

THISTLEDOWN - August 17, 2026 - Race 7



ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OPTIONAL OR OHIO BRED. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since July 17 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since June 17 Allowed 4 lbs. (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). (NW1 X)
Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Purity - 1:03.02 - September 7, 2022)
Purse: \$28,000
Plus: \$15,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund
Available Money: \$43,000
Value of Race: \$37,000 1st \$23,800, 2nd \$7,600, 3rd \$2,800, 4th \$1,400, 5th \$840, 6th \$280, 7th \$280
Weather: Cloudy, 76° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:01 **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
20Jun26 ⁹ TDN ⁴	2	Mark My Words (Barbaran, Erik)	117	L b	2	5	2 ²	2 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{1 3/4}	1.40*	perfect trip, driving
3Aug26 ⁷ TDN ³	4	Trouble in Motown (Haldar, David)	121	L	4	3	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	2 ^{1 3/4}	1.40	rallied 2w, 2nd best
22Jul26 ² TDN ²	5	Liltontytwo phones (Keiser, Chelsey)	119	L bf	5	2	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{3 1/4}	4.90	stalked4w, evenly
4Aug26 ⁶ TDN ³	3	Saving Heart (Gonzalez, Luis)	119	L b	3	4	5 ^{1/2}	7	5 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	8.80	failed to menace
11Mar26 ² MVR ²	7	More Than Five (Haldar, Humberto)	114	L bf	7	7	7	5 ^{1/2}	6 ²	5 ²	13.30	no factor
3Aug26 ⁷ TDN ⁵	6	Mr. Bogan (Rivera, Luis)	119	L bf	6	1	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	7	6 ⁴	32.80	no threat
20Jul26 ⁸ TDN ⁷	1	Sadie's Silver Kid (Houghton, T.)	121	L b	1	6	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ³	7	21.30	early pace, used up

Fractional Times: 22.78 46.16 58.04 **Final Time:** 1:04.24 **Time from Gate:** 1:05.68
Split Times: (23:38) (11:88) (6:20)
Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Mark My Words, Bay Gelding, by Thousand Words out of Helluva Notion, by Notional. Foaled Mar 10, 2023 in Ohio.
Breeder: Robert M. Gorham
Owner: Marion F. Gorham Revocable Trust
Trainer: Gorham, Robert

Total WPS Pool: \$22,470

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Mark My Words	4.80	2.80	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	2-4	4.40	16,852
4	Trouble in Motown		2.40	2.10	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-4-5	8.70	10,007
5	Liltontytwo phones			3.00	\$0.20 Superfecta	2-4-5-3	6.14	6,429
					\$0.50 Pick 3	4-6-2 (3 correct)	19.10	2,934
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-2	17.90	2,747

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
2	Mark My Words	5	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ²	1 ^{1 3/4}
4	Trouble in Motown	3	3 ³	4 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1 3/4}
5	Liltontytwo phones	2	4 ³	3 ¹	2 ²	3 ^{3 1/2}
3	Saving Heart	4	5 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{4 1/4}	5 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{6 3/4}
7	More Than Five	7	7 ^{5 1/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ⁸	5 ^{7 3/4}
6	Mr. Bogan	1	6 ⁵	6 ⁴	7 ¹⁰	6 ^{9 3/4}
1	Sadie's Silver Kid	6	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{13 3/4}

Trainers: 2 - Gorham, Robert; 4 - Radosevich, Justin; 5 - Vlaun, Manuel; 3 - Puhl, Kim; 7 - Rivera, Nestor; 6 - Radosevich, Justin; 1 - Huepenbecker, Loren

Owners: 2 - Marion F. Gorham Revocable Trust; 4 - Charlie J. Williams LLC; 5 -Manuel Vlaun; 3 -Jack L. Boggs; 7 - Rivera Racing Stables LLC; 6 - Charlie J. Williams LLC; 1 - RCL Racing Stable;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MARK MY WORDS pressed the pace two wide into the turn, made the lead before the quarter pole, shook clear under right then left handed urging and won under strong handling. TROUBLE IN MOTOWN stalked the pace three wide into the stretch, rallied late two wide and finished second best. LILTONTYTWOPHONES stalked the pace four wide and went evenly. SAVING HEART failed to menace. MORE THAN FIVE was no factor. MR. BOGAN was no threat. SADIE'S SILVER KID set a pressured pace along the inside past the five sixteenths pole then was used up.