

AQUEDUCT

FOURTH RACE

Distance: One Mile

Conditions: CLAIMING FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since October 25, 2024 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$15,000 (Claiming Races For \$10,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void).

Race Level: Base 140 Race Cond: CLM 15

Purse: \$40,000

AFTL: 23.5, 46.8, 1:11.7 and 1:37.7

Favorites: 37.2% Win; 70.9% in-the-money

Track Profile: 47 Races F=46.8% P=25.5% M=19.1% R=8.5%

		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18			
				SPEED & PACE FORECASTS						RACE COMPETITION LEVELS (RCL)						FINAL TIME RATING						
P#	HORSE	AG	SX	EQU	FIR	CPR	FIG	FNL	RAT	PER	RRL	RCL	SUR	DST	CLS	RCL	LST	RAT	BST	SUR	DST	HANDICAPPING FACTORS
1	Catch the Smoke	6h		B	58	81	104	90	R		130	120	130	130	160	125	90	147	102	102		13,10c,31
2	Valenzan Day	5h		B	76	115	114	120	M		130	130	140	140	140	134	120	137	137	137		13,10c
3	Ice Road	6h		B	73	112	116	113	M		150	135	150	150	155	136	113	132	123	123		13,10d,27,29
4	Prince of Joy	7g		B,FW	58	82	106	95	P		130	X	140	140	135	133	95	117	101	101		13,10c
5	Empty Tomb	9h		B,FW	56	68	103	87	P		140	X	X	X	190	X	X	146	119	119		
6	Co Conspirator	6g			82	96	114	114	M		135	140	140	140	155	135	116	131	122	122		13,10c,21,27,31

FRACTIONAL CHART ORDER OF FINISH AND AVERAGE TIMES

(This is not a Selection)

1	Valenzan Day	ET:	:22.7	:45.9	1:11.2	and	1:38.7	(Expected Times with a 0 variant)
2	Co Conspirator	AT:	:23.3	:46.5	1:11.3	and	1:36.7	(Average Times for mid-level races)
3	Ice Road	AFTL:	:23.5	:46.8	1:11.7	and	1:37.7	(Average Times for this level)

RACE APPRAISAL

We expect a moderate to brisk early pace, shaped primarily by clear frontrunner **Co Conspirator**. Pace pressers such as **Empty Tomb** and **Prince of Joy** will closely track, potentially softening up the leader for mid-pack runners like **Valenzan Day**, while late closers **Catch the Smoke** and **Ice Road** will require a contested early tempo to set up their rally.

Co Conspirator brings early pace dominance with the highest FIRE rating in this field but has struggled to maintain advantage late in recent routes at Aqueduct. The slight class rise today poses additional concerns given the barn's current cold streak. **Empty Tomb** comes from Kantarmaci's barn, winless recently, though he does notably well with horses running first time for a claim (25%). His speed figures have been inconsistent, and despite some back class, his current form raises doubts. **Prince of Joy** steps up in class today after a fair effort last time out. However, Legall's barn remains winless recently, and though this gelding possesses respectable pace figures, improvement against tougher competition is uncertain.

Valenzan Day moves up after a solid victory at a lower level earlier this month, showcasing the field's highest CPR and strong FIRE ratings. Chatterpaul's modest strike rate raises caution, but his recent sharp workout suggests maintained form. **Catch the Smoke** from Potts' barn, performing solidly lately at a 20% clip, faces a tough class jump. Recent efforts at lower claiming levels show limited success, making today's task a challenging one. **Ice Road**, trained by the red-hot Rice barn hitting at 26.7%, notably drops in class from tougher recent outings. His strong Fast Fig and CPR numbers rank highest, and recent consistent efforts at higher class levels clearly establish him as the standout contender.

We'll make **Ice Road** the HF 15a, looking poised to capitalize on class relief and his consistent closing style. **Valenzan Day** emerges as a threat given recent sharp form, while **Co Conspirator**, if unchallenged early, could outrun his odds as an HF 20 upset candidate.

