

PRAIRIE MEADOWS - August 15, 2025 - Race 7

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR REGISTERED STATE BRED THREE YEAR OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$10,000. (SNW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$10,000
Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Ducky Drake - 1:02.26 - May 27, 2011)
Purse: \$19,170
Includes: \$4,563 IBF - Iowa Bred Fund
Available Money: \$19,170
Value of Race: \$19,170 1st \$11,405, 2nd \$3,802, 3rd \$2,281, 4th \$950, 5th \$432, 6th \$300
Weather: Clear, 88° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 8:35 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
14Jul25 ⁹ PRM ³	4	Better Than Good (Bacon, Tyler)	120	BL	b	4 1	2 ³	1 ^{Head}	2 ⁶	1 ¹	3.50	duel 2pth,gamely
1Aug25 ⁴ PRM ³	1	Hooked On Dreams (Tohill, Ken)	124	BL		1 2	1 ^{Head}	2 ⁵	1 ^{Head}	2 ⁶	0.50*	duel ins,game,denied
1Aug25 ⁴ PRM ⁵	7	Sangria Sky (Pusac, Alberto)	124	BL	b	6 6	6	6	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 3/4}	20.50	in back,4w,gain show
18Jul25 ⁸ PRM ⁷	3	Prized Tap (Martinez, Aram)	124	BL		3 4	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ⁴	4 ^{2 1/2}	39.90	urged 2wd,no threat
19Jul25 ⁶ PRM ⁵	2	Band's Free Spirit (Roman, Kevin)	120	BL	b	2 3	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{15 1/4}	3.60	chased inside,gateway
1Aug25 ⁸ PRM ⁷	6	Cherry Glen (Gonzalez, Elvin)	120	BL	b	5 5	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	6	6	31.00	steadily retreated

Fractional Times: 22.25 45.16 57.70 **Final Time:** 1:04.43
Split Times: (22:91) (12:54) (6:73)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Better Than Good, Bay Gelding, by Stroll out of Empire Strikes, by Smart Strike. Foaled Mar 11, 2022 in Iowa.
Breeder: Sherri Tracy
Owner: Black Oak Farm
Trainer: Tracy, Tanner

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Band's Free Spirit** New Trainer: Lynn Chleborad New Owner: Lynn Chleborad

Claiming Prices: 4 - Better Than Good: \$10,000; 1 - Hooked On Dreams: \$10,000; 7 - Sangria Sky: \$10,000; 3 - Prized Tap: \$10,000; 2 - Band's Free Spirit: \$10,000; 6 - Cherry Glen: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Savoya Return (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$13,078

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Better Than Good	9.00	2.80	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	4-1	12.00	8,005
1	Hooked On Dreams		2.10	2.10	\$2.00 Quinella	1-4	3.40	887
7	Sangria Sky			3.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-1-7	14.95	6,179
					\$0.50 Pick 3	5-4-4 (3 correct)	12.70	2,147
					\$0.50 Pick 4	5-5-4-4 (4 correct)	92.15	4,338
					\$2.00 Daily Double	4-4	11.60	1,033
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-1-7-3	24.63	2,740

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
4	Better Than Good	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹
1	Hooked On Dreams	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹
7	Sangria Sky	6	6 ^{6 1/4}	6 ^{6 3/4}	4 ^{7 1/2}	3 ⁷
3	Prized Tap	4	5 ^{4 3/4}	5 ^{6 3/4}	5 ⁸	4 ^{8 3/4}
2	Band's Free Spirit	3	3 ³	3 ⁵	3 ⁶	5 ^{11 1/4}
6	Cherry Glen	5	4 ^{3 1/4}	4 ^{5 1/4}	6 ¹²	6 ^{26 1/2}

Trainers: 4 - Tracy, Tanner; 1 - McShane, David; 7 - Tibbitts, David; 3 - Covarrubias, Rodrigo; 2 - Birzer, Bonnie; 6 - Birzer, Bonnie

Owners: 4 - Black Oak Farm; 1 - Frazier, Don and McShane, David D.; 7 - Consortium Racing Stable (Dave Tibbitts); 3 -Dora Medrano; 2 - SKM Racing Stable and Spooky Business Stable LLC; 6 - Poindexter Thoroughbreds LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BETTER THAN GOOD vied outside of HOOKED ON DREAMS soon after the start, raced heads apart around the turn and battled on into the lane, dug in gamely under firm handling and edged away late. HOOKED ON DREAMS vied inside of BETTER THAN GOOD while holding a slight edge in early stages, matched strides around the turn and continued to battle into the lane, fought back gamely from the inside and got denied in final stages. SANGRIA SKY was unhurried and raced in the back, swung four wide into the upper stretch and gained show. PRIZED TAP sat off the early pace, hustled along two wide into the upper stretch and improved position without threatening. BAND'S FREE SPIRIT raced off the clear top pair, hustled along the inside around the turn, ran on into the upper stretch then gave way. CHERRY GLEN was not too far back in early stages then steadily retreated.