

LAUREL PARK - April 11, 2025 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO 15% MBF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 117 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500, if for \$10,000, allowed 4 lbs. (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$12,500 - \$10,000
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Richter Scale - 1:07.95 - July 15, 2000)
Purse: \$23,230
Includes: \$900 Starters Bonus
Includes: \$330 MBF - Maryland Bred Fund
Available Money: \$23,230
Value of Race: \$23,230 1st \$13,200, 2nd \$4,400, 3rd \$2,530, 4th \$1,100, 5th \$660, 6th \$440, 7th \$300, 8th \$300, 9th \$300
Weather: Rainy, 45° **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)
Off at: 12:12 **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
29Mar25 ³ LRL ³	5	Ascendance (Hamilton, Weston) VA CERTIFIED	122	L b	4	5	7 ⁴ 1/2	5 ^{Head}	4 ³ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	15.90	rail 1/4,swung out 1/8
14Mar25 ³ PEN ³	2	Town's Warrior (Lopez, Carlos)	126	L bf	1	6	5 ⁴	3 ³	1 ^{Head}	2 ²	4.60	drifted out late
29Mar25 ³ LRL ⁵	7	Get Like Mike (Hazlewood, Yedsit)	112	L bf	6	9	8 ^{Head}	8 ⁶	6 ¹ 1/2	3 ³ 1/4	12.70	wide,angled in 1/16
22Mar25 ² LRL ²	10	Tough Workout (Del Fabbro, Sara)	115	L bf	8	2	2 ²	2 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ³ 1/4	11.90	prompted 2-path,weaknd
7Mar25 ³ LRL ¹	11	Super Needy (Gomez, Kevin)	126	L b	9	8	6 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹ 1/4	8.20	passed tiring rivals
8Feb25 ² CT ²	9	Banditsgoldenchild (Perez, Xavier)	126	L	7	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ² 1/2	6 ³ 3/4	2.40	rail, gave way
6Mar25 ³ PEN ²	3	Noble Fish (Villalobos, Ismerio)	122	L f	2	7	9	9	9	7 ² 3/4	19.50	outrun
14Mar25 ³ PEN ⁷	4	Leonids (Conner, Tyler)	126	L b	3	4	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ²	7 ⁵	8 ⁴ 1/2	11.60	chased, gave way
1Apr25 ⁴ PRX ²	6	Parkerness (Rodriguez, Jaime)	122	L b	5	3	4 ²	7 ²	8 ²	9	2.20*	chased, faltered,

Fractional Times: 23.00 47.46 1:00.01 **Final Time:** 1:13.28
Split Times: (24:46) (12:55) (13:27)
Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: Ascendance, Bay Gelding, by Tamarkuz out of Yalisha, by Run Production. Foaled Mar 10, 2021 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Respect the Valleys LLC
Owner: Herradura Racing
Trainer: Cox, Kenneth

Claiming Prices: 5 - Ascendance: \$10,000; 2 - Town's Warrior: \$12,500; 7 - Get Like Mike: \$10,000; 10 - Tough Workout: \$10,000; 11 - Super Needy: \$12,500; 9 - Banditsgoldenchild: \$12,500; 3 - Noble Fish: \$10,000; 4 - Leonids: \$12,500; 6 - Parkerness: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): The Heights (Stewards), Tiz Marks Spirit (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$35,418

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Ascendance	33.80	11.00	5.40	\$1.00 Exacta	5-2	91.50	34,519
2	Town's Warrior		5.80	3.00	\$1.00 Superfecta	5-2-7-10	9,027.80	14,632
7	Get Like Mike			5.60	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-2-7	605.70	20,977

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Ascendance	5	7 ¹⁰ 1/2	5 ⁶	4 ⁴	1 ^{Head}
2	Town's Warrior	6	5 ⁵ 1/2	3 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}
7	Get Like Mike	9	8 ¹⁵	8 ⁸ 3/4	6 ⁷ 3/4	3 ²
10	Tough Workout	2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ² 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/4
11	Super Needy	8	6 ⁹ 1/2	6 ⁶ 1/4	5 ⁷ 1/2	5 ⁸ 1/2
9	Banditsgoldenchild	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	6 ⁹ 3/4
3	Noble Fish	7	9 ¹⁵ 1/4	9 ¹⁴ 3/4	9 ¹⁶ 1/4	7 ¹³ 1/2
4	Leonids	4	3 ²	4 ⁴	7 ⁹ 1/4	8 ¹⁶ 1/4
6	Parkerness	3	4 ³ 1/2	7 ⁶ 3/4	8 ¹⁴ 1/4	9 ²⁰ 3/4

Trainers: 5 - Cox, Kenneth; 2 - Kreiser, Timothy; 7 - Gonzalez, Claudio; 10 - White, Sarah; 11 - Salzman, Timothy; 9 - Robb, John; 3 - Morici, Diane; 4 - McClellan, Erin; 6 - Ness, Jamie

Owners: 5 - Herradura Racing; 2 - Bush Racing Stable; 7 - MCA Racing Stable LLC and Gruskos, David; 10 - Foy Racing; 11 - Clover Hill Racing LLC; 9 - No Guts No Glory Farm; 3 - Morici Racing Stable LLC; 4 - Commonwealth New Era Racing; 6 - Johnson, Troy and Jagger, Inc.;

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ASCENDANCE lacked speed, hugged the inner rail leaving the turn, remained inside foes in upper stretch, swung outside in mid stretch, closed determinedly and was up at the wire. TOWN'S WARRIOR circled the turn three wide, gained a short lead in mid stretch, went clear near the sixteenth pole and just missed after drifting out in the late going. GET LIKE MIKE lacked speed, swung wide leaving the turn, angled in near the sixteenth pole and rallied inside the top pair. TOUGH WORKOUT prompted the pace outside BANDITSGOLDENCHILD and weakened through the stretch. SUPER NEEDY bore out leaving the starting gate and passed tired foes. BANDITSGOLDENCHILD sprinted to the early lead, hugged the inner rail and gave way. NOBLE FISH was outrun. LEONIDS chased the pace and gave way. PARKERNESS chased the pace and faltered.

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