

CHURCHILL DOWNS - May 15, 2026 - Race 9

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$20,000 THREE TIMES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, RATING, RESTRICTED, OR STATE BRED OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$100,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since March 15 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since Then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$100,000 (Races Where Entered For \$80,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at One mile.) (Rail at 24 feet). (NW3\$ X) **Claiming Price: \$100,000**

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Classic Q - 1:32.91 - April 30, 2025)

Purse: \$141,000

Includes: \$34,600 KTFD - Kentucky TB Devt Fund


Plus: \$1,594 Other Sources

Available Money: \$142,594

Value of Race: \$142,456 1st \$80,344, 2nd \$28,200, 3rd \$14,100, 4th \$7,050, 5th \$4,230, 6th \$1,734, 7th \$1,734, 8th \$1,734, 9th \$1,734, 10th \$1,596

Weather: Cloudy, 75° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 4:57 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18Apr26 ⁸ KEE ³	3	Silent Heart (Geroux, Florent)	122	L b	3	1	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	1 ³	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹	3.45*	clear 2p, held sway
18Apr26 ¹⁰ LRL ⁵	1	Baby Max (Beschizza, Adam)	122	L	1	3	4 ¹ 2	5 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ¹ 3/4	4.49	tracked ins, rallied
20Mar26 ⁸ FG ²	2	Legalize (Graham, James) 	122	L	2	4	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	6.94	stalk2p,outkk,duel shw
16Apr26 ⁵ KEE ²	8	Judge Davis (Curtis, Ben)	122	L bf	8	6	6 ¹	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	4 ¹ 1/4	3.80	2wbtw,3w1/4,duel show
8Apr26 ⁵ KEE ⁴	4	Andthewinneris (Lanerie, Corey)	122	L	4	10	7 ¹ 2	7 ¹	6 ¹ 2	5 ²	5 ²	8.92	bmp st,ins,wait,mildly
16Apr26 ⁹ KEE ³	5	Smokey Mandate (Torres, Jaime)	122	L f	5	7	9 ^{Head}	9 ^{Head}	8 ¹	6 ^{Head}	6 ²	6.77	bmpd btw st,ins,imprvd
19Mar26 ⁹ FG ²	7	Tarantino (Bejarano, Rafael)	122	L b	7	2	3 ¹ 2	3 ¹ 2	3 ^{Head}	7 ¹ 1/2	7 ^{Head}	19.41	stalk 3p,4w1/4,faded
8Apr26 ⁵ KEE ⁵	9	Idratherbeblesed (Morales, Edgar)	122	L	9	8	8 ¹	8 ¹ 2	9 ²	8 ^{Head}	8 ¹	32.05	tight,3p,6p1/4,no thrt
3Apr26 ³ SA ⁴	10	Astronomer (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	122	L b	10	5	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	7 ¹	9 ³ 1/2	9 ³ 1/2	6.16	tracked 4p, gave way
1May26 ⁵ IND ¹	6	Secret Chat (Gutierrez, Mario)	122	L	6	9	10	10	10	10	10	41.80	bumped start,2w,outrun

Fractional Times: 23.52 47.31 1:10.04 1:21.40

Final Time: 1:33.23 **Time from Gate:** 1:34.88

Split Times: (23:79) (22:73) (11:36) (11:83)

Run-Up: 44 feet **Temporary Rail:** 24 feet

Winner: Silent Heart, Dark Bay or Brown Horse, by Heart to Heart out of Mega Monster, by Silent Name (JPN). Foaled Mar 04, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Terry Hamilton

Owner: Hamilton, Terry and Kooconusa Ventures

Trainer: Lynch, Brian

1 Claimed Horse(s): Silent Heart

New Trainer: Michael J. Maker

New Owner: David Staudacher

Claiming Prices: 3 - Silent Heart: \$100,000; 4 - Andthewinneris: \$100,000; 9 - Idratherbeblesed: \$100,000; 6 - Secret Chat: \$100,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$345,166

