

## THISTLE DOWN - June 15, 2026 - Race 4

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED OHIO FOALS THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since May 15 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since April 15 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (S)

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

**Purse:** \$41,500

**Includes:** \$9,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

**Available Money:** \$41,500

**Value of Race:** \$41,500 1st \$24,900, 2nd \$8,300, 3rd \$4,150, 4th \$2,075, 5th \$1,245, 6th \$830

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

**Off at:** 2:25 **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
29May26 <sup>4</sup> BTP <sup>7</sup>	6	Boots Malone (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	119	L bf	5	2	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2.50*	pace,clear,all out
29May26 <sup>4</sup> BTP <sup>5</sup>	4	Empire's Fire (Bracho, Jose)	119	L f	3	4	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3.70	gaining, good effort
25May26 <sup>1</sup> TDN <sup>1</sup>	7	Vdaytothetenacious (Gonzalez, Luis)	123	L	6	1	4 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	2.60	finished well, 3 wide
29May26 <sup>4</sup> BTP <sup>3</sup>	5	Henry Mac (Rivera, Luis)	119	L b	4	3	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	5.60	vied 2w, no kick
29May26 <sup>4</sup> BTP <sup>2</sup>	3	Win Herbie Win (Fernandez, Victor)	120	L	2	5	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Neck</sup>	3.10	pressed early, faded
1Jun26 <sup>6</sup> TDN <sup>1</sup>	1	Scrimper (Tapara, Brandon)	123	L	1	6	6	6	6	6	16.90	trailed

**Fractional Times:** 22.66 45.78 58.06

**Final Time:** 1:10.92 **Time from Gate:** 1:12.25

**Split Times:** (23:12) (12:28) (12:86)

**Run-Up:** 30 feet

**Winner:** Boots Malone, Bay Gelding, by Gormley out of Wakeeta, by Warrior's Reward. Foaled Mar 18, 2022 in Ohio.

**Breeder:** Robert M. Gorham & Mast ThoroughbredsLLC

**Owner:** Mast Thoroughbreds LLC

**Trainer:** Gorham, Robert

**Scratched Horse(s):** Bigpiclittlep (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$42,601

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Boots Malone	7.00	3.60	2.80	\$1.00 Exacta	6-4	12.90	29,548
4	Empire's Fire		3.40	3.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-4-7	19.95	16,954
7	Vdaytothetenacious			2.80	\$0.20 Superfecta	6-4-7-5	20.56	10,822
					\$0.50 Pick 3	6-1-6 (3 correct)	28.05	5,399
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-6	23.30	4,035

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Boots Malone	2	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>
4	Empire's Fire	4	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	2 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
7	Vdaytothetenacious	1	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>
5	Henry Mac	3	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
3	Win Herbie Win	5	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6</sup>
1	Scrimper	6	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>7 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>10</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 6 - Gorham, Robert; 4 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 7 - Puhl, Kim; 5 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 3 - Cline, Robert; 1 - Zielinski, Richard

**Owners:** 6 - Mast Thoroughbreds LLC; 4 -Douglas J. Diemer; 7 -Kim A. Puhl; 5 - Klein, Jr., Samuel, Mark D Kuntz, LLC and Wirthwine, Gerald; 3 - Southeastern Arena LLC; 1 -Ronald Zielinski;

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

BOOTS MALONE away alertly, set a pressured pace three wide down the backstretch, shook clear on the turn, widened in upper stretch under left handed urging and lasted under strong handling. EMPIRE'S FIRE unhurried early, split horses nearing the top of the stretch and was steadily cutting into the winners advantage late. VDAYTOTHETENACIOUS stalked the pace outside rivals and finished with good courage three wide. HENRY MAC vied for the lead two wide and failed to respond. WIN HERBIE WIN pressed the early pace along the inside then faded. SCRIMPER trailed.