

THISTLEDOWN - September 25, 2023 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED OHIO FOALS THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 25 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 25 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500 (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (S) **Claiming Price:** \$12,500

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fancy Threat - 1:08.40 - November 21, 1987)

Purse: \$25,400


Includes: \$3,900 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$25,400

Value of Race: \$25,400 1st \$15,240, 2nd \$5,080, 3rd \$2,540, 4th \$1,270, 5th \$762, 6th \$254, 7th \$254

Weather: Cloudy, 70° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:54 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

 [Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
3Aug23 ³ TDN ¹	5	Reckless L J (Berrios, Hector)	121	L	5	1	3 ¹ / ₂	3 ²	3 ² 1/2	1 ² 1/2	0.90*	full of run,going away
30Aug23 ³ TDN ⁴	4	Mutiny (Haldar, David)	119	L f	4	2	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}	5.50	inside duel,gained 2nd
28Aug23 ² TDN ¹	7	Mannford (Bowen, Rocco)	123	L	6	4	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	3 ⁴ 1/2	3.30	battled2w, outfinished
4Sep23 ¹ TDN ¹	8	Nambiti (Bracho, Jose)	123	L b	7	3	7	6 ¹ 1/2	6 ⁴	4 ¹ 1/4	24.00	passed tiring rivals
21Aug23 ⁷ TDN ⁴	1	Mister Mobil (Cedillo, Mauro)	114	L bf	1	7	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	5 ² 1/2	30.90	saved ground, faded
30Aug23 ³ TDN ²	2	Powerful Phil (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	119	L	2	6	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹	6 ⁹ 1/4	3.40	bobbled, through half
11Sep23 ⁵ TDN ³	3	Ma Moo Power (Severino, Victor)	121	L b	3	5	6 ¹ / ₂	7	7	7	59.50	brief speed

Fractional Times: 22.88 46.22 58.62

Split Times: (23:34) (12:40) (12:64)

Run-Up: 25 feet

Final Time: 1:11.26

Winner: Reckless L J, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Alcindor out of Hollywood Reckless, by Tiznow. Foaled Jun 18, 2016 in Ohio.

Breeder: Breakaway Farm

Owner: Michael J. Annechino

Trainer: Radosevich, Jeffrey

Claiming Prices: 5 - Reckless L J: \$12,500; 4 - Mutiny: \$12,500; 7 - Mannford: \$12,500; 8 - Nambiti: \$12,500; 1 - Mister Mobil: \$12,500; 2 - Powerful Phil: \$12,500; 3 - Ma Moo Power: \$12,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Golden Money (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$32,418

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Reckless L J	3.80	2.60	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	5-4	10.60	23,132
4	Mutiny		4.80	2.60	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-4-7	23.50	14,017
7	Mannford			2.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-4-7-8	8.71	11,830

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Reckless L J	1	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	1 ² 1/2
4	Mutiny	2	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ² 1/2
7	Mannford	4	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ² 3/4
8	Nambiti	3	7 ² 3/4	6 ³ 3/4	6 ⁴ 3/4	4 ⁷ 1/4
1	Mister Mobil	7	5 ² 1/4	4 ³ 1/2	4 ² 3/4	5 ⁸ 1/2
2	Powerful Phil	6	4 ²	5 ³ 3/4	5 ³ 3/4	6 ¹¹
3	Ma Moo Power	5	6 ² 1/4	7 ⁵ 1/4	7 ⁸ 3/4	7 ²⁰ 1/4

Trainers: 5 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 4 - Skerrett, Jeffrey; 7 - Urieta, Johanna; 8 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 1 - Johnson, Gary; 2 - Jackson, James; 3 - Hernandez, Ricardo

Owners: 5 -Michael J. Annechino; 4 -Danielle Agnello; 7 - Lima Horse Racing LLC; 8 - Italian Stallions; 1 - Irish Charm Thoroughbreds LLC; 2 -Laura Jackson; 3 -Raldirys L. Pujols;

Footnotes

RECKLESS L J away alertly, stalked the pace under a firm hold three wide, was carried out to the seven path entering the stretch, surged late under mild urging and won going away. MUTINY dueled for the lead along the inside until deep stretch and gamely gained second. MANNFORD battled for the lead two wide into the stretch, drifted to the six path and was outfinished. NAMBITI trailed five wide then passed tiring rivals. MISTER MOBIL saved ground and faded late. POWERFUL PHIL bobbled at the start, had good early speed and was through after a half. MA MOO POWER had brief speed.

