

WOODBINE - August 16, 2026 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$9,000 TWICE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR RESTRICTED ALLOWANCE OR TWO YEAR OLD AND THREE YEAR OLD RESTRICTED STATE BRED/STATE SIRED SWEEPSTAKES OR SALES SWEEPSTAKES OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE FEBRUARY 16, 2025 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 16 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000, if for \$47,500, allowed 2 lbs. (RacesWhere Entered For \$40,000 Or Less Not Considered For Allowances). (NW2 X) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000 - \$47,500

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Who's the Star - 1:40.73 - October 8, 2022)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$128,200

Includes: \$25,600 Other Sources

Includes: \$17,100 State Bred

Plus: \$500 Other Sources

Available Money: \$128,700

Value of Race: \$89,420 (US\$64,442) 1st \$51,300 (US\$36,970) , 2nd \$20,520 (US\$14,788) , 3rd \$9,405 (US\$6,778) , 4th \$5,130 (US\$3,697) , 5th \$2,565 (US\$1,849) , 6th \$500 (US\$360)

Weather: Clear, 25° C **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:47 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Jul26 ¹⁰ WO ⁴	2	Cool Kiss (Civaci, Sahin)	123	L b	2	2	4 ²	4 ² 1/2	5 ²	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	3.30	fanned 7w,led,cleared
4Jul26 ¹⁰ WO ⁵	6	Watsonville Red (Wilson, Emma-Jayne)	123	L bf	6	6	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ²	3 1/2	2 ² 1/2	2 ⁷ 1/4	10.90	4w1/4,bid3/16,no match
12Jul26 ³ WO ⁴	4	Grandson (Contreras, Luis)	123	L b	4	5	6	6	6	5 ³	3 ² 3/4	7.35	swung 4-5w,along show
26Jul26 ⁷ WO ⁶	3	He's Not Joking (Munger, Ryan)	123	L b	3	4	3 ⁴	3 ⁵	1 1/2	3 1/2	4 ⁶ 3/4	3.75	off duel,bid 3/8,duel
28Jun26 ⁸ WO ³	1	Takemetothbeach (Moran, Pietro)	118	L b	1	1	1 1/2	1 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ²	5 ⁶ 1/2	1.35*	duel inside,gave way
4Jul26 ¹⁰ WO ⁶	5	Like the King (Hernandez, Rafael)	123	L	5	3	2 ³	2 ²	4 1/2	6	6	5.90	duel, retreated 3/8

Fractional Times: 23.26 46.74 1:11.77 1:37.29

Final Time: 1:43.86

Time from Gate: 1:45.44

Split Times: (23:48) (25:03) (25:52) (6:57)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Cool Kiss, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Kantharos out of Hot Kiss, by Philanthropist. Foaled Mar 24, 2020 in ON.

Breeder: Phoenix Racing

Owner: Jarnal Billan

Trainer: Mendoza, Edgar

2 Claimed Horse(s): Cool Kiss

Takemetothbeach

New Trainer: Michael Wright, Jr.

New Trainer: Patrick Dixon

New Owner: TEC Racing (Elliott S. Logan)

New Owner: Colebrook Farms

Claiming Prices: 2 - Cool Kiss: \$50,000; 4 - Grandson: \$50,000; 1 - Takemetothbeach: \$50,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$129,113

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Cool Kiss	8.60	4.90	3.40	\$0.20 Pick 3	4-4-2 (3 correct)	58.73	18,371
6	Watsonville Red		9.60	4.50	\$0.20 Superfecta	2-6-4-3	88.58	26,888
4	Grandson			4.20	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-2	33.50	12,133
					\$1.00 Exacta	2-6	32.10	72,664
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	2-4	4.10	512
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	2-6	6.05	0
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	4-6	4.15	0
					\$0.20 Trifecta	2-6-4	27.92	40,480

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Cool Kiss	2	4 ⁷ 1/2	4 ⁷ 1/2	5 ³	1 ^{Head}	1 ²
6	Watsonville Red	6	5 ⁹ 1/2	5 ¹⁰	3 ²	2 ^{Head}	2 ²
4	Grandson	5	6 ¹¹	6 ¹²	6 ⁵	5 ⁵	3 ⁹ 1/4
3	He's Not Joking	4	3 ³ 1/2	3 ² 1/2	1 1/2	3 ² 1/2	4 ¹²
1	Takemetothbeach	1	1 1/2	1 1/2	2 1/2	4 ³	5 ¹⁸ 3/4
5	Like the King	3	2 ¹ 2	2 1/2	4 ² 1/2	6 ⁸	6 ²⁵ 1/4

Trainers: 2 - Mendoza, Edgar; 6 - De Paulo, Michael; 4 - Vassilieva, Katerina; 3 - Carroll, Josie; 1 - Tharrenos, William; 5 - Casse, Mark

Owners: 2 -Jarnal Billan; 6 - Russell, John E. and Russell, Diana L.; 4 - TEC Racing (Elliott S. Logan); 3 - Di Scola Boys Stable; 1 - A. Bianco Holding Limited; 5 - M Racing Group LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

COOL KISS settled in the back half of the field racing just off the rail, was encouraged along at the seven-sixteenths as a rival passed inside, was forced to go wide advancing outside leaving the turn fanning seven wide into upper stretch under a drive, struck the lead past the three-sixteenths, drew clear and held well under steady handling. WATSONVILLE RED was lightly bumped at the start, settled last but one, advanced inside a foe leaving the backstretch, angled out past the three-eighths, came four wide past the quarter pole, made a brief bid at the top of the stretch with a narrow and short-lived lead but was no match for the winner while clearly second best. GRANDSON was in just a hair tight at the start, unhurriedly brought up the rear racing just off the inside, advanced outside a tiring rival on the turn swinging four to five wide into upper stretch, was along for show. HE'S NOT JOKING stalked the leading pair racing under a tight hold up the backstretch, willingly advanced heading to the far turn, bid past the three-eighths taking a narrow lead but having to duel to the top of the stretch, was overtaken by outside foes at that juncture, could not keep pace but ran on. TAKEMETOTHEBEACH set a pressured early pace, dueled inside a new foe on the far turn under urging by the five-sixteenths but gave way in upper stretch. LIKE THE KING bumped a rival lightly at the start, was forwardly-placed forcing the pace from outside, dueled to the far turn then retreated three furlongs out.

