

CHURCHILL DOWNS - June 24, 2026 - Race 3

STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$30,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since May 24 Allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$30,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW3 L)

Claiming Price: \$30,000 - \$0

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

Purse: \$62,000

Includes: \$5,800 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$62,000

Value of Race: \$60,256 1st \$34,952, 2nd \$12,400, 3rd \$6,200, 4th \$3,100, 5th \$1,860, 6th \$843, 7th \$901

Weather: Clear, 75° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:45 **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 |
|---------------------------------------|-----|-----------------------------------|---------|----|-------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 22May26 ⁵ CD ⁵ | 2 | Rando (Torres, Cristian) | 124 L b | 2 | 2 | 3 ^{Head} | 3 ^{Head} | 4 ² | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 3.97 | ins,bid btw,clear,held |
| 31May26 ² CD ¹ | 6 | Don't Be Salty (Ortiz, Jr., Irad) | 124 L b | 6 | 5 | 4 ² | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{4 1/2} | 1.26* | 2wbtw,4p2nd,6p upr,bid |
| 16May26 ³ CD ² | 3 | Wits and Wagers (Beschizza, Adam) | 124 L | 3 | 7 | 6 ^{Head} | 6 ^{Head} | 6 ² | 5 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 41.79 | step slow,2wbtw,mildly |
| 5Jun26 ⁶ CD ¹ | 7 | Haleakala (Torres, Jaime) | 124 L | 7 | 4 | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ¹ | 2 ¹ | 4 ¹ | 14.99 | 3w,bid 2nd,up1/4,faded |
| 10May26 ³ CD ² | 5 | Next Up (Machado, Luan) | 124 L b | 5 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 5 ^{Head} | 6 ^{3 1/2} | 5 ¹ | 2.67 | 3wd,6p upr,no rally |
| 26Dec25 ¹⁰ GP ² | 4 | Miss Ellary (Gaffalione, Tyler) | 124 L v | 4 | 1 | 1 ² | 1 ¹ | 1 ^{Head} | 4 ² | 6 ^{6 3/4} | 4.12 | in hand 2p, faded |
| 25May26 ³ CD ⁶ | 1 | Mint Driven (Sheehy, Danny) | 124 L | 1 | 3 | 5 ^{1/2} | 5 ^{Head} | 7 | 7 | 7 | 56.35 | inside, outrun |

Fractional Times: 24.51 48.96 1:13.39 1:38.33

Final Time: 1:44.85 **Time from Gate:** 1:46.33

Split Times: (24:45) (24:43) (24:94) (6:52)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Rando, Chestnut Filly, by Vino Rosso out of Gas Station Sushi, by Into Mischief. Foaled Feb 13, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Spendthrift Farm, LLC

Owner: 8 Star Racing

Trainer: Shorter, Aaron

Total WPS Pool: \$140,838

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|------|------------------------|-------------------|----------|--------|
| 2 | Rando | 9.94 | 3.92 | 4.10 | \$2.00 Exacta | 2-6 | 35.38 | 84,705 |
| 6 | Don't Be Salty | | 2.82 | 2.98 | \$0.50 Trifecta | 2-6-3 | 100.50 | 46,316 |
| 3 | Wits and Wagers | | | 8.38 | \$0.10 Superfecta | 2-6-3-7 | 83.27 | 25,325 |
| | | | | | \$1.00 Daily Double | 6-2 | 303.72 | 23,909 |
| | | | | | \$0.50 Pick 3 | 5-6-2 (3 correct) | 1,166.61 | 51,730 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Odd or Even | EVEN | 2.44 | 138 |
| | | | | | \$1.00 Super High Five | 2-6-3-7-5 | 2,135.97 | 13,702 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-----------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 2 | Rando | 2 | 3 ² | 3 ¹ | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{Head} |
| 6 | Don't Be Salty | 5 | 4 ^{2 1/4} | 4 ^{1 1/4} | 3 ¹ | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ^{Head} |
| 3 | Wits and Wagers | 7 | 6 ^{4 3/4} | 6 ^{2 3/4} | 6 ^{3 3/4} | 5 ⁴ | 3 ^{4 1/2} |
| 7 | Haleakala | 4 | 2 ² | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ^{1/2} | 4 ⁵ |
| 5 | Next Up | 6 | 7 ^{4 3/4} | 7 ³ | 5 ^{3 1/2} | 6 ^{4 1/2} | 5 ⁶ |
| 4 | Miss Ellary | 1 | 1 ² | 1 ¹ | 1 ^{Head} | 4 ² | 6 ⁷ |
| 1 | Mint Driven | 3 | 5 ^{4 1/4} | 5 ^{2 3/4} | 7 ^{5 3/4} | 7 ⁸ | 7 ^{13 3/4} |

Trainers: 2 - Shorter, Aaron; 6 - LaRose, Kinnon; 3 - Wiggins, Lon; 7 - Santamaria, Carlos; 5 - Sims, Matthew; 4 - Robson, Lauren; 1 - King, Barry

Owners: 2 - 8 Star Racing; 6 - Maggi Moss; 3 - Workman Ranch; 7 - Cowboys and Razorbacks Racing Stables LLC; 5 - Steve L. Robbins; 4 - Tristar Farm LLC; 1 - Barry L. King;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

RANDO stalked along teh inside, awaited racing room around the far turn, tipped to aim between the leaders entering upper stretch, bid and forged an advantage at the furlong grounds, drove clear before getting collared by an outer bidder in the late stages yet held. DON'T BE SALTY tracked two wide and between horses, shifted outside of rivals and ranged up in the four path around the far turn, chased while leaning out to the six path in upper stretch, yet ran on to collar the clear leader late but missed at the wire. WITS AND WAGERS broke a step slow, raced off of the pace two wide and between horses then stayed on mildly to edge show late. HALEAKALA stalked three wide, bid outside of the leader and from the three path passing the three furlong pole, gained an advantage entering the lane, shifted out to the four path before getting headed by an inner bidder at the furlong grounds and faded. NEXT UP settled off of the pace three wide, fanned out to the six path in upper stretch but lacked a rally. MISS ELLARY showed teh way in the two path while remaining in hand down the backstretch, was collared by an outer rival round the far turn, got headed entering the lane and faded. MINT DRIVEN raced off of the pace along the inside, trailed leaving the three furlong pole and was outrun thereafter.