

**PENN NATIONAL - May 21, 2026 - Race 2**

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$16,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000 AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since April 21 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000 (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances) Preference to horses stabled on Penn National grounds after consideration for condition eligibility and PA Breds.(If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at Five Furlongs.). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000

**Distance:** Five Furlongs On The Dirt - Originally Scheduled For 5 Furlongs On Turf **Current Track Record:** (Rockin in Dixie - 56.38

- August 6, 2012)

**Purse:** \$21,000

**Available Money:** \$21,000

**Value of Race:** \$21,000 1st \$12,600, 2nd \$4,200, 3rd \$2,310, 4th \$1,260, 5th \$630

**Weather:** Cloudy, 60° **Track:** Good

**Off at:** 6:16 **Start:** Good for all except 5 **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Sep25 <sup>1</sup> PID <sup>1</sup>	7	Take Charge Boo (Ho, Wesley)	122	--	6	7	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	4.90	stp slw,3w,clear,held
8May26 <sup>9</sup> LRL <sup>5</sup>	6	Ballykeefe (Kingsley, Taylor)	112	L b	5	6	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Neck</sup>	5.80	stp slw,2w-ins,gaining
24Apr26 <sup>4</sup> PEN <sup>6</sup>	2	Music Clarification (Torres, Jomar)	122	L	2	2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3/4</sup>	1.80*	shuffled 3/8,angld 4w
24Apr26 <sup>4</sup> PEN <sup>4</sup>	1	Octet (Beato, Inoel)	122	L b	1	4	7 <sup>4</sup>	7 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	9.60	angl widest,not enough
12Dec25 <sup>1</sup> PEN <sup>5</sup>	9	Regal Miss Lily (Corujo, Wilfredo)	122	L b	8	5	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	2.70	close up 4w,weakened
24Apr26 <sup>4</sup> PEN <sup>5</sup>	4	Spicy Bubba (Corujo, Leonardo)	119	L	3	3	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	23.40	vied btw 2w,gave way
2May26 <sup>3</sup> PEN <sup>7</sup>	8	Howdidthatworkout (Inirio, Maicol)	121	b	7	1	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>Neck</sup>	10.20	pace to 1/4,faded
2May26 <sup>3</sup> PEN <sup>9</sup>	5	No Argument (Diaz, Vladimir)	121	L b	4	8	8	8	8	8	18.60	bad stumble start

**Fractional Times:** 23.24 46.97

**Final Time:** 59.39 **Time from Gate:** 59.81

**Split Times:** (23:73) (12:42)

**Run-Up:** 60 feet

**Winner:** Take Charge Boo, Bay Mare, by Take Charge Indy out of Tensas Harbor, by Private Vow. Foaled May 26, 2021 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Cantrell Family Partnership

**Owner:** Michael H. Rhodes

**Trainer:** Castillo, Michelle

**Claiming Prices:** 6 - Ballykeefe: \$16,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Avril (Off-Turf)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$29,847

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Take Charge Boo	11.80	6.00	3.80	\$1.00 Daily Double	5-7	11.20	8,583
6	Ballykeefe		7.60	4.40	\$1.00 Exacta	7-6	35.80	22,112
2	Music Clarification			2.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-6-2-1	31.45	8,434
					\$0.50 Trifecta	7-6-2	44.10	12,146

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
7	Take Charge Boo	7	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>
6	Ballykeefe	6	6 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
2	Music Clarification	2	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>3/4</sup>
1	Octet	4	7 <sup>7</sup>	7 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>4 1/2</sup>
9	Regal Miss Lily	5	5 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6</sup>
4	Spicy Bubba	3	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>9 1/4</sup>
8	Howdidthatworkout	1	1 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>12 3/4</sup>
5	No Argument	8	8 <sup>11</sup>	8 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>13</sup>

**Trainers:** 7 - Castillo, Michelle; 6 - Boniface, Kevin; 2 - Demasi, Kathleen; 1 - Salvaggio, Mark; 9 - Stites, Flint; 4 - Shea, Lydee; 8 - Farley, Phillip; 5 - Arnold, Pamela

**Owners:** 7 -Michael H. Rhodes; 6 - Bonita Farm; 2 - Pewter Stable and 3MB Racing LLC; 1 - Spinazzola, Anthony and Nicolby Racing Stable LLC; 9 -Maria Montez Haire; 4 - Shea, Lydee, Cassel, Cleon S. and Seven Hills Racing; 8 -Elizabeth Milakovic; 5 -Pamela A. Arnold;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

TAKE CHARGE BOO broke a step slowly, rushed up and tracked the early pace three wide and between foes, bid to upper stretch, took command and kicked clear at the furlong pole, kept to task to the final sixteenth, was challenged late by oncoming rivals but dug in and held for the win. BALLYKEEFE off a step slowly, settled off of the early pace while never far back, waited for racing room at the quarter pole, found a seam to upper stretch then coaxed two wide into the lane, was gaining to the final sixteenth, shifted to the inside in deep stretch, missed for the win and held at the wire for second. MUSIC CLARIFICATION close up in the early running, tracked the pace from the inside heading to the turn then got shuffled back at the three-eighths, caught in traffic at the quarter marker, angled four wide to upper stretch, responded well in the drive, was outkicked late for the win and place, well clear of the rest for the show in a good effort. OCTET rated off of the early pace, shifted out to upper stretch then angled widest nearing the furlong grounds, closed the gap in deep stretch but could not impact the top three in the late stages. REGAL MISS LILY tracked the early pace from the second flight and outside of rivals, gave chase four wide into the turn, outkicked into upper stretch, weakened in the drive. SPICY BUBBA was forwardly placed in the early running, tracked the pace along the backstretch while between rivals then went up to press the pace into the turn, vied for the lead at the quarter marker, repelled to upper stretch, could not find more into the final furlong, gave way. HOWDIDTHATWORKOUT broke alertly and took early command, set the pace from the inside heading into the turn, overtaken to upper stretch, faded in the lane. NO ARGUMENT stumbled sharply at the start and spotted the field to begin, trailed to the turn, swung five to six wide to upper stretch, could not muster the needed late response.

