

CHURCHILL DOWNS - September 25, 2025 - Race 7

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER,
OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Claiming, Or Starter At A Mile Or Over Since July 25 Allowed 2 lbs. (NW1 X)
Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fierceness - 1:40.66 - May 2, 2025)

Purse: \$127,000
Includes: \$54,100 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$127,000
Value of Race: \$126,730 1st \$73,284, 2nd \$25,400, 3rd \$12,700, 4th \$6,350, 5th \$3,810, 6th \$1,364, 7th \$1,364, 8th \$1,094, 9th \$1,364

Weather: Clear, 73° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 7:58 **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	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
31Aug25 ¹² SAR ¹	9	Navajo Warrior (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	122 L b	9 8		7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	6 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}	3.08	4-5p,grind,drove past
10Aug25 ¹⁰ SAR ²	1	Hop Sing (Saez, Luis)	122 L	1 3		2 ²	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2.22*	ins,rebld 2w,led,bestd
2Aug25 ⁸ ELP ⁵	6	Coalmoon (Machado, Luan)	118 L b	6 9		9	9	7 ²	6 ²	3 ^{1 3/4}	12.75	2-4p,6-7p upr,rallied
24Aug25 ⁶ SAR ⁴	7	Fort Nelson (Alvarado, Junior)	118 L	7 1		1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	4 ^{Neck}	5.40	2w-ins,kpt on,yld late
20Jul25 ⁶ ELP ²	5	First Player (Leparoux, Julien)	122 L	5 5		8 ²	8 ^{2 1/2}	8 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	26.48	chck into1st,ranon lat
30Aug25 ¹⁰ KD ⁸	3	Maximum Promise (Hernandez, Colby)	118 L	3 2		4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	4 ^{Head}	6 ^{2 1/4}	3.18	2-3w,bid,chsdyld btw
5Aug25 ³ IND ¹	2	Jonathan's Song (Morales, Edgar)	120 L bf	2 6		3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{12 3/4}	19.01	beat slw,ins,wait,fade
7Aug25 ⁶ DMR ⁸	8	De' Medici (Concepcion, Axel)	122 L b	8 7		5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	8 ¹⁰	8 ^{25 3/4}	60.41	beat slw,2w,chsdyld,tired
3Nov24 ⁹ CD ¹	4	Whiskey Shot (Gaffalione, Tyler)	118 L b	4 4		6 ²	6 ²	9	9	9	10.43	3-2p, faded 2nd

Fractional Times: 23.71 47.01 1:11.80 1:36.76 **Final Time:** 1:43.16
Split Times: (23:30) (24:79) (24:96) (6:40)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Navajo Warrior, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by [Candy Ride \(ARG\)](#) out of Crosswinds, by Storm Cat. Foaled Jun 02, 2021 in Kentucky.

Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Hinkle Farms
Owner: BAG Racing Stables, Miller Racing LLC, Paul, Dr. Derek K., Mathis Stable LLC, Braverman, Paul and Pinch, Timothy
Trainer: Joseph, Jr., Saffie

Total WPS Pool: \$229,872

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payout	Pool
9	Navajo Warrior	8.16	4.88	3.42	\$0.50 Pick 3	5-6-9 (3 correct)	45.28	31,161
1	Hop Sing		3.52	2.54	\$1.00 Daily Double	6-9	18.79	28,439
6	Coalmoon			4.84	\$2.00 Exacta	9-1	27.20	135,836
					\$0.10 Superfecta	9-1-6-7	46.98	45,738
					\$1.00 Super High Five	9-1-6-7-5	6,570.57	6,454
					\$0.50 Trifecta	9-1-6	47.96	78,618

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Navajo Warrior	8	7 ^{7 1/4}	7 ^{7 1/2}	6 ³	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{3/4}
1	Hop Sing	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{3/4}
6	Coalmoon	9	9 ^{9 3/4}	9 ¹⁰	7 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{3 1/4}	3 ^{1 1/4}
7	Fort Nelson	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ³
5	First Player	5	8 ^{7 3/4}	8 ^{7 1/2}	8 ^{7 1/2}	7 ^{5 1/4}	5 ^{3 1/4}
3	Maximum Promise	2	4 ^{2 1/4}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{3 1/4}
2	Jonathan's Song	6	3 ²	3 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	7 ^{5 1/2}
8	De' Medici	7	5 ^{2 3/4}	5 ⁴	5 ²	8 ^{7 3/4}	8 ^{18 1/4}
4	Whiskey Shot	4	6 ^{5 1/4}	6 ^{5 1/2}	9 ⁹	9 ^{17 3/4}	9 ⁴⁴

Trainers: 9 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 1 - D'Angelo, Jose; 6 - Lobo, Paulo; 7 - Mott, William; 5 - McGee, Paul; 3 - McPeek, Kenneth; 2 - Bauer, Philip; 8 - McCarthy, Michael; 4 - Brisset, Rodolphe

Owners: 9 - BAG Racing Stables, Miller Racing LLC, Paul, Dr. Derek K., Mathis Stable LLC, Braverman, Paul and Pinch, Timothy; 1 - Gold Square LLC and Bobo, Tami; 6 - Gratz Street Boys Stable LLC; 7 - Godolphin, LLC; 5 - Bradley, William B. and Hurst, Carl; 3 - Shamrock Stables LLC (Rob Hutcherson), MJM Racing and Magdalena Racing; 2 - Rigney Racing LLC; 8 - Brown, Edward Rusty J., Klein, Alan P. and Lebherz, Philip; 4 - Storyteller Racing, Motley, Michael and Union Park Thoroughbreds, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

NAVAJO WARRIOR broke half a step slow, laid off of the pace in teh four path, crept closer in the five path turning for home, sustained gradual progress to bid outside of the leader at the sixteenth pole and drove past while attempting to lug in. HOP SING vied for the lead with an outer rival, backed off to stalk with nine sixteenths to go, tipped to reengage two wide, rebid at the three furlong pole, vied and forged and advantage entering the lane, held sway into the final furlong, but was collared by an outer challenger at the sixteenth pole, got bested and held place. COALMOON broke a step slow, trailed in the two path, took the far turn in the four path before swinging out to the six to seven path into upper stretch and rallied but needed more to reach place late. FORT NELSON vied two wide, led down the backstretch, then along the inside into and around the far turn, but got headed entering the lane, kept on through midstretch and yielded late. FIRST PLAYER checked among foes into the first turn, raced off of the pace while tucking to the inside around that bend, moved to the three path into the far turn, entered the lane in the five path, then ran on belatedly. MAXIMUM PROMISE tracked two wide and between horses, was roused closer three wide around the far turn to attempt a bid turning for home, but failed to sustain his challenge while chasing four wide and between horses in upper stretch, then gradually gave way. JONATHAN'S SONG broke half a beat slow, stalked along the inside, awaited racing room turning for home, took aim in the three path and between horses in upper stretch but lacked a bid and gave way. DE' MEDICI broke a beat slow, tracked two wide, chased in the three to four path around the far turn and tired. WHISKEY SHOT pursued from midpack in the three to two path and faded around the far turn.

