

MOUNTAINEER CASINO RACETRACK & RESORT - July 20, 2026 - Race 1



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000. **Claiming Price:** \$5,000
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Present Course - 1:33.44 - November 19, 2014)
Purse: \$12,000
Available Money: \$12,000
Value of Race: \$11,160 1st \$6,960, 2nd \$2,400, 3rd \$1,200, 4th \$600
Weather: Cloudy, 77° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 7:05 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Jul26 ⁴ MNR ³	8	Self Taught (Negron, Luis)	124	L	b	5	3	3 ⁴	3 ²	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ^{6 1/2}	1.60* moved off driving
5Jul26 ⁴ MNR ¹	7	He's a Shooter (Pagan, Michael)	119	L	b	4	2	1 ³	1 ⁴	2 ²	2 ⁶	2 ^{4 1/4}	1.60 set pace, second best,
6Jul26 ⁵ MNR ²	1	Align (Oliveros, Charle)	124	L	b	1	1	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ¹	3 ^{5 1/2}	4.60 stalked, even finish
8Jul26 ⁸ MNR ¹	3	Arak (Diaz, Renzo)	124	L		2	4	4	4	4	4	4	3.80 played no factor
17Jun26 ⁶ TDN ⁵	6	Secret Bagent Man (Batista, Luis)	124	L	bf	3	5	---	---	---	---	---	12.00 clip heels lost rider

Fractional Times: 25.41 50.10 1:15.67 **Final Time:** 1:41.69 **Time from Gate:** 1:43.37
Split Times: (24:69) (25:57) (26:02)
Run-Up: 48 feet

Winner: Self Taught, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Shanghai Bobby out of Homeschooling, by Medaglia d'Oro. Foaled Apr 24, 2017 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Meritage Ventures, Inc.
Owner: Tijuana Racing Stables
Trainer: Silva, Juan

Claiming Prices: 8 - Self Taught: \$5,000; 7 - He's a Shooter: \$5,000; 1 - Align: \$5,000; 3 - Arak: \$5,000; 6 - Secret Bagent Man: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Game Keeper (Stewards), Krug (Stewards), Quistmer (Stewards), Unraptured (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$25,370

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Self Taught	5.20	2.80	\$2.00 Perfecta	8-7	15.40	14,875
7	He's a Shooter		3.00	\$1.00 Superfecta	8-7-1-3	32.30	3,424
1	Align			\$1.00 Trifecta	8-7-1	23.30	7,815

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Self Taught	3	3 ⁵	3 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ^{6 1/2}
7	He's a Shooter	2	1 ³	1 ⁴	2 ^{Head}	2 ²	2 ^{6 1/2}
1	Align	1	2 ³	2 ⁴	3 ²	3 ⁸	3 ^{10 3/4}
3	Arak	4	4 ⁹	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ⁴	4 ⁹	4 ^{16 1/4}
6	Secret Bagent Man	5	---	---	---	---	---

Trainers: 8 - Silva, Juan; 7 - Mathes, Julie; 1 - Bernardini, Jay; 3 - Preciado, Ramon; 6 - Rivera, Nestor

Owners: 8 - Tijuana Racing Stables; 7 -Bruno Schickedanz; 1 -Mark Yanni II; 3 - Top Notch Racing; 6 - Rivera Racing Stables LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SELF TAUGHT hooked foe on the far turn clearing in upper stretch drawing out driving. HE'S A SHOOTER sent clear set the pace being hooked on the far turn ceding in upper stretch proving a clear second best. ALIGN stalked the pace proving no match in upper stretch finishing evenly. ARAK played no factor. SECRET BAGENT MAN clipped heels after the break losing the rider, walked off.