

MAHONING VALLEY RACE COURSE - February 16, 2026 - Race 6

STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$5,000 OR LESS IN 2025 - 2026. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since January 16 Allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000 - \$0
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Who Da Boss - 1:34.95 - December 2, 2024)
Purse: \$17,600
Plus: \$1,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund
Available Money: \$18,600
Value of Race: \$17,600 1st \$10,912, 2nd \$3,520, 3rd \$1,760, 4th \$880, 5th \$528
Weather: Cloudy, 45° **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)
Off at: 2:41 **Start:** Good for all except 1 **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 |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------|-----|------|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 5Feb26 ⁸ MVR ⁴ | 4 | Dr Schuster (Tapara, Brandon) | 124 | L | 4 | 1 | 1 ² 1/2 | 1 ² 1/2 | 1 ⁴ | 1 ³ 1/2 | 1 ⁵ | 2.00* | pace, unchallenged |
| 23Dec25 ⁶ MVR ¹ | 2 | Hemp Heaven (Bowen, Rocco) | 124 | L | 2 | 4 | 3 ¹ 1/2 | 3 ¹ 1/2 | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ¹ | 2 ¹ 3/4 | 3.60 | ins, off rail 1/4, bid |
| 3Jan26 ⁵ CT ⁴ | 1 | Rhumjar (Rivera, Luis) | 124 | L b | 1 | 5 | 4 ¹ 2 | 4 ² | 3 ¹ | 3 ² 1/2 | 3 ³ | 3.40 | off step slow, 4wd bid |
| 23Dec25 ⁶ MVR ⁴ | 3 | Puff'smagicdragon (Fernandez, Victor) | 124 | L bf | 3 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 ² | 4 ⁷ | 2.40 | 4wd bid far turn,empty |
| 4Feb26 ⁵ MVR ¹ | 5 | Sudden Shift (Chavez, Alexander) | 126 | L b | 5 | 3 | 2 ¹ 2 | 2 ^{Head} | 4 ¹ 2 | 5 | 5 | 5.20 | urged far turn, no bid |

Fractional Times: 24.78 48.10 1:13.51 1:27.32 **Final Time:** 1:42.07
Split Times: (23:32) (25:41) (13:81) (14:75)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Dr Schuster, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Collected out of Red Hot Heels, by Tapit. Foaled Apr 23, 2021 in New York.
Breeder: Newtown Anner Stud
Owner: Robin Schuster
Trainer: Schuster, Robin

Scratched Horse(s): Absolute Grit (Stewards), General Issue (FR) (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$28,842

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------|--------|
| 4 | Dr Schuster | 6.00 | 3.60 | 2.40 | \$2.00 Exacta | 4-2 | 26.00 | 19,832 |
| 2 | Hemp Heaven | | 3.80 | 2.40 | \$0.50 Trifecta | 4-2-1 | 23.75 | 9,750 |
| 1 | Rhumjar | | | 2.40 | \$0.10 Superfecta | 4-2-1-3 | 8.45 | 5,951 |
| | | | | | \$0.50 Pick 3 | 1/5-8-4/6/7 (3 correct) | 8.55 | 7,247 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Daily Double | 8-4 | 23.40 | 2,972 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 4 | Dr Schuster | 1 | 1 ² 1/2 | 1 ² 1/2 | 1 ⁴ | 1 ³ 1/2 | 1 ⁵ |
| 2 | Hemp Heaven | 4 | 3 ³ | 3 ² 1/2 | 2 ⁴ | 2 ³ 1/2 | 2 ⁵ |
| 1 | Rhumjar | 5 | 4 ⁴ 1/2 | 4 ³ | 3 ⁴ | 3 ⁴ 1/2 | 3 ⁶ 3/4 |
| 3 | Puff'smagicdragon | 2 | 5 ⁵ | 5 ⁵ | 5 ⁵ 1/2 | 4 ⁷ | 4 ⁹ 3/4 |
| 5 | Sudden Shift | 3 | 2 ² 1/2 | 2 ² 1/2 | 4 ⁵ | 5 ⁹ | 5 ¹⁶ 3/4 |

Trainers: 4 - Schuster, Robin; 2 - Wittek, Karyn; 1 - Farrior, Anthony; 3 - Juarez-Mendoza, Rey; 5 - Rivera, Nestor

Owners: 4 -Robin Schuster; 2 -Julie Beam; 1 - Conroy Thoroughbreds LLC; 3 - Annechino Racing, LLC; 5 -Michael J. Friedman;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

DR SCHUSTER seized command at the outset, edged clear on the far turn and was unchallenged in the stretch under a drive. HEMP HEAVEN chased along the inside early, was angled off the rail into the stretch and stayed on well without threatening the top one. RHUMJAR off a step slowly, settled well while racing along the inside, advanced while three wide on the far turn and managed a mild bid. PUFF'SMAGICDRAGON outpaced early, lodged a four wide bid on the far turn and flattened out in the stretch. SUDDEN SHIFT raced forwardly three wide, was urged on the far turn and offered no response.