

AQUEDUCT - February 28, 2026 - Race 1

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD FOALED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY. Weight, 122 lbs. (S)

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Kelly Kip - 1:07.54 - April 10, 1999)

Purse: \$75,000

Available Money: \$75,000

Value of Race: \$75,000 1st \$41,250, 2nd \$15,000, 3rd \$9,000, 4th \$4,500, 5th \$3,000, 6th \$750, 7th \$750, 8th \$750

Weather: Clear, 47° **Track:** Good

Off at: 12:42 **Start:** Good for all except 3,4,6 **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
16Jul25 ⁵ SAR ⁶	2	Illmatic (Rodriguez, Jaime)	122	L	2	2	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ⁶	1 ⁶	9.28	2p turn, strong urging
4Feb26 ⁸ AQU ²	5	Bounty Banker (Gutierrez, Reylyu)	122	L	5	4	4 ²	4 ⁴	3 ²	2 ^{5 1/4}	0.90*	3p turn, 4p1/4, clear 2nd
---	4	Judge Boushay (Cancel, Eric)	122	L	4	7	6 ^{1/2}	7 ⁶	5 ¹	3 ^{Head}	21.34	off slow, 2-3path turn
11Feb26 ⁷ AQU ³	8	Lord King (Gomez, Oscar)	122	L b	8	3	2 ¹	2 ³	2 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	24.77	out, 5-4p turn, 3p, wknd
---	6	Sfumato (Lezcano, Jose)	122	L	6	8	7 ^{2 1/2}	6 ¹	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{Nose}	3.99	slow into stride, 3-4p
3Jan26 ⁴ AQU ⁷	1	Central Spirit (Elliott, Christopher)	122	L	1	1	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	6 ¹	25.79	ins turn, 2p1/4, empty
---	7	Bargain Purchase (Franco, Manuel)	122	L	7	5	5 ²	5 ^{1/2}	7 ⁶	7 ⁵	10.32	3-2p turn, to rail 3/16
4Jul25 ⁶ SAR ³	3	Nowucme Nowudont (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	122	L b	3	6	8	8	8	8	5.28	off bit slow, ins-3p, 5p

Fractional Times: 22.13 45.51 57.72

Final Time: 1:10.68

Split Times: (23:38) (12:21) (12:96)

Run-Up: 54 feet

Winner: Illmatic, Bay Colt, by [Honest Mischief](#) out of Woodflower, by Woodman. Foaled Apr 05, 2023 in New York.



Winner's sire standing at Sequel New York

Breeder: Sequel Stallions New York LLC

Owner: Adelphi Racing Club and LJSS Thoroughbreds

Trainer: Clement, Miguel

Total WPS Pool: \$229,839

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Illmatic	20.56	6.74	4.10	\$1.00 Exacta	2-5	25.12	146,318
5	Bounty Banker		2.72	2.26	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-5-4	91.28	63,585
4	Judge Boushay			6.98	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-5-4-8	122.42	35,812

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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2	Illmatic	2	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ⁶	1 ⁶
5	Bounty Banker	4	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ⁷	3 ⁸	2 ⁶
4	Judge Boushay	7	6 ^{10 1/2}	7 ^{12 1/2}	5 ^{13 1/2}	3 ^{11 1/4}
8	Lord King	3	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁶	4 ^{11 1/4}
6	Sfumato	8	7 ¹¹	6 ^{11 1/2}	6 ^{14 1/2}	5 ^{13 3/4}
1	Central Spirit	1	3 ²	3 ^{4 1/2}	4 ¹⁰	6 ¹⁴
7	Bargain Purchase	5	5 ^{8 1/2}	5 ¹¹	7 ^{14 1/2}	7 ¹⁵
3	Nowucme Nowudont	6	8 ^{13 1/2}	8 ^{18 1/2}	8 ^{20 1/2}	8 ²⁰

Trainers: 2 - Clement, Miguel; 5 - Barrow, Paul; 4 - Brown, Chad; 8 - Jones, Eduardo; 6 - Mott, William; 1 - Terranova II, John; 7 - Brown, Chad; 3 - Maker, Michael

Owners: 2 - Adelphi Racing Club and LJSS Thoroughbreds; 5 - Linda J. Reading; 4 - Dubb, Michael, Lawrence, William H., The Elkstone Group, LLC (Stuart Grant) and Kisber, Michael E.; 8 - Colon, Peter and Oh Happy Days Stable; 6 - Dream Maker Racing; 1 - Gatsas Stables and Schoenfeld, Steven; 7 - Klaravich Stables, Inc.; 3 - Paradise Farms Corp., Staudacher, David and Resolute Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ILLMATIC was hustled to the front then showed the way, dictated terms in the two path on the turn, easily pulled away from LORD KING into the stretch then was roused and drew off under strong urging. BOUNTY BANKER was hustled from the gate then urged along near the middle of the field, rounded the turn in the three path, was driven into the stretch in the four path and willingly earned the place while no match for the winner. JUDGE BOUSHAY was off slow and spotted the front several lengths, raced well back under urging, went around the turn in the two then three path, moved out in the stretch and just got up for the show. LORD KING stalked the pace on the far outside, dropped from the five path to the four path early on the turn, chased the winner on that bend, moved to the three path into upper stretch and weakened then just lost the show. SFUMATO was slow into stride and spotted the front several lengths, raced towards the rear under urging, traveled around the turn in the three then four path and was no factor. CENTRAL SPIRIT was away alertly from the inside post, showed speed then raced just off the pace, chased inside on the turn, spun off the inside at the quarter pole and came up empty. BARGAIN PURCHASE was ridden along off the pace, dropped from the three path to the two path early on the turn, turned into upper stretch under the crop then dropped to the rail and lacked the needed response. NOWUCME NOWUDONT broke a bit slow then bobbed slightly, spotted the front a few lengths, was urged along at the rear, raced inside for most of the turn then shifted to the three path, turned into the stretch in the five path then moved further out and failed to threaten.

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