CHURCHILL DOWNS - November 26, 2025 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Since September 26 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since Then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Races Where Entered For \$40,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). Claiming

Price: \$50,000

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Valentine Candy - 1:02.15 - November 3, 2024)

Purse: \$69,000

Includes: \$9,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$69,000

Value of Race: \$67,200 1st \$39,000, 2nd \$13,800, 3rd \$6,900, 4th \$3,450, 5th \$2,070, 6th \$990, 7th \$990

Weather: Cloudy, 40° Track: Fast

Off at: 2:00 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wg	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
13Apr25 ¹ KEE ¹	9	Ohoopee (Rodriguez, Walter)	118	b	7	4	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{2 1/2}	0.83*	2p,repelld foe,shk clr
9Nov25 8CD3	6	Valala (Ortiz, Jose)	118	b	4	3	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2.32	3p,bid,repeld,duel plc
2Nov25 ⁷ CD ³	4	Little Sam's (Achard, Alex)	118		2	1	2 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	37.40	stalk ins,dueled place
23Oct25 ¹ IND ¹	5	Magic Seeker (Emigh, Christopher)	120	b	3	6	6 ^{1/2}	7	6 ^{3 1/2}	4 ¹ 1/4	15.89	saved ground, mildly
16Oct25 ² KEE ¹	7	Wrong Shoes (Grisales Rave, Danilo)	118	bf	5	7	7	5 ¹	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹ 1/4	16.99	step slow,4-6p,left ld
2Nov25 ⁷ CD ¹	2	Ashkenazi (Saez, Luis)	118	b	1	5	41 1/2	4 ²	4 ¹	6 ^{4 1/2}	3.81	chs 2-4p,tired,left ld
3Nov25 ⁵ IND ⁴	8	The Little Sultana (Calleja, Andres)	118		6	2	5 ²	6 ^{1/2}	7	7	55.64	3p, faded btwn 5/16

Final Time: 1:05.89

Fractional Times: 22.00 45.94 58.63 Split Times:

Run-Up: 55 feet

(23:94) (12:69) (7:26)

Winner: Ohoopee, Chestnut Filly, by Bee Jersey out of Lady Ekati, by Tale of Ekati. Foaled Feb 19, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Charles Fipke Owner: Hat Creek Racing Trainer: Ward, Wesley

2 Claimed Horse(s): Ohoopee New Trainer: Linda Rice New Owner: Linda Rice

> Valala New Trainer: Michael A. Tomlinson New Owner: Patricia's Hope LLC and McGinty, Kyle

Claiming Prices: 9 - Ohoopee: \$50,000; 6 - Valala: \$50,000; 4 - Little Sam's: \$50,000; 5 - Magic Seeker: \$50,000; 7 - Wrong Shoes:

\$50,000; 2 - Ashkenazi: \$50,000; 8 - The Little Sultana: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Tiz China (PrivVet-Illness), Tiz in Sight (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$146,230

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Ohoopee	3.66	2.66	2.52	\$2.00 Exacta	9-6	7.50	94,897
6	Valala		2.84	2.38	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-6-4	14.31	47,858
4	Little Sam's			7.24	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-6-4-5	11.64	30,315
					\$1.00 Daily Double	5-9	4.38	22,190
					\$0.50 Pick 3	3-5-9 (3 correct)	18.02	66,348
					\$1.00 Super High Five	9-6-4-5-7	297.04	7,548

Past Performance Running Line Preview

gm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin				
9	Ohoopee	4	11 1/2	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{2 1/2}				
6	Valala	3	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	2^2	2 ^{2 1/2}				
4	Little Sam's	1	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}				
5	Magic Seeker	6	6 ⁷	,	0	4 ⁵				
7	Wrong Shoes	7	1	0	0	5 ⁶ 1/4				
2	Ashkenazi	5	-	•	-	6 ^{7 1/2}				
8	The Little Sultana	2	5 ⁵	6 ⁶	7 ¹⁰	7 ¹²				
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Trainers: 9 - Ward, Wesley; 6 - Sharp, Joe; 4 - Acevedo, Israel; 5 - Vanden Berg, Brittany; 7 - Ortiz, John; 2 - Hiles, Rick; 8 - Acevedo, Israel

Owners: 9 - Hat Creek Racing; 6 - Carl R. Moore Management LLC; 4 -Israel Acevedo; 5 - Finegan, Randy and Walderns, James M.; 7 - Waresk, Patrick, Ortiz Racing Stables LLC and Ortiz Training Stables; 2 -R. Townsend Sparks; 8 -Israel Acevedo;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms

OHOOPEE showed the way in the two path, met an outer challenge entering the lane, repelled that bidder in upper stretch, shook clear and held sway. VALALA stalked in the three path, ranged up turning for home to bid outside of the leader entering the lane, but was turned away in upper stretch, battled neck and neck with an inner foe for place through the final furlong and narrowly prevailed. LITTLE SAM'S broke sharply, stalked close up along the inside, chased in upper stretch, dueled for place with an outer foe while hanging on her left lead through the final furlong but missed that position at the wire. MAGIC SEEKER saved ground off of the pace then stayed on mildly. WRONG SHOES broke a step slow, trailed in the four path, improved position turning for home, fanned to the six path into the lane then failed to menace while hanging on her left lead. ASHKENAZI chased from midpack in the two path, shifted out to the four path in upper stretch then tired between horses while hanging on her left lead. THE LITTLE SULTANA raced off of the pace in the three path then faded between horses turning for home.