SIXTH RACE

Delaware

MAY 23, 2026

1 MILE 70 YARDS. (1.38[2]) STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING . Purse $20,000 (plus $500 Starters Bonus) (PLUS UP TO 50% Other Sources) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF $5,000 OR LESS IN 2025 – 2026 OR CLAIMING PRICE $8,000. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since March 23, 2026 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price $8,000 (Races Where Entered For $6,250 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating Allowances).

Value of Race: $20,500 Winner $12,000; second $4,000; third $2,000; fourth $1,000; fifth $500; sixth $500; seventh $500. Mutuel Pool $68,558.00 Exacta Pool $52,150.00 Trifecta Pool $32,043.00 Superfecta Pool $19,188.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
16May26 [1]Del[3]	Striking Sparks	L b	5	121	3	2	2^{1}	2^{1}_{2}	1^{1}_{2}	1^{4}	1^{6}_{2}	Batista J A		0.90
8May26 [9]CT[6]	Ascendance	L b	5	121	1	3	3^{hd}	3^{2}_{2}	3^{4}	2^{1}_{2}	2^{3}_{4}	Mauricio J		9.00
17Apr26 [1]Pen[5]	Styner	L bf	8	121	2	1	1^{1}_{2}	1^{1}_{2}	2^{1}_{2}	3^{7}	3^{5}_{2}	Chiappe R	8000	4.80
26Apr26 [8]Tam[2]	Good as He Gets	L b	5	124	5	5	6^{2}	6^{2}	5^{3}	5^{1}	4^{2}_{4}	Gil C		4.20
8Apr26 [4]Tam[8]	Secret Treasure	L b	6	121	6	6	7	7	6^{4}	6^{10}	5^{3}_{4}	Ho W		7.10
11Apr26 [6]CT[3]	Hawkstone	L b	4	121	4	4	4^{hd}	4^{2}	4^{2}	4^{1}	6^{20}	Luna P A		16.30
22Apr26 [8]Tam[4]	Anchises	L b	5	121	7	7	5^{2}	5^{2}	7	7	7	Cedeno C	8000	23.10

OFF AT 3:07 Start Good. Won easily. Track sloppy (Sealed).

TIME :23[2], :47[3], 1:13[1], 1:39[2], 1:43[3] (:23.45, :47.64, 1:13.39, 1:39.51, 1:43.71)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 – STRIKING SPARKS	**3.80**	**2.80**	**2.10**
1 – ASCENDANCE		**6.00**	**3.40**
2 – STYNER			**3.80**

$1 EXACTA 3–1 PAID $9.80 50 CENT TRIFECTA 3–1–2 PAID $20.30 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–1–2–6 PAID $10.38

Ch. g, (Apr), by Accelerate – Gas Total–Brz , by Sulamani–Ire . Trainer Rodriguez Jose S. Bred by Brownwood Farm (Ky).

STRIKING SPARKS followed the early pace, advanced four wide through the final turn, took control and drew off as an easy winner. ASCENDANCE was reserved early, raced along the inside through the turns, kept on and was second best. STYNER set a clear early pace, raced off the rail through the turns, drifted out drive, third best. GOOD AS HE GETS was outrun early, raced six wide through the second turn and offered no late rally. SECRET TREASURE was taken back, went three wide into the second turn and never fired. HAWKSTONE tracked the early pace, raced four wide into the second turn and was empty. ANCHISES raced in mid pack early, raced four wide into the second turn and was finished early.

Owners– 1, Gutierrez Victor J; 2, Rodriguez Racing LLC; 3, Anderson David B; 4, Paterpop Racing; 5, Bourke W John and Castillo Michelle; 6, Nazario Racing Stable LLC; 7, AOM Racing Stables LLC and Diamond Hands Racing LLC

Trainers– 1, Rodriguez Jose S; 2, Rodriguez Jesus; 3, Kravets Bruce M; 4, Simone Michael V; 5, Castillo Michelle; 6, Nazario Pedro; 7, Mendieta Alejandro O

Styner was claimed by LaMarche Wayne; trainer, Simone Michael V.

Scratched– Catatumbo (08May26 [6]Lrl[7])

$1 Daily Double (2–3) Paid $29.00 ; Daily Double Pool $6,222 .
50 CENT Pick Three (4–2–3) Paid $31.40 ; Pick Three Pool $7,030 .