## **NINTH RACE Mahoning Valley**

**OCTOBER 25, 2025** 

11/8 MILES. (1.52) BEST OF OHIO DISTAFF S. Purse \$100,000 FOR FILLIES AND MARES, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Registered Ohio Breds. \$50 to nominate. \$350 to enter and \$650 to start. Purse to be divided: 60% to the winner; 20% to second; 10% to third; 5% to fourth; 3% to fifth; 2% to sixth. Weights: Three-Year-Olds 123 lbs.; Older 126 lbs. Starters to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. At scratch time the field will be limited to fourteen (14) horses. Preference determined by money earned. Eligible horses racing at least once in Ohio during 2025 credited with 2024 and 2025 earnings. Non-starters in Ohio during 2025 credited with 2025 earnings only. Trophy presented to the winning owner.

Value of Race: \$100,000 Winner \$60,000; second \$20,000; third \$10,000; fourth \$5,000; fifth \$3,000; sixth \$2,000. \$56,987.00 Exacta Pool \$45,431.00 Superfecta Pool \$27,964.00 Trifecta Pool \$36,569.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/E	qt. A	. Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	0 dds \$1
20ct25 5 Tdn2	Praise N Glory		f 3	123	2	2	$2\frac{1}{2}$	41	51 <u>1</u>	4hd	1nk	Keiser C	27.20
20ct25 5 Tdn1	Minestress		4	126	1	1	11/2	3hd	3hd	3hd	2 <u>3</u>	Rivera L R	2.30
4Sep25 7Tdn3	Candlelight Hours		f 6	126	6	4	41	2hd	$2\frac{1}{2}$	211	31 <u>1</u>	Houghton T D	2.20
23Sep25 7Ind4	Here's the Spider		4	126	3	6	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$5\frac{1}{2}$	<b>4</b> hd	$5\frac{1}{2}$	43/4	Villarreal 0	5.00
19Sep25 8BtP4	Countess Colette		b 4	126	4	3	$5\frac{1}{2}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	61	51 <u>‡</u>	Haldar D J	22.40
20ct25 5 Tdn3	She's Crafty		b 8	126	7	7	8	8	$73\frac{1}{2}$	712	6nk	Tole do J S	24.50
20ct25 3Tdn2	My Girl Kew		b 4	126	5	5	3hd	11	11	1hd	723 <u>3</u>	Loveberry J	3.00
19Sep25 8BtP1	Green Lady		b 4	126	8	8	61	711	8	8	8	McKee J	10.30

OFF AT 5:01 Start Good For All ButHERE'S THE SPIDER, COUNTESS

COLETTE, MY GIRL KEW, GREEN LADY. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME: 25,:502, 1:151, 1:411, 1:542 (:25.02,:50.55, 1:15.27, 1:41.22, 1:54.55)

2-PRAISE N GLORY..... 56.40 22.20 9.00

\$2 Mutuel Prices: 1-MINESTRESS.... 4.40 3.20

2.80

6-CANDLELIGHT HOURS...

\$2 EXACTA 2-1 PAID \$297.40 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 2-1-6-3 PAID \$146.12 50 CENT TRIFECTA 2-1-6 PAID \$277.40

B. f, (May), by Dynamic Racer - Catchthe Waves, by Pacific Waves. Trainer Vazquez Ivan. Bred by John Graver (Ohio).

PRAISE N GLORY came away from the gate in good order and took up a staking position just to the outside of MI NESTRESS. was content to hold position down the backstretch, then was sent along approaching the three-furlong pole as the pace picked up, loomed three-wide at the top of the stretch, was idling in upperstretch then responded to right handed urging in the last furlong, and edged ahead in the final yards. MINESTRESS had good speed from the break with the rider taking a firm hold, slowed the pace to a crawl through the first tun, then ceded the front to MY GIRL KEW heading down the backstretch, was still being held up approaching the far turn, then let loose near the seven-sixteenths marker, was stuck behind horses late on the far turn, tipped out to the three path in the stretch for clear run, finished up well but got headed at the wire. CANDLELIGHT HOURS got caught three wide on the first turn, tracked close up four-wide to the far turn, moved up to second heading into the turn, got a head in front turning for home, but was outfinished in the final yards. HERE'S THE SPIDER away a bit awkwardly then taken back after the start, moved over to the rail, rated at the back of the pack, advanced down the backstretch to be up close as the field went into the far turn, then was stuck behind horses in the stretch but unable to quicken once clear, COUNTESS COLETTE got bumped by MY GIRLKEW at the start, settled in mid-pack through the early stages, bid five-wide into the lane but was outkicked. SHE'S CRAFTY unhurried from the start, wentthree-wide into the first turn, settled at the rear through the first half, started a forward move approaching the three-furlong pole but was outsprinted in the late stages. MY GIRL KEW broke in and bumped COUNTESS COLETTE, then got put in tight before passing the finish line the first time, checked hard, nearly clipping heels, pulled forward to gain the lead coming out of the clubhouse turn, went a little over a length clear, kept the lead as the pace quickened into the far turn, fought back against a host of challengers in the stretch, then gave way grudingly in the final furlong. GREENLADY veered out at the start, then went three wide through the first turn, settled near the back, then dropped off the pace approaching the threefurlong pole and was uninvolved in the late stages. THERE WAS A STEWARDS INQUIRY INTO THE START. AFTER A REVIEW NO ACTION WAS TAKEN. This race had a timing discrepancy or malfunction and was re-timed using video technology to arrive at the most accurate time.

Owners-1, Graver Sharon A; 2, Thomson Ramona H; 3, Elkhorn Oaks Inc; 4, Executive Management LLC; 5, HMD C Racing Stables LLC; 6, Poe Racing Stable LLC and 8 and 3 Racing LLC: 7, Butler William J: 8, Maccabee Farm LLC

Trainers - 1, Vazquez Ivan; 2, Radosevich Jeffrey A; 3, Jackson James R; 4, Orantes Yoni R; 5, Fadlovich Megan; 6, Guciardo Robert; 7, Maker Michael J; 8, Drury Thomas Jr

> 50 CENT Pick Three (7-4-2) Paid \$54.45; Pick Three Pool \$4,426. \$2 Daily Double (4-2) Paid \$119.20; Daily Double Pool \$1,462.