HORSE COMMENTS

Catch the Smoke faces an uphill climb moving up today, despite Potts' solid recent form. His prior route attempts at this level haven't been successful, casting doubt on today's competitiveness.

Valenzan Day should position ideally mid-pack, ready to capitalize if the pace quickens. Chatterpaul's barn lacks consistent success, but recent performances and workouts indicate peak readiness, making him a major threat here.

Ice Road benefits greatly dropping from tougher races, and Rice's excellent barn stats (26.7%) further enhance his appeal. Strong Fast Fig and CPR ratings position him clearly above today's rivals, and recent workouts reinforce his readiness.

Prince of Joy steps into deeper waters today without a recent barn victory to inspire confidence. While capable of pressing the pace, current form suggests vulnerability late against today's rivals.

Empty Tomb displays inconsistent recent form and needs substantial improvement despite Kantarmaci's solid first-off-claim stats. His performance today remains a tough endorsement.

Co Conspirator is a certain early pace factor but struggles notably at sustaining leads over distance at this track. Current barn struggles compound concerns, though he can't be entirely dismissed if given too much leeway early.

Catch The Smoke (W.Potts/D.Davis = 12 1-4-0)

6H - Mohaymen(8%T,12%S,13%M) - Ad Litem by Successful Appeal

TRAINER STATS:

LAST 15: (20.0%) 15 3-1-3 DIRT RTE: (9.3%) 182 17-35-31

UP: (11.8%) 119 14-20-13

NOTES: 6w upper, passed tired 4/5/25 5-4wd turns,bid,hung 3/2/25 off rail, bested rest 1/14/25 came over turn, rally 4/10/24

AQU DIRT ROUTES 1 0-0-0

ALL DIRT ROUTES 14 2-0-3

WORKS: BEL Mar 23 :49.0b ft (34/151)

LAST 10 FIRE: 58. 74. 57. 68. 62. 74. 35. 77. 66. 88

TRK	DATE&RACE	DIST/ SURF	POS/FLD WINNERSWG	TRNR JCKY	TK CD	TRK BIAS	RACE TYPE	RACE CONDITIONS	RCL	CPR	FIN POS/ BTN POSH	MORN LINE	ACTL ODDS	TRK Pos1 VAR 1ST	Pos2 2ND	Pos3 3RD	Pos4 4TH	Today's FINAL	LST FRT	PAC RAT	FNL RAT	LxClm EQUIP
AQU	4/5/25-4	1M	7/9-0	121	W.Pts/D.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM 10	R130-0	C81	5-9.75	ML15	A4.6	+7	8-24.3	8-47.4	7-1:13.0	1:40.7	27.7	110	90	Lb
LRL	3/2/25-6	1 1/16	7/8-0	123	W.Pts/J.Bio	FT	NONE	CLM 7.5 C	R120	C94	3-1.25	ML4	A6.2	+3	5-23.9	4-47.4	4-1:12.3	1:39.9	27.6	126	102	LbF
PRX	1/14/25-8	6 1/2	9/10-0	120	W.Pts/F.Mrz	FT	NONE	STR 5	R125	C73	5-6.80	X	A2.5	*-7	7-23.6	8-48.0	5-1:02.0	1:13.7	25.7	95	93	LbF
PRX	4/10/24-3	7F	6/9-1	122	C.Gnz/J.Vr.	FT	NONE	CLM 5 NW1-6MX	R110	C80	2/9-5.75	ML3	A1.2	*-2	8-23.8	6-47.6	4-1:00.8	1:13.3	25.7	98	99	LbFC
PRX	2/27/24-7	6 1/2	2/7-0	121	C.Gnz/L.Oao	FT	NONE	CLM 15 C	R135	C79	5-12.80	X	A5.0	-10	5-23.7	6-47.0	6-1:00.1	1:13.2	26.2	108	101	LbF
PRX	2/14/24-9	1 1/16	2/7-0	121	C.Gnz/L.Oao	FT	NONE	CLM 25 C	R145	C94	6-5.25	ML5	A15	-8	2-24.5	2-47.7	3-1:12.3	1:39.4	27.1	117	110	LbF

