

CHURCHILL DOWNS - May 17, 2026 - Race 7

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$50,000).

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Indian Chant - 1:07.55 - July 8, 2007)

Purse: \$120,000

Includes: \$32,400 KTFD - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Plus: \$2,627 Other Sources

Available Money: \$122,627

Value of Race: \$122,521 1st \$68,496, 2nd \$24,000, 3rd \$12,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$3,600, 6th \$1,424, 7th \$1,424, 8th \$1,421, 9th \$1,421, 10th \$1,421, 11th \$1,314

Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:52 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Apr26 ² KEE ²	9	Deep Flame (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	118 L	9	4	2 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹	1 ³	1 ⁷	0.40*	prompted 2w, ridden out
7Mar26 ⁶ SA ⁵	11	Embry Show (Geroux, Florent)	118 L b	11	11	4 ¹ / ₂	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ² 1/4	4.27	stp slw, 4p, brsh, ran on
10Apr26 ⁶ KEE ²	5	Puteketeke (Ortiz, Jose)	124 L	5	1	3 ¹ / ₂	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ / ₂	7.58	ins, plc bid upr, yieldd
---	10	Monster Cookie (Beschizza, Adam)	118 L	10	7	6 ^{Head}	5 ²	5 ¹	4 ¹ / ₂	38.95	track 3p, 5p1/4, stayed
---	2	Justice (Machado, Luan)	118 L b	2	9	8 ^{Head}	7 ¹	7 ²	5 ^{Head}	59.13	step slw, brshd erly, 6p
10Apr26 ⁶ KEE ³	6	Great Moment (Gaffalione, Tyler)	124 L b	6	2	5 ¹	6 ^{Head}	6 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ 3/4	18.32	chsd 2p, 3p upr, mildly
---	4	Crevalli (Morales, Edgar)	118 L	4	5	7 ¹ 1/2	8 ² 1/2	8 ⁴	7 ¹	110.50	bmp st, svd grnd, no bid
---	3	Don's Winner (Torres, Jaime)	118 L b	3	10	11	10 ^{Head}	9 ¹ / ₂	8 ⁴ 3/4	53.84	bump/brsh, 7p upr, imprv
---	7	Ecosystem (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	118 L b	7	8	10 ¹ 1/2	9 ²	10 ² 1/2	9 ¹ 1/4	74.13	4-5p, no factor
21Mar26 ⁷ FG ⁹	8	Armet (Saez, Luis)	118 L	8	3	1 ¹	1 ¹ / ₂	4 ¹ / ₂	10 ⁶ 3/4	24.01	ins wnnr, no match, wknd
---	1	Flashy Rich Deal (Concepcion, Axel)	118 L	1	6	9 ¹ / ₂	11	11	11	46.83	inside, outrun

Fractional Times: 22.55 45.08 56.82

Final Time: 1:08.96 **Time from Gate:** 1:10.53

Split Times: (22:53) (11:74) (12:14)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Deep Flame, Bay Colt, by [Into Mischief](#) out of Barbadia, by Speightstown. Foaled May 18, 2023 in Kentucky.



Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: Juddmonte

Owner: Juddmonte

Trainer: Cox, Brad

Total WPS Pool: \$509,416

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Deep Flame	2.80	2.10	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	9-11	7.68	322,031
11	Embry Show		4.22	2.82	\$0.50 Trifecta	9-11-5	10.91	190,173
5	Puteketeke			3.28	\$0.10 Superfecta	9-11-5-10	23.99	112,862
					\$1.00 Daily Double	8-9	7.70	45,833
					\$0.50 Pick 3	8-8-9 (3 correct)	4.46	39,625
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	ODD	2.40	425
					\$0.50 Pick 5	2/4/5-1/4/7-1/5/6/8-8-9 (5 correct)	23.37	103,877
					\$1.00 Super High Five	9-11-5-10-2	1,271.66	8,152

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
9	Deep Flame	4	2 ¹	2 ¹ / ₂	1 ³	1 ⁷
11	Embry Show	11	4 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ³	2 ⁷
5	Puteketeke	1	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ³	3 ⁹ 1/4
10	Monster Cookie	7	6 ³ 1/2	5 ³	5 ⁵	4 ⁹ 3/4
2	Justice	9	8 ⁵	7 ⁵ 1/4	7 ⁶ 1/2	5 ¹⁰ 1/4
6	Great Moment	2	5 ² 1/2	6 ⁵	6 ⁶	6 ¹⁰ 1/4
4	Crevalli	5	7 ³ 1/2	8 ⁶ 1/4	8 ⁸ 1/2	7 ¹²
3	Don's Winner	10	11 ⁷ 1/4	10 ¹⁰ 3/4	9 ¹² 1/2	8 ¹³
7	Ecosystem	8	10 ⁵ 3/4	9 ⁸ 3/4	10 ¹³	9 ¹⁷ 3/4
8	Armet	3	1 ¹	1 ¹ / ₂	4 ⁴ 1/2	10 ¹⁹
1	Flashy Rich Deal	6	9 ⁵ 1/4	11 ¹⁰ 3/4	11 ¹⁵ 1/2	11 ²⁵ 3/4


Trainers: 9 - Cox, Brad; 11 - Baffert, Bob; 5 - Maker, Michael; 10 - Danner, Kelsey; 2 - Mackey, Wayne; 6 - Foley, Gregory; 4 - Simms, Jr., Mark; 3 - Sharp, Joe; 7 - Vaughan, Edward; 8 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Calhoun, W.

Owners: 9 - Juddmonte; 11 - CSLR Racing Partners, LLC; 5 - Glencrest Farm LLC; 10 - NBS Stable; 2 - Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds LLC; 6 - Tamaroak Stable; 4 - Calumet Farm; 3 - Anthony Tate; 7 - BR Thoroughbreds, Inc.; 8 - Tagermeen Racing LLC; 1 - Mansfield Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

DEEP FLAME bobbled subtly at the start, prompted two wide, vied around the turn, took charge in upper stretch then drew off under mild urging. EMBRY SHOW broke a step slow and got floated out at the start, advanced outside of foes before stalking the top pair from the four path around the turn, brushed with an inner rival while bidding for place in upper stretch, battled with that one for that position through midstretch and prevailed. PUTEKETEKE tracked along the inside, tipped two wide into upper stretch, bid for place while brushing with an outer foe in upper stretch, dueled for that position with that one into the final furlong, but yielded with a sixteenth to go then lasted for show. MONSTER COOKIE tracked from midpack in the three path, shifted out to the five path entering the lane then stayed on but needed more for show. JUSTICE broke a step slow, brushed with an outer rival and checked subtly early on, raced off of the pace in the two to three path into the turn, fanned six wide into upper stretch then stayed on mildly. GREAT MOMENT raced forwardly two wide and between horses, chased while dropping back to midpack into the turn, pursued in the three path in upper stretch then only offered a mild kick. CREVALLI bumped with an inner foe at the start, saved ground off of the pace to no avail. DON'S WINNER bumped with an outer foe at the start, then brushed with an inner rival early on, trailed in the three path, swung to the seven path into upper stretch and improved position. ECOSYSTEM raced off of

the pace in the four to five path and failed to factor. ARMET led narrowly as the eventual winner prompted, vied with that one around the turn, proved no match in upper stretch and weakened. FLASHY RICH DEAL lacked speed along the inside and got outrun.

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