

KEENELAND - October 10, 2025 - Race 1

STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$12,500 OR LESS IN 2024 - 2025. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since September 10 Allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$12,500 - \$0

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Nashville - 1:07.89 - November 7, 2020)

Purse: \$50,000

Includes: \$16,600 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$50,000

Value of Race: \$50,000 1st \$30,613, 2nd \$9,875, 3rd \$4,938, 4th \$2,468, 5th \$1,481, 6th \$625

Weather: Clear, 70° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:01 **Start:** Good for all except 3 **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
17Sep25 ² CD ³	1	Busk (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	121	L b	1	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{5 3/4}	1.04*	cleard,widend,rdn out
17Sep25 ² CD ¹	5	Shape Note (Gaffalione, Tyler)	123	L b	4	2	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{3 1/2}	2 ⁷	3.09	4-5p,ran on,2nd best
24Sep25 ⁵ CD ¹	4	Born Flawless (Morales, Edgar)	121	L b	3	4	5 ³	5 ³	4 ²	3 ^{Neck}	21.83	ins,up show1/16,lasted
24Sep25 ⁵ CD ³	7	Kunshan Bridge (Arrieta, Francisco)	121	L bf	6	5	6	6	6	4 ^{4 1/2}	28.87	4-3p,4p1/4,improved
17Sep25 ² CD ²	6	Turn Up the Trees (Ortiz, Jose)	121	L b	5	1	2 ³	2 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	1.87	outs winner,chasd,wknd
20Sep25 ¹ CBY ²	3	Empire's Best (Murray, Erica)	121	L b	2	6	3 ^{Head}	4 ²	5 ^{1/2}	6	29.68	bob bit st,chs 2p,tire


Fractional Times: 21.92 44.84 56.95

Split Times: (22:92) (12:11) (13:07)

Run-Up: 45 feet

Final Time: 1:10.02

Winner: Busk, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by [Candy Ride \(ARG\)](#) out of Puskita, by Indian Charlie. Foaled Mar 04, 2021 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Buck Pond Farm & John Wilmot
Owner: Jim Tichenor
Trainer: Chavez, Manuel

Scratched Horse(s): I Am the Game (PrivVet-Illness), Ludwig (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$199,716

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Busk	4.08	2.66	2.14	\$1.00 Exacta	1-5	5.99	127,548
5	Shape Note		3.18	2.34	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-5-4	28.43	72,042
4	Born Flawless			4.76	\$0.10 Superfecta	1-5-4-7	14.47	40,088

Past Performance Running Line Preview						
Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Busk	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{5 3/4}
5	Shape Note	2	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁴	2 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{5 3/4}
4	Born Flawless	4	5 ⁴	5 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{8 1/2}	3 ^{12 3/4}
7	Kunshan Bridge	5	6 ⁷	6 ^{10 1/2}	6 ¹¹	4 ¹³
6	Turn Up the Trees	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ³	3 ⁸	5 ^{17 1/2}
3	Empire's Best	6	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{10 1/2}	6 ²¹

Trainers: 1 - Chavez, Manuel; 5 - Maker, Michael; 4 - Casse, Norm; 7 - Heath, Destin; 6 - Jacobson, David; 3 - Roberts, Joe

Owners: 1 -Jim Tichenor; 5 - Paradise Farms Corp. and Staudacher, David; 4 -Williams Cano; 7 - Black Balled Racing LLC; 6 - Jacobson Racing (Zachary N. Jacobson); 3 -Jimmy D. Roberts;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BUSK was sent to the front after the opening sixteenth, showed the way in the two path, built a clear advantage with three furlongs to go, then steadily widened thereafter under moderate urging. SHAPE NOTE tracked from the four path, came under rousing around the turn, spun into the lane in the five path, ran on to claim place in upper stretch but was no match for the winner while clearly second best. BORN FLAWLESS saved ground off of the pace, moved up to claim show in the final furlong then saved that position from an outer challenger late. KUNSHAN BRIDGE trailed in the four to three path into the turn, improved position in the final furlong and missed show at the wire. TURN UP THE TREES pressed two wide and outside of the eventual winner, but failed to sustain pressure around the bend and weakened through the lane. EMPIRE'S BEST bobbled subtly at the start, advanced between rivals leaving the nine sixteenths pole, chased from the two path around the turn and tired.