**THIRD RACE**

# Thistledown

**6 FURLONGS. ( 1.08[2] ) CLAIMING . Purse $17,400 ( includes $3,900 OTF – Ohio Thoroughbred Fund ) FOR REGISTERED OHIO FOALS THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE OCTOBER 28. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Claiming Price $7,500.**

**APRIL 28, 2026**

**Value of Race: $17,400 Winner $10,788; second $3,480; third $1,740; fourth $870; fifth $522. Mutuel Pool $22,336.00 Exacta Pool $16,563.00 Trifecta Pool $11,596.00 Superfecta Pool $6,383.00**

| Last Raced | Horse | M/Eqt. | A. | Wt | PP | St | ¼ | ½ | Str | Fin | Jockey | Cl'g Pr | Odds $1 |
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| 10Apr26 [3]MVR[2] | Derby Included | L b | 9 | 123 | 3 | 5 | 3½ | 3hd | 1hd | 1nk | Fernandez V R | 7500 | 1.40 |
| 10Apr26 [5]MVR[2] | Gapper | L f | 5 | 123 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 41 | 2hd | 2¾ | Diaz A I | 7500 | 0.80 |
| 3Apr26 [5]MVR[5] | Rumble Strip Ron | L b | 7 | 123 | 4 | 2 | 2 1½ | 1hd | 3½ | 3 1½ | Cedillo M | 7500 | 4.40 |
| 20Apr26 [8]Tdn[8] | Gottomakeithappen | L | 5 | 123 | 5 | 1 | 1½ | 2hd | 43 | 4hd | Rodriguez A | 7500 | 27.50 |
| 10Apr26 [3]MVR[5] | Mucho Primo | L | 8 | 123 | 1 | 3 | 4½ | 5 | 5 | 5 | Haldar D J | 7500 | 16.50 |

**OFF AT 1:54 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.**

**TIME :23[4], :48[1], 1:00[4], 1:13[1] ( :23.90, :48.32, 1:00.80, 1:13.26 )**

## $2 Mutuel Prices:

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| **3 – DERBY INCLUDED** | **4.80** | **2.20** | **—** |
| **2 – GAPPER** | | **2.10** | **—** |
| **4 – RUMBLE STRIP RON** | | **—** | **—** |

**$1 EXACTA 3–2 PAID $3.20 50 CENT TRIFECTA 3–2–4 PAID $3.45 20 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–2–4–5 PAID $5.04**

**Dk. b or br. g, (May), by Include – Derby Day Storm , by Habayeb . Trainer Cline Robert C. Bred by Bryan A Metz ( Ohio).**

DERBY INCLUDED stalked the early pace, rallied three wide through the turn to gain a narrow lead past the three sixteenths marker and proved best in a stretch long drive under left then right handed urging. GAPPER with the second flight three wide, drew on near even terms for the lead four wide past the quarter pole, matched strides with the winner the balance of the trip and finished second best. RUMBLE STRIP RON pressed the pace along the inside into the turn, gained a slight lead briefly nearing the quarter pole, battled with the top pair until deep stretch then weakened. GOTTOMAKEITHAPPEN set a pressured pace two wide to the quarter pole, kept on past the furlong marker then weakened. MUCHO PRIMO with the second flight inside, swung outside in upper stretch and lacked the needed response.

**Owners–** 1, Metz Bryan; 2, Eder Justine; 3, Syd Racing LLC; 4, Syd Racing LLC; 5, Urieta's Racing Stable and Romero Juan

**Trainers–** 1, Cline Robert C; 2, Eder Justine; 3, Johnson Gary L; 4, Johnson Gary L; 5, Urieta Johanna

**50 CENT Pick Three (4–5–3) Paid $6.35 ; Pick Three Pool $7,182 .**
**$1 Daily Double (5–3) Paid $4.40 ; Daily Double Pool $2,534 .**