

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS - September 29, 2026 - Race 2



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO 30% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON THREE RACES IN 2026. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 29 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Claiming Races For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility And Allowances). (NW3 9MX) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Roses for Debra - 1:13.92 - September 20, 2024)
Purse: \$15,000
Available Money: \$15,000
Value of Race: \$14,625 1st \$9,000, 2nd \$3,000, 3rd \$1,500, 4th \$750, 5th \$375
Weather: Clear, 70° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:00 **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
21Sep26 ³ PID ⁵	3	Showdown King (Montanez, Rosario)	125	L b	2	5	5	5	⁴ Head	¹ ¹ / ₂	4.20	determined drive
7Sep26 ² PID ¹	1	Blazing Bo (Rodriguez, Israel)	125	L b	1	4	⁴ ¹ / ₂	⁴ ²	5	² ² ¹ / ₄	1.70*	steady 5/16,good int
1Sep26 ³ PID ³	4	Turf Cat (Martinez, Gaddiel)	123	L b	3	1	¹ ¹ / ₂	¹ ¹	¹ ²	³ ¹ ³ / ₄	2.00	kick clear, weakened,
18Sep26 ¹ PID ⁵	5	Housebuilder (Gonzalez, Alex)	123	L b	4	2	² ¹ / ₂	³ ¹	³ Head	⁴ Head	6.10	chase str,outkicked
18Sep26 ⁶ PID ⁷	6	Shy Da Runner (Gallardo, Antonio)	123	L b	5	3	³ ¹ ¹ / ₂	² Head	² Head	5	4.50	tracked, not enough

Fractional Times: 22.70 45.26 1:10.40 **Final Time:** 1:17.00 **Time from Gate:** 1:18.72
Split Times: (22:56) (25:14) (6:60)
Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Showdown King, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Mineshaft out of B Rockett, by After Market. Foaled Mar 09, 2020 in Kentucky.
Breeder: G. Watts Humphrey Jr.
Owner: Lady Smith Stable LLC and Sayban, Don
Trainer: Pappada, Michael

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Turf Cat** New Trainer: John Fennessy New Owner: Clair Walker

Claiming Prices: 3 - Showdown King: \$5,000; 1 - Blazing Bo: \$5,000; 4 - Turf Cat: \$5,000; 5 - Housebuilder: \$5,000; 6 - Shy Da Runner: \$5,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Pearl of Aclaim (GB) (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$10,083

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Showdown King	10.40	6.00	2.40	\$2.00 Daily Double	1-3	41.20	2,290
1	Blazing Bo		3.40	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	3-1	29.80	6,146
4	Turf Cat			2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-1-4	78.80	2,458
					\$2.00 Superfecta	3-1-4-5	196.80	1,404

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Showdown King	5	⁵ ³	⁵ ⁴	⁴ ² ¹ / ₄	¹ ¹ / ₂
1	Blazing Bo	4	⁴ ² ¹ / ₂	⁴ ²	⁵ ² ¹ / ₄	² ¹ / ₂
4	Turf Cat	1	¹ ¹ / ₂	¹ ¹	¹ ²	³ ² ³ / ₄
5	Housebuilder	2	² ¹ / ₂	³ ¹	³ ²	⁴ ⁴ ¹ / ₂
6	Shy Da Runner	3	³ ¹	² ¹	² ²	⁵ ⁴ ¹ / ₂

Trainers: 3 - Pappada, Michael; 1 - Potts, Ron; 4 - Matejka, Pavel; 5 - Herrington, Cally; 6 - Rojas, Murray

Owners: 3 - Lady Smith Stable LLC and Sayban, Don; 1 -Cody Potts; 4 - 2 Shades of Blue Racing, LLC; 5 - SpergerWay Stables LLC; 6 - Sajor Stable;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SHOWDOWN KING unhurried in the early going to trail, remained at the back of the compact field midway around the bend while commencing a steady bid, rallied from four wide in the stretch as part of four horse charge to rundown the pacesetter and prevailed late in a determined drive. BLAZING BO tracked the leaders from the inside to midway on the turn, steadied off heels midway around the bend, regained momentum at the quarter pole and rallied well while just outkicked for the victory. TURF CAT set a quick pace on a well measured lead, kicked away turning for home and weakened in the final furlong. HOUSEBUILDER pressed the pace from three wide down the backstretch, was well placed in striking distance on the turn, filed to gain on the pacesetter chasing through the lane and was outkicked in the final eighth. SHY DA RUNNER tracked the leader into the turn, edged up on the bend and was outfinished through the stretch run.