THISTLEDOWN - September 25, 2023 - Race 2

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED OHIO FOALS MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 118 lbs. (S)

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Purity - 1:03.02 - September 7, 2022)

Purse: \$33,900

Includes: \$7,500 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$33,900


Value of Race: \$33,900 1st \$20,340, 2nd \$6,780, 3rd \$3,390, 4th \$1,695, 5th \$339, 6th \$339, 7th \$339, 8th \$339, 9th \$339

Weather: Cloudy, 70° Track: Fast

Off at: 1:23 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

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Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Sep23 ⁴ TDN ⁷	5	Woman's Dream (Diaz, Angel) 	119	f	5	3	2 ¹ 1/2	1 1/2	1 ⁷	1 ¹⁴ 3/4	1.10*	much best, handily,
4Sep23 ⁴ TDN ⁵	9	Oh Glorious Day (Haldar, David)	118	b	8	1	4 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ³	2 ²	29.80	mild rally, clear 2nd
---	10	Flame for Real (Aviles, Yan)	118	-	9	4	7 ^{Head}	6 ²	5 ²	3 ³ 4	5.40	wide trip, belatedly
5Sep23 ⁴ TDN ⁵	1	Saltmakeshersweet (Berrios, Hector)	118	f	1	5	1 ¹	2 ⁴	2 ³	4 ⁴ 1/2	2.70	early pace, weakened
12Aug23 ⁴ BTP ³	8	Miss Springsteen (Bowen, Rocco)	118	b	7	2	3 ¹ 2	4 ¹	4 ¹ 2	5 ⁴	8.50	stalked3w,weaknd turn
15Aug23 ³ TDN ⁴	6	Curlin Pearls (Rodriguez, Guillermo)	119	-	6	8	8 ⁷	7 ⁴	7 ⁴	6 ¹	40.10	no factor
12Aug23 ⁵ TDN ³	2	Kiss Me Quick (Houghton, T.)	118	bf	2	6	5 ⁴	5 ³	6 ^{Head}	7 ^{Nose}	6.00	bore out badly,bp strt
4Sep23 ⁴ TDN ¹⁰	3	Lucky Stuff (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	118	b	3	9	9	9	8 ⁵	8 ¹⁵	71.20	bmp hard, squeezed st
5Sep23 ⁴ TDN ⁶	4	Honey Bee Good (Smith, Diogdinabi)	118	bf	4	7	6 ^{Head}	8 ³	9	9	97.40	stumbled,bumped start

Fractional Times: 22.62 46.46 58.82 Final Time: 1:05.02

Split Times: (23:84) (12:36) (6:20)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Woman's Dream, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Enticed out of Reliable Ema, by Smarty Jones. Foaled Mar 15, 2021 in Ohio.

Breeder: Larmon Cowles & Cristina Ventura

Owner: Edwin Mundo

Trainer: DaCosta, Jason

Scratched Horse(s): Spooky Little Girl (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$22,335

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Woman's Dream	4.20	3.40	2.60	\$1.00 Daily Double	5-5	4.80	9,063
9	Oh Glorious Day		17.80	8.40	\$1.00 Exacta	5-9	27.80	20,863
10	Flame for Real			4.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-9-10	179.70	12,972
					\$0.10 Superfecta	5-9-10-1	68.72	10,444

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
5	Woman's Dream	3	2 ¹	1 1/2	1 ⁷	1 ¹⁴ 3/4
9	Oh Glorious Day	1	4 ³	3 ⁴ 1/2	3 ¹⁰	2 ¹⁴ 3/4
10	Flame for Real	4	7 ⁸	6 ¹⁰	5 ¹³ 1/2	3 ¹⁶ 3/4
1	Saltmakeshersweet	5	1 ¹	2 1/2	2 ⁷	4 ¹⁷ 1/2
8	Miss Springsteen	2	3 ² 1/2	4 ⁶	4 ¹³	5 ²²
6	Curlin Pearls	8	8 ⁸ 1/4	7 ¹²	7 ¹⁵ 1/2	6 ²⁶
2	Kiss Me Quick	6	5 ⁴	5 ⁷	6 ¹⁵ 1/2	7 ²⁷
3	Lucky Stuff	9	9 ¹⁵ 1/4	9 ¹⁹	8 ¹⁹ 1/2	8 ²⁷
4	Honey Bee Good	7	6 ⁸	8 ¹⁶	9 ²⁴ 1/2	9 ⁴²

