

**BELMONT AT THE BIG A - June 18, 2026 - Race 2**

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

OUTER TURF (UP TO \$14,790 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 123 lbs. (Non-Starters For A Claiming Price Of \$55,000 Or Less In The Last 5 Starts Preferred). (Rail at 12 feet).

**Distance:** Five And One Half Furlongs On The Outer turf **Current Track Record:** (Through the Years (IRE) - 1:02.62 - May 14, 2026)

**Purse:** \$85,000

**Available Money:** \$85,000


**Value of Race:** \$85,000 1st \$46,750, 2nd \$17,000, 3rd \$10,200, 4th \$5,100, 5th \$3,400, 6th \$638, 7th \$638, 8th \$638, 9th \$636

**Weather:** Clear, 80° **Track:** Firm

**Off at:** 1:44 **Start:** Good for all except 1 **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	9	Arctic Wolf (Santana, Jr., Ricardo) 	123	--	9	2	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2.32*	out,3p,lead5/16,respnd
---	4	River of Deceit (Alvarado, Junior)	123	--	4	5	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	3.41	2-3p,pause1/4,5p,bid
---	7	Berta's Stitch (Davis, Dylan)	123	--	7	6	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	12.92	2p turn,moved out1/8
---	6	Zodiac Warrior (Carmouche, Kendrick)	123	--	6	7	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	4.36	tkn up aftr brk,2p trn
---	2	Fire Marshal (Prat, Flavien)	123	b	2	3	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3.71	ins-3p turn,chsds,wknd
---	1	Johnny Hockey (Rodriguez, Jaime)	123	b	1	9	9	9	9	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	15.85	off slow,ducked in,ins
---	5	Bet On Zion (Silvera, Ruben)	123	b	5	8	8 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	41.55	taken up after brk,3p
15May26 <sup>1</sup> BAQ <sup>6</sup>	8	Medieval (Zayas, Edgard)	123	b	8	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>4</sup>	8 <sup>Neck</sup>	13.49	inside turn,faded
---	3	Nodin (Rivera, Dalila)	123	--	3	4	7 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>Head</sup>	9	23.16	inside turn,no threat

**Fractional Times:** 21.32 44.62 56.71

**Final Time:** 1:03.02 **Time from Gate:** 1:06.75

**Split Times:** (23:30) (12:09) (6:31)

**Run-Up:** 110 feet **Temporary Rail:** 12 feet

**Winner:** Arctic Wolf, Gray or Roan Colt, by Frosted out of Firewolves, by Practical Joke. Foaled Mar 19, 2024 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Flying B Ranch Thoroughbreds

**Owner:** Dew Sweepers

**Trainer:** Antonacci, Philip

**Total WPS Pool:** \$185,641

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Arctic Wolf	6.64	3.62	2.94	\$1.00 Daily Double	5-9	8.41	67,933
4	River of Deceit		3.86	4.00	\$1.00 Exacta	9-4	16.04	173,107
7	Berta's Stitch			7.42	\$1.00 Quinella	4-9	7.61	8,617
					\$0.10 Superfecta	9-4-7-6	53.68	35,260
					\$0.50 Trifecta	9-4-7	55.49	64,097

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
9	Arctic Wolf	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>
4	River of Deceit	5	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>
7	Berta's Stitch	6	6 <sup>10</sup>	6 <sup>8</sup>	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/4</sup>
6	Zodiac Warrior	7	5 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>6 1/2</sup>
2	Fire Marshal	3	3 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>10 1/2</sup>
1	Johnny Hockey	9	9 <sup>17</sup>	9 <sup>15</sup>	9 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>13</sup>
5	Bet On Zion	8	8 <sup>14 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>12</sup>	7 <sup>13 1/2</sup>
8	Medieval	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>8</sup>	8 <sup>18</sup>
3	Nodin	4	7 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>18 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 9 - Antonacci, Philip; 4 - Morley, Thomas; 7 - Terranova II, John; 6 - Ryerson, James; 2 - Maker, Michael; 1 - Arriaga, Antonio; 5 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 8 - Green, Amelia; 3 - Barrera III, Oscar

**Owners:** 9 - Dew Sweepers; 4 - Titledown Racing Stables; 7 - Sabby Racing; 6 - DiRico Racing and Breeding LLC; 2 - Three Diamonds Farm; 1 - Next Level Stables; 5 - Rodriguez, Rudy R., Imperio, Michael and Irving, Courtney; 8 - Arindel; 3 - Nova Stables;

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

ARCTIC WOLF chased the leader on the outside, made a bid leaving the backstretch, took the lead in the three path outside the five-sixteenths pole, inched away at the quarter-pole then was put to a drive in upper stretch, came under a right-handed crop outside the furlong marker, switched to a left-handed crop under attack from the winner outside the sixteenth-pole and turned back that foe to prevail under strong urging. RIVER OF DECEIT settled on the outside, was urged along in the two then three path on the turn, paused off the heels of FIRE MARSHALL when that foe came out outside the quarter-pole, swung out to the five path while roused into the stretch, rallied to make a bid at the furlong marker, loomed a threat into the final sixteenth but was turned away and settled for the place. BERTA'S STITCH was urged along on the outside, traveled around the turn in the two path, turned into upper stretch under a drive, moved out into the final furlong and finished willingly for the show. ZODIAC WARRIOR broke towards the rear then was taken up after the start, spotted the front several lengths, moved in while urged along in the middle of the field, saved ground on the turn, spun into the stretch in the two path and lacked the needed kick. FIRE MARSHAL was well placed in third position, chased inside to the two path for most of the turn then shifted to the three path, pursued the leader under a drive into the final furlong and weakened. JOHNNY HOCKEY broke awkwardly and was off slow then ducked in, spotted the front many lengths, saved ground on the turn and was no factor. BET ON ZION broke last but one then was taken up after the start, spotted the front several lengths, dropped well off the pace under urging, went around the turn in the three path and failed to rally. MEDIEVAL moved in while going to the front, was urged along inside of the winner while along the rail on the turn, lost the advantage to that foe outside the five-sixteenths pole, dropped back into upper stretch and tired. NODIN dropped well back while ridden along, saved ground on the turn and failed to threaten.

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