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Valenzan Day (N.Chatterpaul/J.Gomez = None)

5H - Khozan(7%T,11%S,18%M) - Radical Grace by Utopia (JPN)

TRAINER STATS:**LAST 15:** (13.3%) 15 2-0-0 DIRT RTE: (3.0%) 33 1-0-3
UP: (0.0%) 23 0-1-2 1ST CLM: (10.0%) 10 1-3-2

AQU	4/5/25-4	1M	3/9-0	123	L.Rce/K.Cre	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C115	1-0.50	ML2	A1.4	* +7	7-23.8	7-46.8	4-1:12.4	1:38.7	26.3	126	120	LbC
AQU	1/19/25-6	1 1/4	7/9-1	123	L.Rce/E.Cnl	FT	NONE	SOC	15	R140-0	C51	9-31.40	ML4	A1.5	* -6	4-23.1	4-46.6	4-1:13.9	1:42.9	29.0	114	57	Lb
AQU	12/8/24-5	1M	1/6-0	123	W.Pts/J.Lzo	FT	NONE	CLM	16	R140-0	C122	2-0.75	ML8/5	A0.9	* +5	2-23.5	3-46.9	4-1:13.1	1:38.7	25.6	120	120	LbC
AQU	11/16/24-7	1-1/8	3/8-3	125	L.Rce/D.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C126	2-0.05	ML4/5	A0.8	* +1	5-24.1	5-47.4	5-1:12.2	1:38.3	26.1	125	126	LbFC
AQU	11/2/24-5	1M	8/9-1	125	L.Rce/D.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	12.5	R135	C109	1-1.25	ML6/5	A0.5	* +5	1-23.6	1-47.0	1-1:12.2	1:38.8	26.6	132	119	LbF
SAR	7/26/24-1	1M	6/8-1	118	M.Nvn/J.Gmz	FT	F2/1	CLM	16	R140	C110	1-7.50	ML3	A4.7	-4	1-24.9	1-48.5	1-1:12.4	1:38.3	25.9	110	126	LbFC

Ice Road (L.Rice/R.Silvera = 12 4-1-1)

6H - Keen Ice(6%T,7%S,12%M) - Hoi An by Successful Appeal

TRAINER STATS:**LAST 15:** (26.7%) 15 4-3-1 DIRT RTE: (19.3%) 342 66-53-67
DOWN: (22.7%) 264 60-42-38 2ND CLM: (23.8%) 227 54-54-37

AQU	4/12/25-8	1M	6/6-0	123	L.Rce/R.Sla	SY	NONE	SOC	15	R150-0	C112	5-8.35	ML6	A7.1	-1	4-24.6	4-48.1	4-1:13.2	1:39.2	26.0	102	113	Lb
AQU	3/8/25-1	1-1/8	5/7-0	123	R.Rdz/R.Sla	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C99	1-0.25	ML8/5	A1.9	* -17	2-24.4	2-48.4	2-1:12.8	1:39.2	26.4	111	113	LbC
AQU	2/14/25-5	1M	2/8-1	123	R.Rdz/R.Sla	FT	NONE	CLM	16 C	R135-0	C127	1-0.25	ML7/2	A2.6	-11	7-25.0	7-48.6	5-1:13.7	1:38.5	24.8	89	123	Lb
AQU	1/18/25-6	1M	9/9-2	123	R.Rdz/M.Fao	FT	NONE	CLM	16 C	R135-0	C101	3-9.50	ML4	A3.2	0	4-24.9	4-48.8	3-1:13.8	1:39.7	25.9	89	105	Lb
AQU	1/1/25-6	1-1/8	1/9-0	123	R.Rdz/R.Sla	GD	NONE	CLM	16 C	R135-0	C102	3-5.25	ML9/2	A2.4	* -2	6-24.5	4-47.5	4-1:12.3	1:39.2	26.9	117	113	Lb
AQU	12/12/24-6	1-1/8	2/8-0	123	R.Rdz/R.Sla	FT	NONE	CLM	25 C	R145-0	C101	4-7.25	ML8	A5.9	+6	6-24.0	6-47.3	8-1:12.7	1:39.6	26.9	119	107	Lb