Trainers: 5 - DaCosta, Jason; 9 - Vazquez, Ivan; 10 - Fernandez, Edward; 1 - Rone, Michael; 8 - Hamm, Timothy; 6 - Gorham, Robert; 2 - Gorham, Robert; 3 - Casalinovala, Tina; 4 - Diehl, Candace

Owners: 5 -Edwin Mundo; 9 -John F. Graver; 10 -Jack Cannon; 1 -Michael L. Rone; 8 - Blazing Meadows Farm LLC and Townley, James E.; 6 -Marion F. Gorham; 2 -Marion F. Gorham; 3 -Dave Casalinovala; 4 - Charlie J. Williams LLC;

Footnotes

WOMAN'S DREAM chased the early pace two wide, took command near mid turn then widened at will the balance of the trip to win as much the best while in hand. OH GLORIOUS DAY stalked the early pace four wide, had a mild late rally and finished clear for second. FLAME FOR REAL raced outside and came on late for a minor share. SALTMAKESHERSWEET set the early pace along the inside, had speed into the stretch then weakened. MISS SPRINGSTEEN stalked the early pace three wide and weakened on the turn. CURLIN PEARLS was no factor. KISS ME QUICK bore out badly bumping hard with LUCKY STUFF at the start and brief speed. LUCKY STUFF was bumped hard then squeezed between rivals at the start and failed to reach contention. HONEY BEE GOOD stumbled inward bumping LUCKY STUFF at the start and was no threat.

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THISTLEDOWN - September 25, 2023 - Race 3

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$5,000 OR LESS IN 2022 - 2023 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$8,000. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 25 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 25 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000 (Claiming Races For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances) (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$8,000

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Setting Limits - 1:35.60 - November 19, 1989)

Purse: \$20,000

Plus: \$1,600 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$21,600

Value of Race: \$20,000 1st \$12,400, 2nd \$4,000, 3rd \$2,000, 4th \$1,000, 5th \$600

Weather: Cloudy, 70° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:54 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Sep23 ³ TDN ³	7	Backsplash (Severino, Victor)	119 L	5 4	5	5	5	5	4 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	2.50	circled, in time wide
5Sep23 ³ TDN ⁶	6	Annmaria (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	119 L f	4 5	4 ² 1/2	4 ²	3 1/2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4.30	vied 4w, gained 2nd
17Aug23 ⁶ TDN ⁶	2	Queenofcatniphill (Cedillo, Mauro)	114 L	1 1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 3/4	3 ¹ 3/4	4.00	set pressured pace,
7Sep23 ⁸ TDN ³	3	Ripley Effect (Bracho, Jose)	121 L f	2 3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3.10	pressed2w, faded late
5Sep23 ³ TDN ⁴	5	Special Beach (Paucar, Edgar)	119 L b	3 2	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5	5	5	2.20*	stalked 3w, evenly

Fractional Times: 24.42 48.28 1:13.88

Final Time: 1:41.60

Split Times: (23:86) (25:60) (27:72)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Backsplash, Chestnut Mare, by Backtalk out of Pasarela, by Action This Day. Foaled Mar 14, 2013 in Florida.

Breeder: GoldMark Farm, LLC

Owner: Theresia Mahan

Trainer: Mahan, Joseph

Claiming Prices: 7 - Backsplash: \$8,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Mama Lou (Veterinarian), Years Ago (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$22,425

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Backsplash	7.00	4.20	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	7-6	16.50	15,665
6	Annmaria		4.80	3.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	7-6-2	81.20	7,218
2	Queenofcatniphill			3.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-6-2-3	19.98	4,259
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-5-7 (3 correct)	28.30	4,806

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Backsplash	4	5 ⁴	5 ³ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Neck}	1 ¹
6	Annmaria	5	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	3 1/2	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹
2	Queenofcatniphill	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹
3	Ripley Effect	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ² 3/4
5	Special Beach	2	3 ¹	3 ¹	4 ¹	5 ^{3/4}	5 ³

Trainers: 7 - Mahan, Joseph; 6 - Atala, Jose; 2 - Johnson, Gary; 3 - Jackson, James; 5 - Mahan, Joseph

Owners: 7 -Theresia Mahan; 6 -Maria Molnar; 2 - Kahlden, Lawrence A. and Wiener, Brett; 3 - Elkhorn Oaks, Inc.; 5 -Theresia Mahan;

Footnotes

BACKSPLASH trailed, into the stretch, circled her field while drifting out to the middle of the racetrack under left handed urging and was along in time. ANNMARIA vied for the lead four wide and gamely gained second. QUEENOFCATNIPHILL away alertly, set a pressured pace along the inside until deep stretch and was outfinished. RIPLEY EFFECT pressed the pace two wide into the stretch and faded late. SPECIAL BEACH stalked the pace three wide and went evenly.

