

EMERALD DOWNS - July 24, 2026 - Race 6
STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$10,000 OR LESS AT EMERALD DOWNS IN 2026. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race In 2026 Allowed 3 lbs. (Maiden Races, Claiming Races And Starters Races For \$8,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) Purse Includes an Additional \$10,000 From a Generous Sponsor. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000 - \$0
Distance: One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Exclusive Speaker - 1:38.20 - June 23, 2023)
Purse: \$24,000
Includes: \$2,800 MITEC - Muckleshoot Tribal Contribution
Plus: \$400 Other Sources
Available Money: \$24,400
Value of Race: \$24,400 1st \$13,680, 2nd \$4,680, 3rd \$2,760, 4th \$1,200, 5th \$720, 6th \$480, 7th \$480, 8th \$200, 9th \$200
Weather: Clear, 81° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 9:13 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Jul26 ¹ EMD ³	1	Bak to Liberty (Castellanos, Adrian)	122	L	bf	1 2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ³	1 ³	1 ⁴	10.30	set pace, held edge
5Jul26 ⁸ EMD ³	4	Jullian in Paris (Kriger, Kevin)	122	L	f	4 8	8 ¹	8 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{3/4}	4.11	3-w, strong finish
5Jul26 ⁸ EMD ⁶	5	Street Vendor (Amador, Silvio)	122	L		5 5	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	4 ⁵	3 ^{1/2}	4.85	inside, mild rally
5Jul26 ⁸ EMD ¹	2	House of Lords (Nunnally, Blake)	122	L	b	2 6	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁸	1.72*	2-w, lacked response
27Jun26 ⁵ EMD ¹	6	Light the Beam (Cruz, Alex)	122	L	bf	6 3	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	6 ²	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	6.58	3-w, even effort
12Jul26 ¹ EMD ²	7	Toppers At Seaside (Orozco, Kevin)	122	L	b	7 1	3 ¹	4 ²	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/4}	31.66	3-w, weakened
5Jul26 ¹ EMD ²	3	Royal Halo (Seecharan, Lenny)	122	L	b	3 7	4 ^{Head}	7 ²	8 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ¹	42.05	chased, tired
5Jul26 ¹ EMD ¹	9	Pistol Power (Alvarado, Frank)	122	L	bf	9 9	9	9	9	8 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1 1/4}	19.40	4-w, no threat
12Jul26 ⁵ EMD ²	8	Wood Ceiling (Timentwa, Talliyah)	120	L	bf	8 4	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	9	9	5.88	4,6-w, no factor

Fractional Times: 22.57 45.77 1:10.04 1:35.86 **Final Time:** 1:40.17 **Time from Gate:** 1:42.50
Split Times: (23:20) (24:27) (25:82) (4:31)
Run-Up: 56 feet

Winner: Bak to Liberty, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Bakken out of Montero, by Louis Quatorze. Foaled Apr 20, 2020 in BC.
Breeder: Red Rock Farm & Suzanne Anderson
Owner: Woodway Stable and Essex, Charles
Trainer: Essex, Charles

Total WPS Pool: \$63,882

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Bak to Liberty	22.60	10.66	6.76	\$0.50 Pick 3	1/4-3-1 (3 correct)	33.38	11,923
4	Jullian in Paris		5.22	3.42	\$1.00 Exacta	1-4	51.51	34,880
5	Street Vendor			4.12	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-4-5	114.45	21,987
					\$1.00 Daily Double	3-1	65.74	4,078
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-4-5-2	61.51	15,597

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Bak to Liberty	2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ³	1 ³	1 ⁴
4	Jullian in Paris	8	8 ^{5 1/4}	8 ⁷	4 ⁶	3 ³	2 ⁴
5	Street Vendor	5	5 ^{3 1/2}	3 ²	3 ⁵	4 ⁵	3 ^{4 3/4}
2	House of Lords	6	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ³	2 ³	4 ^{5 1/4}
6	Light the Beam	3	6 ^{3 3/4}	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁹	5 ¹⁰	5 ^{13 1/4}
7	Toppers At Seaside	1	3 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{8 1/2}	6 ^{12 1/2}	6 ^{19 3/4}
3	Royal Halo	7	4 ^{3 1/2}	7 ⁵	8 ¹¹	7 ¹⁴	7 ²²
9	Pistol Power	9	9 ^{6 1/4}	9 ⁹	9 ^{12 1/2}	8 ^{15 1/2}	8 ²³
8	Wood Ceiling	4	7 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	7 ¹¹	9 ¹⁷	9 ^{24 1/4}

Trainers: 1 - Essex, Charles; 4 - Essex, Charles; 5 - Puentes, Jose; 2 - Velasquez, Rigoberto; 6 - McCanna, Tim; 7 - Tubbs, Scott; 3 - Pirone, Mary; 9 - Velasquez, Rigoberto; 8 - Nunnally, Jennifer
Owners: 1 - Woodway Stable and Essex, Charles; 4 -Joe Crawford; 5 -Leon Scott; 2 - Rancho Viejo and Carmody, Jerry; 6 - Hern/LePley Racing; 7 - Rainier Racing Club; 3 - Win for Fun; 9 -Lisa A. Baze; 8 - B Fekkes Dairy;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)
BAK TO LIBERTY saved ground setting the pace and maintained a safe advantage. JULLIAN IN PARIS was unhurried, rallied three-wide into the stretch and finished strongly. STREET VENDOR was prominently placed racing along the inside, slipped through during the drive and finished in a mild rally. HOUSE OF LORDS racked BAK TO LIBERTY racing two-wide but lacked the needed late response. LIGHT THE BEAM was three-wide racing in the middle of the field and went evenly. TOPPERS AT SEASIDE was forwardly placed racing three-wide and weakened. ROYAL HALO chased the early pace racing along the inside and tired. PISTOL POWER raced in the back of the field, came four-wide into the stretch and failed to seriously threaten. WOOD CEILING was allowed to settle racing four-wide, came six-wide into the stretch and was not a factor.