

PARX RACING - June 23, 2026 - Race 2

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$5,000 OR LESS SINCE JUNE 23, 2024 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000 Horses Entered for the Claiming Price Allowed 6lbs. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Rienzi - 1:34.51 - January 17, 2015)

Purse: \$26,000

Available Money: \$26,000

Value of Race: \$26,000 1st \$15,600, 2nd \$5,200, 3rd \$2,860, 4th \$1,560, 5th \$780

Weather: Rainy, 72° **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 1:12 **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	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
8Jun26 ⁹ PRX ⁴	3	Transcendental (Vargas, Jr., Jorge)	125	L	2	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ⁴	1.00*	set pace, edged off
6Jun26 ⁷ PRX ⁵	6	Amedeus Music (Lopez, Paco)	125	L	bf	5	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{3/4}	4.40	pressed winner, wknd
2Jun26 ⁹ PRX ¹	2	Walk Away Joe (Silvera, Ruben)	125	L	b	1	1	3 ⁵	3 ⁷	3 ⁵	3 ^{3 1/2}	2.80	stalked, evenly lane
6Jun26 ⁷ PRX ³	4	Nixon Joy (ARG) (Ocasio, Luis)	125	L	f	3	5	4 ²	4 ³	4 ⁷	4 ⁹	4.80	lacked speed, no bid
8Jun26 ² PRX ³	5	Hermoso Hombre (Haddock, Dexter)	125	L	bf	4	4	5	5	5	5	7.90	trailed throughout

Fractional Times: 24.74 49.03 1:14.40 1:27.28

Final Time: 1:40.15 **Time from Gate:** 1:41.40

Split Times: (24:29) (25:37) (12:88) (12:87)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Transcendental, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Ghostzapper out of Well Acquainted, by Distorted Humor. Foaled Mar 27, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: George Strawbridge Jr.

Owner: Top Notch Racing

Trainer: Padilla, Esteban

Scratched Horse(s): Malibu Warrior (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$61,151

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Transcendental	4.00	2.40	2.20	\$2.00 Daily Double	6-3	42.60	23,367
6	Amedeus Music		3.80	2.80	\$2.00 Exacta	3-6	15.80	39,270
2	Walk Away Joe			2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-6-2	7.15	21,507

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Transcendental	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ⁴
6	Amedeus Music	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ²	2 ⁴
2	Walk Away Joe	1	3 ¹	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{4 3/4}
4	Nixon Joy (ARG)	5	4 ⁶	4 ^{9 1/2}	4 ⁷	4 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{8 1/4}
5	Hermoso Hombre	4	5 ⁸	5 ^{12 1/2}	5 ¹⁴	5 ^{15 1/2}	5 ^{17 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Padilla, Esteban; 6 - Potts, Wayne; 2 - Padilla-Preciado, Ernesto; 4 - Santaella-Calderon, Jose; 5 - Padilla, Esteban

Owners: 3 - Top Notch Racing; 6 - Roger B. Sterling; 2 - JKX Racing; 4 - Maria Alejandra Marquez; 5 - Charles J. Adams;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TRANSCENDENTAL broke alertly and set the pace, shook loose into the stretch and edged off under urging. AMEDEUS MUSIC prompted the winner for three quarters and weakened in the stretch. WALK AWAY JOE stalked the dueling leaders three wide then went evenly in the stretch. NIXON JOY (ARG) dropped back early and lacked a rally. HERMOSO HOMBRE lagged far behind and trailed throughout.