

SIXTH RACE Colonial

SEPTEMBER 6, 2025

1½ MILES. (Inner Turf) (2.25) COLONIAL CUP S. Purse \$150,000 (plus\$1,200 Starters Bonus) INNER TURF FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. No nomination fee. \$375 to enter and \$375 to start. Supplementary nomination of \$1,500 (which includes entry and starting fees) may be made at time of entry. \$150,000, with 60% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Weights: Three year olds, 122 lbs. Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners of a graded stake over a mile on the turf since January 15, allowed 2 lbs.; of two races over one mile on the turf since then, 4 lbs. (maiden, claiming and starter races not considered). Starters and riders to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. This race will be limited to fourteen (14) starters. In the event more than fourteen entrants pass through the entry box, preference will be given to graded stakes winners (in order I–II–III), then highest earnings in 2024–2025. Any horse excluded due to the aforementioned preferences shall be refunded the entry fee and supplementary nomination fee, if applicable. Trophy to the winning owner. Nominations closed Wednesday, August 20, 2025 with 26 nominations. (Rail at 30 feet).

Value of Race:\$151,200 **Winner** \$90,000;**second** \$30,000;**third** \$16,500;**fourth** \$9,000;**fifth** \$4,500;**sixth** \$1,200. **Mutuel Pool** \$179,822.00 **Exacta Pool** \$112,299.00 **Superfecta Pool** \$36,546.00 **Trifecta Pool** \$60,166.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	¼	½	1	1¼	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1	
8Jun25 9CD1	Safe Trip Home	bf	5	122	5	5½	5½	5½	53	11	12¼	Esquivel E	3.90
12Jly25 8Cnl6	Desvio	b	4	122	2	6	6	6	51	2nk	Boyce F	4.10	
5Jly25 10GP4	Just a Photo	f	5	122	3	3hd	3hd	4½	3hd	32	3hd	Lopez P	6.20
6Aug25 8Cnl1	Dear Dad	b	5	122	4	24	2 1½	13½	12	2hd	4½	Centeno D E	4.60
15Aug25 8Dmr3	Twirling Point		4	122	6	4 1½	4 1	31	4 1½	4 1½	54¼	Carmouche K	1.10
26Jly25 5Cnl3	Dean Martini	b	8	122	1	1 1½	1 1½	21	2½	6	6	Rodriguez J	21.60

OFF AT 2:40 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :242, :50, 1:14³, 1:39, 2:02³, 2:27² (:24.40, :50.13, 1:14.73, 1:39.01, 2:02.67, 2:27.55)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:
6 – SAFE TRIP HOME _____ **9.80 4.60 3.80**
2 – DESVIO _____ **4.80 3.80**
3 – JUST A PHOTO _____ **4.00**

**\$1 EXACTA 6-2 PAID \$27.20 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 6-2-3-5
PAID \$31.69 50 CENT TRIFECTA 6-2-3 PAID \$67.00**

Ch. g, (Mar), by More Than Ready – Dido, by Bernstein. Trainer Cowans William D. Bred by Jack Swain III (Ky).

SAFE TRIP HOME unhurried for a mile off the inside, asked for a run early in the third turn, came four wide for the drive, unleashed a burst with a furlong to run to reach the front, drew clear under steady handling. DESVIO reserved along the inside, continued devoid of any speed through the final turn, moved outside, began a belated, steady rally while out in the course and widest, in time for the second spot, not a threat to the winner. JUST A PHOTO settled off the pace and the inside, continued to save ground third turn, shifted out a bit to challenge outside the weakening leader and inside the winner, could not match the latter late, caught in the final yards for the place. DEAR DAD pulled while slow to settle behind the early leader for a half, took over into the second turn, opened a sizable advantage up the backstretch the second time while attempting to rate, offered brief resistance when confronted in upper stretch then began to weaken. TWIRLING POINT within striking distance while off the inside after a mile, asked along in the three path and inside the winner turning for home, had little left the final furlong. DEAN MARTINI clear early, relinquished the advantage past the wire the first time, chased the new leader onto and up the backstretch, gave way in the drive.

Owners– 1, PTK LLC; 2, Stonelea Stable LLC and Bonnie Rye Stable; 3, Smith Ranch Stables; 4, Birriel Jr Dr Jose and Quintessential Racing Florida LLC; 5, Augustin Stables; 6, David A Bernsen LLC

Trainers– 1, Cowans William D; 2, Meyers Madison F; 3, Ramirez Luis M; 4, Casse Mark; 5, Thomas Jonathan; 6, Gaudet Lacey

Scratched– Truly Quality (30 Aug 25 11 Dmr4), Zevon (23 Jul 25 4 Cnl1)

\$1 Pick Three (7–1–6) Paid \$210.60 ; Pick Three Pool \$8,049 .

\$1 Daily Double (1–6) Paid \$31.60 ; Daily Double Pool \$20,259 .