

THISTLEDOWN - April 27, 2026 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE OCTOBER 27.

Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since March 27 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race

Since February 27 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (NW2 6M) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Setting Limits - 1:35.60 - November 19, 1989)

Purse: \$12,600

Plus: \$1,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$13,600

Value of Race: \$12,600 1st \$7,812, 2nd \$2,520, 3rd \$1,260, 4th \$630, 5th \$378

Weather: Clear, 66° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:57 **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
6Mar26 ⁷ MVR ⁴	3	Sacred Connection (Houghton, T.)	119	L f	3	5	5	4 ¹	3 ²	3 ⁶	1 ^{Neck}	2.80	up in final strides
20Apr26 ⁵ TDN ⁵	4	Here Kitty Kitty (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	119	L b	4	4	3 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2.30	3-2w,dug in, missed
30Mar26 ¹ MVR ¹	5	Dame Maude Chardin (Barbaran, Erik)	123	L	5	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ³	3 ¹⁰ 1/2	1.20*	pace,clear,outfinished
31Mar26 ⁶ MVR ⁵	1	Sicilian Style Two (Centeno, Alexis)	121	L b	1	2	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4 ³	4 ²	4 ⁵	4.40	through after half
26Mar26 ² MVR ²	2	Lady Giuliana (Skerrett, Jefferson)	114	L	2	1	4 ^{Head}	5	5	5	5	23.60	failed to menace

Fractional Times: 24.26 48.28 1:13.44

Final Time: 1:40.98 **Time from Gate:** 1:42.94

Split Times: (24:02) (25:16) (27:54)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Sacred Connection, Chestnut Mare, by [Connect](#) out of Sacred Luna, by Malibu Moon. Foaled Mar 11, 2021 in Kentucky.

Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Dixiana Farms LLC

Owner: Lion Palm Racing Stable

Trainer: Bailey, Ricardo

Claiming Prices: 3 - Sacred Connection: \$5,000; 4 - Here Kitty Kitty: \$5,000; 5 - Dame Maude Chardin: \$5,000; 1 - Sicilian Style Two: \$5,000; 2 - Lady Giuliana: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$23,892

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Sacred Connection	7.60	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	3-4	21.10	18,391
4	Here Kitty Kitty		3.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-4-5	17.40	14,726
5	Dame Maude Chardin			\$0.20 Superfecta	3-4-5-1	12.60	7,958
				\$0.50 Pick 3	3-2-3 (3 correct)	5.95	12,069
				\$1.00 Daily Double	2-3	6.50	3,717
				\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	3-3-3 (3 correct)	3.30	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Sacred Connection	5	5 ³ 3/4	4 ² 1/2	3 ²	3 ³	1 ^{Neck}
4	Here Kitty Kitty	4	3 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ³	2 ^{Neck}
5	Dame Maude Chardin	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ³	3 ^{Neck}
1	Sicilian Style Two	2	2 ¹	3 ² 1/2	4 ⁴	4 ⁹	4 ¹⁰ 3/4
2	Lady Giuliana	1	4 ³ 1/2	5 ³ 1/2	5 ⁷	5 ¹¹	5 ¹⁵ 3/4

Trainers: 3 - Bailey, Ricardo; 4 - Rivera, Nestor; 5 - Ccamaque, Marco; 1 - Urieta, Johanna; 2 - Skerrett, Jeffrey

Owners: 3 - Lion Palm Racing Stable; 4 - Rivera Racing Stables, LLC.; 5 -Marco Ccamaque; 1 - Hurst Racing Stable LLC; 2 -Danielle Agnello;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SACRED CONNECTION never far back, circled rivals three wide through the stretch under right handed urging and got up in the final strides. HERE KITTY KITTY chased the pace three then two wide into the stretch, dug in late between rivals and just missed. DAME MAUDE CHARDIN made the lead soon after the start, set all the pace, widened into the stretch and was outfinished inside rivals in the late stages. SICILIAN STYLE TWO had good early speed along the inside and was through after a half. LADY GIULIANA failed to menace.