

ALBUQUERQUE - August 30, 2026 - Race 9

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED NEW MEXICO BRED MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 120 lbs. Race Will Be Run Lasix Free. (S)

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Yulla Yulla - 1:01.68 - September 23, 2000)

Purse: \$20,800

Includes: \$3,000 NMHBA - New Mexico Horse Breeders Assoc.

Available Money: \$20,800

Value of Race: \$20,800 1st \$12,064, 2nd \$4,160, 3rd \$2,080, 4th \$832, 5th \$624, 6th \$208, 7th \$208, 8th \$208, 9th \$208, 10th \$104, 11th \$104

Weather: Cloudy, 91° Track: Fast

Off at: 4:53 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Video Review

Video Race Replay

| Last Raced                           | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey)                     | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4                | 3/8                | Str                | Fin                 | Odds  | Comments               |
|--------------------------------------|-----|-----------------------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------|------------------------|
| ---                                  | 1   | Junior Battle (Ramos, Christian)        | 124 | b   | 1  | 6     | 1 <sup>Head</sup>  | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 1 <sup>1 1/4</sup>  | 6.70  | inched away late, game |
| 2Aug26 <sup>9</sup> ALB <sup>5</sup> | 3   | Runaway Q (Sigala, Alfredo)             | 125 | b   | 3  | 4     | 2 <sup>Head</sup>  | 2 <sup>Head</sup>  | 2 <sup>1</sup>     | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>    | 6.80  | couldn't match strides |
| 2Aug26 <sup>9</sup> ALB <sup>3</sup> | 2   | Never Surrender (Valenzuela, Luis)      | 120 | b   | 2  | 5     | 3 <sup>2 1/2</sup> | 3 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 4 <sup>2</sup>     | 3 <sup>1 1/4</sup>  | 5.40  | came again inside      |
| 2Aug26 <sup>9</sup> ALB <sup>2</sup> | 11  | Catchthecat (Guerra, Rodolfo)           | 120 | b   | 11 | 3     | 7 <sup>1</sup>     | 4 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 3 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 4 <sup>3 3/4</sup>  | 3.00* | loomed a threat, hung  |
| 2Aug26 <sup>9</sup> ALB <sup>4</sup> | 7   | Stylish Cat (Juarez, Jr., Alfredo)      | 121 | -   | 7  | 8     | 8 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 6 <sup>Head</sup>  | 5 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 5 <sup>2</sup>      | 5.00  | inside bid, no rally   |
| ---                                  | 5   | Love Makes a Mark (Andrade, Jr., Oscar) | 120 | h   | 5  | 7     | 5 <sup>Head</sup>  | 7 <sup>1</sup>     | 6 <sup>1</sup>     | 6 <sup>1/2</sup>    | 7.20  | stalked, thru early    |
| ---                                  | 8   | C'Mon Bren (Gomez, Enrique)             | 120 | b   | 8  | 9     | 9 <sup>Head</sup>  | 10 <sup>2</sup>    | 8 <sup>1</sup>     | 7 <sup>6 1/4</sup>  | 20.00 | even effort, outrun    |
| ---                                  | 6   | Day Ruler (Perez, Miguel)               | 120 | b   | 6  | 2     | 4 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 5 <sup>2 1/2</sup> | 7 <sup>2 1/2</sup> | 8 <sup>Neck</sup>   | 31.80 | no stretch response    |
| ---                                  | 4   | Angel's Mark (Medellin, Erick)          | 120 | b   | 4  | 10    | 10 <sup>1/2</sup>  | 9 <sup>Head</sup>  | 9 <sup>3</sup>     | 9 <sup>6 3/4</sup>  | 46.10 | broke slowly, crowded  |
| 2Aug26 <sup>9</sup> ALB <sup>9</sup> | 9   | Mountain Runaway (Medellin, Alejandro)  | 124 | b   | 9  | 1     | 6 <sup>Head</sup>  | 8 <sup>2</sup>     | 10 <sup>2</sup>    | 10 <sup>5 3/4</sup> | 21.20 | close early, stopped   |
| ---                                  | 10  | Guy (Amparan, Francisco)                | 120 | b   | 10 | 11    | 11                 | 11                 | 11                 | 11                  | 6.00  | broke slowly, trailed  |

Fractional Times: N/A    N/A    N/A

Final Time: 1:04.20    Time from Gate: 1:05.12

Run-Up: 25 feet

**Winner:** Junior Battle, Bay Gelding, by Sway Away out of Naughty Nightie, by Red Giant. Foaled Jan 08, 2024 in New Mexico.

