6	6 ^{1 1/2}	8	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{3 1/4}	13.10	mild bid, improved
19Oct23 ⁴ DED ⁶	1	Mydealoftheday (Rosier, Chris)	118	L f	1	1	1 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	4 ¹	7 ^{3 1/4}	7.00	gd spd, gamely, wknd
8Nov23 ⁷ DED ⁹	6	Stop Shop N Drop (Thornton, Timothy)	116	L b	6	8	7 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	8	8	7.00	remained back

Fractional Times: 23.52 48.16 1:15.47

Split Times: (24:64) (27:31) (6:97)

Run-Up: 38 feet

Final Time: 1:22.44

Winner: Battle of Wits, Bay Filly, by Battle of Midway out of You're Kidding, by Lemon Drop Kid. Foaled Mar 02, 2019 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Wendy Lee Christ

Owner: OM Racing Stable, LLC

Trainer: Modica, Oscar

Claiming Prices: 2 - Battle of Wits: \$5,000; 8 - A P Humor: \$5,000; 3 - She'smysmokeshow: \$5,000; 7 - T R's First: \$5,000; 5 - Pippa's Prospect: \$5,000; 4 - Pintlala: \$5,000; 1 - Mydealoftheday: \$5,000; 6 - Stop Shop N Drop: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$97,238

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Battle of Wits	11.20	6.60	3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	2-8	62.80	90,365
8	A P Humor		14.00	5.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-8-3	132.80	63,325
3	She'smysmokeshow			2.40	\$0.50 Pick 3	4-3-2 (3 correct)	116.65	8,094
					\$1.00 Daily Double	3-2	38.30	8,127
					\$0.10 Superfecta	2-8-3-7	91.73	42,316

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	Battle of Wits	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}
8	A P Humor	4	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}
3	She'smysmokeshow	2	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 1/4}
7	T R's First	7	8 ^{8 3/4}	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ⁴	4 ^{4 1/2}
5	Pippa's Prospect	5	5 ^{4 3/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ³	5 ^{4 1/2}
4	Pintlala	6	6 ^{6 1/4}	8 ⁷	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{4 3/4}
1	Mydealoftheday	1	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	7 ⁸
6	Stop Shop N Drop	8	7 ^{7 3/4}	6 ⁵	8 ⁶	8 ^{11 1/4}

Trainers: 2 - Modica, Oscar; 8 - Latour, Nicholas; 3 - Melancon, Donald; 7 - Hibdon, Mark; 5 - Birzer, Bonnie; 4 - Ward, Ronnie; 1 - Constantine, Carol; 6 - Castille, Rickey

Owners: 2 - OM Racing Stable, LLC; 8 -Nicholas James Latour; 3 -Maxie Wayne Kitchings, Jr.; 7 -Mark N. Hibdon; 5 - Birzer, Colby and Burkhart, Lyle; 4 -Ronnie P. Ward; 1 - Faulk, Nathaniel J. and Cormier, Jr., Clifton J.; 6 -Joseph Domingue, Jr.;

Footnotes

BATTLE OF WITS vied for the lead from the two path to the three furlong marker then took the lead at the three sixteenths pole and drew clear. A P HUMOR raced in the middle of the pack down the backstretch then made a three wide bid on the final turn to make a late rally to be second best. SHE'SSMYSMOKESHOW vied for the lead from the three path before taking a brief lead at the three furlong maker but was overtaken at the three sixteenths pole and tired. T R'S FIRST trailed the field around the first turn then steadily advanced from three wide on the backstretch for a rally. PIPPA'S PROSPECT saved ground to the final turn then moved out to two or three wide on the final turn but raced evenly. PINTLALA raced near the back to the final turn then made a mild bid in the stretch to improve position. MYDEALOFTHEDAY showed early good speed to the three furlong marker then fought gamely to the top of the stretch and weakened. STOP SHOP N DROP was unhurried and remained back.

DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 5



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(INCLUDES UP TO \$1,400 LTBASBF) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since November 21 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since October 21 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Condition Eligibility Preferred). (SNW3 L)
Claiming Price: \$5,000
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Grand Contender - 1:36.89 - November 23, 2013)
Purse: \$14,000
Includes: \$9,400 Other Sources
Includes: \$3,200 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund
Available Money: \$14,000
Value of Race: \$14,000 1st \$8,400, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,540, 4th \$840, 5th \$420
Weather: Cloudy, 66° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 2:58 **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
24Nov23 ¹ DED ¹	10	Inspector Ed (Santiago, Edward)	117	L b	10	7	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	1 ^{1 3/4}	2.90	move up,3-4w,clred
25Nov23 ⁵ DED ⁶	1	Heather's Request (Del-Cid, Marlon)	114	L b	1	10	5 ²	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/4}	21.20	contention, game 2nd
8Dec23 ⁶ DED ²	5	Xanthus Wrath (Dominguez, Joel)	119	L bf	5	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{2 1/2}	8.50	chllngd, grudgingly
25Nov23 ⁵ DED ⁴	4	Play Master (Lozada, Carlos)	119	L bf	4	2	7 ²	7 ^{1 1/2}	8 ¹	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	13.70	btwn1/4, late bid
28Oct23 ⁵ DED ⁹	3	Jamaican Me (Del-Cid, Vicente)	119	L bf	3	9	9 ¹	10	5 ¹	7 ¹	5 ^{Head}	1.90*	4-5w, empty
25Nov23 ⁵ DED ⁵	6	Mr Elvin (Birzer, Alex)	119	L b	6	3	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	5.70	lacked late response
25Nov23 ⁵ DED ⁹	2	It's a Bird (Melancon, Jansen)	119	L bf	2	1	3 ¹	6 ²	7 ^{Head}	6 ¹	7 ¹	28.20	early lead, retreated
7Dec23 ² DED ¹	8	Midnight Crown (Vargas, Juan)	122	L f	8	6	8 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	9 ²	9 ¹	8 ²	10.00	settled, remained back
11Nov23 ⁵ DED ⁴	9	Putthehammerdown (Stokes, Louis)	119	L b	9	8	10	9 ¹	10	10	9 ^{1 1/4}	10.40	unhurried, no threat
25Nov23 ⁵ DED ⁷	7	Pink Higgins (Stokes, Joe)	118	L b	7	4	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	8 ^{Head}	10	29.30	vied 2w, gave way

Fractional Times: 23.34 48.41 1:14.71 1:28.62 **Final Time:** 1:42.21
Split Times: (25:07) (26:30) (13:91) (13:59)
Run-Up: 22 feet

Winner: Inspector Ed, Bay Gelding, by Wicked Strong out of Body by Isabelle, by Chapel Royal. Foaled Apr 18, 2020 in Louisiana.
Breeder: Dianne Arndt & Billy Arndt
Owner: John Holleman
Trainer: Knudsen, Kent

Claiming Prices: 10 - Inspector Ed: \$5,000; 1 - Heather's Request: \$5,000; 5 - Xanthus Wrath: \$5,000; 4 - Play Master: \$5,000; 3 - Jamaican Me: \$5,000; 6 - Mr Elvin: \$5,000; 2 - It's a Bird: \$5,000; 8 - Midnight Crown: \$5,000; 9 - Putthehammerdown: \$5,000; 7 - Pink Higgins: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$81,778

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Inspector Ed	7.80	5.80	4.00	\$1.00 Exacta	10-1	71.80	79,764
1	Heather's Request		17.80	7.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	10-1-5	194.85	52,490
5	Xanthus Wrath			5.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	10-1-5-4	353.56	34,421
					\$0.50 Pick 3	3-2-10 (3 correct)	93.90	15,656
					\$0.50 Pick 4	4-3-2-10 (4 correct)	1,169.25	23,918
					\$0.50 Pick 5	6-4-3-2-10 (5 correct)	22,383.15	25,452
					\$1.00 Daily Double	2-10	36.80	12,009

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
10	Inspector Ed	7	6 ^{4 3/4}	5 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ¹	1 ^{1 3/4}
1	Heather's Request	10	5 ^{2 3/4}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 3/4}
5	Xanthus Wrath	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ³
4	Play Master	2	7 ^{5 1/4}	7 ⁴	8 ⁴	5 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}
3	Jamaican Me	9	9 ^{8 3/4}	10 ⁷	5 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{3 3/4}	5 ⁶
6	Mr Elvin	3	4 ^{1 1/4}	4 ¹	4 ^{1 1/4}	4 ²	6 ⁶
2	It's a Bird	1	3 ^{Head}	6 ²	7 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{6 1/4}
8	Midnight Crown	6	8 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{5 1/2}	9 ⁵	9 ^{4 3/4}	8 ^{7 1/4}
9	Putthehammerdown	8	10 ^{9 3/4}	9 ⁶	10 ⁷	10 ^{5 3/4}	9 ^{9 1/4}
7	Pink Higgins	4	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	6 ^{3 3/4}	8 ^{4 3/4}	10 ^{10 1/2}

Trainers: 10 - Knudsen, Kent; 1 - Nelson, Jr., Eric; 5 - Melancon, Donald; 4 - Mojica, Edith; 3 - Larrosa, Juan; 6 - Knudsen, Kent; 2 - Ali, Andrea; 8 - Breaux, Samuel; 9 - Richard, Russell; 7 - Dunn, Henry

Owners: 10 -John Holleman; 1 -Eric D. Nelson, Jr.; 5 - RAW Equine LLC; 4 - Mojica Stables, Inc.; 3 - L and G Racing Stables; 6 -Charles Garvey; 2 - Israel Flores Horses LLC; 8 -Clyde P. Moran, Jr.; 9 - Lopez Farms LLC; 7 -Henry Ray Dunn;

Footnotes

INSPECTOR ED raced in the middle of the pack from the three or four wide around the first turn then moved to the inside rail and steadily advanced on the backstretch, angled out to three or four wide at the top of the stretch and sailed home. HEATHER'S REQUEST raced in the middle of the pack around the first turn then rushed up to contention on the backstretch, engaged the leaders entering the final turn and matched strides with XNTHUS WRATH to deep stretch and was a game second. XANTHUS WRATH dueled for the lead from the inside with PINK HIGGINS for the first half then matched strides with HEATHER'S REQUEST to deep stretch and gave way grudgingly. PLAY MASTER raced near the back around the first turn then moved between horses at the quarter pole and made a late bid to improve his position. JAMAICAN ME was allowed to settle around the first turn then moved up from four wide on the backstretch then moved out to five wide in upper stretch but was empty. MR ELVIN raced off the pace from the two path then made a four wide bid on the final turn but lacked the late response needed. IT'S A BIRD went to the early lead for the first quarter while saving ground and retreated. MIDNIGHT CROWN was allowed to settle and remained back. PUTTHEHAMMERDOWN was unhurried and never a threat. PINK HIGGINS vied for the lead from two wide to the three furlong maker and gave way.

DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2023. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.
Claiming Price \$4,000. Louisiana Bred Claiming Price \$5,000. (NW1 9M) **Claiming Price: \$4,000**
Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (No Its Not - 1:24.31 - January 24, 2003)
Purse: \$11,000
Includes: \$5,000 Other Sources
Plus: \$4,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement
Available Money: \$15,000
Value of Race: \$13,640 1st \$9,000, 2nd \$2,200, 3rd \$1,210, 4th \$900, 5th \$330
Weather: Cloudy, 66° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 3:29 **Start:** Good for all except 3 **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
18Nov23 ⁴ DED ⁵	10	Temprano (Santiago, Edward)	115	L	7	2	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ Neck	12.90	led,came agn, prevaild
8Dec23 ⁴ DED ⁴	1	Verrazano First (Roman, Kevin)	123	L	1	3	⁴ ¹ 1/2	⁴ ¹	² ³	² ⁴ 3/4	5.90	slp thru,gamely,lstnod
9Nov23 ⁶ DED ³	2	Incorrigible (Melancon, Jansen)	123	L	2	1	² Head	² Head	³ ²	³ ¹	2.60	vied, led, held show
27Oct23 ¹ DED ³	8	Payday Too (Del-Cid, Vicente)	120	L	6	6	7	⁶ ¹	⁴ Head	⁴ ² 1/4	0.90*	4w, bid, flattened out
14Dec23 ⁵ DED ³	6	Applewood (Magnon, Devin)	123	L b	5	5	⁶ Head	⁵ Head	⁶ ¹ 1/2	⁵ ¹ /2	7.10	failed to menace
11Aug23 ² EVD ⁸	3	Traelee (Stokes, Louis)	123	L b	3	7	⁵ ¹	7	⁵ Head	⁶ ² 1/2	48.10	hopped start
6Dec23 ¹ DED ⁵	4	More Like It (Torres, Hugo)	123	L b	4	4	³ ¹	³ Head	7	7	20.80	vied 3w, gave way

