

**CHURCHILL DOWNS - April 29, 2026 - Race 8**

STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$50,000 OR LESS OR WHICH HAVE BROKEN THEIR MAIDEN IN A MAIDEN AUCTION RACE AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR WAIVER CLAIMING. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since March 29 Allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$40,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) Starter Races For \$40,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility. (NW1 X) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000 - \$0

**Distance:** Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Groupie Doll - 1:20.44 - May 5, 2012)

**Purse:** \$83,000

**Includes:** \$7,800 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

**Plus:** \$1,127 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$84,127

**Value of Race:** \$84,127 1st \$46,792, 2nd \$16,600, 3rd \$8,300, 4th \$4,150, 5th \$2,490, 6th \$1,159, 7th \$1,159, 8th \$1,159, 9th \$1,159, 10th \$1,159

**Weather:** Cloudy, 60° **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

**Off at:** 4:27 **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
28Mar26 <sup>4</sup> TP <sup>1</sup>	9	Sweet Freedom (Achard, Alex)	124	L b	9	2	9 <sup>2</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	12.81	3p,7p1/4,up in time
8Apr26 <sup>8</sup> KEE <sup>2</sup>	3	Sharons Beach (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	118	L b	3	5	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	2.34	clear,tired late,naild
19Mar26 <sup>1</sup> OP <sup>4</sup>	1	Norwich (Prat, Flavien)	124	L b	1	10	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	4.20	ins,aim 3p,outkck late
27Dec25 <sup>8</sup> FG <sup>7</sup>	7	South Bend Tom (Gaffalione, Tyler)	124	L	7	4	6 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Neck</sup>	20.10	2wd,3wd btw upr,stayed
10Apr26 <sup>10</sup> KEE <sup>1</sup>	2	Free Advice (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	126	L	2	8	8 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>12 1/4</sup>	34.31	ins,stayed on,outkickd
22Mar26 <sup>1</sup> OP <sup>1</sup>	8	Speedstorm (Rosario, Joel)	124	L	8	3	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	11.38	tracked 4-5p, no bid
8Apr26 <sup>3</sup> IND <sup>4</sup>	10	Just Like Max (Elliott, Christopher)	118	L bf	10	1	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	40.04	3wd,6p upr,no factor
27Mar26 <sup>1</sup> SA <sup>2</sup>	5	Gordon's Legacy (Morales, Edgar)	124	L b	5	7	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	18.67	stalked 3wd, wknd btw
19Jan26 <sup>7</sup> FG <sup>7</sup>	6	Good Mojo (Ortiz, Jose)	124	L b	6	6	10	10	10	9 <sup>5 1/4</sup>	8.38	trailed 2p, outrun
16Apr26 <sup>4</sup> KEE <sup>1</sup>	4	Mo Work (Saez, Luis)	124	L	4	9	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>1</sup>	10	2.21*	chased 2w,btw,wknd5/16

**Fractional Times:** 22.40 45.30 1:10.33

**Final Time:** 1:24.07 **Time from Gate:** 1:26.00

**Split Times:** (22:90) (25:03) (13:74)

**Run-Up:** 40 feet

**Winner:** Sweet Freedom, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by [Candy Ride \(ARG\)](#) out of All American Gal, by American Pharoah. Foaled Mar 20, 2021 in Kentucky.



Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

**Breeder:** Harvey A. Clarke

**Owner:** Harvey A. Clarke Racing Stables, LLC

**Trainer:** Medina, Robert

**Total WPS Pool:** \$489,456

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
9	Sweet Freedom	27.62	10.26	5.68	\$2.00 Exacta	9-3	98.76	284,340	
3	Sharons Beach		3.98	2.82	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-3-1	102.10	159,249	
1	Norwich			3.64	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-3-1-7	188.59	77,994	
					\$1.00 Daily Double	9-9	53.90	43,487	
					\$0.50 Pick 3	4-9-9 (3 correct)	26.12	43,911	
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	ODD	3.14	1,472	
					\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	4-4-9 (3 correct)	8.67	0	
					\$1.00 Z-5 Super Hi-5	9-3-1-7-2		6,393	4,987

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
9	Sweet Freedom	2	9 <sup>8 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>10 3/4</sup>	5 <sup>8</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>
3	Sharons Beach	5	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
1	Norwich	10	4 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1 3/4</sup>
7	South Bend Tom	4	6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
2	Free Advice	8	8 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>
8	Speedstorm	3	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>16 1/4</sup>
10	Just Like Max	1	7 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>7 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>17 1/2</sup>
5	Gordon's Legacy	7	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>19 3/4</sup>
6	Good Mojo	6	10 <sup>10 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>13 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>15</sup>	9 <sup>25 1/4</sup>
4	Mo Work	9	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>14</sup>	10 <sup>30 1/2</sup>

**Trainers:** 9 - Medina, Robert; 3 - Thomas, Jonathan; 1 - Maker, Michael; 7 - Stall, Jr., Albert; 2 - Humphries, Tommy; 8 - Moquett, Ron; 10 - Garcia, Genaro; 5 - Hartman, Chris; 6 - Forster, Grant; 4 - Simms, Jr., Mark

**Owners:** 9 - Harvey A. Clarke Racing Stables, LLC; 3 - Panic Stable LLC; 1 - Paradise Farms Corp. and Staudacher, David; 7 - Boyan, Thomas C. and Stall, Jr., Albert M.; 2 - Humphries, Tommy, Puryear, Jr., Glynn A. and BHB Racing LLC; 8 - Triton Thoroughbreds LLC; 10 - Southwest Racing Stables, Inc. and Murphy, Bruce; 5 - Ruis Racing LLC; 6 - Boyd L. Byers; 4 - Dark Knight Racing;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

SWEET FREEDOM lacked speed in the three path, swung out to the seven path entering the lane then rallied with a good kick to reel in the tiring leader in the shadow of the wire. SHARONS BEACH set the pace along the inside, drew clear with a half mile to go, held sway through midstretch but tired late and got nailed. NORWICH tracked along the inside, crept closer around the turn, took aim on the clear leader from the three path entering the lane, but was kept at bay then got outkicked late. SOUTH BEND TOM pursued from midpack two wide, three wide and between horses in upper stretch then stayed on to edge fourth late. FREE ADVICE pursued from midpack along the inside, forged show from outer foes in upper stretch, then stayed on but got outkicked and lost fourth late. SPEEDSTORM tracked from the four path, fanned to the five path entering the lane and lacked a bid. JUST LIKE MAX raced off of the pace three wide, shifted to the six path in upper stretch and failed to factor. GORDON'S LEGACY stalked three wide, but faded four wide entering the lane then weakened between horses. GOOD MOJO trailed in the two path and got outrun. MO WORK raced close up in the two path, chased between horses into the turn then weakened at the five sixteenths pole.

