

CHURCHILL DOWNS - October 29, 2026 - Race 7

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR THREE YEAR OLDS. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since September 29 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000. (C) **Claiming**
Price: \$20,000
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Indian Chant - 1:07.55 - July 8, 2007)
Purse: \$58,000
Includes: \$7,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund
Available Money: \$58,000
Value of Race: \$55,700 1st \$32,760, 2nd \$11,600, 3rd \$5,100, 4th \$2,900, 5th \$1,740, 6th \$835, 7th \$765
Weather: Clear, 78° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 3:57 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[GPS Race Chart](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments	
27Sep26 ⁵ CD ¹	2	White Whale (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	120	L	2	3	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁴	1 ²	1.24*	ins,4p upr,up 1/16,clr	
17Sep26 ¹ CD ²	3	Guardian (Gaffalione, Tyler)	120	L	3	2	1 ¹	2 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}	2.24	ins foe,duel,outk,bled	
17Sep26 ¹ CD ³	4	Stay for the Boom (Saez, Luis)	118	L	b	4	1	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 ^{3 1/4}	2.28	press 2w,duel,outkckd
9Oct26 ¹ KEE ⁶	7	Colonel Compton (Morales, Edgar)	120	L	b	6	7	7	5 ^{1/2}	5 ³	4 ¹	21.30	tight,2w,5p3/16,mild
23Sep26 ⁴ CD ⁵	8	Dr Fenn (Sheehy, Danny)	118	L	bf	7	6	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	5 ⁴	23.09	stalked 4p, gave way
9Oct26 ¹ BTP ¹	1	Malevaje (Rodriguez, Walter)	122	L		1	5	6 ^{Head}	7	6 ²	6 ^{4 1/2}	44.16	inside, no factor
23Sep26 ⁴ CD ⁶	5	Hesper (Graham, James)	120	L	f	5	4	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ²	7	7	20.91	chsd 2-3p,4p1/4,tired

Fractional Times: 22.06 44.86 57.27 **Final Time:** 1:10.33 **Time from Gate:** 1:12.15
Split Times: (22:80) (12:41) (13:06)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: White Whale, Bay Gelding, by Hightail out of Elusive Diva, by Elusive Quality. Foaled Jan 20, 2022 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Calumet Farm
Owner: Matt Murphy
Trainer: Calhoun, W.

2 Claimed Horse(s): **Stay for the Boom** New Trainer: Aaron Shorter New Owner: Amaty Racing Stables
White Whale New Trainer: Randy L. Morse New Owner: 3 Bros and 2 Joes Racing Stables LLC

Voided Claims: Guardian(Vet)

Claiming Prices: 2 - White Whale: \$20,000; 3 - Guardian: \$20,000; 4 - Stay for the Boom: \$20,000; 7 - Colonel Compton: \$20,000; 8 - Dr Fenn: \$20,000; 1 - Malevaje: \$20,000; 5 - Hesper: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Trouble Ahead (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$145,854

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	White Whale	4.48	2.76	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	2-3	11.28	76,878
3	Guardian		3.18	2.26	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-3-4	5.99	45,113
4	Stay for the Boom			2.22	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-3-4-7	4.47	25,979
					\$1.00 Daily Double	3-2	11.50	22,154
					\$0.50 Pick 3	7-3-2 (3 correct)	49.76	34,903
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	EVEN	2.38	106
					\$0.50 Pick 4	2-7-3-2/6 (4 correct)	200.45	78,596
					\$0.50 Pick 5	4-2-7-3-2/6 (5 correct)	14,170.86	76,689
					\$1.00 Super High Five	2-3-4-7-8	83.09	3,820

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	White Whale	3	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{3 3/4}	3 ¹	1 ²
3	Guardian	2	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ²
4	Stay for the Boom	1	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{2 1/4}
7	Colonel Compton	7	7 ^{9 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/4}	5 ^{5 1/4}	4 ^{5 1/2}
8	Dr Fenn	6	3 ³	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁵	5 ^{6 1/2}
1	Malevaje	5	6 ^{9 1/2}	7 ^{9 3/4}	6 ^{8 1/4}	6 ^{10 1/2}
5	Hesper	4	5 ⁶	6 ^{7 3/4}	7 ^{10 1/4}	7 ¹⁵

Trainers: 2 - Calhoun, W.; 3 - Foster, Eric; 4 - LaRose, Kinnon; 7 - House, Gary; 8 - Vance, Thomas; 1 - Carpio, Rilardo; 5 - Kurtz, Shelbi

Owners: 2 -Matt Murphy; 3 - Scates, Hugh D. and Dant, John; 4 -Maggi Moss; 7 -Gary F. House; 8 - Vance Stables LLC; 1 - Carpio Milano Racing Stable, Inc.; 5 - Hayden Thoroughbreds, Howard, Forrest, Rutledge, Emily, Bennett, Adam and Campbell, Michael;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

WHITE WHALE pursued from midpack along the inside, shifted out to the three to four path with multiple lengths to find on the embattled leading pair in upper stretch, rallied to reel them in reaching the final sixteenth and drove clear. GUARDIAN set the pace along the inside as an outer rival pressed around the turn, got collared by that bidder passing the five sixteenths pole, dueled neck and neck through midstretch but got outkicked at the sixteenth pole then held place, then was found to have bled. STAY FOR THE BOOM pressed two wide, bid and sparked a duel nearing the lane, battled neck and neck through midstretch but got outkicked at the sixteenth pole then missed place. COLONEL COMPTON was put to subtly tight quarters between horses at the start, lacked speed two wide, tucked to the inside briefly nearing the lane, swung out to the five path in upper stretch and ran on mildly. DR FENN stalked from the four path then gave way. MALEVAJE lacked speed along the inside and failed to factor. HESPER chased from the two to three path, leaned to the four path into the lane and tired.

