

HORSESHOE INDIANAPOLIS - June 11, 2026 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since May 11 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000 Indiana bred maidens and Indiana claiming races for \$25,000 or less not considered in eligibility. (NW2 L) **Claiming Price: \$25,000**

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (W. B. Smudge - 1:07.59 - October 14, 2014)

Purse: \$24,000

Includes: \$8,640 State Bred

Plus: \$2,880 State Bred

Available Money: \$26,880

Value of Race: \$26,880 1st \$14,400, 2nd \$6,720, 3rd \$3,360, 4th \$1,200, 5th \$720, 6th \$240, 7th \$240

Weather: Clear, 85° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:18 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[GPS Race Chart](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25May26 ⁷ CD ⁶	6	Lil Muggs (Crispin, Alexander)	122 L	6 3	3 ¹	2 ¹	2 ⁴	2 ⁴	1 ^{5 1/4}	2.10	3p,rally3/16,driving
2Jun26 ⁶ IND ⁸	5	Special Creed (Gutierrez, Jose)	115 L bf	5 2	1 ¹	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}	4.00	duel,clear,caught
25May26 ³ IND ⁷	2	Mike's Cyclone (Burgos, Alberto)	119 L b	2 6	4 ¹	4 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	11.20	2path,gained show late
20May26 ⁷ IND ³	7	Poetic Words (Mendoza, Amir)	117 L	7 4	7	5 ^{1/2}	6 ⁴	6 ⁴	4 ^{3/4}	21.30	evenly5path
12May26 ⁴ IND ⁷	3	Dreaming Smart (Romero, Joseph)	113 L b	3 1	2 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ¹	3 ¹	5 ^{Neck}	14.00	duel briefly,rail
2Jun26 ¹ IND ¹	4	Thousands of Hopes (Pedroza, Jr., Marcelino)	120 L b	4 5	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{4 3/4}	1.90*	off awk,evenly4path
12Mar26 ⁶ TP ⁹	1	Mister Positivity (De La Cruz, Fernando)	118 L	1 7	5 ^{Head}	7	7	7	7	4.80	off awk,checked3/8

Fractional Times: 22.08 44.59 56.83

Final Time: 1:09.34 **Time from Gate:** 1:11.06

Split Times: (22:51) (12:24) (12:51)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Lil Muggs, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Upstart out of C Islandsurprise, by Badge of Silver. Foaled Mar 06, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Lillian C. Whayne

Owner: Lillian Whayne

Trainer: Navarrete, Anna

Claiming Prices: 6 - Lil Muggs: \$25,000; 5 - Special Creed: \$25,000; 2 - Mike's Cyclone: \$25,000; 7 - Poetic Words: \$25,000; 3 - Dreaming Smart: \$25,000; 4 - Thousands of Hopes: \$25,000; 1 - Mister Positivity: \$25,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$68,312

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Lil Muggs	6.20	3.20	2.60	\$2.00 Exacta	6-5	25.60	52,432
5	Special Creed		4.60	3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-5-2	30.60	33,529
2	Mike's Cyclone			4.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-5-2-7	44.08	21,608

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Lil Muggs	3	3 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{5 1/4}
5	Special Creed	2	1 ¹	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{5 1/4}
2	Mike's Cyclone	6	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/2}	3 ^{6 1/2}
7	Poetic Words	4	7 ⁶	5 ^{7 1/2}	6 ⁸	4 ^{7 1/2}
3	Dreaming Smart	1	2 ¹	3 ^{5 1/2}	3 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{8 1/4}
4	Thousands of Hopes	5	6 ^{5 1/2}	6 ⁸	5 ⁸	6 ^{8 1/2}
1	Mister Positivity	7	5 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{10 1/2}	7 ¹²	7 ^{13 1/4}

Trainers: 6 - Navarrete, Anna; 5 - Elliott, Michelle; 2 - Haran, John; 7 - Elliott, Michelle; 3 - Davis, Joseph; 4 - Garcia, Genaro; 1 - Foster, Eric

Owners: 6 -Lillian Whayne; 5 - Goodwin, Larry and Elliott Racing, LLC; 2 - Clabar Mor Stables, LLC and Haran Thoroughbreds, LLC; 7 - Machmer Hall Thoroughbreds and Elliott Racing LLC; 3 -Miguel Cazares; 4 - Southwest Racing Stables, Inc.; 1 - Foster Family Racing, Wargel, William J., Campbell, Donald H. and R.K. Eckrich Racing, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

LIL MUGGS stalked the pace in the three path, rallied in early stretch and drew off under a steady drive. SPECIAL CREED dueled outside of a rival, bid near the half-mile pole and drew off on the turn, couldn't hold off the winner but held the place. MIKE'S CYCLONE raced in the two path and gained the show spot late. POETIC WORDS raced evenly in the five path. DREAMING SMART dueled briefly inside, stalked the pace along the rail but had no closing bid. THOUSANDS OF HOPES was off awkwardly and raced evenly in the four path. MISTER POSITIVITY was off awkwardly, raced inside and was checked near the three-eighths pole in tight quarters. THE STEWARDS TOOK NO ACTION FOLLOWING AN INQUIRY INTO THE RUNNING UP THE BACKSTRETCH.