THISTLEDOWN - September 25, 2023 - Race 4

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
FOR REGISTERED OHIO FOALS THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OPTIONAL, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 25 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 25 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (SNW3 X)

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fancy Threat - 1:08.40 - November 21, 1987)

Purse: \$40,100

Includes: \$8,700 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$40,100

Value of Race: \$40,100 1st \$24,060, 2nd \$8,020, 3rd \$4,010, 4th \$2,005, 5th \$1,203, 6th \$802

Weather: Cloudy, 70° Track: Fast

Off at: 2:24 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23Aug23 ³ TDN ¹	3	Hey Eugene (Peterson, Ferrin)	117	L	3	6	6	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	0.20*	bobbld,bmp sqz,in time
24Aug23 ⁸ TDN ³	8	Beat the Dealer (Bowen, Rocco)	119	L b	6	1	2 ² 1/2	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/4	10.90	pressed2w, led, caught
13Sep23 ⁴ TDN ⁴	2	Raise the Purses (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	121	L	2	5	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	5 ⁴	3 ¹	13.00	bmp st,finished well4w
12Aug23 ⁶ TDN ⁶	5	Media Darling (Pilaes, Christian)	118	L b	4	3	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	5.40	bmp st,pace,outfinishd
23Aug23 ⁷ TDN ⁵	1	Rumble Strip Ron (Berrios, Hector)	121	L bf	1	4	5 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{1/2}	5 ³ 3/4	15.00	inside bid,leveled off
24Jun23 ⁸ TDN ⁶	7	Hite (Paucar, Edgar)	119	L f	5	2	3 ^{Head}	6	6	6	18.70	brief speed

Fractional Times: 22.86 46.48 58.80 Final Time: 1:11.68

Split Times: (23:62) (12:32) (12:88)

Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Hey Eugene, Chestnut Colt, by Midshipman out of Sweet Margi, by Margie's Wildcat. Foaled Apr 19, 2020 in Ohio.

Breeder: Hal Snowden Jr.

Owner: Three Diamonds Farm

Trainer: Maker, Michael

Scratched Horse(s): Jettin Pegasus (Stewards), Wildcat Express (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$41,212

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Hey Eugene	2.40	2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	3-8	5.10	18,384
8	Beat the Dealer		4.60	2.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	3-8-2	11.30	13,877
2	Raise the Purses			2.10	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-8-2-5	4.16	9,590
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-7-3 (3 correct)	13.90	4,353
					\$0.50 Pick 4	5/6-5/7-7-3/4/6 (4 correct)	25.90	19,600

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Hey Eugene	6	6 ⁵ 1/4	5 ⁵	4 ²	1 ^{1/2}
8	Beat the Dealer	1	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}
2	Raise the Purses	5	4 ⁴	4 ⁴	5 ² 1/2	3 ¹ 3/4
5	Media Darling	3	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ² 3/4
1	Rumble Strip Ron	4	5 ⁴ 1/4	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	5 ² 3/4
7	Hite	2	3 ⁴	6 ⁵ 1/4	6 ⁶ 1/2	6 ⁶ 1/2

Trainers: 3 - Maker, Michael; 8 - Zielinski, Richard; 2 - Morales, Saul; 5 - Zielinski, Richard; 1 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 7 - Vazquez, Ivan

Owners: 3 - Three Diamonds Farm; 8 -Holly Delaney; 2 - N and E Racing Stables; 5 -Nancy Lavrich; 1 -Anthony T. Quartarolo; 7 -Daniel W. Myers;

Footnotes

HEY EUGENE bobbled, was bumped between rivals and squeezed at the start, trailed into the turn, circled her field five wide under mild right handed urging and was along in time. BEAT THE DEALER pressed the pave two wide into the stretch, made the lead near the furlong marker then couldn't handle the late charge of the winner. RAISE THE PURSES drifted out bumping the winner at the start and finished well four wide. MEDIA DARLING drifted in bumping the winner at the start, sprinted to the lead, set the pace along the inside until mid stretch and was outfinished. RUMBLE STRIP RON offered a mild bid along the inside into the stretch then leveled off. HITE had brief speed.