Prince Of Joy (R.Legall/K.Davis = 1 0-0-0)

7G - Laoban(10%T,14%S,15%M) - Goldstreak by Awesome Again

TRAINER STATS:**LAST 15:** (0.0%) 15 0-1-2 DIRT RTE: (0.0%) 15 0-1-0
UP: (0.0%) 9 0-2-2

AQU	4/5/25-4	1M	5/9-0	121	R.Lgl/K.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C82	4-8.50	ML30	A55	+7	5-23.3	4-46.3	5-1:12.5	1:40.4	27.9	132	95	LbF
AQU	3/2/25-7	1M	8/8-0	123	R.Lgl/J.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	15	R140-0	C63	5-18.50	ML15	A38	-17	4-24.5	5-48.5	5-1:13.8	1:41.7	27.9	95	75	LbF
AQU	2/15/25-5	1M	7/8-1	121	R.Lgl/J.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C42	6-16.10	ML8	A5.2	-6	3-23.8	2-47.6	2-1:13.0	1:42.5	29.5	117	63	LbF
AQU	1/23/25-6	7F	5/6-0	121	R.Lgl/J.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C79	2-3.25	ML20	A12	-4	2-23.0	2-46.4	2- :59.9	1:13.3	26.9	128	99	LbF
AQU	1/2/25-8	1M	6/10-1	121	R.Lgl/J.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C91	4-6.55	ML30	A58	+2	9-24.3	7-47.0	5-1:12.8	1:40.3	27.5	113	96	LbF
AQU	12/15/24-8	1M	3/11-0	121	R.Lgl/J.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	12.5	R135-0	C90	7-10.50	ML30	A52	+4	3-23.9	5-47.0	4-1:12.2	1:40.0	27.8	128	101	LbF

Empty Tomb (I.Kantarmaci/M.Franco = 38 7-5-7)

9H - Speightstown(14%T,19%S,21%M) - Sure Peg by Arch

TRAINER STATS:**LAST 15:** (0.0%) 15 0-4-5 DIRT RTE: (12.2%) 49 6-3-9
2nd 90+: (0.0%) 2 0-0-0 UP: (18.6%) 43 8-3-5
1ST CLM: (25.0%) 28 7-3-3

AQU	4/5/25-4	1M	8/9-0	121	R.Fl/E.Cnl	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C68	6-11.00	ML3	A4.8	+7	3-23.2	3-46.3	2-1:12.1	1:40.9	28.8	140	87	LbFC
AQU	1/3/25-5	1M	8/8-1	118	R.Fl/C.Elt	FT	NONE	CLM	20	R145-0	C60	8-15.50	ML3	A4.3	-8	1-23.5	1-46.9	3-1:12.3	1:41.4	29.1	132	80	Lb
AQU	9/19/24-4	1M	6/10-1	122	R.Fl/K.Cre	FT	NONE	CLM	40	R155	C96	4-9.00	ML5	A4.3	-6	2-23.9	2-48.0	2-1:13.0	1:39.7	26.7	116	105	LbF
SAR	7/11/24-1	1-1/8	5/9-2	118	R.Fl/J.Trs	FT	NONE	CLM	20	R145	C101	1-1.75	X	A6.5	+12	1-23.9	1-47.6	1-1:12.4	1:38.8	26.4	125	119	Lb
CD	5/3/24-3	1M	10/12-4	122	R.Fl/I.Ot	SY	NONE	AOC	80 NW2\$-X	R170	C24	10-34.25	X	A11	+3	10-23.7	10-46.2	10-1:12.1	1:43.3	31.2	132	51	Lb
MTH	6/17/23-12	1M	2/8-2	118	R.Fl/S.Cmo	FT	NONE	STK	Gr 3	R200	C89	8-13.35	X	A24	+5	6-24.8	6-47.9	7-1:12.2	1:39.5	27.3	114	108	b

