PENN NATIONAL - February 29, 2024 - Race 5

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred (PLUS UP TO 40% PABF) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$5,000 OR LESS SINCE FEBRUARY 28, 2023 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500. Weight, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since January 29 Allowed 2 lbs. SuchA Race Since December 29 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500 (Races Where Entered For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$12,500 One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Johnny Jump Up - 1:35.64 - October 27, 2017) **Purse:** \$25,000

Plus: \$3,750 PABF - Pennsylvania Bonus Program

Available Money: \$28,750

Value of Race: \$28,750 1st \$18,750, 2nd \$5,000, 3rd \$2,750, 4th \$1,500, 5th \$750 Weather: Clear Track: Fast

Off at: 8:02 Start: Good for all Timer: Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7Feb24 ⁸ PEN ²	9	Keeping It Country (Cora, David)	120 Lb	7	3	6 ^{1/2}	6 ²	5 ¹	2 ⁴	1 ²	1.40*	split1/4,closed,clear
2Feb24 ¹⁰ LRL ⁷	8	Dynamite Karma (Beato, Inoel)	121 Lb	6	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{7 1/4}	5.30	vie,bid2w,clear,caught
12Feb24 ⁹ PRX ⁷	12	Olympic Romp (Gonzalez, Silvestre)	120 Lb	9	5	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 1/4}	4.40	outsde,5w1/4,best resy
5Feb24 ⁶ PRX ⁸	4	We Be There (Gonzalez, Jr., Franklin)	121 Lb	4	9	9	9	7 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{3/4}	14.60	bmp st,wide upr,imprvd
9Feb24 ³ PEN ³	5	Kaz Sweet Heist (Torres, Jomar)	120 L bf	5	8	8 ²	8 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1 1/2}	8 ⁸	5 ^{1 1/4}	9.70	3p,passed tired ones
9Feb24 ³ PEN ⁶	2	Honorable Avenue (Salgado, Anthony)	120 L bf	2	1	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	6 ¹	22.90	vied inside, tired
10Jan24 ⁹ PRX ⁷	11	Ahsad (Ocasio, Luis)	120 Lb	8	4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	7 ^{1 1/4}	6.60	stalked 4 wide, tired
16Feb24 ² PEN ⁸	1	Cajun Occasion (Hernandez, Julio)	120 Lb	1	6	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	6 ¹	7 ¹	8 ^{15 3/4}	14.40	chased inside, tired
19Jan24 ² PEN ⁶	3	Cool Comedian (Rodriguez, Angel)	120 L bf	3	7	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{Head}	9	9	9	17.40	inside, stopped

 Fractional Times:
 24.25
 47.84
 1:12.54
 1:25.46
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 Split Times:
 (23:59)
 (24:70)
 (12:92)
 (12:68)

 Run-Up:
 70 feet
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Final Time: 1:38.14

Winner: Keeping It Country, Bay Gelding, by Freud out of Lemon Drop's Love, by Lemon Drop Kid. Foaled May 14, 2019 in Pennsylvania. Breeder: Blackstone Farm LLC Owner: Bush Racing Stable

Trainer: Kreiser, Timothy

1 Claimed Horse(s): Cajun Occasion

New Trainer: Kimberly A Graci

New Owner: I R Racing Stable

Claiming Prices: 8 - Dynamite Karma: \$12,500; 1 - Cajun Occasion: \$12,500; 3 - Cool Comedian: \$12,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Forloveofcountry (Veterinarian), Goodluckchuck (Stewards), Nick Papagiorgio (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$46 533

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Keeping It Country	4.80	3.60	2.60	\$0.50 Pick 3	9-6/9-9 (3 correct)	19.75	9,727
8	Dynamite Karma		5.40	3.40	\$1.00 Daily Double	9-9	14.50	6,094
12	Olympic Romp			3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	9-8	12.70	49,911
					\$0.10 Superfecta	9-8-12-4	25.27	18,347
					\$0.50 Trifecta	9-8-12	20.60	25,322

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	
9	Keeping It Country	3	6 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/4}	5 ^{5 1/4}	2 ^{3 1/2}	1 ²	
8	Dynamite Karma	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{3 1/2}	2 ²	
12	Olympic Romp	5	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	4 ^{4 3/4}	3 ^{7 1/2}	3 ^{9 1/4}	
4	We Be There	9	9 ^{7 1/4}	9 ^{5 3/4}	7 ^{7 1/4}	5 ⁸	4 ^{11 1/2}	
5	Kaz Sweet Heist	8	8 ^{5 1/4}	8 ^{4 1/4}	8 ^{8 1/4}	8 ^{9 3/4}	5 ^{12 1/4}	
2	Honorable Avenue	1	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	4 ⁸	6 ^{13 1/2}	
11	Ahsad	4	3 ¹	3 ¹	2 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{14 1/2}	
1	Cajun Occasion	6	5 ^{1 3/4}	4 ²	6 ^{6 1/4}	7 ^{8 3/4}	8 ^{15 3/4}	
3	Cool Comedian	7	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ^{4 1/4}	9 ^{9 3/4}	9 ^{17 3/4}	9 ^{31 1/2}	

Trainers: 9 - Kreiser, Timothy; 8 - Moreno-Barban, Leandro; 12 - Padilla, Hugo; 4 - Caban, Carlos; 5 - Synnefias, Dimitrios; 2 - O'Callaghan, Carl; 11 - Kirby, John; 1 - Salvaggio, Mark; 3 - O'Callaghan, Carl

Owners: 9 - Bush Racing Stable; 8 - R.T Racing Stable; 12 - John E. Parker; 4 - The Hakim's Stable LLC; 5 - Peter Kazamias; 2 - Killians Racing Stable; 11 -Daniel L. Joyce, III; 1 - Tribe Dawg, LLC and Kline, Thomas; 3 - Chris Brent;

Footnotes

KEEPING IT COUNTRY was rated along three wide, then split rivals by the quarter pole, came four wide off the turn and closed well to edged away late under a drive. DYNAMITE KARMA vied for the early lead three wide, made a two wide bid on the turn to draw off, then remained clear by the furlong marker but was caught late, clearly second best. OLYMPIC ROMP stalked the pace on the outside, then was chased the pace five wide by the quarter pole and weakened, bested rest. WE BE THERE was bumped at the start, settled back early, came wide into the lane and improved position late. KAZ SWEET HEIST was reserved early, three wide on the turn and passed the tiring rivals. HONORABLE AVENUE vied for the lead on the inside and tired. AHSAD stalked the pace four wide and tired. CAJUN OCCASION chased the early pace on the inside and tired. COOL COMEDIAN was settled on the inside and stopped.



Video Race Replay