

BELMONT AT THE BIG A - September 18, 2025 - Race 3

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD FOALD IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (Non-Starters For A Claiming Price of \$40,000 or Less In The Last 3 Starts, or Starters who have finished 2nd or 3rd for \$40,000 or more in Last 3 Starts Preferred). (S)
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Kelly Kip - 1:07.54 - April 10, 1999)

Purse: \$80,000
Available Money: \$80,000
Value of Race: \$80,000 1st \$44,000, 2nd \$16,000, 3rd \$9,600, 4th \$4,800, 5th \$3,200, 6th \$800, 7th \$800, 8th \$800
Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 2:18 **Start:** Good for all except 1,2,3 **Timing Method:** Electronic



| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|--|-----|---------------------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 25Jul25 ¹ SAR ⁵ | 5 | Sunshine Lily (Carmouche, Kendrick) | 121 | L b | 5 | 3 | 3 ^{Head} | 1 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{4 1/2} | 1 ^{Nose} | 5.15 | 7-8w uppr, got the nod |
| --- | 3 | Red Velvet Cake (Velazquez, John) | 121 | L | 3 | 2 | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ⁷ | 1.38* | hit gate st, lost bob |
| 16May25 ⁴ BAQ ⁵ | 8 | Patience N Grace (Davis, Katie) | 121 | L b | 8 | 1 | 5 ³ | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ⁴ | 3 ^{2 1/4} | 4.46 | 8-9w uppr, wknd late |
| 18Jul25 ⁵ SAR ⁷ | 4 | Bodegas (Prat, Flavien) | 121 | L b | 4 | 5 | 6 ^{3 1/2} | 6 ³ | 4 ¹ | 4 ⁴ | 13.64 | chased 2-3w, weakened |
| 24Aug25 ¹ SAR ¹¹ | 1 | Katie King (Elliott, Christopher) | 121 | L | 1 | 8 | 7 ^{1/2} | 7 ^{1/2} | 7 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ⁴ | 5.98 | stumbled badly start |
| --- | 6 | Sugar Ride (Brown, Dalton) | 124 | -- | 6 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 6 ^{4 1/4} | 28.42 | chased 4-5w, no impact |
| --- | 7 | Brokealltherules (Franco, Manuel) | 121 | -- | 7 | 6 | 4 ^{1/2} | 5 ⁵ | 6 ^{1/2} | 7 ^{1 1/4} | 9.16 | chased 2p, tired |
| 21Aug25 ¹⁰ SAR ⁹ | 2 | Giuliana's Dream (Castellano, Javier) | 121 | L f | 2 | 4 | 1 ¹ | 4 ^{1/2} | 5 ^{Head} | 8 | 11.10 | bumped st, faltered |

Fractional Times: 21.99 45.16 57.49 **Final Time:** 1:10.63
Split Times: (23:17) (12:33) (13:14)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Sunshine Lily, Chestnut Filly, by [Vekoma](#) out of Silken Lily, by Grand Slam. Foaled Apr 19, 2022 in New York.

VEKOMA Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift
Breeder: Kaz Hill Farm
Owner: William Grainger
Trainer: DiPrima, Gregory

| Total WPS Pool: \$148,465 | | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|---------------------------|------------------|-------|-------|------|---------------------|-------------------|--------|---------|
| Pgm | Horse | | | | | | | |
| 5 | Sunshine Lily | 12.30 | 5.42 | 3.20 | \$1.00 Pick 3 | 2-7-5 (3 correct) | 118.16 | 48,344 |
| 3 | Red Velvet Cake | | 2.76 | 2.26 | \$1.00 Daily Double | 7-5 | 15.92 | 40,510 |
| 8 | Patience N Grace | | | 3.08 | \$1.00 Exacta | 5-3 | 19.52 | 129,188 |
| | | | | | \$0.10 Superfecta | 5-3-8-4 | 34.26 | 34,490 |
| | | | | | \$0.50 Trifecta | 5-3-8 | 29.56 | 51,918 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin |
|-----|------------------|-------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 5 | Sunshine Lily | 3 | 3 ^{2 1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ^{Nose} |
| 3 | Red Velvet Cake | 2 | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ^{Nose} |
| 8 | Patience N Grace | 1 | 5 ³ | 3 ² | 3 ^{4 1/2} | 3 ⁷ |
| 4 | Bodegas | 5 | 6 ⁶ | 6 ⁹ | 4 ^{8 1/2} | 4 ^{9 1/4} |
| 1 | Katie King | 8 | 7 ^{9 1/2} | 7 ¹² | 7 ^{10 1/4} | 5 ^{13 1/4} |
| 6 | Sugar Ride | 7 | 8 ¹⁰ | 8 ^{12 1/2} | 8 ^{11 3/4} | 6 ^{17 1/4} |
| 7 | Brokealltherules | 6 | 4 ^{2 1/2} | 5 ⁴ | 6 ^{9 3/4} | 7 ^{21 1/2} |
| 2 | Giuliana's Dream | 4 | 1 ¹ | 4 ^{3 1/2} | 5 ^{9 1/2} | 8 ^{22 3/4} |

Trainers: 5 - DiPrima, Gregory; 3 - Giddings, Melanie; 8 - Bond, H. James; 4 - Bond, H. James; 1 - Sacco, Gregory; 6 - Doyle, James; 7 - Dutrow, Jr., Richard; 2 - Englehart, Jeffrey
Owners: 5 -William Grainger; 3 - Caperlane Farm; 8 - Blackout Racing Stables; 4 - Bond Racing Stable; 1 -Michael Fazio; 6 -James G. Doyle; 7 - The Elkstone Group LLC (Stuart Grant); 2 - Englehart, Jeffrey S. and Final Turn Racing Stable, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)
SUNSHINE LILY coaxed from the gate, chased five paths off the inside down the backstretch before tucking four then three wide through the turn coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, took brief command at that station and swung seven to eight wide into upper stretch and was headed for the front straightened away for home, dug in under a drive dueling through the stretch to the finish and got the nod on the wire. RED VELVET CAKE struck the near side stall at the start when getting away awkward, raced four paths off the inside down the backstretch in closest aim of the leader, tucked three then two wide and took over command when placed to urging with five-sixteenths to go, got headed swinging six wide into upper stretch, took back the front straightened away, dug in dueling through the stretch to the finish, came out a path or two to look her main danger in the eye, then lost the bob on the line. PATIENCE N GRACE chased six paths off the inside down the backstretch and then four wide through the turn coming under encouragement near the quarter pole, went eight to nine wide into upper stretch, weakened in the late stages. BODEGAS two to three wide in pursuit, came under coaxing three furlongs out, angled five wide into upper stretch, weakened in the drive. KATIE KING stumbled badly at the start and recovered outwards bumping GIULIANA'S DREAM, chased along the inside under a ride from the three-eighths marker, took the inside route into upper stretch and made no impact. SUGAR RIDE coaxed from the gate, chased four to five wide under urging from the three-eighths pole, went seven to eight wide into upper stretch and made no impact. BROKEALLTHERULES coaxed from the start, chased just off the inside under urging from the seven-sixteenths, spun three wide into upper stretch, tired. GIULIANA'S DREAM got bumped at the start by KATIE KING, who recovered inwards from a stumble, showed the way in hand along the inside, yielded the front with five-sixteenths to run, spun just off the inside into upper stretch and faltered in the drive.

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