

MAHONING VALLEY RACE COURSE - March 26, 2026 - Race 7

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE IN 2025 - 2026 OR ENTERED TO BE CLAIMED FOR \$25,000. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since February 26 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000 (Races Where Entered For \$20,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$25,000

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Altissimo - 1:08.63 - December 27, 2017)

Purse: \$27,000

Plus: \$4,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$31,000

Value of Race: \$27,000 1st \$16,200, 2nd \$5,400, 3rd \$2,700, 4th \$1,350, 5th \$810, 6th \$540

Weather: Cloudy, 70° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:14 **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	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Mar26 ¹ MVR ¹	1	Fivefive Six Champ (Tapara, Brandon)	126 L bf	1	4	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ²	1 ² 1/2	4.80	set pc, clrd, best
3Mar26 ⁶ MVR ⁴	2	Saint Goar (Batista, Luis)	124 L b	2	6	3 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Nose}	3.60	cntntion,battle,hld2nd
26Feb26 ² MVR ¹	6	Defending Albert (Oliveros, Charle)	124 L b	6	2	4 ^{Head}	3 ⁴	3 ⁴	3 ⁴ 1/4	1.40*	stlkd,battle,outnd'd
3Mar26 ⁶ MVR ¹	4	Mighty Les (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	126 L bf	4	5	5 ²	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁴	4 ⁷ 1/4	2.50	ins,veerout,improved
6Nov25 ² MVR ³	5	Powerful (Rivera, Luis)	124 L f	5	1	6	6	6	5 ⁸ 1/4	7.20	not a factor
20Dec25 ⁶ MVR ⁵	3	Admiral Nelson (Rodriguez, Anthony)	124 L bf	3	3	2 ¹	4 ²	5 ¹	6	32.40	prsd early, faded

Fractional Times: 22.44 45.53 58.22

Final Time: 1:11.54

Split Times: (23:09) (12:69) (13:32)

Run-Up: 10 feet

Winner: Fivefive Six Champ, Chestnut Gelding, by First Dude out of Home in Time, by Came Home. Foaled Mar 19, 2019 in Florida.

Breeder: Tom McCrocklin

Owner: Reed, Larry R. and Bernardini, Jay P.

Trainer: Bernardini, Jay

Total WPS Pool: \$47,407

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Fivefive Six Champ	11.60	5.20	3.60	\$2.00 Exacta	1-2	43.00	40,620
2	Saint Goar		6.20	3.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-2-6	37.45	24,129
6	Defending Albert			2.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	1-2-6-4	10.90	15,332
					\$0.50 Pick 3	7-5-1 (3 correct)	13.30	8,401
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-1	17.00	5,997

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Fivefive Six Champ	4	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ²	1 ² 1/2
2	Saint Goar	6	3 ² 1/2	2 ²	2 ²	2 ² 1/2
6	Defending Albert	2	4 ³ 1/2	3 ³	3 ²	3 ² 1/2
4	Mighty Les	5	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁹	4 ⁶	4 ⁶ 3/4
5	Powerful	1	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ¹⁰ 1/2	6 ¹¹	5 ¹⁴
3	Admiral Nelson	3	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁷	5 ¹⁰	6 ²² 1/4

Trainers: 1 - Bernardini, Jay; 2 - Pappada, Julie; 6 - Watkins, James; 4 - Castro, Raquel; 5 - Rone, Penny; 3 - Castro, Raquel

Owners: 1 - Reed, Larry R. and Bernardini, Jay P.; 2 -Glen Bunnell; 6 - Schroer, Cathy and Schroer, Paul; 4 -Barbara Madrigal; 5 -Michael L. Rone; 3 -Barbara Madrigal;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

FIVEFIVE SIX CHAMP hustled to the front to set the pace with a clear lead before drawing clear on the turn and proved best. SAINT GOAR was slow to stride away from the gate but moved to contention on the inside down the backstretch, tipped out to the two path going into the stretch and matched strides inside of DEFENDING ALBERT to the wire and dug in to hold the place. DEFENDING ALBERT stalked the pace from the three path to the turn then moved up to take aim at the leader but was no match for that one but battled down the stretch outside of SAINT GOAR to the wire and was outnodded for the place. MIGHTY LES raced near the back while saving ground, passed a tired one in early stretch while making a mild bid but veered out between the eighth and sixteenth pole and improved his position. POWERFUL trailed the field to the top of the stretch then passed a tired one but was not a factor. ADMIRAL NELSON pressed the pace from the two path for the first furlong then slowly faded and was not at threat.