THISTLE DOWN - September 25, 2023 - Race 5
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR ACCREDITED OHIO FOALS MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 118 lbs. (S)
Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Purity - 1:03.02 - September 7, 2022)
Purse: \$33,900
Includes: \$7,500 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund
Available Money: \$33,900
Value of Race: \$33,900 1st \$20,340, 2nd \$6,780, 3rd \$3,390, 4th \$1,695, 5th \$339, 6th \$339, 7th \$339, 8th \$339, 9th \$339
Weather: Cloudy, 70° Track: Fast
Off at: 2:54 Start: Good for all except 7 Timing Method: Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Sep23 ² TDN ²	5	Red Chili Pepper (Bowen, Rocco)	118	f	4	4	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ³ 1/2	1 ⁷	1 ⁹ 3/4	0.30*	much best, ridden out
5Sep23 ² TDN ⁵	10	Vecchi (Bracho, Jose)	118	b	8	1	3 ¹ 2	2 ¹	2 ⁵	2 ⁶	25.90	well clear for second
5Sep23 ⁶ TDN ³	1	One Step Aside (Halledeen, Robert)	118	-	1	8	4 ¹ 2	4 ¹	3 ² 1/2	3 ³	10.80	in tight start,evenly
5Sep23 ² TDN ⁶	7	Seeking Freedom (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	118	-	6	7	9	9	6 ¹ 2	4 ³ 4	74.60	stumbled start,
5Sep23 ⁶ TDN ⁵	11	Rivers of Deniro (Hernandez-Lopez, Alvaro)	121	b	9	2	8 ¹ 1/2	8 ^{Head}	9	5 ¹ 2	76.90	no factor
5Sep23 ⁶ TDN ²	2	Justa Little Moore (Cedillo, Mauro)	114	-	2	6	7 ¹ 2	7 ^{Head}	5 ¹ 2	6 ⁵ 3/4	3.30	tight start,no threat
5Sep23 ⁶ TDN ⁷	8	Striking Lad (Diaz, Angel)	119	-	7	5	6 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 2	8 ^{Head}	7 ¹ 1/2	77.30	brief speed
---	3	Akimbo (Rodriguez, Guillermo)	119	bf	3	9	5 ¹ 2	5 ¹ 2	7 ^{Head}	8 ¹ 1/2	26.20	in tight start,weaknd
5Sep23 ² TDN ⁴	6	Tahlequah Joe (Toledo, Joam)	118	b	5	3	2 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	9	20.80	chased early, stopped

Fractional Times: 23.40 47.44 59.86
Split Times: (24:04) (12:42) (6:60)
Run-Up: 25 feet

Final Time: 1:06.46

Winner: Red Chili Pepper, Chestnut Colt, by National Flag out of Bossy, by Street Boss. Foaled Mar 07, 2021 in Ohio.
Breeder: WinBlaze, LLC
Owner: Winblaze, LLC
Trainer: Hamm, Timothy

Scratched Horse(s): Jodhpur (Veterinarian), Mobil Mission (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$38,822

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Red Chili Pepper	2.60	2.20	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	5-10	14.10	30,911
10	Vecchi		6.00	6.60	\$1.00 Trifecta	5-10-1	48.80	19,164
1	One Step Aside			3.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-10-1-7	50.15	17,139
					\$1.00 Pick 3	7-3-5 (3 correct)	8.20	6,225

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
5	Red Chili Pepper	4	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ³ 1/2	1 ⁷	1 ⁹ 3/4
10	Vecchi	1	3 ² 1/2	2 ³ 1/2	2 ⁷	2 ⁹ 3/4
1	One Step Aside	8	4 ³	4 ⁶	3 ¹²	3 ¹⁵ 3/4
7	Seeking Freedom	7	9 ⁶	9 ⁸ 1/4	6 ¹⁵	4 ¹⁸ 3/4
11	Rivers of Deniro	2	8 ⁴ 1/2	8 ⁸	9 ¹⁵ 3/4	5 ¹⁹ 1/2
2	Justa Little Moore	6	7 ⁴	7 ⁸	5 ¹⁴ 1/2	6 ²⁰
8	Striking Lad	5	6 ⁴	6 ⁷ 1/2	8 ¹⁵ 3/4	7 ²⁵ 3/4
3	Akimbo	9	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁷	7 ¹⁵ 1/2	8 ²⁷ 1/4
6	Tahlequah Joe	3	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁴ 1/2	4 ¹⁴ 1/2	9 ²⁸ 3/4

Trainers: 5 - Hamm, Timothy; 10 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 1 - DaCosta, Jason; 7 - Faulkner, Rodney; 11 - Faulkner, Rodney; 2 - Ruberto, Jr., Louis; 8 - Flores, Israel; 3 - Rone, Michael; 6 - Radosevich, Jake