Co Conspirator (E.Jones/O.Hernandez Moreno = 21 0-5-2)

6G - Big Brown(11%T,13%S,13%M) - Harlotry Holiday by Harlan's Holiday

TRAINER STATS:**LAST 15:** (0.0%) 15 0-2-1 DIRT RTE: (0.0%) 48 0-4-3
S/R: (0.0%) 70 0-2-8 UP: (0.0%) 45 0-4-5

TRK	DATE&RACE	DIST/ SURF	POS/FLD	WINNERS	TRNR	TK	TRK	RACE	RACE	FIN POS/	MORN	ACTL	TRK	Pos1	Pos2	Pos3	Pos4	Today's	LST	PAC	FNL	LxClm	
				WTG	JCKY	CD	BIAS	TYPE	CONDITIONS	RCL	OPR	BTN	LNTH	VAR	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	FINAL	FRT	RAT	RAT	EQUIP
AQU	4/12/25-3	6F	1/6-0	124	E.Jns/O.Hro	SY	NONE	CLM	16 C	R135-0	C109	2-0.75	ML15	A13	-1	4-23.9	5-47.9	3-1:00.0	1:12.2	24.3	92	116	L
AQU	4/6/25-1	1-1/8	1/5-0	121	E.Jns/F.Vlo	MY	NONE	CLM	15	R140-0	C96	4-4.25	ML20	A33	+6	2-22.7	2-45.9	2-1:11.2	1:39.1	27.9	161	114	L
AQU	3/8/25-1	1-1/8	3/7-0	121	E.Jns/F.Vlo	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C82	7-6.75	ML30	A78	-17	4-24.5	4-48.7	5-1:13.9	1:40.6	26.7	93	92	L
AQU	2/15/25-5	1M	1/8-1	121	E.Jns/D.Bon	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C21	8-25.85	ML20	A48	-6	2-23.8	3-47.6	8-1:14.9	1:44.5	29.6	89	33	Lb
AQU	1/18/25-4	1M	5/7-3	123	E.Jns/J.Dvs	FT	NONE	CLM	25 NW1-3MX-S	R145-0	C1	7-42.75	ML30	A74	0	4-23.8	4-47.7	7-1:15.5	1:46.6	31.1	80	2	Lb
AQU	1/2/25-8	1M	9/10-1	121	E.Jns/H.Hre	FT	NONE	CLM	10	R130-0	C49	10-22.55	ML30	A91	+2	4-23.4	8-47.3	10-1:15.0	1:43.5	28.5	93	48	L

NOTES: chased 6w,up fin 40yds 4/5/25 4-5p1st,eased,equ-amb 1/19/25 ins-2p,6p3/16,chased 12/8/24 4-3w 1st turn, denied 11/16/24**AQU DIRT ROUTES** 8 4-2-0**ALL DIRT ROUTES** 12 6-3-0**WORKS:** BEL Mar 26 :49.5b ft (23/79)**LAST 10 FIRE:** 76, 33, 72, 88, 78, 79, 94, 80, 71, 19

1-0.50	ML2	A1.4	* +7	7-23.8	7-46.8	4-1:12.4	1:38.7	26.3	126	120	LbC
9-31.40	ML4	A1.5	* -6	4-23.1	4-46.6	4-1:13.9	1:42.9	29.0	114	57	Lb
2-0.75	ML8/5	A0.9	* +5	2-23.5	3-46.9	4-1:13.1	1:38.7	25.6	120	120	LbC
2-0.05	ML4/5	A0.8	* +1	5-24.1	5-47.4	5-1:12.2	1:38.3	26.1	125	126	LbFC
1-1.25	ML6/5	A0.5	* +5	1-23.6	1-47.0	1-1:12.2	1:38.8	26.6	132	119	LbF
1-7.50	ML3	A4.7	-4	1-24.9	1-48.5	1-1:12.4	1:38.3	25.9	110	126	LbFC

