

THISTLEDOWN - September 30, 2026 - Race 2

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR ACCREDITED OHIO FOALS THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE SEPTEMBER 30, 2025. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 30 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since July 30 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000 (Claiming Races For \$10,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility). (SNW2 Y X) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000

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

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 \$642, 6th \$214, 7th \$214

Weather: Cloudy, 71° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:24 **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
10Sep26 ⁶ TDN ⁴	2	Eagle Nest (Barbaran, Erik)	119	L b	2	4	2 ⁸	2 ^{6 1/2}	1 ⁴	1 ^{6 1/4}	2.20	full of run, much best
8Sep26 ³ TDN ⁶	5	Hite (Haldar, David)	119	L f	5	5	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ³	2 ^{1 1/4}	9.50	bmp st,rally5p,2best
10Sep26 ⁶ TDN ⁵	6	Color Bearer (Skerrett, Jefferson)	114	L b	6	1	3 ^{Head}	4 ⁶	4 ³	3 ^{1 1/4}	12.70	improved mid track
8Sep26 ³ TDN ³	7	That's the Way (Rivera, Luis)	121	L b	7	2	6 ⁴	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ⁴	4 ^{2 1/2}	1.90*	passed tiring rivals
2Sep26 ³ TDN ²	1	Merger (Keiser, Chelsey)	119	L	1	6	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ²	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{Nose}	44.60	no impact
11Aug26 ¹ TDN ⁶	4	Mamas Home Cooking (Fernandez, Victor)	120	L b	4	7	7	7	7	6 ¹	15.10	bmp,pinched back start
1Sep26 ⁵ TDN ⁵	3	Run Red Run (Salazar Becerra, Fernando)	119	L b	3	3	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{3 1/2}	7	2.10	bmp st,clear,used up

Fractional Times: 22.14 45.52 58.26 **Final Time:** 1:11.20 **Time from Gate:** 1:12.62

Split Times: (23:38) (12:74) (12:94)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Eagle Nest, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Twinspired out of Without a Sound, by Thunder Gulch. Foaled Apr 24, 2020 in Ohio.

Breeder: Lowell F. Allen

Owner: Authentic Racing LLC

Trainer: Ibarra, Marco

Claiming Prices: 2 - Eagle Nest: \$16,000; 5 - Hite: \$16,000; 6 - Color Bearer: \$16,000; 7 - That's the Way: \$16,000; 1 - Merger: \$16,000; 4 - Mamas Home Cooking: \$16,000; 3 - Run Red Run: \$16,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$38,605

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Eagle Nest	6.40	3.80	2.80	\$1.00 Daily Double	8-2	18.50	6,938
5	Hite		7.00	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	2-5	19.70	32,612
6	Color Bearer			4.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-5-6	49.90	20,797
					\$0.20 Superfecta	2-5-6-7	39.14	14,569

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	Eagle Nest	4	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ⁴	1 ^{6 1/4}
5	Hite	5	4 ^{10 1/2}	3 ^{6 1/2}	3 ^{7 1/2}	2 ^{6 1/4}
6	Color Bearer	1	3 ^{10 1/2}	4 ⁷	4 ^{10 1/2}	3 ^{7 1/2}
7	That's the Way	2	6 ¹⁵	5 ¹³	5 ^{13 1/2}	4 ^{8 3/4}
1	Merger	6	5 ^{11 1/2}	6 ^{16 1/2}	6 ^{17 1/2}	5 ^{11 1/4}
4	Mamas Home Cooking	7	7 ¹⁹	7 ^{18 1/2}	7 ^{17 1/2}	6 ^{11 1/4}
3	Run Red Run	3	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ⁴	7 ^{12 1/4}

Trainers: 2 - Ibarra, Marco; 5 - Vazquez, Ivan; 6 - Skerrett, Jeffrey; 7 - Radosevich, Jeffrey; 1 - Hurley, Mary; 4 - Cline, Robert; 3 - Cline, Robert

Owners: 2 - Authentic Racing LLC; 5 - Espinosa, Juan A. and Garcia, Jairo; 6 -Danielle Agnello; 7 - Annechino Racing LLC; 1 - Val - Mar Stable; 4 - Cline, Robert and Lucas, Robert A.; 3 - Holland, Gary and Rumford, Jim;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

EAGLE NEST chased the pace two wide into the turn, surged to the front in hand just past the quarter pole then responded full of run under mild left handed urging to win as much the best. HITE broke inward bumping MAMAS HOME COOKING at the start, settled with the second flight, had a mild late rally in the five path and finished second best. COLOR BEARER with the second flight two wide, swung wide and improved position late mid track. THAT'S THE WAY passed tiring rivals. MERGER had no impact. MAMAS HOME COOKING was bumped between rivals and pinched back at the start then failed to reach contention. RUN RED RUN broke outward bumping MAMAS HOME COOKING at the start, sprinted to a clear lead quickly, set the pace along the inside past the quarter pole then was used up.