

FORT ERIE - September 7, 2026 - Race 2



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2026 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$4,000 (Colts And Geldings Preferred)(*Plus Up To \$540 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeders Awards). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$4,000
Distance: Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Grittani - 56.07 - September 18, 2012)
All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise
Purse: \$18,750
Includes: \$3,750 Ontario Sired / Bred Breeders Awards
Includes: \$2,500 State Bred
Available Money: \$18,750
Value of Race: \$14,850 (US\$10,735) 1st \$9,000 (US\$6,506) , 2nd \$3,250 (US\$2,349) , 3rd \$1,625 (US\$1,175) , 4th \$975 (US\$705)

Weather: Clear, 75° C **Track:** Fast
Off at: 1:00 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Aug26 ² WO ⁹	4	Awe Inspired (Contreras, Luis)	124	L b	3 4	4	4	3 ³	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Neck}	3.15	5-p str, proved best
17Aug26 ⁴ FL ⁶	5	People Are People (Gaskin, Da-Sean)	124	L	4 1	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{4 1/2}	0.50*	led 4-p str, outgunned
11Aug26 ⁵ FE ³	1	Vandoo (Zenteno, Edgar)	121	L f	1 2	1 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{1 3/4}	5.35	3-p str, nothing left
28Jul26 ¹ FE ³	2	Forester Humor (Crawford, Juan)	124	L bf	2 3	3 ¹	4	4	4	4	5.10	3-p str, no late kick

Fractional Times: 22.46 45.70 **Final Time:** 58.22 **Time from Gate:** 59.38
Split Times: (23:24) (12:52)
Run-Up: 38 feet

Winner: Awe Inspired, Bay Gelding, by Afleet Alex out of Siddona, by Whiskey Wisdom. Foaled Apr 07, 2022 in ON.
Breeder: Dr. B. Van Arem
Owner: T and T Racing Team and P413 Racing
Trainer: Ross, John

1 Claimed Horse(s): Awe Inspired New Trainer: Richard M. Davis New Owner: Trevor Shand

Claiming Prices: 4 - Awe Inspired: \$4,000; 5 - People Are People: \$4,000; 1 - Vandoo: \$4,000; 2 - Forester Humor: \$4,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Absolute Chairman (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$29,699						
Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff
4	Awe Inspired	8.30	2.90	\$1.00 Exactor	4-5	5.85
5	People Are People		2.10	\$0.20 Triactor	4-5-1	2.33
1	Vandoo			\$1.00 Daily Double	3-4	3.90
						6,389

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
4	Awe Inspired	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Neck}
5	People Are People	1	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Neck}
1	Vandoo	2	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 3/4}
2	Forester Humor	3	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ⁴	4 ^{6 1/2}

Trainers: 4 - Ross, John; 5 - Adamo, Anthony; 1 - Humber, Joseph; 2 - Rickman, Erin

Owners: 4 - T and T Racing Team and P413 Racing; 5 - ICON Racing Stables; 1 -Joy K. Elkins; 2 -Erin H. Rickman;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

AWE INSPIRED was unhurried early, moved up on the turn and with a bid from the five path in mid stretch proved best. PEOPLE ARE PEOPLE was away alertly, a factor on the turn and had the lead from the four path in mid stretch but was outgunned. VANDOO set the pace and had a slim lead on the turn but from the three path at the top of the stretch had nothing left. FORESTER HUMOR was in range and roused on the turn but from the three path at the top of the stretch had no late kick.