

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS - September 1, 2026 - Race 4

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred  
(PLUS UP TO 30% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES IN 2025 - 2026 OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE NOVEMBER 1, 2025. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 1 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Claiming Races For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility And Allowances). ( C ) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

**Distance:** One Mile And Seventy Yards On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Carpenters Call - 1:38.97 - August 22, 2022)

**Purse:** \$12,000

**Plus:** \$260 Starters Bonus

**Plus:** \$720 PABF - Pennsylvania Bonus Program

**Available Money:** \$12,980

**Value of Race:** \$12,920 1st \$7,200, 2nd \$3,120, 3rd \$1,200, 4th \$600, 5th \$300, 6th \$250, 7th \$250

**Weather:** Cloudy, 81° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 4:54 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

| Last Raced                            | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey)                                            | Wgt M/E  | PP | Start | 1/4                | 1/2               | 3/4                | Str                | Fin                | Odds  | Comments               |
|---------------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----|-------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 17Aug26 <sup>8</sup> PID <sup>2</sup> | 1   | Secretary of War (Martinez, Gaddiel) <span>VA CERTIFIED</span> | 123 L b  | 1  | 3     | 3 <sup>2</sup>     | 3 <sup>1/2</sup>  | 1 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 1 <sup>4</sup>     | 1 <sup>6 1/4</sup> | 0.40* | assume comm,ridden out |
| 25Aug26 <sup>3</sup> PID <sup>4</sup> | 7   | Keystone Hank (Ayala, Addiel)                                  | 123 L y  | 7  | 7     | 7                  | 7                 | 7                  | 3 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 11.10 | crcl'd 8w,belated bid  |
| 17Aug26 <sup>8</sup> PID <sup>5</sup> | 2   | Lightning Charlie (Alencar, Walber)                            | 123 L    | 2  | 2     | 5 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 4 <sup>Head</sup> | 4 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 2 <sup>1</sup>     | 3 <sup>3 1/2</sup> | 10.90 | bid upper,even late    |
| 22Jul26 <sup>8</sup> PID <sup>7</sup> | 4   | I'm No Angel (Gallardo, Antonio)                               | 123 L bw | 4  | 4     | 4 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 5 <sup>Head</sup> | 6 <sup>2</sup>     | 6 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 4 <sup>Head</sup>  | 6.30  | lacked closing kick    |
| 17Aug26 <sup>8</sup> PID <sup>7</sup> | 5   | Duel Fuel (Kingsley, Taylor)                                   | 116 L w  | 5  | 5     | 2 <sup>1</sup>     | 2 <sup>1</sup>    | 5 <sup>1</sup>     | 5 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 5 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 80.90 | pressed pace, weaken   |
| 17Aug26 <sup>8</sup> PID <sup>6</sup> | 3   | Yadi (Villa-Gomez, Huber)                                      | 123 L bf | 3  | 1     | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 1 <sup>Head</sup> | 2 <sup>Head</sup>  | 4 <sup>1</sup>     | 6 <sup>1 3/4</sup> | 34.10 | set press pace, tired  |
| 29Jul26 <sup>8</sup> PID <sup>9</sup> | 6   | Wicked Finn (Pruitt, Ciera)                                    | 116 L b  | 6  | 6     | 6 <sup>7</sup>     | 6 <sup>6</sup>    | 3 <sup>1</sup>     | 7                  | 7                  | 5.60  | middle move, gave way  |

**Fractional Times:** 23.60 47.68 1:12.53 1:38.23 **Final Time:** 1:42.53 **Time from Gate:** 1:44.25

**Split Times:** (24:08) (24:85) (25:70) (4:30)

**Run-Up:** 40 feet

**Winner:** Secretary of War, Bay Gelding, by War Dancer out of Toscanova, by Giant's Causeway. Foaled May 19, 2020 in New York.

