

WOODBINE - September 18, 2025 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since July 18 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000, if for \$23,500, allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$20,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). **Claiming Price:** \$25,000 - \$23,500
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Noholdingback Bear - 1:14.44 - July 1, 2016)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$56,100
Includes: \$8,700 Other Sources
Includes: \$7,900 State Bred
Plus: \$1,000 Other Sources
Available Money: \$57,100

Value of Race: \$53,282 (US\$38,682) 1st \$33,660 (US\$24,437) , 2nd \$7,900 (US\$5,735) , 3rd \$6,171 (US\$4,480) , 4th \$3,366 (US\$2,444) , 5th \$1,185 (US\$860) , 6th \$500 (US\$363) , 7th \$500 (US\$363)

Weather: Clear, 29° C **Track:** Fast
Off at: 7:40 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Aug25 ³ WO ¹	1	Home for a Rest (Fukumoto, Daisuke)	123 L	1	7	5 ^{Head}	7	2 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	3.75	rail run,dart thru1/8
19Jul25 ⁷ WO ⁵	4	Verdejo (Hernandez, Rafael)	123 L b	4	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Nose}	4.15	to lead5/16,no match16
24Aug25 ⁵ WO ⁴	3	Spirit Bear (Nicholls, Keveh)	123 b	3	6	4 ³	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 3/4}	12.60	chase turn,late surge
9Aug25 ⁶ WO ⁴	8	Anam Cara (Vives, Sofia)	123 - -	7	2	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	8.55	circle4W3/8,willingly
1Aug25 ² WO ²	5	Logistics (Civaci, Sahin)	121 L b	5	3	3 ^{Head}	3 ²	6 ^{2 1/2}	5 ³	3.10*	vied3Wturn,flatten out
29Aug25 ² WO ⁵	2	Super Sicily (Adams, Austin)	116 L	2	5	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	6 ^{4 1/4}	4.05	duel ins turn,tired1/8
21Aug25 ⁵ WO ³	7	Wicked Mercury (Forde, Xarel)	116 L b	6	4	7	6 ^{1/2}	7	7	5.45	trail btwn,no factor

Fractional Times: 23.02 45.50 1:10.55 **Final Time:** 1:16.96
Split Times: (22:48) (25:05) (6:41)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Home for a Rest, Bay Filly, by Souper Speedy out of Holidaying, by Harlan's Holiday. Foaled May 03, 2021 in ON.
Breeder: Frank Digiulio Jr.
Owner: Frank D. Di Giulio, Jr.
Trainer: Tiller, Robert

1 Claimed Horse(s): Logistics **New Trainer:** Martin Drexler **New Owner:** Bruno Schickedanz

Claiming Prices: 1 - Home for a Rest: \$25,000; 4 - Verdejo: \$25,000; 3 - Spirit Bear: \$25,000; 8 - Anam Cara: \$25,000; 5 - Logistics: \$23,500; 2 - Super Sicily: \$23,500; 7 - Wicked Mercury: \$23,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Come to Mama (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$81,303

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Home for a Rest	9.50	5.00	3.30	\$0.20 Superfecta	1-4-3-8	115.30	18,929
4	Verdejo		5.40	3.80	\$0.20 Pick 3	3/9-2/4-1 (3 correct)	5.49	21,702
3	Spirit Bear			5.90	\$1.00 Daily Double	2-1	14.85	10,461
					\$1.00 Exacta	1-4	24.80	49,231
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	1-3	12.35	296
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	1-4	6.30	0
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	3-4	55.35	0
					\$0.20 Trifecta	1-4-3	20.21	29,734

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Home for a Rest	7	5 ^{3 1/4}	7 ^{4 3/4}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}
4	Verdejo	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}
3	Spirit Bear	6	4 ^{Neck}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}
8	Anam Cara	2	6 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{2 3/4}	5 ²	4 ^{3 1/4}
5	Logistics	3	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	6 ³	5 ^{4 3/4}
2	Super Sicily	5	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹	6 ^{7 3/4}
7	Wicked Mercury	4	7 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/4}	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ¹²

Trainers: 1 - Tiller, Robert; 4 - MacRae, Donald; 3 - Hall, Philip; 8 - Ritchie, Sarah; 5 - De Paulo, Michael; 2 - Katryan, Abraham; 7 - Adamo, Anthony

Owners: 1 -Frank D. Di Giulio, Jr.; 4 -Randy Exelby; 3 - Woodbine West; 8 -Sarah Ritchie; 5 - Russo, Frank and De Paulo, Michael P.; 2 - Stroud, Murray and Katryan, Abraham R.; 7 - ICON Racing Stables;

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HOME FOR A REST settled into a good rhythm on the fence part of the rear trio in the early going, saved ground through the turn, closed in sharply when urged for run turning for home, darted through having a clear lane inside runners at the furlong pole, seized command with a sixteenth remaining and was drawing away for the win at the finish line. VERDEJO had the three path between foes part of the scramble up front along the backstretch, poked her head in front with five sixteenths still to run, maintained control narrowly three wide in upper stretch, could not fend off the winners charge inside by the sixteenth pole and just had enough left to save for the runners up share at the wire. SPIRIT BEAR was in the mix in the two path in the beginning, took back by the half, was hard ridden chasing after the embattled trio midway on the turn, rallied taking closer order to be in the mix four wide at the top of the stretch and had good late energy surging in the final few strides to almost get up for second money outside at the finish line. ANAM CARA was situated close to the back going three deep outside challengers, picked up the bit improving around horses circling four wide at the three eighths pole, continued to close the gap around the oval, shifted inwards two wide by mid-stretch and finished up willingly to be a fringe player in the end. LOGISTICS argued for the lead travelling four deep on the outside down the backstretch, vied three wide outside two others on the turn, angled to the six path for the drive to the line, could not offer a finishing kick and flattened in the final furlong. SUPER SICILY had a slim lead inside a few rivals down the back straight, fought on stubbornly having the

fence around the bend up top, could not continue on with others at the head of the lane and tired in the two path between horses at the eighth pole. WICKED MERCURY was under a snug hold trailing between horses along the backstretch, had little movement running around the bend, shifted out five wide for the stretch drive, moved to the fence by the eighth pole but never factored in the late running.

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