

BELMONT AT THE BIG A - September 19, 2025 - Race 1

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD FOALED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY. Weight, 119 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (1.5% Aftercare Assessment Due At Time Of Claim Otherwise Claim Will Be Void). (S) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Baby Yoda - 1:13.86 - June 13, 2025)
Purse: \$48,000
Available Money: \$48,000
Value of Race: \$48,000 1st \$26,400, 2nd \$9,600, 3rd \$5,760, 4th \$2,880, 5th \$1,920, 6th \$720, 7th \$720
Weather: Clear, 84° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 1:12 **Start:** Good for all except 1,3,4 **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
21Aug25 ² SAR ²	4	St. Brigid's Cross (Castellano, Javier)	119	- -	4	4	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ ¹ 1/2	¹ ² 1/2	1.82*	bobble, bumped start
16Aug25 ² SAR ⁴	5	Pinky Brier (Silvera, Ruben)	119	b	5	3	³	² ² 1/2	² ⁴	² ² 1/4	4.80	3w upper, ran on
7Aug25 ⁶ SAR ⁴	2	Baseball Lady (Camacho, Samy)	119	b	2	1	² 1/2	³ ⁵	³ ¹⁵	³ ¹⁵ 1/4	2.14	4w upper, best of rest
---	6	Spirit Forward (Elliott, Christopher)	119	- -	6	7	⁷	⁶ ²	⁵ ² 1/2	⁴ 1/2	36.13	5-6w uppr, pass tired
28Aug25 ¹ SAR ⁵	1	Back to Khali (Davis, Dylan)	119	f	1	5	⁴ ¹ 1/2	⁴ 1/2	⁴ ³	⁵ ¹⁰	7.01	hit gate st, tired
---	7	Megowan Street (Velazquez, John)	119	b	7	6	⁶ ⁷	⁵ ⁶	⁶ ¹⁰	⁶ ¹³ 1/4	4.60	5-4w upper, tired
---	3	Essence of Faith (Hernandez Moreno, Omar)	119	b	3	2	⁵ 1/2	⁷	⁷	⁷	61.73	bumped st, faltered

Fractional Times: 22.11 45.85 1:11.22 **Final Time:** 1:18.08
Split Times: (23:74) (25:37) (6:86)
Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: St. Brigid's Cross, Bay Filly, by Leinster out of My Sunday Best, by Flatter. Foaled Mar 13, 2023 in New York.
Breeder: Amy E. Dunne & Ciaran G. Dunne
Owner: Amy E. Dunne
Trainer: Weaver, George

Claiming Prices: 4 - St. Brigid's Cross: \$50,000; 5 - Pinky Brier: \$50,000; 2 - Baseball Lady: \$50,000; 6 - Spirit Forward: \$50,000; 1 - Back to Khali: \$50,000; 7 - Megowan Street: \$50,000; 3 - Essence of Faith: \$50,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$145,986

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payout	Pool
4	St. Brigid's Cross	5.64	3.50	2.26	\$1.00 Exacta	4-5	12.85	104,814
5	Pinky Brier		5.00	2.86	\$0.10 Superfecta	4-5-2-6	22.22	43,641
2	Baseball Lady			2.16	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-5-2	14.34	56,494

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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4	St. Brigid's Cross	4	¹ Head	¹ Head	¹ ¹ 1/2	¹ ² 1/2
5	Pinky Brier	3	³ 1/2	² Head	² ¹ 1/2	² ² 1/2
2	Baseball Lady	1	² Head	³ ² 1/2	³ ⁵ 1/2	³ ⁴ 3/4
6	Spirit Forward	7	⁷ ¹² 1/2	⁶ ¹⁴	⁵ ²³ 1/2	⁴ ²⁰
1	Back to Khali	5	⁴ ³ 1/2	⁴ ⁷ 1/2	⁴ ²⁰ 1/2	⁵ ²⁰ 1/2
7	Megowan Street	6	⁶ ⁵ 1/2	⁵ ⁸	⁶ ²⁶	⁶ ³⁰ 1/2
3	Essence of Faith	2	⁵ ⁵	⁷ ¹⁶	⁷ ³⁶	⁷ ⁴³ 3/4

Trainers: 4 - Weaver, George; 5 - Maker, Michael; 2 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 6 - Schettino, Domenick; 1 - Englehart, Chris; 7 - Weaver, George; 3 - Schettino, Domenick
Owners: 4 -Amy E. Dunne; 5 - Pura Vida Investments LLC; 2 -Gary Davidson; 6 - Pinnacle Farms Racing LLC; 1 - Wachtel Stable; 7 -Leonard Fusco; 3 - Weaver, Ann M. and Shed Row Racing Stable;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ST. BRIGID'S CROSS bobbled and was bumped at the start by ESSENCE OF FAITH due to pressure from BASEBALL LADY, vied from the three path early on with a pair of rivals before emerging with sole command, tucked to the two path and then near the inside through the turn coming under coaxing nearing the quarter pole, went just off the inside into upper stretch, edged away under a drive kept to task. PINKY BRIER broke out at the start carrying out a pair of rivals a path before being corrected, vied from the four path with a pair of foes to her inside briefly and then pressed the pace of the aforementioned foe three then two wide through the turn under encouragement from the three-eighths marker, spun three wide into upper stretch, ran on to chase the winner home. BASEBALL LADY broke out at the start bumping ESSENCE OF FAITH into ST. BRIGID'S CROSS, vied from the two path briefly before chasing just off the inside and then along the inside under prolonged coaxing from the half mile pole, angled four wide at the head of the stretch, was along well clear and best of the rest. SPIRIT FORWARD got carried out a path at the start by PINKY BRIER and in turn carried out MEGOWAN STREET, chased four to five paths off the inside down the backstretch and then just off the inside through the turn, went five to six wide into upper stretch and passed tired rivals. BACK TO KHALI struck the off side stall at the start, chased along the inside under a ride from the seven-sixteenths, cornered just off the inside into upper stretch, tired. MEGOWAN STREET got carried out a path at the start by SPIRIT FORWARD due to pressure from PINKY BRIER, chased six paths off the rail down the backstretch before tucking three wide through the turn ridden along from the seven-sixteenths, tipped five then four wide into upper stretch and tired. ESSENCE OF FAITH got bumped at the start by BASEBALL LADY and in turn bumped ST. BRIGID'S CROSS, chased four then two wide under urging from the seven-sixteenths, angled four wide for home and faltered in the stretch.