FIRST RACE

La. Downs

JULY 3, 2026

7½ FURLONGS. (Turf) (1.27[4]) CLAIMING . Purse $14,000 (includes$1,600 LTBA – Louisiana TB Breeders Association) (INCLUDES UP TO $6,700 Other Sources) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 123 lbs.; Older, 127 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race Since May 3, 2026 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $10,000. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at one mile and seventy yards). (Cloudy. 88.)

Value of Race: $14,000 Winner $8,400; second $2,800; third $1,540; fourth $840; fifth $420. Mutuel Pool $39,150.00 Exacta Pool $29,386.00 Superfecta Pool $15,916.00 Trifecta Pool $22,549.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
5May26 7LaD[1]	Clearly Bella	L f	4	127	6	5	3[hd]	3[1]	1½	1¾	Castillo A	10000	2.60
6Jun26 2LaD[1]	Back Street Baby	L	5	127	3	1	4 1½	4[1]	4 3½	2[hd]	Williams R	10000	2.20
5May26 7LaD[2]	Classic Embrace	L b	4	125	5	4	2 1½	2 1½	2½	3[nk]	Lozada C	10000	2.00
2Jun26 5LaD[2]	Chicka Chick	L	3	121	2	2	1[1]	1[hd]	3[1]	4[nk]	Nieves E	10000	4.60
2Jun26 5LaD[3]	Chapellete	L b	5	120	1	3	6	6	5[4]	5[10]	Pena J[5]	10000	10.80
1Jun26 6LaD[1]	Shelbi's Star	L b	5	127	4	6	5[2]	5[3]	6	6	Rodriguez F T	10000	31.40

OFF AT 4:08 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME : 25[3], :50[2], 1:14[1], 1:25[4], 1:32 (:25.74, :50.44, 1:14.30, 1:25.86, 1:32.13)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

7 – CLEARLY BELLA	**7.20**	**3.60**	**2.40**
3 – BACK STREET BABY		**3.40**	**2.40**
6 – CLASSIC EMBRACE			**2.20**

$1 EXACTA 7–3 PAID $9.60 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 7–3–6–2 PAID $4.53 50 CENT TRIFECTA 7–3–6 PAID $10.90

Dk. b or br. f, (Mar), by Clearly Now – Bella Canzone, by Gio Ponti. Trainer Wilson Shane. Bred by Craig Drago (La).

CLEARLY BELLA stalked the pace while four wide through the first turn, crept closer into the far turn, put a head in front in the three path into the lane, extended that advantage past the furlong marker then held the runner up safe late under firm handling. BACK STREET BABY tucked in to save some ground first turn, moved closer in the two path in some minor traffic through the second bend, tipped out three wide turning into the straight to lose some momentum, set down when straightened for home, slowly closing the gap on the winner late while up for the second spot in the final strides. CLASSIC EMBRACE prompted the issue up from off the inside, engaged the pacesetter while between horses and inside the winner, vied with that one into the lane then could not match strides, nipped late for the second spot. CHICKA CHICK showed the way into the first turn just off the inside, continued to show the way up the backstretch, headed in the second turn then gave ground grudgingly through the lane while remaining closest to the inside. CHAPELLETE void of speed, shifted out for the drive, displayed on modest interest through the lane. SHELBI'S STAR off the pace while outside, was four wide through the final turn, failed to muster a closing kick.

Owners– 1, Wilson Rebecca; 2, Wilson Rebecca; 3, Daniel Family Farms LLC; 4, Duffy's Racing Stable LLC and Heider Racing Stables LLC; 5, Spretz Kevin and Spretz David; 6, Horne C Rutledge

Trainers– 1, Wilson Shane; 2, Wilson Shane; 3, Cates Al; 4, Pish Danny; 5, Foster Joseph M; 6, Nelson Eric D Jr

Chicka Chick was claimed by Arredondo Rosario; trainer, Savoie Sherman.

Scratched– Seamus's Girl (23Jun26 1LaD[2])