

FORT ERIE - September 21, 2026 - Race 5

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$5,000 OR LESS SINCE SEPTEMBER 21, 2024 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 21 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000, if for \$9,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$8,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) (Colts And Geldings Preferred)(*Plus Up To \$540 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeders Awards). (C)

Claiming Price: \$10,000
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Set in Stone - 1:08.18 - June 15, 2010)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$25,050
Includes: \$5,010 Ontario Sired / Bred Breeders Awards
Includes: \$3,340 State Bred

Available Money: \$25,050
Value of Race: \$17,034 (US\$12,178) 1st \$10,020 (US\$7,164) , 2nd \$4,342 (US\$3,104) , 3rd \$1,670 (US\$1,194) , 4th \$1,002 (US\$716)

Weather: Cloudy, 60° C Track: Fast
Off at: 2:11 Start: Good for all except 4 Timing Method: Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Jul26 ¹ FE ¹	3	Truly Mischief (Mailhot, Pierre)	120 L b	2 1		1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ³	1 ^{1 3/4}	3.05	3-path str, held sway
24Aug26 ⁸ FE ¹	1	Souper Iconic (Forde, Xarel)	124 L bf	1 2		3 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{Nose}	1.85*	5-path str, held place
7Sep26 ⁴ FE ⁵	4	Always a Way (Gaskin, Da-Sean)	122 L b	3 4		4	4	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{8 1/4}	2.20	brk awkward 3p all out
10Aug26 ⁷ FE ⁵	5	Ghost Hero (Sanchez, Alexis)	122 L b	4 3		2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4	4	2.30	6-p str, no response

Fractional Times: 22.73 45.32 57.48 Final Time: 1:10.91 Time from Gate: 1:12.66
Split Times: (22:59) (12:16) (13:43)
Run-Up: 42 feet

Winner: Truly Mischief, Bay Gelding, by [Into Mischief](#) out of Truly Blushed, by Yes It's True. Foaled Apr 25, 2019 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: Newtownanner Stud
Owner: Zig J. Grinsteins
Trainer: Rabstein, Claudia

Claiming Prices: 3 - Truly Mischief: \$9,000; 5 - Ghost Hero: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Mia and Me (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$19,730

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Truly Mischief	8.10	3.20	\$0.20 Pick 3	4-2-3 (3 correct)	7.54	3,480
1	Souper Iconic		2.90	\$0.20 Triactor	3-1-4	2.71	5,778
4	Always a Way			\$1.00 Daily Double	2-3	8.60	2,370
				\$1.00 Exactor	3-1	7.10	12,213

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Truly Mischief	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ³	1 ^{1 3/4}
1	Souper Iconic	2	3 ¹	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ³	2 ^{1 3/4}
4	Always a Way	4	4 ²	4 ⁴	3 ⁴	3 ^{1 3/4}
5	Ghost Hero	3	2 ^{1/2}	3 ⁴	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ¹⁰

Trainers: 3 - Rabstein, Claudia; 1 - Mathes, Julie; 4 - Humber, Joseph; 5 - Cathcart, Steven

Owners: 3 -Zig J. Grinsteins; 1 -David J. Mathes; 4 -Joy K. Elkins; 5 - Pan Am Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TRULY MISCHIEF set the pace, had a clear lead on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch held sway. SOUPER ICONIC stalked the early leader, was a factor on the turn and from the five path at the top of the stretch held place. ALWAYS A WAY broke awkwardly and had a mild gain on the turn but from the three path at the top of the stretch was all out. GHOST HERO was unhurried early and roused on the turn but from the six path at the top of the stretch had no response.