NOTES: 3-4path turn,no rally 4/12/25 4w upper, gamely 3/8/25 4p trn,rallied,bid3/16 2/14/25 ask 3p turn,chased,wknd 1/18/25**AQU DIRT ROUTES** 15 3-4-4**ALL DIRT ROUTES** 22 3-6-6**WORKS:** BEL Apr 5 :49.6b ft (41/112) BEL Mar 26 :50.0b ft (40/79)**LAST 10 FIRE:** 73, 71, 73, 72, 80, 74, 78, 76, 50, 43

5-8.35	ML6	A7.1	-1	4-24.6	4-48.1	4-1:13.2	1:39.2	26.0	102	113	Lb
1-0.25	ML8/5	A1.9	* -17	2-24.4	2-48.4	2-1:12.8	1:39.2	26.4	111	113	LbC
1-0.25	ML7/2	A2.6	-11	7-25.0	7-48.6	5-1:13.7	1:38.5	24.8	89	123	Lb
3-9.50	ML4	A3.2	0	4-24.9	4-48.8	3-1:13.8	1:39.7	25.9	89	105	Lb
3-5.25	ML9/2	A2.4	* -2	6-24.5	4-47.5	4-1:12.3	1:39.2	26.9	117	113	Lb
4-7.25	ML8	A5.9	+6	6-24.0	6-47.3	8-1:12.7	1:39.6	26.9	119	107	Lb

NOTES: chased ins, improved 4/5/25 outside,4p turn,empty 3/2/25 outside,4p turn,tired 2/15/25 ins turn,2p,no match 1/23/25**AQU DIRT ROUTES** 30 3-2-1**ALL DIRT ROUTES** 36 3-3-2**WORKS:****LAST 10 FIRE:** 58, 37, 39, 73, 60, 66, 60, 65, 58, DNF

4-8.50	ML30	A55	+7	5-23.3	4-46.3	5-1:12.5	1:40.4	27.9	132	95	LbF
5-18.50	ML15	A38	-17	4-24.5	5-48.5	5-1:13.8	1:41.7	27.9	95	75	LbF
6-16.10	ML8	A5.2	-6	3-23.8	2-47.6	2-1:13.0	1:42.5	29.5	117	63	LbF
2-3.25	ML20	A12	-4	2-23.0	2-46.4	2- :59.9	1:13.3	26.9	128	99	LbF
4-6.55	ML30	A58	+2	9-24.3	7-47.0	5-1:12.8	1:40.3	27.5	113	96	LbF
7-10.50	ML30	A52	+4	3-23.9	5-47.0	4-1:12.2	1:40.0	27.8	128	101	LbF

NOTES: chased 4-3w, weakened 4/5/25 btwn foes 2p trn,faded 1/3/25 bmp brk,2p turn,tired 9/19/24 ins-2p,ask 1/4,clr3/16 7/11/24**AQU DIRT ROUTES** 11 2-3-1**ALL DIRT ROUTES** 35 8-6-4**WORKS:** BEL Mar 19 :47.7b ft (2/64)**LAST 10 FIRE:** 56, 48, 65, 84, 36, 78, 90, 92, 72, 67

6-11.00	ML3	A4.8	+7	3-23.2	3-46.3	2-1:12.1	1:40.9	28.8	140	87	LbFC
8-15.50	ML3	A4.3	-8	1-23.5	1-46.9	3-1:12.3	1:41.4	29.1	132	80	Lb
4-9.00	ML5	A4.3	-6	2-23.9	2-48.0	2-1:13.0	1:39.7	26.7	116	105	LbF
1-1.75	X	A6.5	+12	1-23.9	1-47.6	1-1:12.4	1:38.8	26.4	125	119	Lb
10-34.25	X	A11	+3	10-23.7	10-46.2	10-1:12.1	1:43.3	31.2	132	51	Lb
8-13.35	X	A24	+5								