Fractional Times: 24.28 49.31 1:14.74 **Final Time:** 1:28.23
Split Times: (25:03) (25:43) (13:49)
Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Temprano, Chestnut Gelding, by Munnings out of Serrano, by Exchange Rate. Foaled Apr 19, 2014 in Louisiana.
Breeder: Henry B Johnson Jr. &Robert E. Hibbert II
Owner: Judy Beavin
Trainer: Beavin, Judy

1 Claimed Horse(s): Payday Too New Trainer: Karl Broberg New Owner: End Zone Athletics, Inc.

Claiming Prices: 10 - Temprano: \$5,000; 1 - Verrazano First: \$4,000; 2 - Incorrigible: \$4,000; 8 - Payday Too: \$5,000; 6 - Applewood: \$4,000; 3 - Traelee: \$4,000; 4 - More Like It: \$4,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Forevamo (Veterinarian), Kinlee's Song (Veterinarian), Tapit's Spirit (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$87,006

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Temprano	27.80	14.00	6.40	\$1.00 Exacta	10-1	109.50	86,488
1	Verrazano First		8.00	4.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	10-1-2	236.55	65,417
2	Incorrigible			4.00	\$0.50 Pick 3	2-10-10 (3 correct)	308.75	14,004
					\$1.00 Daily Double	10-10	67.90	6,331
					\$0.10 Superfecta	10-1-2-8	78.87	44,881

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
10	Temprano	2	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ Neck
1	Verrazano First	3	⁴ ¹ 1/4	⁴ Neck	² Head	² Neck
2	Incorrigible	1	² Head	² Head	³ ³	³ ⁵
8	Payday Too	6	⁷ ³ 3/4	⁶ ¹ 1/2	⁴ ⁵	⁴ ⁶
6	Applewood	5	⁶ ³ 3/4	⁵ ¹ 1/4	⁶ ⁵ 1/4	⁵ ⁸ 1/4
3	Traelee	7	⁵ ² 3/4	⁷ ² 1/2	⁵ ⁵ 1/4	⁶ ⁸ 3/4
4	More Like It	4	³ Head	³ Head	⁷ ⁶ 3/4	⁷ ¹¹ 1/4

Trainers: 10 - Beavin, Judy; 1 - Gonzalez, Isai; 2 - Gibson, Jonas; 8 - Gibson, Jonas; 6 - Matthieu, Ronald; 3 - Segura, Kearney; 4 - Cormier, Houston

Owners: 10 -Judy Beavin; 1 -David Scheideler; 2 -Whitney Miller; 8 -Jana Pierce; 6 -Troy Gifford; 3 -Coby Michael Landry; 4 -Richard Scheriger;

Footnotes
TEMPRANO went to the front to take the lead from the inside and was headed at the three furlong marker but came again at the top of the stretch matching strides with VERRAZANO FIRST to the wire and prevailed. VERRAZANO FIRST saved ground around the first turn then slipped through at the three furlong marker to take the lead but was collared at the top of the stretch and dueled gamely to the wire but lost the nod. INCORRIGIBLE vied for the lead from between horses around the first turn then lead between calls and fell back on the final turn but was able to hold on for the show. PAYDAY TOO raced four wide down the backstretch and made a mild bid on the final turn and flattened out. APPLEWOOD raced near the back and failed to menace. TRAELEE hopped at the start and was never a threat. MORE LIKE IT vied for the lead from three wide to the three furlong marker and gave way.

DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 7

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(INCLUDES UP TO \$1,400 LTBASBF) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since November 21 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since October 21 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Condition Eligibility Preferred). (SNW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Grand Contender - 1:36.89 - November 23, 2013)
Purse: \$14,000
Includes: \$9,400 Other Sources
Includes: \$3,200 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund
Available Money: \$14,000
Value of Race: \$14,000 1st \$8,400, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,540, 4th \$840, 5th \$420
Weather: Cloudy, 66° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:01 **Start:** Good for all except 3 **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
29Nov23 ⁴ DED ⁶	2	Tensas Bertie (Pompell, Thomas)	118	L b	2	3	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ⁴ 3/4	0.50*	unchllngd, pace, best
9Dec23 ⁵ DED ¹⁰	6	Cajun Two Step (Roman, Kevin)	119	L b	5	4	2 ¹	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	3 ¹	2 ¹	42.10	rail bid, second best
9Dec23 ⁵ DED ⁵	1	Simple Sunday (Stokes, Joe)	119	L bf	1	1	7 ¹ 1/2	8 ⁵	7 ¹	5 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	9.40	late inside rally
29Nov23 ⁶ DED ⁵	9	Mardi Gras Alarm (Del-Cid, Vicente)	118	L b	8	6	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ² 1/4	5.10	forwardly, outfinished
24Nov23 ³ DED ²	7	Bless d'South (Vargas, Juan)	119	L	6	7	9 ¹	9 ¹	9 ²	7 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	10.50	6wupr,latebid,too late
24Nov23 ³ DED ⁶	8	Boston Lucille (Fusilier, Casey)	119	L b	7	5	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	6 ¹	6 ^{Neck}	42.20	failed to menace
9Dec23 ⁵ DED ⁸	5	She's Takin Over (Thornton, Timothy)	119	L b	4	2	6 ¹	6 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	7 ⁴ 1/2	19.10	failed to sustain bid
6Dec23 ⁶ DED ¹	3	Just a Win (Dominguez, Joel)	123	L bf	3	9	8 ¹ 1/2	7 ² 1/2	6 ¹	8 ³	8 ¹ 1/4	10.80	reared st, btwn3/8
10Dec23 ¹ FG ⁴	11	Mylies Star (Torres, Hugo)	119	L b	10	10	10	10	10	9 ⁴	9 ¹¹	46.80	always back
19Nov22 ⁹ DED ⁵	10	Elizabeth Renee (Rosier, Chris)	119	L bf	9	8	4 ⁴	3 ⁴	8 ¹	10	10	88.50	contention, drop back

Fractional Times: 23.92 48.58 1:14.99 1:28.91 **Final Time:** 1:42.61
Split Times: (24:66) (26:41) (13:92) (13:70)
Run-Up: 22 feet

Winner: Tensas Bertie, Bay Filly, by Custom for Carlos out of Harbor Princess, by Boston Harbor. Foaled Apr 18, 2020 in Louisiana.
Breeder: Curt Leake
Owner: Cantrell Family Partnership
Trainer: Brinkman, Brett

1 Claimed Horse(s): Tensas Bertie New Trainer: Federico Villafranco New Owner: Danny R. Caldwell

Claiming Prices: 2 - Tensas Bertie: \$5,000; 6 - Cajun Two Step: \$5,000; 1 - Simple Sunday: \$5,000; 9 - Mardi Gras Alarm: \$5,000; 7 - Bless d'South: \$5,000; 8 - Boston Lucille: \$5,000; 5 - She's Takin Over: \$5,000; 3 - Just a Win: \$5,000; 11 - Mylies Star: \$5,000; 10 - Elizabeth Renee: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Eagleoverthemoon (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$123,553

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Tensas Bertie	3.00	2.20	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	2-6	29.20	110,163
6	Cajun Two Step		17.20	9.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-6-1	59.85	70,529
1	Simple Sunday			4.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-6-1-9	71.35	48,881
					\$0.50 Pick 3	10-10-2 (3 correct)	72.40	10,187
					\$1.00 Daily Double	10-2	39.00	10,033

