

THISTLEDOWN - September 26, 2025 - Race 7

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred  
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.  
Non-winners Of A Race Since August 26 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 26 Allowed 4 lbs. (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred).  
(NW2 L)

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

Purse: \$28,000

Plus: \$15,000 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$43,000

Value of Race: \$28,000 1st \$17,360, 2nd \$5,600, 3rd \$2,800, 4th \$1,400, 5th \$840

Weather: Clear, 74° Track: Fast

Off at: 3:58 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
13Aug25 <sup>7</sup> TDN <sup>3</sup>	4	Picaro (Chavez, Alexander)	115	L	bf	4	4	4 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	0.90*	prevailed, long drive,
25Aug25 <sup>8</sup> TDN <sup>1</sup>	2	Knicks Gate (Bracho, Jose)	121	L		2	5	5	5	2 <sup>Neck</sup>	2.40	swung wide, fast close
9Sep25 <sup>5</sup> TDN <sup>1</sup>	5	It's Last Call (Fernandez, Victor)	123	L	b	5	2	3 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3.40	contended, willingly
16Aug25 <sup>9</sup> GP <sup>8</sup>	1	El Muchacho Alegre (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	115	L	b	1	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	14.60	pace, held well,
10Sep25 <sup>1</sup> MNR <sup>1</sup>	3	Don Corleone (Diaz, Angel)	123	L	bf	3	1	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	6.80	pressed, weakened,

Fractional Times: 22.35 45.65 58.50

Final Time: 1:11.87

Split Times: (23:30) (12:85) (13:37)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Picaro, Chestnut Ridgling, by Maclean's Music out of Sudden Heat, by Congrats. Foaled May 13, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: J & J Stables

Owner: Rey Juarez-Mendoza

Trainer: Juarez-Mendoza, Rey

Total WPS Pool: \$36,182

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Picaro	3.80	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	4-2	6.30	25,698
2	Knicks Gate		3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-2-5	5.65	17,492
5	It's Last Call			\$0.20 Superfecta	4-2-5-1	5.50	10,710
				\$0.50 Pick 3	4-2-4 (3 correct)	19.70	2,623
				\$1.00 Daily Double	2-4	9.80	2,197

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Picaro	4	4 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>
2	Knicks Gate	5	5 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>
5	It's Last Call	2	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
1	El Muchacho Alegre	3	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
3	Don Corleone	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4 3/4</sup>

Trainers: 4 - Juarez-Mendoza, Rey; 2 - Colebrook, Ben; 5 - Juarez-Mendoza, Rey; 1 - Calderon, Ivan; 3 - Szczepanski, Emily

Owners: 4 -Rey Juarez-Mendoza; 2 - Korea Racing Authority; 5 -Rey Juarez-Mendoza; 1 - Calderon Racing Stable; 3 - McAtee Messenger Bloodstock;

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PICARO was never far back, rallied three wide at the quarter pole, prevailed after a long drive under strong handling. KNICKS GATE was unhurried early and trailed, swung five wide in the stretch, closed fast and was up for place. IT'S LAST CALL had good position throughout and finished willingly. EL MUCHACHO ALEGRE set the pace until the top of the stretch and weakened slightly DON CORLEONE contested the pace until mid stretch and weakened late.