

FORT ERIE - October 6, 2026 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since September 6 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$6,250, if for \$6,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) (Colts And Geldings Preferred)(*Plus Up To \$540 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeders Awards). **Claiming Price:** \$6,250 - \$6,000

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: \$24,375

Includes: \$4,875 Ontario Sired / Bred Breeders Awards

Includes: \$3,250 State Bred

Available Money: \$24,375

Value of Race: \$16,738 (US\$11,738) 1st \$9,750 (US\$6,837) , 2nd \$3,250 (US\$2,279) , 3rd \$1,625 (US\$1,140) , 4th \$1,268 (US\$889) , 5th \$845 (US\$593)

Weather: Clear, 55° C **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:19 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
21Sep26 ⁴ FE ¹	2	Cantucci (Crawford, Juan)	122 b	2 3		2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	6.90	3-p str, kept to task
14Sep26 ⁵ FE ¹	5	Back to Reality (Vives, Sofia)	122 L bf	5 2		1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	0.65*	vied str, outgunned
21Sep26 ² FE ²	4	Fairway to Heaven (Vanek, Helen)	122 L b	4 1		5	5	5	3 ^{Neck}	13.75	6-p str, up for show
21Sep26 ² FE ¹	1	Kiddie Holiday (Mosqueira, Ismael)	122 L	1 4		4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}	6.20	4-p str, finished well
21Sep26 ⁵ FE ²	3	Souper Iconic (Forde, Xarel)	120 L bf	3 5		3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5	2.70	5-p str, needed more

Fractional Times: 22.78 45.93 **Final Time:** 57.99 **Time from Gate:** 59.21

Split Times: (23:15) (12:06)

Run-Up: 38 feet

Winner: Cantucci, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Souper Speedy out of Tallievision, by Court Vision. Foaled Mar 22, 2021 in ON.

Breeder: Ralph Biamonte

Owner: Alan Bird

Trainer: Bird, Alan

Claiming Prices: 2 - Cantucci: \$6,000; 5 - Back to Reality: \$6,000; 4 - Fairway to Heaven: \$6,250; 1 - Kiddie Holiday: \$6,250; 3 - Souper Iconic: \$6,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$22,891

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Cantucci	15.80	4.10	3.20	\$0.20 Triactor	2-5-4	16.10	8,829
5	Back to Reality		2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Exactor	2-5	17.00	15,455
4	Fairway to Heaven			4.10	\$0.20 Superfecta	2-5-4-1	27.98	5,528

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
2	Cantucci	3	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}
5	Back to Reality	2	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}
4	Fairway to Heaven	1	5 ³	5 ^{1 3/4}	5 ²	3 ^{1/2}
1	Kiddie Holiday	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ¹	4 ^{3/4}
3	Souper Iconic	5	3 ²	4 ^{1 1/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/2}

Trainers: 2 - Bird, Alan; 5 - Adamo, Anthony; 4 - Mileni, Jr., Nick; 1 - Simms, John; 3 - Mathes, Julie

Owners: 2 -Alan Bird; 5 - ICON Racing Stables; 4 -Pasquale Saieva; 1 -John Simms; 3 -David J. Mathes;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

CANTUCCI stalked the early leader, was a factor on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch was kept to task. BACK TO REALITY showed speed from the outside, had the lead on the turn and vied through the stretch but was outgunned. FAIRWAY TO HEAVEN was in range, had a mild gain on the turn and from the six path at the top of the stretch was up for show. KIDDIE HOLIDAY was unhurried early, roused from the inside on the turn and from the four path at the top of the stretch finished well. SOUPER ICONIC was in touch and raced evenly on the turn but from the five path at the top of the stretch needed more.