Owners: 5 - Winblaze, LLC; 10 - Spicer, Richard and Spitler, D. William; 1 -Jason DaCosta; 7 -Skipper Hamilton; 11 - R and P Racing Stables, LLC; 2 - Ruberto Racing Stable, Inc.; 8 -Antonio Flores; 3 - Fairwinds Farm; 6 - JSR Racing LLC;

Footnotes
RED CHILI PEPPER sped to the lead soon after the start, set all the pace and widened through the stretch to win as much the best while being ridden out. VECCHI stalked the pace in the four path and finished well clear for second. ONE STEP ASIDE was in tight at the start, saved ground and went evenly. SEEKING FREEDOM stumbled at the start, trailed into the stretch then passed tiring rivals. RIVERS OF DENIRO was no factor. JUSTA LITTLE MOORE also in tight at the start was no threat. STRIKING LAD had brief speed. AKIMBO was in tight at the start, settled mid pack and weakened in the stretch. TAHLEQUAH JOE chased the winner into the turn and stopped in the stretch.

THISTLEDOWN - September 25, 2023 - Race 6



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR REGISTERED OHIO FOALS THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 25 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 25 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$7,500. (SNW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$7,500
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fancy Threat - 1:08.40 - November 21, 1987)
Purse: \$17,900
Includes: \$3,900 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund
Available Money: \$17,900
Value of Race: \$17,900 1st \$10,740, 2nd \$3,580, 3rd \$1,790, 4th \$895, 5th \$537, 6th \$358
Weather: Cloudy, 70° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 3:35 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Sep23 ⁷ TDN ³	3	Sammy and Shorty (Bracho, Jose)	117	L	3	3	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	0.30*	up in final strides
13Sep23 ⁵ TDN ⁷	6	Stars N Space (Bowen, Rocco)	121	L b	6	2	1 ¹	1 ^{3 1/2}	1 ⁵	2 ^{6 3/4}	2.50	pace, clear, caught
4Sep23 ⁷ TDN ⁴	4	Primitivo (Berrios, Hector)	118	L	4	1	3 ²	3 ¹	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	8.70	stalked, evenly 2path
4Sep23 ⁷ TDN ⁵	5	Ima Believer (Halledeen, Robert)	119	b	5	4	5 ²	5 ^{Head}	6	4 ^{1 1/2}	31.90	failed to menace
7Sep23 ² TDN ⁵	1	Seasons End (Smith, Diogdinabi)	119	f	1	5	6	6	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{3 1/2}	45.20	no factor
4Sep23 ⁷ TDN ⁶	2	Twinspiredjoey (Rodriguez, Guillermo)	119	L b	2	6	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	6	18.90	chased, gave way lane

Fractional Times: 23.28 46.86 59.66 **Final Time:** 1:12.64
Split Times: (23:58) (12:80) (12:98)
Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Sammy and Shorty, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Mobil out of Surviving New York, by Survivalist. Foaled Mar 22, 2020 in Ohio.
Breeder: Phantom Farms LLC
Owner: Italian Stallions
Trainer: Radosevich, Jeffrey

Claiming Prices: 3 - Sammy and Shorty: \$7,500; 6 - Stars N Space: \$7,500; 4 - Primitivo: \$7,500; 5 - Ima Believer: \$7,500; 1 - Seasons End: \$7,500; 2 - Twinspiredjoey: \$7,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$45,704

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Sammy and Shorty	2.60	2.10	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	3-6	3.10	26,220
6	Stars N Space		2.60	3.60	\$1.00 Trifecta	3-6-4	5.70	19,989
4	Primitivo			4.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-6-4-5	1.49	14,835
					\$1.00 Pick 3	3-5-3 (3 correct)	2.80	4,524

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Sammy and Shorty	3	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	2 ⁵	1 ^{1/2}
6	Stars N Space	2	1 ¹	1 ^{3 1/2}	1 ⁵	2 ^{1/2}
4	Primitivo	1	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ⁶	3 ^{7 1/4}
5	Ima Believer	4	5 ⁵	5 ⁷	6 ^{8 1/2}	4 ^{8 3/4}
1	Seasons End	5	6 ⁷	6 ⁷	5 ^{8 1/2}	5 ^{10 1/4}
2	Twinspiredjoey	6	2 ¹	2 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁷	6 ^{13 3/4}

Trainers: 3 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 6 - Puhl, Kim; 4 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 5 - Tumblin, Andrew; 1 - Mavec, Kathleen; 2 - Rone, Michael

