

PENN NATIONAL - December 18, 2025 - Race 7

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred  
(PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE JUNE 18 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 124 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since November 18 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since October 18 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility in Beaten Condition). ( C ) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

**Distance:** One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (A Letter to Harry - 1:41.20 - September 10, 1978)  
**Purse:** \$13,000

**Available Money:** \$13,000

**Value of Race:** \$13,000 1st \$7,800, 2nd \$2,600, 3rd \$1,430, 4th \$780, 5th \$390

**Weather:** Cloudy, 44° **Track:** Fast (Sealed)

**Off at:** 8:48 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Dec25 <sup>9</sup> PEN <sup>1</sup>	7	Spurs Up (Cruz, Angel)	125	L b	7	3	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup> 3/4	2.50	stalk 2w,geared down
5Dec25 <sup>2</sup> PEN <sup>7</sup>	6	Ray's Blue Wagon (Chiappe, Ricardo)	124	L b	6	1	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	5.80	made pace,held 2nd
4Dec25 <sup>3</sup> PEN <sup>2</sup>	4	Here's Waldo (Beato, Inoel)	123	L bf	4	2	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	2.00*	ins,angl 3w,mssd 2nd
12Dec25 <sup>8</sup> PEN <sup>10</sup>	2	Mighty Minion (Inirio, Maicol)	122	L b	2	7	7	7	6 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	46.60	inside,moved up
6Dec25 <sup>5</sup> CT <sup>10</sup>	1	Bold Ambition (Cora, David)	121	L b	1	4	4 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup> 3/4	9.40	keen,2-3w,gave way
28Nov25 <sup>1</sup> PEN <sup>3</sup>	5	Makabim (Ramos, Yabriel)	123	L bf	5	6	6 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>21</sup> 1/4	2.30	trckd 4w,tired
28Nov25 <sup>5</sup> PEN <sup>5</sup>	3	Bangkok Bob (Diaz, Vladimir)	120	L b	3	5	5 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup>	7	7	7	25.10	stopped,eased stretch

**Fractional Times:** 25.01 49.83 1:14.79 1:41.57 **Final Time:** 1:49.08

**Split Times:** (24:82) (24:96) (26:78) (7:51)

**Run-Up:** 70 feet

**Winner:** Spurs Up, Bay Gelding, by Dialed In out of Emotional Kitten, by Kitten's Joy. Foaled Apr 24, 2020 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Mr. & Mrs. M. Roy Jackson

**Owner:** Robert B. McCutchen

**Trainer:** Schoenthal, Phil

**Claiming Prices:** 7 - Spurs Up: \$5,000; 6 - Ray's Blue Wagon: \$5,000; 4 - Here's Waldo: \$5,000; 2 - Mighty Minion: \$5,000; 1 - Bold Ambition: \$5,000; 5 - Makabim: \$5,000; 3 - Bangkok Bob: \$5,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Likeagentleman (RegVet-Illness)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$22,045

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Spurs Up	7.00	3.20	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	7-6	22.90	17,571
6	Ray's Blue Wagon		6.20	4.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	7-6-4	28.65	9,065
4	Here's Waldo			2.40	\$0.50 Pick 3	4-6-7 (3 correct)	146.70	4,476
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-7	7.40	2,192
					\$0.10 Superfecta	7-6-4-2	46.93	7,226

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Spurs Up	3	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup> 3/4
6	Ray's Blue Wagon	1	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>6</sup> 3/4
4	Here's Waldo	2	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>7</sup>	3 <sup>7</sup>	3 <sup>6</sup> 3/4
2	Mighty Minion	7	7 <sup>5</sup> 3/4	7 <sup>6</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>9</sup>	5 <sup>8</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>10</sup> 1/2
1	Bold Ambition	4	4 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>7</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>13</sup>
5	Makabim	6	6 <sup>3</sup> 1/4	4 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>8</sup>	6 <sup>11</sup>	6 <sup>17</sup> 3/4
3	Bangkok Bob	5	5 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>11</sup>	7 <sup>17</sup>	7 <sup>39</sup>

**Trainers:** 7 - Schoenthal, Phil; 6 - Kravets, Bruce; 4 - Johnson, Carlos; 2 - Bobadilla, Jose; 1 - Kravets, Bruce; 5 - Beattie, Cody; 3 - Geist, David

**Owners:** 7 -Robert B. McCutchen; 6 - Stevark Stable, Inc.; 4 - Skyeanna Stables, LLC; 2 - Anualpe Stable; 1 -David B. Anderson; 5 - Valls Thoroughbreds LLC; 3 -David W. Geist;

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

SPURS UP was forwardly placed in the early stages, stalked the pace between rivals to the backstretch, vied for the lead into the far turn then took command nearing the quarter marker, kicked clear into the stretch, drew off in the late stages and was geared down while in hand in deep stretch. RAY'S BLUE WAGON broke alertly and assumed early command, set a prompted pace to the backstretch then met the bid of SPURS UP into the far turn, was repelled by the winner into upper stretch, stayed on in the drive and just held for second at the wire. HERE'S WALDO rated just off of the early pace and saved ground into the first turn, was well placed while maintaining an inside path along the backstretch, angled out into the far turn then chased three wide to the stretch, could not muster a final response and just missed for second, while clear of the rest for third. MIGHTY MINION unhurried to the backstretch, advanced along the inside into the far turn, saved all of the ground to upper stretch, needed more in the lane but was able to improve position late. BOLD AMBITION was keen in the early running, tracked the pace from between rivals into the backstretch, stalked three deep nearing the half-mile pole, chased the leading pair nearing the quarter marker, lacked the needed response into the stretch and gave way. MAKABIM settled four wide to the first turn, tracked the pace while widest up the backstretch, lost position into the far turn and tired in the stretch drive. BANGKOK BOB tracked the early pace three deep and between rivals, was well placed to the backstretch, lost position to the far turn then stopped nearing the quarter marker, was eased through the stretch and walked off.