

MOUNTAINEER CASINO RACETRACK & RESORT - August 9, 2026 - Race 7

STAKES West Virginia Governor's S. Listed - Thoroughbred  
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. No nomination fee. \$400 to pass the entry box. \$600 additional to start. Supplementary late nominations of \$2,000 may be made by closing time of entries and includes all fees and qualified to start. Money to be divided: \$116,200 to Winner; \$40,000 to Second; \$20,000 to Third; \$10,000 to Fourth; \$4,000 to Fifth; \$1,400 to Sixth through Twelfth. Weights: Three-year-olds 122 lbs.; Older 124 lbs. Non-winners of a \$120,000 race at One Mile or over in 2026... allowed 2 lbs.; Non-winners of a \$90,000 race at One Mile or over in 2026.... 4 lbs.; Non-winners of a \$60,000 race at One Mile or over in 2026.... 6 lbs. THIS RACE WILL NOT BE DIVIDED. This race is limited to Twelve (12) Starters with two (2) also eligibles. In the event more than twelve (12) entries pass the entry box, the twelve (12) entries will be determined with first preference given to the Highest Graded/Group Winners, and second preference given to those that have accumulated the highest lifetime earnings at the close of entries. Same owner entries will have equal draw. Starters to be named through the Entry Box Sunday, August 2, 2026 By Usual Time Of Closing. Trophy to the Winning Owner, Trainer, and Jockey. NOMINATIONS CLOSE SUNDAY, JULY 26, 2026.

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Be Like Mike - 1:41.15 - August 9, 2003)

Purse: \$200,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$200,000

[Video Race Replay](#)

Value of Race: \$200,000 1st \$123,200, 2nd \$40,000, 3rd \$20,000, 4th \$10,000, 5th \$4,000, 6th \$1,400, 7th \$1,400

Weather: Clear, 84° Track: Fast

Off at: 7:53 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

| Last Raced                            | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey)                                                                                              | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4            | 1/2               | 3/4                | Str              | Fin                | Odds  | Comments               |
|---------------------------------------|-----|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 25Oct25 <sup>9</sup> KEE <sup>4</sup> | 2   | Bracket Buster (Velazquez, John)                                                                                 | 118 | L   | 2  | 1     | 2 <sup>1</sup> | 2 <sup>Head</sup> | 1 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 1 <sup>7</sup>   | 1 <sup>15</sup>    | 2.00* | won with authority     |
| 4Jul26 <sup>10</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup> | 7   | Warp Nine (Pennington, Frankie)                                                                                  | 120 | L   | b  | 6     | 6 <sup>4</sup> | 5 <sup>Head</sup> | 5 <sup>4</sup>     | 5 <sup>6</sup>   | 2 <sup>Neck</sup>  | 8.60  | bid 3deep up for 2nd   |
| 28Jun26 <sup>10</sup> CD <sup>5</sup> | 1   | Neoequos (Husbands, Micah)      | 118 | L   | b  | 1     | 2              | 1 <sup>Head</sup> | 1 <sup>Head</sup>  | 2 <sup>5</sup>   | 3 <sup>3/4</sup>   | 2.30  | ceded turn weakened,   |
| 11Jul26 <sup>6</sup> PRM <sup>2</sup> | 8   | Itsmybirthday (Vazquez, Ramon)  | 118 | L   | bf | 7     | 5              | 5 <sup>3</sup>    | 6 <sup>5</sup>     | 4 <sup>2</sup>   | 4 <sup>3/4</sup>   | 7.80  | battled for minors ins |
| 28Jun26 <sup>10</sup> CD <sup>3</sup> | 6   | Hall of Fame (Esquivel, Emmanuel)                                                                                | 118 | L   |    | 5     | 3              | 4 <sup>Head</sup> | 4 <sup>1</sup>     | 3 <sup>1/2</sup> | 5 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 2.70  | even finish btw foes   |
| 4Jul26 <sup>6</sup> CT <sup>3</sup>   | 3   | Play It Loud (Diaz, Jr., Sunday)                                                                                 | 118 | L   | b  | 3     | 7              | 8                 | 8                  | 7                | 6 <sup>1 1/4</sup> | 41.50 | always outrun          |
| 11Jun26 <sup>7</sup> TDN <sup>1</sup> | 9   | Chiron (Bracho, Jose)                                                                                            | 118 | L   | b  | 8     | 8              | 7 <sup>7</sup>    | 7 <sup>5</sup>     | 6 <sup>7</sup>   | 7                  | 50.10 | never involved         |
| 29May26 <sup>7</sup> GP <sup>1</sup>  | 4   | Mogul (CHI) (Herrera, Diego)                                                                                     | 118 | L   | b  | 4     | 4              | 3 <sup>1/2</sup>  | 3 <sup>3</sup>     | ---              | ---                | 16.30 | pulled up, walked off  |