Owners: 3 - Italian Stallions; 6 -Gene Burkholder; 4 - Spicer, Richard and Spitler, D. William; 5 -Kristina M. Tumblin; 1 -Kathleen S. Mavec; 2 - Weisberg Thoroughbred Racing, LLC;

Footnotes
SAMMY AND SHORTY never far back, closed with a burst of speed in the six path under left handed urging through deep stretch and got up in the final strides. STARS N SPACE away alertly, set all the pace, drew well clear entering the stretch then couldn't handle the late charge of the winner. PRIMITIVO stalked the pace and finished evenly in the two path. IMA BELIEVER failed to menace. SEASONS END was no factor. TWINSPIREDJOEY chased the runner up into the stretch then gave way along the inside.

THISTLEDOWN - September 25, 2023 - Race 7
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred).
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Setting Limits - 1:35.60 - November 19, 1989)
Purse: \$26,400
Plus: \$15,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund
Available Money: \$41,400
Value of Race: \$26,400 1st \$16,368, 2nd \$5,280, 3rd \$2,640, 4th \$1,320, 5th \$792
Weather: Cloudy, 70° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:05 **Start:** Good for all except 5 **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
11Sep23 ⁴ TDN ²	1	Sergeant Countzler (Diaz, Angel)	119	L f	1	3	4 ^{1 1/2}	5	5	3 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	3.40	closed fast rail
20Aug23 ⁴ ELP ²	3	Shortly (Fernandez, Victor)	119	L b	2	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³	2 ^{5 1/4}	0.70*	pressed,led,2nd best
7Aug23 ⁸ TDN ⁵	6	Funny Man (Bowen, Rocco)	119	L bf	5	4	3 ⁴	1 ^{1/2}	2 ⁴	2 ²	3 ^{1/2}	2.80	pressed,led,weakened
4Sep23 ⁴ FE ⁷	5	Street Max (Paucar, Edgar)	123	b	4	5	5	4 ^{Head}	4 ²	5	4 ¹	21.20	hit gate start,
6Sep23 ⁷ TDN ³	4	C C's Clear Creek (Cedillo, Mauro)	118	L f	3	1	1 ^{1/2}	3 ⁴	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5	6.60	early pace, weakened

Fractional Times: 24.06 48.06 1:13.68 **Final Time:** 1:42.02
Split Times: (24:00) (25:62) (28:34)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Sergeant Countzler, Bay Gelding, by [Bolt d'Oro](#) out of Mondaymorningblues, by Morning Line. Foaled Feb 12, 2020 in Kentucky.

BOLT d'ORO } Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift

Breeder: Lesley Campion
Owner: Keys to Riches Stable
Trainer: Meyers, Shane

Scratched Horse(s): Estilo Favorito (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$20,320

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Sergeant Countzler	8.80	3.00	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	1-3	9.20	5,229
3	Shortly		2.20	2.10	\$1.00 Trifecta	1-3-6	23.10	4,437
6	Funny Man			2.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	1-3-6-5	14.94	3,357
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-3-1 (3 correct)	7.60	3,218

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Sergeant Countzler	3	4 ⁵	5 ^{4 3/4}	5 ¹⁰	3 ⁵	1 ^{1 1/2}
3	Shortly	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}
6	Funny Man	4	3 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ³	3 ^{6 3/4}
5	Street Max	5	5 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ⁸	5 ⁹	4 ^{7 1/4}
4	C C's Clear Creek	1	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{8 1/4}

Trainers: 1 - Meyers, Shane; 3 - Zielinski, Richard; 6 - Hamm, Timothy; 5 - Zielinski, Richard; 4 - Trevino, Stephen

Owners: 1 - Keys to Riches Stable; 3 -Patrick M Howlett; 6 - Pelfrey, Ruth, Nicoletta, Gerald, Tait, Bob, Hertrich III, Frederick and Blazing Meadows Farm LLC; 5 -Dale Powell; 4 -Job Hinojos-Gutierrez;

Footnotes
SERGEANT COUNTZLER unhurried into the stretch, closed rapidly along the rail under left handed urging through deep stretch and was along in time. SHORTLY pressed the early pace along the inside, battled through the far turn, shook clear in upper stretch, drifted to the three path then couldn't handle the winner. FUNNY MAN pressed the early pace three wide, gained a narrow lead before a half, battled with the runner up through the far turn and weakened late. STREET MAX hit the gate then miss stepped at the start and was no threat. C C'S CLEAR CREEK away alertly, set the early pace two wide, had speed into the far turn then weakened. THE STEWARDS POSTED THE INQUIRY SIGN BUT TOOK NO ACTION.

