

SECOND RACE Thistledown

AUGUST 8, 2026

6 FURLONGS. (1.08²) BEST OF OHIO CLEVELAND KINDERGARTEN S. Purse \$100,000 **FOR TWO-YEARS-OLD REGISTERED OHIO FOALS (WHICH REFLECTS \$35,000 FROM THE OHIO THOROUGHBRED FUND).** Foaled in the State of Ohio as per requirements set forth by the Ohio State Racing Commission. Nomination fee of \$50. \$350 to enter with an additional \$650 to start, with a purse of \$100,000, of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% to sixth. Weights: 118 lbs. Fillies: 115 lbs. Nominations Close Wednesday, July 29th, 2026. Starters to be named through the entry box on Saturday, August 1st, 2026. A Trophy will be presented to the Winning Owner, Trainer, and Jockey. This Stake will not be split. In the event more than fourteen (14) horses pass the entry box at the time of closing of entries, preference will be given to those horses having accumulated the highest earnings as published by Equibase. Fees to be refunded to excluded horses.

Value of Race: \$100,000 **Winner** \$60,000; **second** \$20,000; **third** \$10,000; **fourth** \$5,000; **fifth** \$3,000; **sixth** \$2,000. **Mutuel Pool** \$47,467.00 **Exacta Pool** \$21,432.00 **Trifecta Pool** \$13,423.00 **Superfecta Pool** \$8,350.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
17Jly26 5BtP1	Book Value	b	2	118	6	1	1 ^{hd} 12	11 ¹ / ₂	11	Barbaran E	0.20
20Jly26 3Tdn1	Breakheart Pass		2	118	4	4	31 ¹ / ₂ 34 ¹ / ₂	2 ⁶	211 ³ / ₄	Gonzalez S	2.40
17Jly26 5BtP3	Skedazzle		2	120	3	3	5 ¹ / ₂ 6	3 ^{hd}	33 ³ / ₄	Fernandez V R	29.70
22Jly26 3Tdn2	Snitch	b	2	118	1	6	6 5 ¹ / ₂	6	42	Salazar Becerra F	43.50
7Jly26 3Tdn4	Southern Dawn		2	118	2	2	22 2 ^{hd}	41 ¹ / ₂	5 ³ / ₄	Rivera L R	47.20
22Jly26 3Tdn1	Empire Vybz	bf	2	118	5	5	44 41	52 ¹ / ₂	6	Innis J J	21.70

OFF AT 12:49 Start Good For All But EMPIRE VYBZ. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :22⁴, :47, :59⁴, 1:12³ (:22.92, :47.18, :59.96, 1:12.74)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

8 – BOOK VALUE	2.40	2.10	2.10
5 – BREAKHEART PASS		2.20	2.10
4 – SKEDAZZLE			2.80

\$1 EXACTA 8-5 PAID \$1.70 50 CENT TRIFECTA 8-5-4

PAID \$2.15 20 CENT SUPERFECTA 8-5-4-1 PAID \$3.20

B. g, (Mar), by Mandaloun – Wall Street Lady , by Speightstown . Trainer Gorham Robert M. Bred by Robert Gorham (Ohio).

BOOK VALUE dueled for the lead two wide down the backstretch, shook clear late on the turn, drifted out to the five path entering the stretch, set the balance of the pace while continuing to drifted out under left then right handed urging and proved best under strong handling. BREAKHEART PASS was bumped hard at the start, raced three wide through the turn, drifted out to the six path entering the stretch, moved closer outside the winner, steadied and angled inside that one late and finished well clear for second. SKEDAZZLE well back, passed tiring rivals in upper stretch. SNITCH failed to menace. SOUTHERN DAWN battled with the winner along the inside into the turn then was through after a half mile. EMPIRE VYBZ veered inward bumping hard with BREAKHEART PASS at the start causing his rider to lose his balance for a few strides and lose his right iron then had brief speed outside. THE RIDER OF BREAKHEART PASS LODGED A CLAIM OF FOUL AGAINST THE RIDER OF THE WINNER FOR ALLEGED INTERFERENCE IN THE STRETCH. AFTER REVIEW THE STEWARDS UPHELD THE ORIGINAL ORDER OF FINISH.

Owners– 1, Marion F Gorham Revocable Trust; 2, Weaver Paula K; 3, Marion F Gorham Revocable Trust; 4, Mast Thoroughbreds LLC and Hillburn Racing Stable LLC; 5, Elkhorn Oaks Inc; 6, DaCosta Jason

Trainers– 1, Gorham Robert M; 2, Cline Robert C; 3, Gorham Robert M; 4, Gorham Robert M; 5, Jackson James R; 6, DaCosta Jason

Scratched– Battle Ready (17Jul26 5BtP2) , Flashy Idol (22Jul26 3Tdn6)

\$1 Daily Double (3–8) Paid \$6.10 ; Daily Double Pool \$6,575 .