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
3	Silent Heart	8.90	5.20	3.56	\$2.00 Exacta	3-1	42.80	241,029	
1	Baby Max		5.88	3.74	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-1-2	56.79	128,957	
2	Legalize			4.98	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-1-2-8	61.35	78,747	
					\$1.00 Daily Double	5-3	12.99	73,238	
					\$3.00 Pick 3	6-5-3 (3 correct)	127.29	130,967	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	7-3/6-2/5-3 (4 correct)	278.56	164,625	
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	ODD	2.32	1,064	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	1-7-3/6-2/5-3 (5 correct)	2,203.62	225,236	
					\$0.20 Pick 6 Jackpot	1-1-7-3/6-2/5-3 (6 correct)	14,292.03	74,830	99,328
					\$1.00 Octafecta Jackpot	3-1-2-8-ALL-ALL-ALL-ALL	96.60	11,147	31,347
					\$1.00 Super High Five	3-1-2-8-4	1,614.79	11,304	

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Silent Heart	1	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	1 ³	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹
1	Baby Max	3	4 ⁴	5 ³	5 ⁴ 1/4	2 ² 1/2	2 ¹
2	Legalize	4	2 ² 1/2	2 ²	2 ³	3 ³ 1/2	3 ² 3/4
8	Judge Davis	6	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁴	4 ⁴	4 ³ 1/2	4 ² 3/4
4	Andthewinneris	10	7 ⁵ 1/2	7 ⁴ 1/4	6 ⁵ 3/4	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁴
5	Smokey Mandate	7	9 ⁷	9 ⁵ 3/4	8 ⁷ 1/4	6 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁶
7	Tarantino	2	3 ³ 1/2	3 ² 1/2	3 ⁴	7 ⁶ 3/4	7 ⁸
9	Idratherbeblesed	8	8 ⁶	8 ⁵ 1/4	9 ⁸ 1/4	8 ⁸ 1/4	8 ⁸ 1/4
10	Astronomer	5	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ³	7 ⁶ 1/4	9 ⁸ 1/4	9 ⁹ 1/4
6	Secret Chat	9	10 ⁷ 1/4	10 ⁵ 3/4	10 ¹⁰ 1/4	10 ¹¹ 3/4	10 ¹² 3/4


Trainers: 3 - Lynch, Brian; 1 - Danner, Kelsey; 2 - DeVaux, Cherie; 8 - Maker, Michael; 4 - Catalano, Wayne; 5 - Maker, Michael; 7 - Jacobson, David; 9 - Hartman, Chris; 10 - Callaghan, Simon; 6 - Barnett, Bobby

Owners: 3 - Hamilton, Terry and Kooconusa Ventures; 1 - J S Stables LLC; 2 - Twin Brook Stables, Belladonna Racing, LLC, Nice Guys Stables, West Point Thoroughbreds, Iapetus Racing, Hornstock, S., Runnels Racing, Perrine Time Thoroughbreds, R T R Stables, LLC, Peppermint Stables, LLC and Manganaro Bloodstock; 8 - Staudacher, David and Paradise Farms Corp.; 4 - Susan Naylor; 5 - Freddy Lewis, Jr.; 7 - Roman, Lawrence P. and Jacobson, David; 9 - JD Thoroughbreds LLC and Scherr, Wayne; 10 - Bamford, Alice and Tabor, Michael B.; 6 - Blackwood, Don and Meyers, Jeff;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SILENT HEART set a clear pace in the two path then held sway through the lane. BABY MAX tracked along the inside, rallied through the lane but needed

more to bid inside of the clear leader late. LEGALIZE stalked from the two path, got outkicked for place by an inner foe in upper stretch, dueled for show with an outer rival through the final furlong and narrowly held. JUDGE DAVIS took light contact from an outer foe at the start, tracked from midpack two wide and between horses, progressed three wide into the lane, ran on to duel for show with an inner rival through the final furlong but missed at the wire. ANDTHEWINNERIS leaned outwardly and bumped a foe at the start, saved ground off of the pace, awaited racing room around the far turn, pursued in the three path in upper stretch and stayed on mildly. SMOKEY MANDATE was bumped on both sides at the start, lacked speed along the inside, then in the two path around the far turn, shifted out and improved. TARANTINO stalked in the three path, floated four wide entering the lane and faded. IDRATHERBEBLESSED transferred light contact from an outer foe to an inner rival leaving the gate before being subtly put to tight quarters shortly after, settled in the three to four path, took the far turn in the three path before swinging to the six path entering the lane, but failed to factor. ASTRONOMER brushed an inner foe at the start, tracked from the four path then gave way. SECRET CHAT was bumped by an inner rival at the start, trailed two wide and got outrun.

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