PENN NATIONAL - July 31, 2025 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE APRIL 30 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 30 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since May 31 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000, if for \$9,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$8,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility in Beaten Condition). (C) Claiming Price: \$10,000 - \$9,000 Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt Current Track Record: (A Letter to Harry - 1:41.20 - September 10, 1978)

Purse: \$18,000

Available Money: \$18,000

Value of Race: \$18,000 1st \$10,800, 2nd \$3,600, 3rd \$1,980, 4th \$1,080, 5th \$540

Weather: Cloudy, 72° Track: Fast (Sealed)

Off at: 8:16 Start: Good for all except 1,2 Timing Method: Electronic

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
11Jul25 ³ PEN ³	4	Curlington (Ramos, Yabriel)	121 L bf	4	5	6	6	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3/4}	2.50	no speed,steady rally
26Jun25 3PEN4	1	Hardy Choice (Cora, David)	123 Lb	1	4	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{5 1/4}	3.30	sttld,led1/8,outfinshd
6Jul25 ⁴ SAR ²	6	Abadin (Rodriguez, Jaime)	121 Lb	5	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	3 ^{3 3/4}	1.40*	dueled, weakened
8Jul25 ¹ PRX ²	2	Thirsty Pappy (Castillo, Angel)	121 L bf	2	3	21 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ³ 1/2	4.70	dueled, outfinished
23Jul25 ⁶ PRX ⁶	7	Run Cory Run (Torres, Bryan)	114 L bf	6	6	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	6	6	5 ¹	14.20	trk cls 3w,wknd 3/8
9Jul25 ⁶ PEN ²	3	Copperhead Creek (Inirio, Maicol)	121 L	3	2	5 ⁴	5 ³	4 ¹	5 ²	6	16.90	trkd2-3w,lacked finish

Fractional Times: 24.23 48.52 1:13.62 1:40.05 **Split Times:**

(24:29) (25:10) (26:43) (6:58)

Run-Up: 70 feet

Winner: Curlington, Chestnut Gelding, by Curlin out of Moment of Majesty, by Saint Liam. Foaled Mar 15, 2017 in Kentucky.

Final Time: 1:46.63

Breeder: Brittlyn, Inc.

Owner: Ultra Championship Racing LLC

Trainer: Perez, Elisha

Voided Claims: Abadin(Vet)

Claiming Prices: 4 - Curlington: \$10,000; 1 - Hardy Choice: \$10,000; 6 - Abadin: \$10,000; 2 - Thirsty Pappy: \$10,000; 7 - Run Cory Run:

\$10,000; 3 - Copperhead Creek: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Sweet Spite (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$25,529

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Curlington	7.00	2.80	2.20	\$0.50 Pick 3	2-3-4 (3 correct)	42.10	2,183
1	Hardy Choice		3.60	2.40	\$1.00 Pick 5	1-1/3/7-2-3-4 (5 correct)	4,634.10	5,793
6	Abadin			2.20	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-4	25.60	2,200
					\$1.00 Exacta	4-1	15.30	10,911
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-1-6-2	10.82	4,412
					\$0.50 Trifects	1-1-6	22.40	6 186

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Curlington	5	6 ^{7 1/2}	6 ⁶	5 ⁴	31 1/2	1 ^{3/4}
1	Hardy Choice	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	$2^{3/4}$
6	Abadin	1	1 ^{Head}	11/2	1 1/2	21/2	3 ⁶
2	Thirsty Pappy	3	2 ^{Head}	21/2	2 ^{1/2}	4 ²	4 ^{9 3/4}
7	Run Cory Run	6	31 1/2	3 ²	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{13 1/4}
3	Copperhead Creek	2	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ³	4 ³	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{14 1/4}

Trainers: 4 - Perez, Elisha; 1 - Kreiser, Timothy; 6 - Ness, Jamie; 2 - Gallimore, Trevor; 7 - Betancourt, Eli; 3 - Stites, Flint

Owners: 4 - Ultra Championship Racing LLC; 1 - Mason Dixon Stable; 6 - Madison Avenue Racing Stable, Inc., Kernan, Jr., Morris E. and Jagger, Inc.; 2 -Candy's Racing Stable; 7 - PCC Stable; 3 - Baywood Farm;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms

CURLINGTON allowed to settle from the break, was devoid of speed through the early stages and raced well behind the rest, responded well when asked to pick up the pace leaving the seven-sixteenths marker, finished up well under steady handling, briefly met some resistance from HARDY CHOICE but edged clear late to prevail. HARDY CHOICE broke inward, made contact with THIRSTY PAPPY but bounced right off that foe, settled inside mid-pack early, moved up into contention late on the backstretch run, then launched a bid leaving the three furlong pole, bid for the lead three-wide at the top of the stretch, made the front with a furlong to go, but could not hold off the winner in the final yards while finishing well clear of the next horse. ABADIN assumed the early lead as the rest took back, got some pressure from THIRSTY PAPPY, and dueled with that rival while slightly clear of the rest down the backstretch and into the far turn, came under heavy pressure from the quarter pole and weakened in upper stretch but kept on to hold third. THIRSTY PAPPY took a bump at the start from HARDY CHOICE, shrugged off the contact, then moved up after the start, dueled with ABADIN from the first turn, gave way, leaving the quarter pole, then kept on but was outfinished in the late stages. RUN CORY RUN went three wide on the first turn, raced close up down the backstretch, then weakened on the far turn. COPPERHEAD CREEK tracked two to three wide to the far turn, then lacked a finish.