

THISTLEDOWN - September 16, 2025 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR ACCREDITED 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 August 16 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 16 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000. (SNW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000
Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Purity - 1:03.02 - September 7, 2022)
Purse: \$21,400
Includes: \$3,900 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund
Available Money: \$21,400
Value of Race: \$21,400 1st \$12,840, 2nd \$4,280, 3rd \$2,140, 4th \$1,070, 5th \$428, 6th \$214, 7th \$214, 8th \$214
Weather: Clear, 82° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 12:54 **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
1Sep25 ⁵ TDN ⁴	6	Ghost of Londyn (Batista, Luis)	123	L b	6	3	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/4}	0.80*	perfect trip, driving
25Aug25 ¹ TDN ²	5	Vecchi (Bracho, Jose)	119	L b	5	5	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	3.90	rallied mid track
25Aug25 ¹ TDN ⁴	7	National Story (Chavez, Alexander)	121	L b	7	1	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Neck}	5.40	stalked 4w, evenly
25Aug25 ¹ TDN ⁵	1	Drill's Boy (Martinez, Miguel)	115	L b	1	6	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/4}	26.30	pace upper,outfinished
27Aug25 ² TDN ¹	8	Vernon's Best (Perez, Roberto)	123	L b	8	2	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	33.80	failed to menace
17May24 ² BTP ⁴	3	Jim's River Runner (Tapara, Brandon)	119	L b	3	7	7 ⁵	7 ⁷	7 ^{8 1/2}	6 ^{3/4}	18.60	no factor
25Aug25 ¹ TDN ³	2	Redden (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	119	L b	2	4	2 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	7 ^{12 1/4}	4.60	pressed, weakened late
25Aug25 ¹ TDN ⁸	4	Why Kenny Why (Cedillo, Mauro)	119	L bf	4	8	8	8	8	8	58.50	trailed

Fractional Times: 22.46 46.42 59.43 **Final Time:** 1:06.51
Split Times: (23:96) (13:01) (7:08)
Run-Up: 25 feet

Winner: Ghost of Londyn, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Kiss the Ghost out of Cross Country, by Divine Park. Foaled Mar 14, 2021 in Ohio.
Breeder: Robin L. Murphy
Owner: Jody R. Waite
Trainer: Romero, Jose

Claiming Prices: 6 - Ghost of Londyn: \$16,000; 5 - Vecchi: \$16,000; 7 - National Story: \$16,000; 1 - Drill's Boy: \$16,000; 8 - Vernon's Best: \$16,000; 3 - Jim's River Runner: \$16,000; 2 - Redden: \$16,000; 4 - Why Kenny Why: \$16,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$31,568

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Ghost of Londyn	3.60	2.60	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	6-5	5.60	32,897
5	Vecchi		3.40	2.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-5-7	6.80	21,867
7	National Story			2.60	\$0.20 Superfecta	6-5-7-1	13.00	14,825

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
6	Ghost of Londyn	3	3 ²	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/4}
5	Vecchi	5	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ⁵	5 ^{4 1/4}	2 ^{1 1/4}
7	National Story	1	4 ³	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 3/4}
1	Drill's Boy	6	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	4 ³
8	Vernon's Best	2	6 ⁵	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/4}	5 ^{6 1/4}
3	Jim's River Runner	7	7 ^{7 1/2}	7 ⁹	7 ^{6 3/4}	6 ^{7 3/4}
2	Redden	4	2 ¹	3 ¹	4 ⁴	7 ^{8 1/2}
4	Why Kenny Why	8	8 ^{12 1/2}	8 ¹⁶	8 ^{15 1/4}	8 ^{20 3/4}

Trainers: 6 - Romero, Jose; 5 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 7 - Wolochuk, David; 1 - Romero, Jose; 8 - Urieta, Johanna; 3 - Norris, Stephani; 2 - Cline, Robert; 4 - Casalinova, Tina

Owners: 6 -Jody R. Waite; 5 - Spicer, Richard and Spittler, D. William; 7 - Boots N Bikinis LLC; 1 -Elias Del Val; 8 - Urieta Racing Stable and Quinteros, Delia; 3 -Alicia Avina Cacho; 2 - Cline, Robert C. and Gomez, Marcos; 4 - North Winds Racing Stable, LLC;

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GHOST OF LONDYN stalked the pace three wide, rallied to make the lead in upper stretch and shook clear late under right handed urging. VECCHI allowed to settle, swung out to the middle of the racetrack for the drive, rallied determinedly and finished second best. NATIONAL STORY stalked the pace four wide and went evenly. DRILL'S BOY made the lead soon after the start, set the pace along the inside into the stretch then was outfinished. VERNON'S BEST failed to menace. JIM'S RIVER RUNNER was no factor. REDDEN pressed the pace two wide into the stretch and weakened late. WHY KENNY WHY trailed.