Fractional Times: 23.77 47.31 1:11.36 1:37.33 Final Time: 1:44.05 Time from Gate: 1:45.63

Split Times: (23:54) (24:05) (25:97) (6:72)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Bracket Buster, Bay Colt, by [Vekoma](#) out of Spring Dance, by Dance With Ravens. Foaled May 22, 2022 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift

Breeder: David Baxter

Owner: BBN Racing, LLC and Bowen Thoroughbred Racing, LLC

Trainer: Oliver, Victoria

Scratched Horse(s): Capo Luca (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$180,233

| Pgm | Horse          | Win  | Place | Show | Wager Type        | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool    |
|-----|----------------|------|-------|------|-------------------|-----------------|--------|---------|
| 2   | Bracket Buster | 6.00 | 3.80  | 2.60 | \$2.00 Perfecta   | 2-7             | 43.20  | 103,574 |
| 7   | Warp Nine      |      | 7.20  | 3.80 | \$1.00 Trifecta   | 2-7-1           | 72.40  | 67,294  |
| 1   | Neoequos       |      |       | 2.40 | \$1.00 Superfecta | 2-7-1-8         | 269.90 | 40,404  |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name     | Start | 1/4                 | 1/2                 | 3/4                | Str                 | Fin                 |
|-----|----------------|-------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 2   | Bracket Buster | 1     | 2 <sup>Head</sup>   | 2 <sup>Head</sup>   | 1 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 1 <sup>7</sup>      | 1 <sup>15</sup>     |
| 7   | Warp Nine      | 6     | 6 <sup>4 3/4</sup>  | 5 <sup>4 1/4</sup>  | 5 <sup>9</sup>     | 5 <sup>12 1/2</sup> | 2 <sup>15</sup>     |
| 1   | Neoequos       | 2     | 1 <sup>Head</sup>   | 1 <sup>Head</sup>   | 2 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 2 <sup>7</sup>      | 3 <sup>15 1/4</sup> |
| 8   | Itsmybirthday  | 5     | 5 <sup>1 3/4</sup>  | 6 <sup>4 1/4</sup>  | 4 <sup>7</sup>     | 3 <sup>10</sup>     | 4 <sup>16</sup>     |
| 6   | Hall of Fame   | 3     | 4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>  | 4 <sup>3 1/4</sup>  | 3 <sup>6 1/2</sup> | 4 <sup>10 1/2</sup> | 5 <sup>16 3/4</sup> |
| 3   | Play It Loud   | 7     | 8 <sup>15 3/4</sup> | 8 <sup>14 1/4</sup> | 7 <sup>20</sup>    | 7 <sup>20 1/2</sup> | 6 <sup>22 1/4</sup> |
| 9   | Chiron         | 8     | 7 <sup>8 3/4</sup>  | 7 <sup>9 1/4</sup>  | 6 <sup>13</sup>    | 6 <sup>18 1/2</sup> | 7 <sup>23 1/2</sup> |
| 4   | Mogul (CHI)    | 4     | 3 <sup>1</sup>      | 3 <sup>Head</sup>   | ---                | ---                 | ---                 |

Trainers: 2 - Oliver, Victoria; 7 - Wyner, Harold; 1 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 8 - Diodoro, Robertino; 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 3 - McKee, Cynthia; 9 - Estvanko, Richard; 4 - Sanchez, Amador

Owners: 2 - BBN Racing, LLC and Bowen Thoroughbred Racing, LLC; 7 - Alaricorns; 1 - C2 Racing Stable LLC, Parsard, Ian, Shining Stables LLC, Stefania Farms LLC, Reimer, Ken T., Braverman, Paul and Pinch, Timothy; 8 - Bennewith, Arnold, Wiest, Rick, Wiest, Clayton and Wiest, Lana; 6 - Claiborne Farm; 3 - Beau Ridge Farm LLC; 9 - Isaacs, Bennie E. and Williams, Lisa G.; 4 - Paola Stable, Super Super Stable and Stud Vendaval, Inc.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BRACKET BUSTER moved relaxed on pace being prompted clear on the far turn showing full of run down the lane winning with authority. WARP NINE went evenly through the far turn coming four wide in upper stretch responding three deep inside the eighth pole getting up abreast foes to save place. NEOEQUOS away alertly prompted the pace through the backside ceding to foe near the five sixteenths pole being dispatched by rival in upper stretch weakening late. ITSMYBIRTHDAY tracked evenly saving ground to upper stretch battling for minors along the inside. HALL OF FAME stalked the early pace dropping off the leaders on the far turn moving between horses in upper stretch giving an even finish. PLAY IT LOUD was always outrun. CHIRON was never involved. MOGUL (CHI) hustled along folded abruptly on the far turn being pulled up at the head of the lane walking off after the race.

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