SECOND RACE

Thistledown

JULY 6, 2026

6 FURLONGS. (1.08[2]) ALLOWANCE . Purse $29,700 (plus $15,000 OTF – Ohio Thoroughbred Fund) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OPTIONAL OR OHIO BRED. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race Since June 6 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since May 6 Allowed 4 lbs. (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred).

Value of Race: $40,200 Winner $24,820; second $7,940; third $4,470; fourth $1,485; fifth $891; sixth $297; seventh $297. Mutuel Pool $26,848.00 Exacta Pool $21,576.00 Trifecta Pool $11,685.00 Superfecta Pool $7,460.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
15Jun26 ^{4}Tdn^{1}	Boots Malone	L bf	4	123	3	6	1½	1½	1^{2}	1^{2}	Salazar Becerra F	0.50
15Jun26 ^{4}Tdn^{3}	Vdaytothetenacious	L	5	121	4	1	2^{1}	2^{2}	2 1½	2^{1}	Gonzalez L A	2.50
1Jun26 ^{3}Tdn^{2}	Bold Buckeye	L b	6	120	5	4	5^{1}	3½	3 1½	3 2¼	Bracho J A	16.20
1Jun26 ^{3}Tdn^{4}	Excitement	L bf	6	119	2	5	4^{hd}	4^{1}	4^{4}	4 6¼	Bowen R	17.60
20May26 ^{8}Tdn^{3}	Don't Stop	L bf	5	119	6	3	3^{1}	5^{1}	5^{hd}	5½	Batista L A	28.30
1Jun26 ^{3}Tdn^{3}	Dream On Baby	b	6	121	7	2	6^{hd}	6^{3}	6^{5}	6 7¼	Simpson J	8.10
22Apr26 ^{4}Tdn^{1}	Bigpiclittlepic	L b	4	119	1	7	7	7	7	7	Feliciano R	23.20

OFF AT 1:36 Start Good. Won driving. Track muddy (Sealed).

TIME :22[2], :45[2], :58, 1:11[1] (:22.40, :45.56, :58.10, 1:11.20)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 – BOOTS MALONE	**3.00**	**2.10**	**2.10**
4 – VDAYTOTHETENACIOUS		**2.60**	**2.40**
5 – BOLD BUCKEYE			**3.40**

$1 EXACTA 3–4 PAID $2.80 50 CENT TRIFECTA 3–4–5 PAID $4.35 20 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–4–5–2 PAID $5.64

B. g, (Mar), by Gormley – Wakeeta , by Warrior's Reward . Trainer Gorham Robert M. Bred by Robert M Gorham & Mast Thoroughbreds LLC (Ohio).

BOOTS MALONE set a pressured inside rivals into the stretch, shook clear before the furlong marker and prevailed under left handed urging. VDAYTOTHETENACIOUS pressured the winner two wide into the stretch and finished second best. BOLD BUCKEYE always within striking distance, finished evenly outside rivals. EXCITEMENT was hustled along, raced three wide down the backstretch, dropped inside on the turn then lacked the needed response. DON'T STOP chased the pace three wide down the backstretch and weakened in the turn. DREAM ON BABY was restless in the gate then had no impact. BIGPICLITTLEPIC was through early.

Owners– 1, Mast Thoroughbreds LLC; 2, Puhl Kim A; 3, Poole Joseph M; 4, Blazing Meadows Farm LLC and America's Thoroughbred Investors; 5, Galloway Khadeem; 6, Joyita Racing Stable LLC; 7, Sugar John J

Trainers– 1, Gorham Robert M; 2, Puhl Kim; 3, Poole Joe M; 4, Hamm Timothy; 5, Galloway Khadeem; 6, Gonzalez Ricardo; 7, Poole Joe M

Scratched– Playing for Keeps (16Jun26 ^{7}Tdn^{1})

$1 Daily Double (4–3) Paid $7.10 ; Daily Double Pool $5,905 .