

CHURCHILL DOWNS - June 5, 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 At A Mile Or Over Since May 5 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: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fruit Ludt - 1:33.26 - November 21, 2014)

Purse: \$83,000

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

Available Money: \$83,000

Value of Race: \$80,666 1st \$46,792, 2nd \$16,600, 3rd \$8,300, 4th \$4,150, 5th \$2,490, 6th \$1,128, 7th \$1,206

Weather: Clear, 82° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:21 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
26Apr26 ¹ CD ³	2	Nogradi (Chuan, Martin)	124	L	2	6	6 ¹ 1/2	6 ²	5 ¹	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2.73	bob brk,split,surged
29Apr26 ⁸ CD ⁴	7	South Bend Tom (Concepcion, Axel)	124	L	7	3	4 ¹	5 ^{Head}	4 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	6.23	4-7w,led late,outfnshd
16May26 ¹⁰ CD ²	6	Spirit of a Walkon (Lanerie, Corey)	118	L	6	5	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{3/4}	2.36*	stalked pair,bid 3/16
23May26 ⁴ CD ⁴	4	Maximum Promise (Torres, Jaime)	124	L b	4	1	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹ 3/4	10.28	press,bid 5/16,ran on
10May26 ⁹ CD ³	5	Hot Property (Gaffalione, Tyler)	124	L b	5	7	7	7	7	6 ²	5 ^{1/2}	4.77	passed tired rivals
8May26 ⁷ CD ¹	1	Chairmanoftheboard (Morales, Edgar)	118	-	1	4	5 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	6 ² 1/2	5 ² 1/2	6 ¹³ 3/4	4.79	cut corner, flattened
1May26 ⁷ OP ⁵	3	Secured Lender (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	124	L	3	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	7	7	12.31	bmpd brk,pace,duel

Fractional Times: 23.40 46.23 1:10.84 1:23.38 **Final Time:** 1:36.19 **Time from Gate:** 1:37.93

Split Times: (22:83) (24:61) (12:54) (12:81)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Nogradi, Bay Gelding, by American Pharoah out of Time and Motion, by Tapit. Foaled Jan 21, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: American Pharoah Syndicate & PhillipsRacing Partnership

Owner: Michael S. Foster

Trainer: Brion, Keri

Scratched Horse(s): Highly Connected (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$258,512

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Nogradi	7.46	3.66	2.56	\$2.00 Exacta	2-7	50.60	149,200
7	South Bend Tom		6.50	3.74	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-7-6	47.04	75,354
6	Spirit of a Walkon			2.42	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-7-6-4	33.18	40,720
					\$1.00 Daily Double	9-2	13.58	28,322
					\$0.50 Pick 3	3-9-2 (3 correct)	25.26	18,011
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	EVEN	3.00	142
					\$1.00 Super High Five	2-7-6-4-5	1,103.74	13,478

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Nogradi	6	6 ² 1/2	6 ² 3/4	5 ¹ 3/4	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}
7	South Bend Tom	3	4 ¹	5 ² 1/2	4 ^{3/4}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}
6	Spirit of a Walkon	5	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ²
4	Maximum Promise	1	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{Neck}	4 ² 3/4
5	Hot Property	7	7 ⁴	7 ⁴ 3/4	7 ⁵ 1/4	6 ³	5 ⁴ 1/2
1	Chairmanoftheboard	4	5 ²	4 ¹ 1/2	6 ² 3/4	5 ^{1/2}	6 ⁵
3	Secured Lender	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	7 ⁵	7 ¹⁸ 3/4

Trainers: 2 - Brion, Keri; 7 - Stall, Jr., Albert; 6 - Romans, Dale; 4 - Rice, Linda; 5 - Rice, Linda; 1 - McGee, Paul; 3 - Hartman, Chris

Owners: 2 -Michael S. Foster; 7 - Boyan, Thomas C. and Stall, Jr., Albert M.; 6 - Albaugh Family Stables, LLC; 4 -Linda Rice; 5 -Linda Rice; 1 - Amerman Racing, LLC; 3 - JD Thoroughbreds LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

NOGRADI bobbed into a rival at the start, raced up in behind the leading group two to three wide on the turn, came out in upper stretch, found room to split rivals soon after, surged late to prevail. SOUTH BEND TOM stalked from outside, was forced four then five wide on the turn, bid six to seven deep nearing the furlong grounds, took a narrow lead just past that marker, was outfinished. SPIRIT OF A WALKON stalked the leading pair under light rating tactics, made a mild bid in upper stretch, was outkicked by the top duo. MAXIMUM PROMISE pressed the pace up the backstretch, bid at the five-sixteenths under urging, ran on but lacked the needed late kick. HOT PROPERTY was outpaced early bringing up the rear racing off the inside, passed tired rivals. CHAIRMANOFTHEBOARD tracked the leaders inside, cut the corner in range of the lead turning into upper stretch but flattened out. SECURED LENDER was bumped at the start, set a pressured pace dueling inside on the turn racing off the rail coming to the top of the stretch, gave way soon after.