

## THISTLEDOWN - May 12, 2026 - Race 5

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED OHIO FOALS 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 April 12 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since March 12 Allowed 4 lbs.

(Claiming Races For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (SNW3 L)

**Distance:** Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fancy Threat - 1:08.40 - November 21, 1987)

**Purse:** \$38,400

**Includes:** \$8,700 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

**Available Money:** \$38,400

**Value of Race:** \$38,400 1st \$23,808, 2nd \$7,680, 3rd \$3,840, 4th \$1,920, 5th \$1,152

**Weather:** Clear, 63° **Track:** Fast

**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	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23Apr26 <sup>8</sup> TDN <sup>5</sup>	1	Mr. Bali (Chavez, Alexander)	119	L b	1	5	5	5	5	1 <sup>2</sup>	7.80	closed with a rush,
9Apr26 <sup>7</sup> MVR <sup>5</sup>	4	Kickstart (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	119	L bf	4	3	4 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Neck</sup>	12.10	dug in 3w, up place
4Feb26 <sup>8</sup> MVR <sup>1</sup>	5	Deterrent (Barbaran, Erik)	119	L b	5	1	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	0.70*	led,pressed,determined
21Apr26 <sup>4</sup> TDN <sup>1</sup>	3	Machico Madeira (Rivera, Luis)	119	L bf	3	2	2 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	4.10	pressed,led,outfinishd
7Nov25 <sup>7</sup> MVR <sup>1</sup>	2	Poncho Jac (Keiser, Chelsey)	118	bf	2	4	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	5	2.90	bobbled st, no rally

**Fractional Times:** 22.66 46.10 58.98

**Final Time:** 1:12.24 **Time from Gate:** 1:13.79

**Split Times:** (23:44) (12:88) (13:26)

**Run-Up:** 30 feet

**Winner:** Mr. Bali, Bay Gelding, by Bal a Bali (BRZ) out of Pretty Gritty, by Mercer Mill. Foaled Feb 26, 2020 in Ohio.

**Breeder:** Sheltoewe Farm

**Owner:** N and E Racing Stables

**Trainer:** Morales, Saul

**Scratched Horse(s):** Take Five Charlie (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$34,651

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Mr. Bali	17.60	7.00	\$1.00 Exacta	1-4	55.90	24,133
4	Kickstart		7.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-4-5	49.25	17,975
5	Deterrent			\$0.20 Superfecta	1-4-5-3	39.14	11,510
				\$0.50 Pick 3	1-1-1 (3 correct)	122.50	7,436
				\$0.50 Pick 4	6-1-1-1 (4 correct)	343.60	12,534
				\$0.50 Pick 5	4-6-1-1-1 (5 correct)	2,175.40	25,595
				\$1.00 Daily Double	1-1	157.70	3,460

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Mr. Bali	5	5 <sup>6</sup> 3/4	5 <sup>5</sup> 3/4	5 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>2</sup>
4	Kickstart	3	4 <sup>2</sup> 3/4	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>
5	Deterrent	1	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/4
3	Machico Madeira	2	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup> 3/4
2	Poncho Jac	4	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup> 3/4	4 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup>

**Trainers:** 1 - Morales, Saul; 4 - Gorham, Robert; 5 - Fariior, Anthony; 3 - Rone, Michael; 2 - Vazquez, Ivan

**Owners:** 1 - N and E Racing Stables; 4 - Marion F. Gorham Revocable Trust; 5 -James C. Wolf; 3 - Hudson, Nancy A. and Bruce K.; 2 -Raymond Donald;

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

MR. BALI trailed into the stretch, closed with a rush while circling his field through deep stretch, made the lead late and drew clear. KICKSTART with the second flight two wide, dug in late three wide and got up for second. DETERRENT set the early pace two wide, gave up a narrow advantage on the turn, kept on and finished determinedly. MACHICO MADEIRA pressed the pace along the inside into the turn, gained a narrow lead before a half, edged clear in upper stretch then was outfinished in the late stages. PONCHO JAC bobbled a bit at the start, vied for the lead along the rail and had no rally.