

PENN NATIONAL - June 3, 2026 - Race 6

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS 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 May 3 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000 (Races Where Entered For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000

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

Purse: \$21,000

Plus: \$3,150 PABF - Pennsylvania Bonus Program

Available Money: \$24,150

Value of Race: \$24,150 1st \$15,750, 2nd \$4,200, 3rd \$2,310, 4th \$1,260, 5th \$630

Weather: Clear, 78° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:19 **Start:** Good for all except 3 **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
24Apr26 ¹ PEN ³	4	Benny's Candy Man (Hernandez, Julio)	122	L b	4	2	3 ²	4 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1.90*	ins, battled, prevailed
4Dec25 ⁴ PEN ³	5	War Code (Torres, Jomar)	122	L b	5	5	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{4 1/2}	3.10	stlkd,battled,game2nd
24Apr26 ² PEN ¹	6	Leonidas Stand (Rodriguez, Angel)	119	L b	6	4	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/4}	5.20	prmppt pc, no late kick
12Jun25 ¹ PEN ⁴	1	Willy Willy (Corujo, Leonardo)	122	L bf	1	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ³	4 ^{Nose}	26.00	pace, empty
14May26 ³ PEN ⁸	3	Souper Vinnie (Cora, David)	122	L f	3	6	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ²	5 ^{2 1/2}	8.30	reared st, no factor
26Mar26 ⁵ GP ²	2	Stop Being Greedy (Tunon, Jordano)	122	L f	2	3	6	6	6	6	2.10	trailed, no threat

Fractional Times: 22.46 45.81 58.07

Final Time: 1:10.58 **Time from Gate:** 1:12.10

Split Times: (23:35) (12:26) (12:51)

Run-Up: 65 feet

Winner: Benny's Candy Man, Bay Gelding, by Uncle Benny out of Janet's Candy, by Candy Ride (ARG). Foaled May 06, 2022 in Pennsylvania.

Breeder: R. N. Miller

Owner: Deerview Racing Stable

Trainer: Perez, Elisha

Claiming Prices: 2 - Stop Being Greedy: \$16,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$63,554

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Benny's Candy Man	5.80	3.00	2.40	\$0.50 Pick 3	3-2-4 (3 correct)	28.15	5,861
5	War Code		3.60	2.80	\$1.00 Daily Double	2-4	11.80	4,631
6	Leonidas Stand			3.60	\$1.00 Exacta	4-5	9.10	38,352
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-5-6-1	32.01	13,712
					\$0.50 Trifecta	4-5-6	15.70	21,869

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Benny's Candy Man	2	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}
5	War Code	5	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
6	Leonidas Stand	4	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ⁵
1	Willy Willy	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/4}
3	Souper Vinnie	6	5 ⁴	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/4}
2	Stop Being Greedy	3	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁴	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{8 3/4}

Trainers: 4 - Perez, Elisha; 5 - Salvaggio, Mark; 6 - Kulp, Brandon; 1 - Perez, Elisha; 3 - Kravets, Bruce; 2 - Shannon, Jennifer

Owners: 4 - Deerview Racing Stable; 5 -Anthony Spinazzola; 6 -John F. Kolb; 1 -Carl L. Hess, Jr.; 3 - Two Ten Twelve Triple T Racing; 2 -Raymond W. Comi;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BENNY'S CANDY MAN raced off the pace from the inside where he cut the corner into the stretch to battle inside of WAR CODE to the wire and prevailed. WAR CODE stalked the pace from three wide before moving up on the turn to engage the leader near the quarter pole and battled down the stretch outside of BENNY'S CANDY MAN to be a game second. LEONIDAS STAND prompted the pace from two wide before engaging the leader near the quarter pole but lacked the late kick but held on for the show. WILLY WILLY sprinted to the front to set the pace before being collared at the quarter pole and was empty in the stretch drive. SOUPER VINNIE reared at the start and raced wide to the turn before tucking in to go three wide around the turn, tipped out to five wide in upper stretch but was not a factor. STOP BEING GREEDY trailed the field and was not a threat.