FOURTH RACE

Colonial

JULY 9, 2026

1 MILE. (1.33[1]) CLAIMING. Purse $25,000 (plus $3,550 Starters Bonus) (PLUS UP TO 50% VBF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since June 9 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $10,000 (Races Where Entered For $7,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances).

Value of Race: $28,550 Winner $15,000; second $5,000; third $2,500; fourth $1,250; fifth $1,200; sixth $1,200; seventh $1,200; eighth $1,200.
Mutuel Pool $82,969.00 Exacta Pool $57,663.00 Superfecta Pool $23,568.00 Trifecta Pool $35,558.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
30May26 [4]Del[4]	Be Better	L bf	7	123	3	7	2[hd]	2[1]	2[2]	1[hd]	1½	Lopez P	10000	2.70
18Jun26 [5]CT[5]	White Series	L b	5	123	6	1	1½	1[hd]	1[hd]	2[3]	2[3¾]	Barbosa J	10000	3.30
14Jun26 [1]Lrl[1]	Forrest City	b	7	123	8	3	4½	6[2]	3[1]	3[1]	3[1]	Lyapustina T	10000	5.00
31May26 [6]Lrl[8]	Aztec	L bf	7	118	1	8	6[3]	4½	5[2½]	4[hd]	4½	Vargas J E[5]	10000	17.50
31May26 [6]Lrl[4]	Bigtonten	L b	4	123	2	6	5[hd]	5[hd]	4[hd]	5[2]	5[1]	Sanchez M J	10000	4.60
31May26 [7]Lrl[5]	Cut the Cord	L b	7	123	5	4	7½	7[7]	6[1½]	6[9]	6[17½]	Leon S	10000	2.90
25Jun26 [5]Cnl[9]	Noble Gentleman	L f	5	123	7	5	3½	3½	7[5]	7[3]	7[1½]	Loveberry J	10000	20.00
19Jun26 [5]GP[6]	Al Ameeq	L	5	116	4	2	8	8	8	8	8	Fuenmayor L[7]	10000	33.80

OFF AT 2:07 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :23[2], :46[2], 1:10[3], 1:22[4], 1:35[3] (:23.49, :46.57, 1:10.76, 1:22.91, 1:35.72)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 – BE BETTER	7.40	4.20	2.80
6 – WHITE SERIES		4.20	3.20
8 – FORREST CITY			3.80

$1 EXACTA 3–6 PAID $21.30 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–6–8–1 PAID $68.01 50 CENT TRIFECTA 3–6–8 PAID $51.05

Dk. b or br. g, (Apr), by Uncle Mo – Social Call, by Smart Strike. Trainer Allen A Ferris III. Bred by Repole Stable Inc (Ky).

BE BETTER pressed the early pace in between rivals, then went up to duel for command two wide entering the turn, then was sent down and had a long stretch drive and edged clear to prove best. WHITE SERIES set a pressured pace and then dueled on the inside and had a long drive but was out-kicked late and had to settle for being second best, good effort. FORREST CITY stalked the pace from the outside and was four wide on the turn but lacked the needed winning bid while besting the rest. AZTEC tracked the pace on the inside and saved ground throughout but had no punch in the drive while racing evenly. BIGTONTEN tracked the pace and was in between rivals on the turn but faded in the final furlong. CUT THE CORD was settled early and raced on the inside to the two path on the turn while under coaxing, angled out in the lane and had no rally while finishing willingly. NOBLE GENTLEMAN prompted the pace three wide, five wide by the quarter pole and tired. AL AMEEQ showed brief speed to chase the pace for a furlong and a half and then fell back on the inside and was not a factor.

Owners– 1, SpergerWay Stables LLC; 2, Ulman Louis J and Vieser II Walter; 3, Team Gaudet; 4, Warwick Stable; 5, Big Bertha Stable; 6, Team Gaudet; 7, Needham George Needham Joanie and Hester Leanne; 8, Lusk Brian R

Trainers– 1, Allen A Ferris III; 2, Capuano Phillip; 3, Gaudet Lacey; 4, Allen A Ferris III; 5, Capuano Phillip; 6, Gaudet Lacey; 7, Hester Leanne; 8, Lusk Brian R

Scratched– Speedy Alex (12Jun26 [2]Lrl[1])

$1 Pick Three (2–1–3/9) Paid $157.00; Pick Three Pool $6,024.
$1 Daily Double (1–3) Paid $31.90; Daily Double Pool $10,578.