**Breeder:** The Quarter Company LLC

**Owner:** Amestoy, Leslie A., Amestoy, Jr., Pierre Jean and Beasley, Roger K.

**Trainer:** Crawford, Clinton

**Scratched Horse(s):** D J Hussar (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$12,295

| Pgm | Horse           | Win   | Place | Show | Wager Type        | Winning Numbers              | Payoff   | Pool  |
|-----|-----------------|-------|-------|------|-------------------|------------------------------|----------|-------|
| 1   | Junior Battle   | 15.40 | 7.40  | 4.40 | \$1.00 Exacta     | 1-3                          | 71.10    | 6,764 |
| 3   | Runaway Q       |       | 9.40  | 5.40 | \$0.50 Trifecta   | 1-3-2                        | 194.20   | 4,253 |
| 2   | Never Surrender |       |       | 3.60 | \$1.00 Superfecta | 1-3-2-11                     | 7,122.90 | 1,900 |
|     |                 |       |       |      | \$0.50 Pick 4     | 10-1/4/5/7-1/2-1 (4 correct) | 44.60    | 417   |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name        | Start | 1/4                 | 3/8                  | Str                | Fin                  |
|-----|-------------------|-------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1   | Junior Battle     | 6     | 1 <sup>Head</sup>   | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>     | 1 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 1 <sup>1 1/4</sup>   |
| 3   | Runaway Q         | 4     | 2 <sup>Head</sup>   | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>     | 2 <sup>1/2</sup>   | 2 <sup>1 1/4</sup>   |
| 2   | Never Surrender   | 5     | 3 <sup>Head</sup>   | 3 <sup>1/2</sup>     | 4 <sup>2</sup>     | 3 <sup>1 3/4</sup>   |
| 11  | Catchthecat       | 3     | 7 <sup>3 1/2</sup>  | 4 <sup>2</sup>       | 3 <sup>1 1/2</sup> | 4 <sup>3</sup>       |
| 7   | Stylish Cat       | 8     | 8 <sup>4 1/2</sup>  | 6 <sup>5</sup>       | 5 <sup>4</sup>     | 5 <sup>7 3/4</sup>   |
| 5   | Love Makes a Mark | 7     | 5 <sup>3 1/4</sup>  | 7 <sup>5 1/4</sup>   | 6 <sup>5 1/2</sup> | 6 <sup>9 3/4</sup>   |
| 8   | C'Mon Bren        | 9     | 9 <sup>6</sup>      | 10 <sup>8 1/4</sup>  | 8 <sup>9</sup>     | 7 <sup>10 1/4</sup>  |
| 6   | Day Ruler         | 2     | 4 <sup>2 3/4</sup>  | 5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>   | 7 <sup>6 1/2</sup> | 8 <sup>16 1/2</sup>  |
| 4   | Angel's Mark      | 10    | 10 <sup>6</sup>     | 9 <sup>8 1/4</sup>   | 9 <sup>10</sup>    | 9 <sup>16 3/4</sup>  |
| 9   | Mountain Runaway  | 1     | 6 <sup>3 1/4</sup>  | 8 <sup>6 1/4</sup>   | 10 <sup>13</sup>   | 10 <sup>23 1/2</sup> |
| 10  | Guy               | 11    | 11 <sup>6 1/2</sup> | 11 <sup>10 1/4</sup> | 11 <sup>15</sup>   | 11 <sup>29 1/4</sup> |

**Trainers:** 1 - Crawford, Clinton; 3 - Quiroz, Filiberto; 2 - Crawford, Clinton; 11 - Buechler, Simon; 7 - Buechler, Simon; 5 - Marr, Joel; 8 - Armstrong, Sherry; 6 - Green, Greg; 4 - Green, Greg; 9 - Sedillo, Tony; 10 - Amparan, Alberto

**Owners:** 1 - Amestoy, Leslie A., Amestoy, Jr., Pierre Jean and Beasley, Roger K.; 3 -Filiberto Quiroz; 2 - Abraham, Mike and Amestoy, Leslie A. and Amestoy, Jr., Pierre Jean; 11 - Asmussenequine.com, Thornton, Gerald O. and Latimer, Frances; 7 - Asmussenequine.com, Thornton, Gerald O. and Latimer, Frances; 5 -Sammy L. Stevens; 8 -Morgan Cox; 6 - S and G Racing; 4 - Cut 10 Racing, LLC; 9 -Mike G. Parker; 10 - Nichols, Larry and Denise;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

JUNIOR BATTLE set a pressured pace, inched away late and held while fully extended. RUNAWAY Q came out at the start, raced three across to the turn, vied to late stretch, couldn't match strides with the winner and held for place. NEVER SURRENDER vied between horses, dropped back on the turn, came again inside and earned show in a good effort. CATCHTHECAT lagged early, raced outside, rallied into the turn to loom a threat, dropped back entering the stretch, went evenly late and lost position. STYLISH CAT brushed at the start, dropped inside, bid along the rail on the turn and lacked a rally. LOVE MAKES A MARK stalked the pace, was through early and dropped back. C'MON BREN was outrun in an even effort. DAY RULER brushed at the start, stalked the pace and lacked a stretch response. ANGEL'S MARK was off a step slowly and crowded at the start and was not a factor. MOUNTAIN RUNAWAY raced in close early, stopped into the turn and dropped back. GUY broke slowly, trailed the field and showed little. This race had a timing discrepancy or malfunction, and it was re-timed using video technology to obtain the most accurate final time available. Internal fractions have been removed and are not available.