

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - August 28, 2026 - Race 10

STAKES Charles Town Oaks Grade 2 - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD.

Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Good Lord - 1:22.68 - June 30, 2012)

Purse: \$750,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$750,000

Value of Race: \$750,000 1st \$449,748, 2nd \$149,916, 3rd \$74,958, 4th \$37,479, 5th \$22,487, 6th \$14,992, 7th \$140, 8th \$140, 9th \$140

Weather: Cloudy, 80° Track: Fast

Off at: 10:15 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
20Jul26 ⁷ PID ²	3	Niche (Davis, Dylan)	117	--	3	2	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	14.00	pace, determinedly
25Jul26 ³ CT ¹	9	At a Premium (Barbosa, Jeiron) 	119	--	9	5	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁴	2 ^{1 1/2}	0.70*	stalked, willingly
13Jun26 ¹¹ DEL ⁶	2	Tahlequah (Gaffalione, Tyler)	117	b	2	4	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ⁵	3 ^{4 3/4}	27.90	4wd bid, stayed on
10Jul26 ⁹ SAR ⁷	1	Tessellate (Lopez, Paco)	119	--	1	3	3 ¹	3 ³	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/4}	10.50	fwd, 3wd bid, empty
13Jun26 ¹¹ DEL ¹	5	Luv Your Neighbor (Saez, Luis)	122	b	5	7	7 ²	7 ⁴	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	2.20	never in contention
16Jul26 ⁷ EVD ¹	7	Little Miss Curlin (Loveberry, Jareth)	119	--	7	8	8 ¹	9	8 ²	6 ³	13.40	brushed early,outpaced
11Jul26 ⁶ CNL ¹	4	Irish Jig (Leon, Sonny)	119	--	4	1	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{2 1/4}	31.20	urged 3/8, no response
1Aug26 ³ CNL ¹	8	Now Or Nevermore (Murrill, Mitchell) 	117	b	8	9	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{3 1/4}	23.60	forward between, tired
22Jul26 ³ CNL ¹	6	Pearl of Pearl (Peltroche, Fredy) 	120	f	6	6	9	8 ^{Head}	9	9	124.40	inside, no factor

Fractional Times: 23.20 46.77 1:11.25 Final Time: 1:25.36 Time from Gate: 1:26.09

Split Times: (23:57) (24:48) (14:11)

Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: Niche, Bay Filly, by [Yaupon](#) out of Stormbeforethecalm, by Quiet American. Foaled Apr 23, 2023 in Florida.

 Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: Summerfield Sales Agency, Inc. & EtaripStables

Owner: Red White and Blue Racing LLC

Trainer: Atras, Rob

Total WPS Pool: \$360,184

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Niche	30.00	8.60	6.40	\$1.00 Pick 3	8-2-3 (3 correct)	312.50	48,521
9	At a Premium		2.40	2.20	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-3	118.20	41,474
2	Tahlequah			8.80	\$1.00 Exacta	3-9	36.00	212,086
					\$1.00 Superfecta	3-9-2-1	1,552.90	77,202
					\$1.00 Trifecta	3-9-2	393.30	107,080

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Niche	2	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}
9	At a Premium	5	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
2	Tahlequah	4	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁵	4 ⁶	3 ²
1	Tessellate	3	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{6 3/4}
5	Luv Your Neighbor	7	7 ⁶	7 ⁶	5 ¹¹	5 ¹³
7	Little Miss Curlin	8	8 ⁸	9 ^{10 1/4}	8 ^{15 1/2}	6 ¹⁴
4	Irish Jig	1	5 ⁵	6 ^{5 1/2}	7 ¹⁴	7 ¹⁷
8	Now Or Nevermore	9	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁵	6 ^{12 1/2}	8 ^{19 1/4}
6	Pearl of Pearl	6	9 ⁹	8 ¹⁰	9 ^{17 1/2}	9 ^{22 1/2}

Trainers: 3 - Atras, Rob; 9 - Walters, David; 2 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 1 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 5 - Stidham, Michael; 7 - Devereux, Jr., Patrick; 4 - Deiter, Kelly; 8 - Banks, Chris; 6 - Gur, Battulga

Owners: 3 - Red White and Blue Racing LLC; 9 - Daniel, Jill and Miller, Michael J.; 2 - Mathis Stable LLC, Braverman, Paul, Pinch, Timothy, Shining Stables LLC, Turf Express Racing, Inc. and BAG Racing Stables LLC; 1 - Magic Cap Stables, Braverman, Paul, Pinch, Timothy, Castle Gate Farm LLC, BAG Racing Stables, Reinhardt, Jonathan and Thoroughbred Acquisition Group LLC; 5 - Lael Stables; 7 - Coteau Grove Farms LLC; 4 - Denelsbeck, Cathy and Deiter, Kelly Lynn; 8 - Banks, Chris and Larner, Kyle; 6 - Summit Ray Thoroughbreds LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

NICHE broke sharply, gained the advantage from the outset, was challenged on the far turn, dug in gamely under steady pressure and fended off AT A PREMIUM. The latter broke well, raced in striking position while four wide, advanced to stalk just past the five-eighths marker, stayed on willingly but could not get to the top one. TAHLEQUAH settled well, lodged an inside bid around the far turn, moved four wide into the stretch and kept on well thereafter. TESSELLATE raced forwardly along the inside, was outpaced on the far turn, angled three wide for the stretch run and came up empty. LUV YOUR NEIGHBOR lacked the pace to keep up with the vanguard and never reached contention. LITTLE MISS CURLIN brushed early by NOW OR NEVERMORE was outpaced and proved no factor. IRISH JIG chased just off the inside rail, was urged on the far turn and offered little response. NOW OR NEVERMORE was forwardly placed between rivals and weakened. PEARL OF PEARL saved ground and failed to threaten.

 Denotes OBS Graduate

 Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred