BELMONT PARK - November 14, 2026 - Race 1

EQUIBASE

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
(UP TO $17,400 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).
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt
Purse: $100,000
Available Money: $100,000
Value of Race: $87,000 1st $55,000, 2nd $20,000, 3rd $12,000
Weather: Cloudy**,** 42° **Track:** Muddy
Off at: 11:42 **Start:** Good for all except 2 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Video Race Replay

GPS Race Chart

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
30Sep26 ^{1}BEL^{3}	5	Donegal Luster (Velazquez, John)	123	- -	3	2	1^{Head}	1^{Head}	1^{1}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	1.26	dueled 3-2w, edged clr
---	4	Smead (Franco, Manuel)	123	- -	2	1	$2^{3\ 1/2}$	$2^{5\ 1/2}$	2^{6}	$2^{8\ 1/4}$	3.55	dueled inside, ran on
---	2	Warspite (Prat, Flavien)	123	- -	1	3	3	3	3	3	0.88*	buckled, bumped st

Fractional Times: 22.67 44.95 1:09.78 **Final Time:** 1:16.61 **Time from Gate:** 1:18.29
Split Times: (22:28) (24:83) (6:83)
Run-Up: 34 feet

Winner: Donegal Luster, Bay Colt, by City of Light out of Rehearsed, by Tapit. Foaled Apr 14, 2024 in Kentucky.

CITY OF LIGHT Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: W. S. Farish
Owner: Donegal Racing
Trainer: Pletcher, Todd

Scratched Horse(s): Briggs N Dunn (PrivVet-Illness), Louden (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: $78,764

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Donegal Luster	4.52					
4	Smead						
2	Warspite						

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Donegal Luster	2	1^{Head}	1^{Head}	1^{1}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$
4	Smead	1	2^{Head}	2^{Head}	2^{1}	$2^{1\ 1/2}$
2	Warspite	3	$3^{3\ 1/2}$	$3^{5\ 1/2}$	3^{7}	$3^{9\ 3/4}$

Trainers: 5 - Pletcher, Todd; 4 - McPeek, Kenneth; 2 - Brown, Chad

Owners: 5 - Donegal Racing; 4 - Shortleaf Stable, Inc.; 2 - Juddmonte;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms
DONEGAL LUSTER dueled three then two wide outside of SMEAD from the get go, came under coaxing three furlongs out, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, edged away under a drive kept to task. SMEAD broke in a step at the start bumping WARSPITE, dueled inside of the aforementioned foe coming under urging at the three-eighths pole, cut the corner into upper stretch and was in a bit tight straightened away, switched leads at the three-sixteenths pole, dug in under a drive running on to the finish tipping out a sixteenth out once the top one was no longer latched on to the outside and was well clear for the place honors. WARSPITE buckled at the break and was bumped by SMEAD, who broke in a step, chased along the inside until tipped to the two path five furlongs out, went three wide through most of the turn and into upper stretch and trailed throughout.

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