FIFTH RACE

Laurel

MAY 2, 2026

1 MILE. (1.34) CLAIMING. Purse $18,000 (includes $4,200 Starters Bonus) (PLUS UP TO 15% MBF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE NOVEMBER 2 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since March 2 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price $7,500, if for $6,000, allowed 4 lbs. (Races Where Entered For $5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility).

Value of Race: $22,200 Winner $10,800; second $3,600; third $1,800; fourth $1,000; fifth $1,000; sixth $1,000; seventh $1,000; eighth $1,000; ninth $1,000. Mutuel Pool $113,967.00 Exacta Pool $128,792.00 Superfecta Pool $44,613.00 Trifecta Pool $78,870.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
22Mar26 ^{3}Lrl^{3}	Be Better	L bf	7	123	2	5	7^{hd}	6^{hd}	4$^{2\frac{1}{2}}$	1^{hd}	1^{1}	Chuan M	7500	5.50
10Apr26 ^{8}Lrl^{2}	Collection Day	L b	6	123	6	1	1^{1}	1$^{1\frac{1}{2}}$	1$^{1\frac{1}{2}}$	2^{3}	2$^{3\frac{3}{4}}$	Mena R E	7500	4.50
10Apr26 ^{8}Lrl^{4}	Self Taught	L b	9	123	1	8	4^{hd}	3^{hd}	3^{hd}	3$^{1\frac{1}{2}}$	3no	Lopez C E	7500	3.60
12Apr26 ^{2}Lrl^{1}	City Panda	L b	4	123	7	9	9	9	6^{1}	4$^{1\frac{1}{2}}$	4$^{5\frac{1}{4}}$	Gomez K	7500	24.10
28Mar26 ^{6}Lrl^{7}	Walk Away Joe	L b	9	118	9	3	3^{1}	5^{hd}	7^{1}	7$^{1\frac{1}{2}}$	5$^{3\frac{3}{4}}$	Hazlewood Y^{5}	7500	3.20
10Apr26 ^{8}Lrl^{3}	Your Analysis	L b	7	118	5	6	5$^{1\frac{1}{2}}$	4^{hd}	5^{hd}	6^{hd}	6$^{1\frac{1}{4}}$	Vargas J E^{5}	7500	4.30
21Mar26 ^{9}Lrl^{1}	Twice Gold	L b	7	122	8	2	2$^{1\frac{1}{2}}$	2^{1}	2^{1}	5$^{2\frac{1}{2}}$	7$^{3\frac{3}{4}}$	Briceno J G	6000	23.90
10Apr26 ^{8}Lrl^{6}	Forrest City	b	7	116	3	4	6^{hd}	8^{3}	9	8^{2}	8^{1}	Rosario E^{7}	7500	21.70
16Apr26 ^{8}Pen^{1}	Morning Thoughts	L	7	126	4	7	8^{4}	7$^{2\frac{1}{2}}$	8^{2}	9	9	Toledo J	7500	7.10

OFF AT 2:06 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :24^{3}, :48^{2}, 1:14^{1}, 1:26^{4}, 1:40 (:24.60, :48.49, 1:14.30, 1:26.92, 1:40.05)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

2 – BE BETTER	**13.00**	**6.00**	**4.00**
6 – COLLECTION DAY		**5.60**	**4.00**
1 – SELF TAUGHT			**3.20**

$1 EXACTA 2–6 PAID $38.10 $1 SUPERFECTA 2–6–1–7 PAID $969.20 $1 TRIFECTA 2–6–1 PAID $108.70

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 held his position in the two path between horses around the turn, eased out to the four path near the quarter pole, wrested command near the eighth pole and drove clear. COLLECTION DAY sprinted to the early lead, saved ground around the turn, drifted out when hooked in mid stretch and gave way grudgingly. SELF TAUGHT remained along the rail, was a forward factor around the turn and in upper stretch and weakened in the drive. CITY PANDA, pinched back leaving the starting gate, raced along the inner rail on the turn, swung outside in mid stretch and rallied. WALK AWAY JOE raced in the five path between horses on the turn and weakened. YOUR ANALYSIS raced forwardly in the three path between horses on the turn and gave way. TWICE GOLD bore in leaving the starting gate, chased from the four path leaving the backstretch and gave way. FORREST CITY raced between horses down the backstretch and was checked in tight quarters entering the turn. MORNING THOUGHTS, swung outside leaving the chute, was six deep entering the turn, remained very wide and tired.

Owners– 1, Sperger Way Stables LLC; 2, Gorham Robert M Jr; 3, Cole Robert L Jr; 4, Lugamo Racing Stable LLC; 5, Madison Avenue Racing Stable Inc and Kernan Jr Morris E; 6, SAB Stable Inc; 7, Rabold Larry E; 8, Team Gaudet; 9, Three M's Racing

Trainers– 1, Allen A Ferris III; 2, Gorham Michael E; 3, Dilodovico Damon R; 4, Maldonado Jonathan; 5, Ness Jamie; 6, McMahon Hugh I; 7, McMahon Hugh I; 8, Gaudet Lacey; 9, Maldonado Jonathan

Scratched– Mystic Night (03Apr26 ^{8}Aqu^{7})

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50 CENT Pick Three (8–2/3–2) Paid $26.40; Pick Three Pool $5,343.

50 CENT Pick Four (4–8–2/3–2) Paid $59.05; Pick Four Pool $16,931.

50 CENT Pick Five (7–4–8–2/3–2) 5 Correct Paid $981.90; Pick Five Pool $46,614.

$1 Daily Double (2–2) Paid $13.10; Daily Double Pool $4,515.