THIRD RACE

Hawthorne

JULY 5, 2026

1 MILE 70 YARDS. (1.39[1]) CLAIMING. Purse $13,500 (plus $4,860 IOA – Illinois Registered Owner Award) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS OR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non–winners of a race at a mile or over on the turf since June 5 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $15,000 (Claiming races for $12,500 or less not considered in eligibility and allowances) (Horsemen entering Illinois–bred horses in open claiming races will be asked to declare their claiming price at time of entry). Illinois Bred Claiming Price $22,500. In the event that this race is taken off the turf it will be contested at One Mile and Seventy Yards on the main track. (ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR TURF AT 1 MILE).

Value of Race: $13,095 Winner $8,100; second $2,700; third $1,485; fifth $810. Mutuel Pool $25,597.00 Exacta Pool $8,963.00 Trifecta Pool $3,624.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
21Jun26 [7]Haw[5]	Texas Cyclone	L bf	4	123	1	1	1[hd]	1½	1[hd]	1 4½	1 6½	Baird E T	15000	1.60
21Jun26 [7]Haw[2]	Grand Illusion	L bf	5	123	3	2	2[3]	2 3½	2[5]	2[4]	2 6½	Bendezu A	15000	0.90
31May26 [3]CD[6]	Stefan's Title	L	3	118	5	3	4[hd]	4[hd]	5	5	3[2]	Felix J E	15000	3.20
31May26 [3]Haw[3]	License to Steal	L b	5	116	4	5	3½	3[1]	3[2]	3[hd]	4 9½	Aranguren J[7]	15000	0.00
3Jun26 [4]Ind[9]	Mohtafil	L b	6	123	2	4	5	5	4½	4 1½	5	Hernandez O K	15000	14.80

OFF AT 2:23 Start Good For All But LICENSE TO STEAL. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME : 24[2], :47[1], 1:12, 1:38[4], 1:43[1] (:24.40, :47.23, 1:12.09, 1:38.93, 1:43.28)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

2 – TEXAS CYCLONE	**5.20**	**2.80**	**2.10**
5 – GRAND ILLUSION		**2.40**	**2.10**
7 – STEFAN'S TITLE			**2.10**

$1 EXACTA 2–5 PAID $5.40 50 CENT TRIFECTA 2–5–7 PAID $4.15

Dk. b or br. c, (May), by Vekoma – Sweet Temper, by Stormy Atlantic. Trainer Haran John. Bred by Sandra Sexton & Silver Fern Farm (Ky).

TEXAS CYCLONE took a short lead heading into the first turn, handled outer pressure while under nice rating through the backstretch and final turn, responded and went clear along the inner rail soon into the stretch, opened up under a drive past mid stretch and was kept busy to the wire. GRAND ILLUSION latched onto the winner into the first turn, pressed two wide from the outside for six furlongs, failed to match strides under a drive into the lane, pursued on the left lead through the final furlong and continued willingly to be well clear for second. STEFAN'S TITLE, between foes leaving the seven eighths, raced outside a foe past the five eighths, shifted three wide nearing the lane and got past faders. LICENSE TO STEAL, a bit fidgety in the gate, reared up at the break, was used four wide into and around the first turn, chased the leaders to the lane and faded. MOHTAFIL saved ground and gave way through the drive. Following a stewards' inquiry, it was determined that LICENSE TO STEAL did not get a fair start and was declared a non-starter.

Owners– 1, A Buck LLC and Haran Thoroughbreds LLC; 2, Quinonez Maximino; 3, Munster Sean Hernandez Jairo and Cristel Mark J; 4, Ismael Thoroughbreds LLC; 5, Eggleston Keli

Trainers– 1, Haran John; 2, Quinonez Maximino; 3, Cristel Mark J; 4, Rodriguez Eduardo; 5, Cook Brian

Scratched– Money Agent (21Jun26 [7]Haw[6]), Towering Storm (31May26 [7]Haw[4])

50 CENT Pick Three (4–3–2) Paid $17.65; Pick Three Pool $2,749.
$1 Daily Double (3–2) Paid $8.10; Daily Double Pool $1,605.
$1 Consolation Daily Double (3–6) Paid $1.90.