

CHUR CHILL DOWNS - June 19, 2026 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since April 19 Allowed 3 lbs. Such A Race Since Then Allowed 5 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500 (Races Where Entered For \$10,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). **Claiming Price:** \$12,500

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fierceness - 1:40.66 - May 2, 2025)

Purse: \$45,000

Includes: \$4,200 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$45,000

Value of Race: \$42,744 1st \$25,368, 2nd \$9,000, 3rd \$4,080, 4th \$2,250, 5th \$1,350, 6th \$696

Weather: Clear, 75° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:15 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

[GPS Race Chart](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Apr26 ¹ CD ⁴	3	National Eclipse (Saez, Luis)	118	L b	3	1	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ²	1 ^{1 1/4}	1.08*	stalked 2p,up 1/8,held
3Jun26 ¹ CD ⁴	5	Hoodlum (Gaffalione, Tyler)	118	L	5	4	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ³	2 ⁶	3.24	3wd,5p1/4,rallied
10Jun26 ³ CD ⁶	2	Saltwater Cowboy (Hoskins, H.)	110	L b	2	2	1 ²	1 ³	1 ⁴	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2.48	sped clear,lasted show
3Jun26 ¹ CD ³	1	Nip N Tuck (Sheehy, Danny)	118	L	1	3	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ³	4 ⁶	9.89	trck ins,chased,no bid
14May26 ² CD ⁶	6	Creek (Torres, Jaime)	118	L b	6	6	6	6	6	6	5 ^{3 1/2}	32.50	4p1st,ins 2nd,no thrt
10Jun26 ⁶ CD ¹²	4	Ready to Pounce (Curtis, Ben)	118	L	4	5	5 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ³	5 ¹	6	10.12	urged 2wd btwn,wknd

Fractional Times: 23.58 46.42 1:10.54 1:37.70

Final Time: 1:44.58 **Time from Gate:** 1:46.72

Split Times: (22:84) (24:12) (27:16) (6:88)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: National Eclipse, Chestnut Gelding, by Alternation out of Midnight Eclipse, by Malibu Moon. Foaled Mar 06, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Andy Sauve

Owner: Schumer, Barry, Brown, James F. and Kenneally, Eddie

Trainer: Kenneally, Eddie

2 Claimed Horse(s): **National Eclipse** New Trainer: Steven M. Asmussen New Owner: Steven M. Asmussen
Saltwater Cowboy New Trainer: Joe Sharp New Owner: Joe Sharp

Claiming Prices: 3 - National Eclipse: \$12,500; 5 - Hoodlum: \$12,500; 2 - Saltwater Cowboy: \$12,500; 1 - Nip N Tuck: \$12,500; 6 - Creek: \$12,500; 4 - Ready to Pounce: \$12,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$103,044

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	National Eclipse	4.16	2.64	2.16	\$2.00 Exacta	3-5	11.62	56,092
5	Hoodlum		3.20	2.42	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-5-2	8.70	30,496
2	Saltwater Cowboy			2.64	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-5-2-1	3.65	17,200
					\$1.00 Daily Double	5-3	5.04	43,643
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	ODD	2.32	288

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	National Eclipse	1	2 ²	2 ³	2 ⁴	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/4}
5	Hoodlum	4	4 ³	4 ⁵	3 ^{6 1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{1 1/4}
2	Saltwater Cowboy	2	1 ²	1 ³	1 ⁴	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{7 1/4}
1	Nip N Tuck	3	3 ³	3 ⁵	4 ^{8 1/2}	4 ⁵	4 ^{8 3/4}
6	Creek	6	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁷	6 ^{11 1/2}	6 ⁹	5 ^{14 3/4}
4	Ready to Pounce	5	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{8 1/2}	5 ⁸	6 ^{18 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Kenneally, Eddie; 5 - Casse, Norm; 2 - Ortiz, John; 1 - King, Barry; 6 - Kordenbrock, Matt; 4 - Meah, Anna

Owners: 3 - Schumer, Barry, Brown, James F. and Kenneally, Eddie; 5 - AR Racing LLC (Marsh); 2 - Straight Stables; 1 - Barry L. King; 6 - Jordan Johnson; 4 - Meah, Anna M., Noe, Jamie, Medlin, Scott, Gagnier, Bruce, Castle, Charlie and Grasso, Ralph;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

NATIONAL ECLIPSE stalked from the two path, progressed on the clear leader while moving out to the four path entering the lane, closed in while hanging on his left lead in upper stretch, reeled in the leader while changing over at the furlong grounds then held sway from an outer pursuer late. HOODLUM laid off of the pace three wide, swung out to the five path while building momentum into the lane, rallied to take aim on the new leader in the final furlong but was kept at bay. SALTWATER COWBOY sped clear early on, widened his margin down the backstretch, but got caught by an outer bidder in midstretch, tired then lasted for show. NIP N TUCK tracked along the inside, chased around the far turn then failed to menace. CREEK trailed in the four path around the first turn, then along the inside around the far turn and failed to factor. READY TO POUNCE raced off of the pace two wide and between horses while under urging into the backstretch, then weakened.