

LOS ALAMITOS - December 9, 2012 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of two races since October 9 Allowed 3 lbs. A race since then Allowed 5 lbs. Claiming Price \$2,000 (Maiden Races and races for \$1,600 or less not considered).

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Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Valiant Pete - 49.20 - August 11, 1990)

Purse: \$10,000

Available Money: \$10,000

Value of Race: \$10,000 1st \$5,170, 2nd \$2,115, 3rd \$1,175, 4th \$705, 5th \$435, 6th \$400

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 7:13 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
16Nov12 ² LA ⁵	5	Epic Rule (Gomez, Eulices)	120	BL bf	5	1	2 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{3/4}	27.10	inside duel,2wd,held
14Sep12 ⁶ LA ³	2	All My Chips (Williams, Dee)	118	BL bf	2	5	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ²	8.00	bpd early,inside move
24Nov12 ⁵ LA ²	4	Alphonso (Navarro, Dionicio)	127	BL bf	4	3	3 ²	4 ¹	3 ^{Neck}	1.20*	stalked,2--3-4w,up 3rd
24Nov12 ⁵ LA ³	3	Defensive Move (Gavica, Gerardo)	118	BL b	3	4	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	14.00	4wd turn,5wide 1/8
16Nov12 ² LA ⁴	1	Get Off the Sugar (Charlton, Cheryl)	118	BL bf	1	6	6	6	5 ^{1 1/2}	2.40	bumped early,outrun
18Nov12 ³ LA ⁶	6	For Contrast (Guce, Ramon)	118	BL bf	6	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	6	2.60	duel,forced,gave way

Fractional Times: 21.92 45.46

Final Time: 51.87

Split Times: (23:54) (6:41)

Run-Up: 12 feet

Winner: Epic Rule, Bay Gelding, by Epic Honor out of Rule Man M. D., by Ruhlmann. Foaled Apr 10, 2005 in California.

Breeder: Porfiro Carrasco. **Winning Owner:** Jose J. Avalos

3 Claimed Horse(s): **Alphonso** New Trainer: Jerry Wallace, II New Owner: Jerry Wallace II
Defensive Move New Trainer: Bruce Towell New Owner: Bruce Towell
For Contrast New Trainer: Keith E. Craigmyle New Owner: Mike Flory

Claiming Prices: 5 - Epic Rule: \$2,000; 2 - All My Chips: \$2,000; 4 - Alphonso: \$2,000; 3 - Defensive Move: \$2,000; 1 - Get Off the Sugar: \$2,000; 6 - For Contrast: \$2,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$24,675

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Epic Rule	56.20	19.40	7.20	\$1.00 Exacta	5-2	158.00	18,643
2	All My Chips		7.60	3.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-2-4	422.20	20,821
4	Alphonso			2.60	\$1.00 Pick 3	7-6-5 (3 correct)	100.70	10,574
					\$1.00 Superfecta	5-2-4-3	1,663.50	20,293

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
5	Epic Rule	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{3/4}
2	All My Chips	5	4 ³	3 ¹	2 ^{3/4}
4	Alphonso	3	3 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 3/4}
3	Defensive Move	4	5 ^{3 1/4}	5 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³
1	Get Off the Sugar	6	6 ^{3 3/4}	6 ⁴	5 ⁵
6	For Contrast	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	6 ^{6 1/2}

Trainers: 5 - Avalos, Jose; 2 - Treece, Charles; 4 - Hanson, James; 3 - Stubblefield, David; 1 - Wallace, II, Jerry; 6 - Treece, Charles

Owners: 5 -Jose J. Avalos; 2 - Loeb Family Living Trust; 4 - Hanson, James G. and Wasia, Dick; 3 -Ixtla Marino; 1 -Jerry Wallace II; 6 -Clark Warren;

Footnotes

EPIC RULE forced then contested the pace from the inside, grabbed slim lead into the turn, inched away around the bend, remained on two wide path into and through the lane and safely held under urging. ALL MY CHIPS exchanged bumps with inside rival early, chased from between foes, moved up from the inside on the turn, hugged the rail into the lane, loomed inside winner in the drive but was turned back. ALPHONSO tucked in behind dueling leaders, came out but on the turn, shifted out further in upper stretch and was along for third. DEFENSIVE MOVE caught three abreast early, raced four wide on the turn then five wide entering the stretch and failed to reached serious contention from the outside. GET OFF THE SUGAR bumped with outside rival early, came out some around the turn and lacked needed rally. FOR CONTRAST dueled outside rival then forced pace on same path, dropped back around the turn and gave way.