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Tensas Bertie	3	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ⁴ 3/4
6	Cajun Two Step	4	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁶	4 ⁴	3 ² 1/2	2 ⁴ 3/4
1	Simple Sunday	1	7 ⁸	8 ¹¹ 1/2	7 ⁶ 1/2	5 ³ 1/2	3 ⁵ 3/4
9	Mardi Gras Alarm	6	3 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	4 ⁶ 1/4
7	Bless d'South	7	9 ¹⁰	9 ¹⁶ 1/2	9 ⁸ 1/2	7 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁸ 1/2
8	Boston Lucille	5	5 ⁷	5 ⁶ 1/2	5 ⁵	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ¹⁰
5	She's Takin Over	2	6 ⁷	6 ⁷	3 ³ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	7 ¹⁰ 1/4
3	Just a Win	9	8 ⁸ 1/2	7 ⁹	6 ⁵ 1/2	8 ⁶	8 ¹⁴ 3/4
11	Mylies Star	10	10 ¹¹	10 ¹⁷ 1/2	10 ¹⁰ 1/2	9 ⁹	9 ¹⁶
10	Elizabeth Renee	8	4 ³	3 ²	8 ⁷ 1/2	10 ¹³	10 ²⁷

Trainers: 2 - Brinkman, Brett; 6 - Breaux, Samuel; 1 - Ward, Ronnie; 9 - Bryant, George; 7 - Larrosa, Juan; 8 - Roberts, Roy; 5 - Johnson, Jr., Henry; 3 - Landry, Allen; 11 - Dussette, Alvin; 10 - Chevis, Vincent

Owners: 2 - Cantrell Family Partnership; 6 -Rene Lavergne; 1 -Ronnie P. Ward; 9 -Phillip Cleek; 7 - Haas, Margaret Lanetta and Womack, Larry D.; 8 -Penny Meyers; 5 -Joyce L. Davis; 3 -Heather Lamarche; 11 - AJD Racing Stable LLC; 10 -Marti Guerrero;

Footnotes

TENSAS BERTIE went to the front to an unchallenged lead and set all the pace to prove best. CAJUN TWO STEP raced off the pace around the first turn then fell back slightly on the backstretch but made a rail bid through the final turn to be second best. SIMPLE SUNDAY saved ground around the first turn then moved out the five wide at the three eighths to move around traffic, moved back inside for a late rally. MARDI GRAS ALARM was forwardly place around the first turn then moved up to be off the pace through the final turn then floated out at the top of the stretch and was outfinished. BLESS D'SOUTH near back down the backstretch then moved out the six wide in upper stretch for a late bid but was too late. BOSTON LUCILLE raced in the middle of the pack from three wide and failed to menace. SHE'S TAKIN OVER raced in the middle of the pack then moved between horses at the five sixteenths pole but failed to sustain the bid. JUST A WIN reared at the gates opened then was allowed to settle around the first turn, moved up to go between horses at the three furlong marker but faltered. MYLIES STAR was unhurried and was always back. ELIZABETH RENEE was rushed to contention from three wide to the

final turn and dropped back.

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DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since November 21 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since October 21 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races Not Considered In Estimating Allowances). (NW3 L)

Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt

Current Track Record: (No Its Not - 1:24.31 - January 24, 2003)

Purse: \$37,000

Includes: \$30,500 Other Sources

Plus: \$10,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$47,000

Value of Race: \$43,000 1st \$28,200, 2nd \$7,400, 3rd \$4,070, 4th \$2,220, 5th \$1,110

Weather: Cloudy, 66°

Track: Fast

Off at: 4:30

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	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Mar23 ⁴ FG ³	1	Iron in the Fire (Thornton, Timothy)	116	L b	1	1	1 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ¹	8.30	came again, prevailed
21Nov23 ⁸ DED ¹	5	Ever a Rebel (Negron, Luis)	120	L b	5	6	4 ^{1/2}	4 ²	5 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1.80	4w1/4, rallied
4Nov23 ⁵ DED ³	6	Rithm Nic (Del-Cid, Vicente)	118	L f	6	3	3 ²	3 ²	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	1.20*	gamely, outkicked late
6Dec23 ⁷ DED ¹	3	Uxmal (Santiago, Edward)	117	L	3	5	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4.60	mid pack, late rally
1Jul23 ⁷ EVD ⁵	4	Brite Outlook (Rosier, Chris)	118	L b	4	2	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	24.60	vied, led, gamely
22Nov23 ⁷ DED ³	7	Fahan (Vargas, Juan)	119	L f	7	7	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ³	11.80	mid pack, no threat
1Dec23 ² DED ²	2	Itwasthisbig (Melancon, Jansen)	118	L b	2	4	7	7	7	7	43.10	trailed, outrun,

