

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS - June 16, 2026 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 30% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A

Race Since May 16 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,500 (Claiming Races For \$6,250 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating

Allowances). **Claiming Price:** \$8,500

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

Purse: \$18,000

Available Money: \$18,000

Value of Race: \$17,100 1st \$10,800, 2nd \$3,600, 3rd \$1,800, 4th \$900

Weather: Cloudy, 71° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:28 **Start:** Good for all **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
18May26 ² PID ¹	1	Span of Control (Severino, Victor)	125	L b	1	4	4	4	3 ² 1/2	1 ^{Neck}	1.50*	stdy 3/16, up in time
8Oct25 ³ PID ¹	4	Straightoutadutton (Delgado, David)	123	L b	4	1	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ⁴	5.10	drift in upper, nailed
20May26 ⁸ TDN ⁵	2	Smokin' Hot (Gonzalez, Edwin)	123	L bf	2	3	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ⁵ 3/4	2.70	bid 1/4, no finish
18Feb26 ⁷ TAM ³	3	Riding a Dream (Rodriguez, Israel)	123	L b	3	2	2 ²	2 ¹	4	4	1.60	pressed, weakened


Fractional Times: 22.27 45.16 57.47

Final Time: 1:10.42 **Time from Gate:** 1:12.75

Split Times: (22:89) (12:31) (12:95)

Run-Up: 48 feet

Winner: Span of Control, Bay Gelding, by [Into Mischief](#) out of Moana, by Uncle Mo. Foaled Feb 04, 2019 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: WinStar Farm, LLC & Larry B. Taylor

Owner: Michael Dohar

Trainer: Pappada, Michael

2 Claimed Horse(s): **Riding a Dream**
Span of Control

New Trainer: Tim Girten
New Trainer: John Fennessy

New Owner: Girten, Tim and Mazzocco, Marc
New Owner: Clair Walker

Claiming Prices: 1 - Span of Control: \$8,500; 2 - Smokin' Hot: \$8,500; 3 - Riding a Dream: \$8,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Goodie Goomer (Veterinarian), Mor Spring Spirit (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$7,699

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Span of Control	5.00	3.80	\$2.00 Exacta	1-4	27.20	6,571
4	Straightoutadutton		5.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-4-2	48.80	2,681
2	Smokin' Hot			\$2.00 Pick 3	5-6-1/5/6 (3 correct)	86.00	5,112
				\$2.00 Daily Double	6-1	40.40	1,200

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Span of Control	4	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/4	3 ¹	1 ^{Neck}
4	Straightoutadutton	1	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ^{Neck}
2	Smokin' Hot	3	3 ³	3 ¹	2 ¹	3 ⁴ 1/4
3	Riding a Dream	2	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	4 ³ 1/2	4 ¹⁰

Trainers: 1 - Pappada, Michael; 4 - Russell, Randall; 2 - Pappada, Michael; 3 - Arriagada, Juan

Owners: 1 -Michael Dohar; 4 -Randall R. Russell; 2 -Michael A. Vales; 3 - Estevez, Kathleen A., Primpas, Nicholas and Catapano, Frank;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SPAN OF CONTROL unhurried early to be the trailer, closed the gap on the turn saving ground along the fence, cut the corner turning for home rallying up the fence, steadied at the three-sixteenths pole when the pacesetter drifted in, took up and angled four wide to the clear and surged late to be up in time. STRAIGHTOUTADUTTON broke well, opened a clear lead early, responded when engaged nearing the quarter pole while racing in the three path, drifted in toward the rail in upper stretch impeding the winner and dug-in gamely only to be nailed on the wire. SMOKIN' HOT chased the pacesetter through the turn, rallied to prominence midway down the lane and was unable to sustain the rally. RIDING A DREAM pressed the pace to the top of the lane and weakened in the stretch.