**SEVENTH RACE**
# Evangeline
**JUNE 27, 2026**

**6 FURLONGS. ( 1.08[1] ) MAIDEN CLAIMING . Purse $14,000 ( includes $9,200 Other Sources ) (INCLUDES UP TO $1,000 LTBASBF ) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price $5,000.**

**Value of Race: $14,000 Winner $8,400; second $2,800; third $1,540; fourth $840; fifth $420. Mutuel Pool $71,903.00 Exacta Pool $49,469.00 Trifecta Pool $40,017.00 Superfecta Pool $29,740.00**

| Last Raced | Horse | M/Eqt. | A. | Wt | PP | St | ¼ | ½ | Str | Fin | Jockey | Cl'g Pr | Odds $1 |
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| 28May26 [1]EvD[3] | Closing Agent | L bf | 4 | 124 | 4 | 3 | 1[1] | 1½ | 1½ | 1¾ | Ramirez J Jr | 5000 | 5.80 |
| 13Jun26 [9]EvD[2] | Bellastone Country | L | 3 | 121 | 7 | 1 | 2½ | 4½ | 2hd | 2[2] | Barrera E J | 5000 | 3.10 |
| 13Jun26 [9]EvD[6] | Samuel | L | 3 | 121 | 6 | 6 | 3½ | 2hd | 3hd | 3[2½] | Melancon J | 5000 | 2.10 |
| 18Jun26 [8]EvD[8] | One Grand Slam | L bf | 4 | 124 | 8 | 5 | 5½ | 3½ | 4½ | 4no | Castillo I | 5000 | 2.60 |
| 30May26 [1]EvD[6] | Taurean | L bf | 7 | 124 | 5 | 2 | 6[2] | 7[4] | 6[1½] | 5hd | Vargas J P | 5000 | 22.80 |
| 11Jun26 [3]EvD[6] | Stanley Little Boy | L | 4 | 124 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 7½ | 6¾ | Magnon D H | 5000 | 32.60 |
| 30Jan26 [1]DeD[8] | Man of the Hill | L b | 3 | 121 | 1 | 8 | 7[4] | 5[2] | 5[1½] | 7[8] | Rodriguez J L | 5000 | 9.90 |
| 4Jun26 [8]EvD[6] | Truvy's Hit | L b | 3 | 123 | 2 | 4 | 4½ | 6½ | 8 | 8 | Inirio J | 5000 | 15.50 |

**OFF AT 8:19 Start Good For All But MAN OF THE HILL, TRUVY'S HIT, STANLEY LITTLE BOY. Won driving. Track fast.**

**TIME : :23, :46[4], 1:00, 1:13[4] ( :23.04, :46.99, 1:00.07, 1:13.83 )**

## $2 Mutuel Prices:

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| **4 – CLOSING AGENT** | **13.60** | **5.60** | **3.20** |
| **7 – BELLASTONE COUNTRY** | | **3.80** | **2.60** |
| **6 – SAMUEL** | | | **2.60** |

**$1 EXACTA 4–7 PAID $30.20 50 CENT TRIFECTA 4–7–6 PAID $45.40 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 4–7–6–8 PAID $19.87**

**B. g, (Mar), by Custom for Carlos – Ide's Child , by Ide. Trainer Mouton Chadwick J. Bred by Randy Ellis (La).**

CLOSING AGENT brushed with the inside rival at the start was hustled up to take the lead passing the five-furlong pole, maintained a narrow lead through the turn while traveling well, was set down at the head of the stretch, came under steady urging but managed to fend off all challengers to prevail. BELLASTONE COUNTRY pressed the CLOSING AGENT in the two-path, came under heavy pressure from the quarter pole, had every chance in the stretch but could not get by. SAMUEL settled between horses just off the pace, came out three-wide for the stretch run, but coud not find an extra gear when needed in deep stretch. ONE GRAND SLAM was always close up but four-wide, finished evenly through the stretch, and was unable to improve. TAUREAN chased at the back of the main pack, was floated out four-wide into the stretch, and finished mildly. STANLEY LITTLE BOY got squeezed and pinched back at the start, dropped far behind early, kept to task on the inside path and improved. MAN OF THE HILL broke in a tangle, was a bit rank and taken to the outside, made a big move three to four wide after passing the three-furlong pole, came out five-wide into the stretch and flattened out. TRUVY'S HIT broke off balance and ducked out sharply, recovered quickly, and moved up into contention along the rail, struggled to keep pace near the three-furlong pole, dropped back, and was uninvolved in the later stages.

**Owners–** 1, Ellis Gregory A; 2, Cano Juan M; 3, Johns Brittany; 4, Shamsie Austin J; 5, Valls Thoroughbreds LLC; 6, Boxie Joseph S; 7, Elite Thoroughbred Racing LLC; 8, Zeno Kenneth J

**Trainers–** 1, Mouton Chadwick J; 2, Cano Juan M; 3, Degeyter Randy Jr; 4, Shamsie Mike; 5, Mojica Edith A; 6, Boxie Joseph S; 7, Thomas Lee; 8, Zenon Shelton J Sr

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**50 CENT Pick Three (7–1–4) Paid $86.65 ; Pick Three Pool $9,288 .**
**$1 Daily Double (1–4) Paid $105.90 ; Daily Double Pool $8,184 .**