Fractional Times: 22.77 47.05 1:13.08

Split Times: (24:28) (26:03) (13:90)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Final Time: 1:26.98

Winner: Iron in the Fire, Chestnut Gelding, by Iron Fist out of Robtadi, by Eurosilver. Foaled Feb 06, 2019 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Wendell A. Templet

Owner: World War IV Racing

Trainer: Landry, Allen

Total WPS Pool: \$99,097

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Iron in the Fire	18.60	6.60	4.00	\$1.00 Exacta	1-5	40.00	69,782
5	Ever a Rebel		3.60	2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-5-6	50.15	47,384
6	Rithm Nic			2.40	\$0.50 Pick 3	10-2-1 (3 correct)	528.20	9,863
					\$1.00 Daily Double	2-1	21.60	13,145
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-5-6-3	26.77	33,794

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Iron in the Fire	1	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ¹
5	Ever a Rebel	6	4 ⁴	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ³	2 ¹
6	Rithm Nic	3	3 ²	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}
3	Uxmal	5	6 ^{5 1/2}	6 ⁵	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}
4	Brite Outlook	2	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	5 ^{2 1/2}
7	Fahan	7	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁴	6 ³
2	Itwasthisbig	4	7 ⁷	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ⁶

Trainers: 1 - Landry, Allen; 5 - Evans, Justin; 6 - Richard, Chris; 3 - Guillory, Jr., Henry; 4 - Chatters, Benard; 7 - Noel, Dane; 2 - Arnett, Jon

Owners: 1 - World War IV Racing; 5 - Rockingham Ranch and Talla Racing LLC; 6 - Miracle Logistics Inc.; 3 -Mario Silva; 4 - P. T. Thoroughbreds, LLC; 7 - Donegal Racing; 2 -Rodney M. Miller;

Footnotes

IRON IN THE FIRE went to the lead down the backstretch and was headed at the three furlong marker but came again to prevail. EVER A REBEL saved ground while racing in the middle of the pack then moved out to four wide at the quarter pole for the late rally for place. RITHM NIC pressed the pace from three wide and engaged the leader at the quarter pole, fought gamely to deep stretch but was out kicked late. UXMAL raced near the back around the first turn then moved up on the inside through the final turn and made a late rally but missed the show. BRITE OUTLOOK vied for the lead from two wide then took a narrow brief lead at the three furlong marker and fought gamely to the final sixteenth before tiring. FAHAN raced in the middle of the pack from three wide and was not a threat. ITWASTHISBIG trailed the field while being outrun.

DELTA DOWNS - December 21, 2023 - Race 9

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since November 21 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since October 21 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$4,000. **Claiming Price:** \$4,000

Distance: Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Heitai - 56.69 - February 1, 2014)

Purse: \$12,000

Includes: \$6,000 Other Sources

Plus: \$4,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$16,000

Value of Race: \$14,960 1st \$9,600, 2nd \$2,400, 3rd \$1,760, 4th \$720, 5th \$480

Weather: Cloudy, 66° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:02 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

EQUIBASE

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
9Dec23 ³ FG ⁵	7	Hail State (Thornton, Timothy)	120	L b	5	1	¹ Head	² 1 1/2	² 1 1/2	¹ Head	3.00	dueled, won photo
30Nov23 ⁴ DED ⁷	6	Gerard (Del-Cid, Vicente)	118	L bf	4	3	³ Head	¹ Head	¹ Head	² 2 1/2	2.70*	dueled, lost nod
25Nov23 ⁹ DED ⁷	1	Wonder Run (Munoz, Sergio)	111	L b	1	5	⁵ 2	³ 1	³ 2	³ 5	13.80	no match top two
24Jul23 ³ LAD ⁹	2	Salado (Birzer, Alex)	119	L	2	6	7	7	⁵ 4	⁴ Neck	4.00	brk out, chsd,improved
7Dec23 ⁸ DED ⁵	3	Full Power (Vargas, Juan)	117	L bf	3	7	⁶ Head	⁶ 1/2	⁴ 1/2	⁵ 7 3/4	15.40	pnchd, pass tired ones
2Sep23 ¹ LAD ⁹	9	Gold Merritt (Stokes, Joe)	116	L f	6	2	² Head	⁴ 1/2	7	⁶ 2 3/4	3.10	duel,flt out, weakened
30Nov23 ⁴ DED ⁸	10	My Man Louie (Melancon, Jansen)	118	L b	7	4	⁴ 1	⁵ 1/2	⁶ Head	7	6.90	vied4w,forceout, tired

