

PENN NATIONAL - May 1, 2026 - Race 3

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
 (PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR PENNSYLVANIA BRED OR PENNSYLVANIA BRED SINCE NOVEMBER 1ST 2025. or Claiming Price \$40,000 or Which Have Never Won Four Races. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since April 1 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since March 1 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$40,000 (Races Where Entered For \$25,000 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating Allowances). (NW2 6MX) **Claiming Price:** \$40,000

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Sparticle - 1:07.68 - August 24, 2019)

Purse: \$39,000

Plus: \$6,850 PABF - Pennsylvania Bonus Program

Available Money: \$45,850

Value of Race: \$45,850 1st \$30,250, 2nd \$7,800, 3rd \$4,290, 4th \$2,340, 5th \$1,170

Weather: Showery, 61° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 6:46 **Start:** Good for all except 4 **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
26Nov25 ¹⁰ PRX ⁴	5	Houghton Shuffle (Cora, David)	120	L b	3	2	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	2.50	3-w, edged clear
8Apr26 ² PEN ¹	2	Five Dreams (Ramos, Yabriel)	120	L b	1	3	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	16.40	vied, held 2nd
8Apr26 ⁸ PRX ⁴	7	Paradise Valley (Torres, Jomar)	120	L bf	5	5	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹	3 ¹	5.10	3-w, mild rally
11Feb26 ¹⁰ PRX ⁹	6	Quasi Warrior (Rodriguez, Angel)	121	L b	4	4	4 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Nose}	0.90*	4-w, lacked rally
8Apr26 ² PEN ²	4	Brother Rice (Corujo, Wilfredo)	121	L b	2	6	6	6	3 ²	5 ¹⁴	20.50	broke in air, no thrt
29Oct25 ⁴ PEN ¹	9	Yahoo Omar (Hernandez, Julio)	121	L b	6	1	2 ¹	4 ¹	6	6	5.50	vied 2-w, tired

Fractional Times: 22.58 46.46 59.09

Final Time: 1:11.92 **Time from Gate:** 1:14.03

Split Times: (23:88) (12:63) (12:83)

Run-Up: 65 feet

Winner: Houghton Shuffle, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Medallist out of Runs Like L, by Sunday Break (JPN). Foaled Apr 18, 2020 in Pennsylvania.

Breeder: Melissa Houghton

Owner: Melissa Houghton

Trainer: Houghton, T. Bernard

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Houghton Shuffle** New Trainer: Bruce M. Kravets New Owner: Stevark Stable, Inc. and Rentz, Randy

Claiming Prices: 5 - Houghton Shuffle: \$40,000; 2 - Five Dreams: \$40,000; 7 - Paradise Valley: \$40,000; 4 - Brother Rice: \$40,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Holy Synergy (PrivVet-Illness), Natural Harbor (RegVet-Illness), One More Scoop (Veterinarian), Rebel Invasion (RegVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$71,063

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Houghton Shuffle	7.00	3.60	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	5-2	37.70	45,087
2	Five Dreams		7.40	4.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-2-7	56.40	23,940
7	Paradise Valley			3.40	\$0.50 Pick 3	3-4-5 (3 correct)	25.25	6,331
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-5	11.20	3,653
					\$0.10 Superfecta	5-2-7-6	31.96	14,955

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Houghton Shuffle	2	3 ²	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}
2	Five Dreams	3	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}
7	Paradise Valley	5	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ²	5 ⁴	3 ^{2 1/4}
6	Quasi Warrior	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	4 ⁴	4 ^{3 1/4}
4	Brother Rice	6	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/4}	3 ²	5 ^{3 1/4}
9	Yahoo Omar	1	2 ¹	4 ¹	6 ⁵	6 ^{17 1/4}

Trainers: 5 - Houghton, T. Bernard; 2 - Kravets, Bruce; 7 - Demasi, Kathleen; 6 - Kulp, Brandon; 4 - O'Callaghan, Carl; 9 - Simoff, Andrew

Owners: 5 -Melissa Houghton; 2 - Two Ten Twelve Triple T Racing; 7 - Pewter Stable; 6 - Wynoaks Farm and Warrior's Reward LLC; 4 -Robert O'Hara, Jr.; 9 -Edward F. Gardner;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

HOUGHTON SHUFFLE was forwardly placed racing three-wide, took the lead from FIVE DREAMS nearing the sixteenth pole and edged clear late/. FIVE DREAMS vied with YAHOO OMAR for the lead from along the inside, responded when asked and held on well for second. PARADISE VALLEY was allowed to settle, came three-wide into the stretch and finished in a mild rally. QUASI WARRIOR was reserved off the pace, came four-wide into the stretch but lacked a rally. BROTHER RICE broke in the air then was saved ground while being unhurried, slipped through entering the stretch but was unable to seriously threaten. YAHOO OMAR vied for the early lead with FIVE DREAMS from along the outside and tired.