

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS - June 9, 2026 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 30% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since May 9 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$6,250 (Claiming Races For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating Allowances). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$6,250

Distance: Six Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Surlly Furious - 1:07.77 - July 5, 2022)

Purse: \$14,000

Plus: \$40

Available Money: \$14,040

Value of Race: \$13,900 1st \$8,400, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,400, 4th \$700, 5th \$350, 6th \$250

Weather: Showery, 84° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:03 **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
25May26 ² PID ⁴	2	Gift Exchange (Allen, Mike) VA CERTIFIED	123	L	bw	2 3	3 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³	1 ^{2 1/2}	5.20	bid 1/4 pole, drew awa
25May26 ² PID ²	3	Pancho Slips Away (Barbosa, Carlos)	123	L	y	3 2	1 ³	2 ²	2 ²	2 ^{3/4}	0.50*	clear,no match,hld plc
15Oct25 ⁸ PID ⁸	1	Noble Star (Alencar, Walber)	123	L	bfw	1 5	5 ²	4 ²	3 ³	3 ^{4 3/4}	7.20	reserved,mild bid
25May26 ² PID ³	4	Arouet (Ayala, Addiel)	123	L		4 6	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	4 ^{3 3/4}	3.50	step slow,stdy
25May26 ² PID ⁷	5	Oh' What a Day (Delgado, David)	123	L	b	5 4	6	6	5 ¹	5 ⁹	31.10	trailed, no threat,
25May26 ² PID ⁶	6	Noble Soul (Gonzalez, Alex)	123	L		6 1	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	6	6	48.80	brief speed, gave way,

Fractional Times: 22.76 45.97 57.84

Final Time: 1:10.72 **Time from Gate:** 1:13.13

Split Times: (23:21) (11:87) (12:88)

Run-Up: 48 feet

Winner: Gift Exchange, Bay Gelding, by Hard Spun out of Allwewantforxmas, by Songandaprayer. Foaled Apr 27, 2021 in Maryland.

Breeder: R. Larry Johnson

Owner: Clair Walker

Trainer: Fennessy, John

Claiming Prices: 2 - Gift Exchange: \$6,250; 3 - Pancho Slips Away: \$6,250; 4 - Arouet: \$6,250; 5 - Oh' What a Day: \$6,250; 6 - Noble Soul: \$6,250;

Total WPS Pool: \$21,986

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Gift Exchange	12.40	4.20	3.00	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-2	24.80	3,355
3	Pancho Slips Away		2.40	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	2-3	36.80	11,304
1	Noble Star			3.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	2-3-1	84.20	8,409
					\$2.00 Superfecta	2-3-1-4	101.00	5,146

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	Gift Exchange	3	3 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ³	1 ^{2 1/2}
3	Pancho Slips Away	2	1 ³	2 ^{1/2}	2 ³	2 ^{2 1/2}
1	Noble Star	5	5 ⁶	4 ³	3 ⁵	3 ^{3 1/4}
4	Arouet	6	4 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁵	4 ⁸	4 ⁸
5	Oh' What a Day	4	6 ⁸	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ¹⁰	5 ^{11 3/4}
6	Noble Soul	1	2 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	6 ¹¹	6 ^{20 3/4}

Trainers: 2 - Fennessy, John; 3 - Rice, Kevin; 1 - Reust, Megan; 4 - Poole, John; 5 - Spanabel, Kelly; 6 - Herrington, Cally

Owners: 2 - Clair Walker; 3 - Rice Racing; 1 - Little Empire Racing Stables; 4 - Nolan Family LLC; 5 - 4 Aces Racing Stable; 6 - Cally A. Herrington;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

GIFT EXCHANGE pulled along the inside while stalking the leader, tipped out three wide on the turn to take command nearing the quarter pole and drew off in upper stretch. PANCHO SLIPS AWAY sped to the early lead opening a clear advantage down the backstretch, had no answer for the winner when challenged turning for home and ran-on willingly to hold the place. NOBLE STAR reserved near the back of the field to midway on the bend and mounted a mild rally when called upon to be best of the rest. AROUET broke a step slow, steadied steps away from the gate when hole closed in front of him, made an early move five wide into contention down the backstretch and flattened out finishing evenly. OH' WHAT A DAY was not a threat. NOBLE SOUL flashed brief speed to prompt the pace and gave way at the quarter pole.

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