

THISTLEDOWN - June 22, 2026 - Race 3

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED OHIO FOALS FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since May 22 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since April 22 Allowed 4 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$12,500 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances). (SNW3 L)

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

Purse: \$38,400

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

[Video Race Replay](#)

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: Cloudy, 66° **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 1:54 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18May26 ⁵ TDN ¹	5	Gray Perfection (Rivera, Luis)	117	L bf	5	1	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2.80	perfect trip, driving
10Dec25 ¹ MVR ¹	3	Grimes Glen (Keiser, Chelsey)	117	L	3	4	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{3 3/4}	7.00	set pressured pace,
24Nov25 ⁵ MVR ⁵	1	Holidays Army Brat (Chavez, Alexander)	119	bf	1	3	3 ²	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{5 3/4}	10.00	stalked pace, evenly
10Oct25 ⁸ TDN ³	4	Vertisalute (Rodriguez, Anthony)	119	L bf	4	2	4	4	4	4	15.00	failed to menace
29May26 ⁸ BTP ⁶	2	Jasper Maximus (Bowen, Rocco)	118	L f	2	5	---	---	---	---	0.40*	lost action, rider strt


Fractional Times: 22.80 47.10 59.84

Final Time: 1:06.54 **Time from Gate:** 1:07.84

Split Times: (24:30) (12:74) (6:70)

Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Gray Perfection, Gray or Roan Filly, by [Creative Cause](#) out of Alpine Echo, by Swiss Yodeler. Foaled Apr 02, 2023 in Ohio.

 **CREATIVE CAUSE** Winner's sire standing at Marjorie Farms

Breeder: Huntertown Farm LLC

Owner: HMDC Racing Stables LLC, Taste of Victory Stables and TBC Racing

Trainer: Rone, Michael

Total WPS Pool: \$27,823

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Gray Perfection	7.60	4.40	\$1.00 Exacta	5-3	18.10	21,802
3	Grimes Glen		6.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-3-1	27.80	14,006
1	Holidays Army Brat			\$0.20 Superfecta	5-3-1-4	26.12	7,875
				\$0.50 Pick 3	8-4-5 (3 correct)	102.35	9,875
				\$1.00 Daily Double	4-5	11.20	5,266

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
5	Gray Perfection	1	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}
3	Grimes Glen	4	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}
1	Holidays Army Brat	3	3 ²	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{5 1/4}
4	Vertisalute	2	4 ⁴	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ¹¹
2	Jasper Maximus	5	---	---	---	---

Trainers: 5 - Rone, Michael; 3 - Wolochuk, David; 1 - Meyers, Shane; 4 - Rettele, Richard; 2 - Hamm, Timothy

Owners: 5 - HMDC Racing Stables LLC, Taste of Victory Stables and TBC Racing; 3 - Emcee Stable LLC; 1 - O. G. Thoroughbreds and Keys to Riches Stable LLC; 4 - RCL Racing Stable; 2 - Blazing Meadows Farm LLC, Ella D Racing Stable, S G M Thoroughbred Racing LLC and Fulks, Craig;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

GRAY PERFECTION pressed the pace two wide into the stretch, made the lead at the furlong marker and edged clear late under confident handling. GRIMES GLEN set a pressured pace inside the winner until mid stretch and finished clear for second. HOLIDAYS ARMY BRAT stalked the pace and went evenly outside. VERTISALUTE failed to menace. JASPER MAXIMUS lost action and unseated her rider a few strides out of the gate. THE STEWARDS POSTED THE INQUIRY SIGN BUT TOOK NO ACTION.