THISTLEDOWN - September 25, 2023 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since August 25 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 25 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$12,500 Or Less
Not Considered In Weight Allowances) (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (NW2 L)
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fancy Threat - 1:08.40 - November 21, 1987)
Purse: \$28,000
Plus: \$15,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund
Available Money: \$43,000
Value of Race: \$28,000 1st \$16,800, 2nd \$5,600, 3rd \$2,800, 4th \$1,400, 5th \$840, 6th \$560
Weather: Cloudy, 70° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:37 **Start:** Good for all except 4 **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
24Aug23 ⁴ TDN ⁵	3	O Romeo (Feliciano, Ricardo)	119	L b	3	2	3 ³	3 ^{5 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	4.70	rail moved, clear
6Sep23 ⁸ TDN ³	6	Quarantino (Gonzalez, Luis)	117	--	6	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	3 ⁴	2 ³	2.10	bmp,chased 2nd best
11Sep23 ⁴ TDN ¹	1	Favorable Return (Marcano, Luis)	118	L	1	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Neck}	5.40	pace,drifted,outfinish
6Sep23 ⁸ TDN ²	4	Permafrost (Bowen, Rocco)	118	L b	4	6	5 ⁴	5 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{3 3/4}	0.80*	step slow, late gain4p
4Sep23 ³ MNR ⁵	2	Foggy Albion (Paucar, Edgar)	123	L b	2	4	6	6	5 ¹	5 ^{11 3/4}	50.10	outrun
1Sep23 ² DEL ⁷	5	Estilo Clasico (Rosario, Jr., Hector)	118	L b	5	5	4 ⁵	4 ^{1/2}	6	6	39.60	bumped start,no menace

Fractional Times: 22.20 45.22 58.06 **Final Time:** 1:11.22
Split Times: (23:02) (12:84) (13:16)
Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: O Romeo, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Gary D out of Romantic Juliet, by Put It Back. Foaled Feb 20, 2020 in Florida.
Breeder: Don Ming
Owner: Grantland J. Johnson
Trainer: Feliciano, Benny

Total WPS Pool: \$28,706

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
3	O Romeo	11.40	6.20	4.00	\$1.00 Daily Double	1-3	28.00	2,548	
6	Quarantino		3.60	3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	3-6	14.80	15,754	
1	Favorable Return			3.60	\$1.00 Trifecta	3-6-1	52.20	12,451	
					\$0.10 Superfecta	3-6-1-4	5.88	11,383	
					\$1.00 Pick 3	3-1-3 (3 correct)	37.40	5,276	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	4/5/9-3-1-3 (4 correct)	25.65	14,554	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	3/4/6-4/5/9-3-1-3 (5 correct)	30.85	9,124	
					\$0.20 Pick 6 Jackpot	7-3/4/6-4/5/9-3-1-3 (6 correct)	91.94	6,732	52,182

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	O Romeo	2	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}
6	Quarantino	1	2 ¹	2 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}
1	Favorable Return	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}
4	Permafrost	6	5 ^{9 1/2}	5 ⁸	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{4 3/4}
2	Foggy Albion	4	6 ^{13 1/2}	6 ^{13 1/2}	5 ¹⁰	5 ^{8 1/2}
5	Estilo Clasico	5	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/2}	6 ¹¹	6 ^{20 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Feliciano, Benny; 6 - Skerrett, Jeffrey; 1 - Skeens, Jeremy; 4 - Puhl, Kim; 2 - Tumblin, Andrew; 5 - Morales, Saul

Owners: 3 -Grantland J. Johnson; 6 -Danielle Agnello; 1 - Blackleaf Farms LLC; 4 -Gene Burkholder; 2 -Vicente Rios Garcia; 5 - N and E Racing Stables;

Footnotes

O ROMEO stalked the pace along the inside into the stretch, rallied along the rail to make the lead near the furlong marker and edged clear under confident handling. QUARANTINO broke inward bumping ESTILO CLASICO at the start, chased the early pace, was carried out to the six path by the leader entering the stretch and finished clear for second. FAVORABLE RETURN away alertly, set the pace along the inside into the stretch, drifted to the five path and was outfinished. PERMAFROST broke a step slow and closed ground late in the four path. FOGGY ALBION was outrun. ESTILO CLASICO was bumped at the start and failed to menace.

Track Attendance: 0 **Handle:** \$15,353
Off Track Wagering **Handle:** \$669,696