Fractional Times: 22.55 46.37

Split Times: (23:82) (13:04)

Run-Up: 26 feet

Final Time: 59.41

Winner: Hail State, Bay Gelding, by [Quality Road](#) out of Lady o' War, by Leestown. Foaled Apr 07, 2017 in Louisiana.

QUALITY ROAD

Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: World War IV Racing
Owner: End Zone Athletics, Inc.
Trainer: Broberg, Karl

2 Claimed Horse(s): Gerard

New Trainer: Isai V. Gonzalez

New Owner: Adriel Gonzalez

Hail State

New Trainer: Mark N. Hibdon

New Owner: Mark N. Hibdon

Claiming Prices: 7 - Hail State: \$4,000; 6 - Gerard: \$4,000; 1 - Wonder Run: \$4,000; 2 - Salado: \$4,000; 3 - Full Power: \$4,000; 9 - Gold Merritt: \$4,000; 10 - My Man Louie: \$4,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Shark Harbor (Stewards), Tripper John (Stewards), Wrath (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$51,273

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Hail State	8.00	3.40	2.80	\$1.00 Exacta	7-6	13.00	37,986
6	Gerard		3.80	2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-6-1	37.70	24,336
1	Wonder Run			4.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-6-1-2	29.23	16,176
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-7	40.50	18,691
					\$0.50 Pick 3	2-1-7 (3 correct)	115.10	34,281
					\$0.50 Pick 4	10-2/4-1-7 (4 correct)	3,903.70	39,949
					\$0.50 Pick 5	10-10-2/4-1-7 (5 correct)	6,854.45	23,406

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
7	Hail State	1	¹ Head	² Head	² Head	¹ Head
6	Gerard	3	³ Head	¹ Head	¹ Head	² Head
1	Wonder Run	5	⁵ 1 1/4	³ 1 1/2	³ 1 1/2	³ 2 1/2
2	Salado	6	⁷ 3 1/2	⁷ 4	⁵ 4	⁴ 7 1/2
3	Full Power	7	⁶ 3 1/4	⁶ 3 1/2	⁴ 3 1/2	⁵ 7 3/4
9	Gold Merritt	2	² Head	⁴ 2 1/2	⁷ 8 1/4	⁶ 15 1/2
10	My Man Louie	4	⁴ Neck	⁵ 3	⁶ 8	⁷ 18 1/4

Trainers: 7 - Broberg, Karl; 6 - Arnett, Jon; 1 - Turner, Patti; 2 - Hewitt, Michael; 3 - DeRousselle, Peter; 9 - Ward, Ronnie; 10 - Degeyter, Jr., Randy

Owners: 7 - End Zone Athletics, Inc.; 6 -Charles D. Nielsen; 1 -Patti Turner; 2 -Michael Hewitt; 3 - Angelle, Glenn M. and Tamporello, Glenn A.; 9 -Karen Lorona; 10 -Ronnie Robinson;

Footnotes
HAIL STATE dueled from the two path for the lead to the wire and won the photo. GERARD bumped with FULL POWER at the start the rushed up to vie for the lead on the inside, took a narrow lead at the three furlong marker and dueled to the wire and lost the nod. WONDER RUN raced off the pace on the inside, angled out to three wide at the quarter pole but was no match for the top two. SALADO broke outward at the start then chased the leaders to the turn, made a mild bid around the turn to improve his position. FULL POWER bumped with outside rival and was pinched back early, chased the leaders around the turn then moved out to four wide in upper stretch to pass tired ones. GOLD MERRITT dueled for the lead from three wide to the three furlong marker then floated out on the turn and weakened. MY MAN LOUIE vied for the lead from four wide to the three furlong marker then was forced wide on the turn and tired.

Track Attendance: 0

Off Track Wagering

Handle: \$12,110

Handle: \$2,501,913