FIFTH RACE

Laurel

MARCH 29, 2026

6 FURLONGS. (1.07[4]) STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING . Purse $24,000 (includes $3,240 Starters Bonus) (PLUS UP TO 15% MBF) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF $8,000 OR LESS IN THEIR LAST THREE STARTS OR CLAIMING PRICE $12,500–10,000. Weight, 126 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race Since January 29 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price $12,500, if for $10,000, allowed 4 lbs. (Races Where Entered For $8,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances).

Value of Race: $28,040 Winner $16,560; second $5,520; third $2,760; fourth $1,200; fifth $1,000; sixth $1,000. Mutuel Pool $82,042.00 Exacta Pool $57,744.00 Superfecta Pool $25,125.00 Trifecta Pool $36,366.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
13Mar26 ^{6}Lrl^{1}	Kerness K	L	b	4	118	1	3	2^{4}	$1\frac{1}{2}$	$1^{2}\frac{1}{2}$	$1^{4}\frac{1}{4}$	Hazlewood Y^{5}		0.40
27Feb26 ^{5}Lrl^{6}	Heldish	L	b	6	118	4	5	4^{1}	3^{3}	2^{hd}	$2^{1}\frac{3}{4}$	Vargas J E^{5}		18.60
27Feb26 ^{5}Lrl^{2}	El Divino Nino	L	b	5	123	3	1	1^{hd}	$2^{3}\frac{1}{2}$	$3^{4}\frac{1}{2}$	$3^{3}\frac{1}{2}$	Chuan M	12500	3.40
6Mar26 ^{5}Lrl^{1}	Spotted Bull	L	b	8	123	6	6	5^{hd}	$4^{1}\frac{1}{2}$	4^{5}	$4^{5}\frac{3}{4}$	Burnham M		18.80
10May25 ^{9}Pim^{2}	Forrest City	L	b	7	123	2	2	$3^{1}\frac{1}{2}$	$5^{2}\frac{1}{2}$	5^{1}	$5^{5}\frac{1}{4}$	Boyce F		4.10
27Feb26 ^{5}Lrl^{7}	Let's Have a Party	L	b	4	123	5	4	6	6	6	6	Cruz A		45.10

OFF AT 1:59 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :22[3], :46, :58[1], 1:11 (:22.69, :46.02, :58.33, 1:11.07)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

2 – KERNESS K	**2.80**	**2.20**	**2.10**
6 – HELDISH		**9.00**	**3.80**
5 – EL DIVINO NINO			**2.40**

$1 EXACTA 2–6 PAID $10.50 $1 SUPERFECTA 2–6–5–8 PAID $69.40 $1 TRIFECTA 2–6–5 PAID $23.30

Gr/ro. g, (May), by Great Notion – No Picnic , by Include . Trainer Ness Jamie. Bred by Bowman & Higgins Stable (Md).

KERNESS K hugged the inner rail dueling with EL DIVINO NINO, repulsed that one in upper stretch and drew away under rousing. HELDISH , never far back, circled the turn three wide and rallied. EL DIVINO NINO bumped with FORREST CITY soon after the break, disputed the pace outside the winner to upper stretch then weakened. SPOTTED BULL , no factor outside horses on the turn, floated to the four path in upper stretch and failed to rally. FORREST CITY bumped with EL DIVINO NINO soon after the start, chased the early pace and dropped back along the inner rail. LET'S HAVE A PARTY , outrun, swung wide in upper stretch.

Owners– 1, Madison Avenue Racing Stable Inc and Kernan Jr Morris E; 2, Denisheen Stables; 3, Ulman Louis J; 4, Kazdan Alex; 5, Team Gaudet; 6, Peck D Scott

Trainers– 1, Ness Jamie; 2, Graham Robin L; 3, Magee Kieron; 4, Klesaris Robert P; 5, Gaudet Lacey; 6, Bailon Nesvil H

El Divino Nino claim voided. Reason: Vet

Scratched– Just for the Money (13Mar26 ^{7}MVR^{1}) , Pay Zone (27Mar26 ^{7}CT^{2}) , Murray (06Mar26 ^{4}Lrl^{2})

50 CENT Pick Three (1–1–1/2/3/9) Paid $12.20 ; Pick Three Pool $6,067 .
50 CENT Pick Four (5–1–1–1/2/3/9) Paid $27.95 ; Pick Four Pool $16,395 .
50 CENT Pick Five (5–5–1–1–1/2/3/9) 5 Correct Paid $82.80 ; Pick Five Pool $59,426 .
$1 Daily Double (1–2) Paid $4.60 ; Daily Double Pool $5,760 .