**Breeder:** Sugar Plum Farm LLC & The New Hill Farm

**Owner:** James Fisher

**Trainer:** Kintz, S.

**Claiming Prices:** 1 - Secretary of War: \$5,000; 7 - Keystone Hank: \$5,000; 2 - Lightning Charlie: \$5,000; 4 - I'm No Angel: \$5,000; 5 - Duel Fuel: \$5,000; 3 - Yadi: \$5,000; 6 - Wicked Finn: \$5,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$21,304

| Pgm | Horse             | Win  | Place | Show | Wager Type          | Winning Numbers     | Payoff | Pool   |
|-----|-------------------|------|-------|------|---------------------|---------------------|--------|--------|
| 1   | Secretary of War  | 2.80 | 2.20  | 2.20 | \$2.00 Exacta       | 1-7                 | 12.20  | 16,347 |
| 7   | Keystone Hank     |      | 3.80  | 2.80 | \$2.00 Trifecta     | 1-7-2               | 48.00  | 9,065  |
| 2   | Lightning Charlie |      |       | 3.00 | \$2.00 Pick 3       | 5/6-4-1 (3 correct) | 29.60  | 2,155  |
|     |                   |      |       |      | \$2.00 Daily Double | 4-1                 | 17.00  | 1,923  |
|     |                   |      |       |      | \$2.00 Superfecta   | 1-7-2-4             | 112.00 | 6,314  |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name        | Start | 1/4                 | 1/2                | 3/4                | Str                | Fin                 |
|-----|-------------------|-------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1   | Secretary of War  | 3     | 3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>  | 3 <sup>1</sup>     | 1 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 1 <sup>4</sup>     | 1 <sup>6 1/4</sup>  |
| 7   | Keystone Hank     | 7     | 7 <sup>12 1/2</sup> | 7 <sup>7 3/4</sup> | 7 <sup>6</sup>     | 3 <sup>5</sup>     | 2 <sup>6 1/4</sup>  |
| 2   | Lightning Charlie | 2     | 5 <sup>5</sup>      | 4 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 4 <sup>2 1/2</sup> | 2 <sup>4</sup>     | 3 <sup>6 3/4</sup>  |
| 4   | I'm No Angel      | 4     | 4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>  | 5 <sup>1 3/4</sup> | 6 <sup>4</sup>     | 6 <sup>7</sup>     | 4 <sup>10 1/4</sup> |
| 5   | Duel Fuel         | 5     | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>    | 2 <sup>Head</sup>  | 5 <sup>3</sup>     | 5 <sup>6 1/2</sup> | 5 <sup>10 1/4</sup> |
| 3   | Yadi              | 1     | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>    | 1 <sup>Head</sup>  | 2 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 4 <sup>5 1/2</sup> | 6 <sup>11 3/4</sup> |
| 6   | Wicked Finn       | 6     | 6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>  | 6 <sup>1 3/4</sup> | 3 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 7 <sup>8 1/2</sup> | 7 <sup>13 1/2</sup> |

**Trainers:** 1 - Kintz, S.; 7 - Morrell, Justin; 2 - Russell, Randall; 4 - Hayes, Leland; 5 - Schaber, Debbie; 3 - Rozantz, Cathy; 6 - Kelly, Blake

**Owners:** 1 -James Fisher; 7 -Kylie Marie Shuffstall; 2 -Ken Russell; 4 -Susan Miller; 5 - Schaber Racing, LLC; 3 -Cathy Carr Rozantz; 6 - Victoria Thoroughbreds, LLC;

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

SECRETARY OF WAR stalked the pace to the far turn, rallied four wide to assume command on the bend, opened a clear advantage turning for home and widened in the lane while ridden out as much best. KEYSTONE HANK slow early to be the distant trailer, closed the gap on the far turn and rallied eight wide with a belated bid to be up for the place in deep stretch. LIGHTNING CHARLIE rated in mid-pack, rallied to the front of the chasing pack in upper stretch and finished evenly to be best of the rest. I'M NO ANGEL taken in hand to track into the first turn, raced close up down the backstretch, lost position on the turn and lacked a closing kick going evenly. DUEL FUEL pressed the pace into the final turn and weakened coming home. YADI set the pace under steady pressure to the three-eighths pole and tired fading from contention. WICKED FINN reserved off the pace for the first half mile, rallied five wide to threaten on the turn and gave way in the stretch.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred