

THISTLEDOWN - April 29, 2026 - Race 5

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since March 29 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since February 28 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances) (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (NW3 L)

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Purity - 1:03.02 - September 7, 2022)

Purse: \$29,700

Plus: \$15,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$44,700

Value of Race: \$29,700 1st \$17,820, 2nd \$5,940, 3rd \$2,970, 4th \$1,485, 5th \$891, 6th \$594

Weather: Foggy, 52° **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)

Off at: 2:54 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments	
3Apr26 ⁴ OP ⁴	4	We Need a Favor (Gonzalez, Luis)	119	L	4	5	6	6	² Head	¹ Neck	1.30*	squz st,circl'd,in time	
16Dec25 ⁵ MVR ⁴	6	Picaro (Chavez, Alexander)	119	L	bf	6	2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ²	2 ⁴ 3/4	5.90	3w,move,clear,caught	
16Mar26 ⁷ MVR ²	2	Carnival Rock (Bracho, Jose)	119	L	b	2	4	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	1.60	5p, best of rest	
1Apr26 ⁶ MVR ³	5	Big Prankster (Rivera, Luis)	119	L		5	1	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	4 ³ 4	5.10	pressed,led,weakened	
26Mar26 ⁷ MVR ⁶	3	Admiral Nelson (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	119	L	bf	3	3	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	37.40	early pace, gave way	
24Mar26 ⁵ MVR ¹	1	Fast Talkin Man (Diaz, Angel)	120	L	b	1	6	5 ²	5 ¹ 1/2	6	6	12.00	failed to menace

Fractional Times: 22.42 46.26 58.62

Final Time: 1:05.14 **Time from Gate:** 1:06.35

Split Times: (23:84) (12:36) (6:52)

Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: We Need a Favor, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by American Freedom out of Vivian's Grace, by Candy Ride (ARG). Foaled Feb 17, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Dreamchaser Thorobreds

Owner: Gene Burkholder

Trainer: Puhl, Kim

Total WPS Pool: \$35,731

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	We Need a Favor	4.60	3.20	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	4-6	9.60	21,037
6	Picaro		5.00	2.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-6-2	12.50	16,325
2	Carnival Rock			2.40	\$0.20 Superfecta	4-6-2-5	8.58	9,576
					\$0.50 Pick 3	3-2-4 (3 correct)	126.90	4,075
					\$0.50 Pick 4	6-3/4-2-4 (4 correct)	888.40	8,363
					\$0.50 Pick 5	4-6-3/4-2-4 (5 correct)	1,828.90	21,517
					\$1.00 Daily Double	2-4	258.30	3,000

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
4	We Need a Favor	5	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁴ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	¹ Neck
6	Picaro	2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	1 ² 1/2	² Neck
2	Carnival Rock	4	4 ³	4 ³	4 ³ 1/2	3 ⁵
5	Big Prankster	1	² Head	1 ¹ 1/2	3 ² 1/2	4 ⁷
3	Admiral Nelson	3	¹ Head	2 ¹ 1/2	5 ³ 3/4	5 ⁷ 3/4
1	Fast Talkin Man	6	5 ³ 1/2	5 ³	6 ⁵ 1/4	6 ⁸ 1/4

Trainers: 4 - Puhl, Kim; 6 - Juarez-Mendoza, Rey; 2 - Calderon, Ivan; 5 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 3 - Castro, Raquel; 1 - Crumley, Jevon

Owners: 4 -Gene Burkholder; 6 -Rey Juarez-Mendoza; 2 - Calderon Racing Stable and Vargas, Alejandro; 5 -Paul Woosley; 3 -Barbara Madrigal; 1 - Crumley Racing, Freese, Richard and King, Benjamin;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

WE NEED A FAVOR was squeezed between rivals at the start, trailed through the turn, circled his field under right handed urging through the stretch and got up in the final strides. PICARO stalked the early pace three wide, rallied to make the lead in upper stretch, shook clear before the furlong marker and just missed hanging on. CARNIVAL ROCK with the second flight inside, shifted out to the five path in upper stretch and finished best of the rest. BIG PRANKSTER pressed the pace two wide down the backstretch, made the lead entering the turn, set the pace to the top of the stretch and weakened late. ADMIRAL NELSON set the pace along the inside to the turn, kept on into the stretch then gave way. FAST TALKIN MAN failed to menace.

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