

CHURCHILL DOWNS - June 27, 2026 - Race 2

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$50,000).

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fierceness - 1:40.66 - May 2, 2025)

Purse: \$120,000

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

Plus: \$1,314 Other Sources

Available Money: \$121,314

Value of Race: \$114,834 1st \$68,496, 2nd \$17,520, 3rd \$12,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$3,600, 6th \$1,444, 7th \$1,444, 8th \$1,444, 9th \$1,443, 10th \$1,443

Weather: Showery, 73° **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 1:37 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

[GPS Race Chart](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
9Aug25 ⁶ SAR ⁴	8	Sassmaster (Prat, Flavien)	118 L	8	6	4 ²	4 ² 1/2	2 1/2	1 ²	1 1/2	9.41	2-4p,bid 3p2d,clrd,hd
7Jun26 ³ CD ⁶	4	Preside (Ortiz, Jose) 	118 L	4	7	3 ²	3 ¹	3 ³ 1/2	2 ¹	2 ⁷ 1/2	3.40	ins,tip 1/8,bid,drift
23May26 ⁶ CD ²	10	Our Forefathers (Rosario, Joel)	118 L b	10	2	1 ³	1 ²	1 ¹	3 ⁴	3 ¹ 3/4	4.48	3-2p,headed upr,faded
30May26 ³ CD ²	5	Direct Strike (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	118 L	5	1	7 ^{Head}	9 ⁵	9 ³ 1/2	4 1/2	4 ¹ 1/4	1.24*	2p,3-4p1/4,mildly
31May26 ⁶ CD ⁴	7	Civic Charm (Alvarado, Junior)	118 L b	7	10	8 ¹	7 ¹	8 1/2	6 ¹ 1/2	5 ⁴	11.15	bmpd btw st,steady 1/4
30May26 ³ CD ³	9	Money Man (Torres, Cristian)	125 L bf	9	8	9 ⁶	8 1/2	7 ¹	5 ¹	6 ¹	40.23	3p-ins,imprv2nd,flatnd
23May26 ⁶ CD ⁴	3	Nomolimbo (Castellano, Javier)	125 L b	3	3	5 ¹ 1/2	6 ²	6 1/2	7 ²	7 ^{Nose}	26.49	3-4p1st,5-7p2nd,yielddd
19May26 ⁶ IND ⁴	1	El Tio (Torres, Jaime)	118 L b	1	9	10	10	10	8 ¹ 1/2	8 ⁶ 1/4	61.14	lagged ins, no impact
31May26 ⁶ CD ⁸	2	Delancey Street (Gaffalione, Tyler)	118 L bf	2	4	6 ¹ 1/2	5 1/2	5 ^{Head}	9 ³	9 ¹³	21.06	chk into1st,4-6p btw2d
25May26 ⁶ CD ⁷	6	Your Wildest Dream (Saez, Luis)	118 L b	6	5	2 1/2	2 ¹	4 ¹	10	10	16.41	stalked 3p, wilted 2nd

Fractional Times: 23.07 46.99 1:11.32 1:36.36

Final Time: 1:42.93 **Time from Gate:** 1:45.01

Split Times: (23:92) (24:33) (25:04) (6:57)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Sassmaster, Bay Colt, by Curlin out of Sass and Class, by Harlan's Holiday. Foaled Apr 09, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC

Owner: Mark D. Breen

Trainer: Sciametta, Jr., Anthony

Total WPS Pool: \$539,891

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Sassmaster	20.82	10.80	6.56	\$2.00 Exacta	8-4	127.56	337,130
4	Preside		6.26	4.52	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-4-10	164.28	186,001
10	Our Forefathers			4.86	\$0.10 Superfecta	8-4-10-5	61.27	116,096
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-8	48.79	85,342
					\$1.00 Super High Five	8-4-10-5-7	4,105.77	10,528
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	EVEN	3.28	275

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Sassmaster	6	4 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁴	2 ¹	1 ²	1 1/2
4	Preside	7	3 ³ 1/2	3 ³	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	2 1/2
10	Our Forefathers	2	1 ³	1 ²	1 ¹	3 ³	3 ⁸
5	Direct Strike	1	7 ¹⁰ 1/2	9 ¹⁰ 1/2	9 ⁸	4 ⁷	4 ⁹ 3/4
7	Civic Charm	10	8 ¹⁰ 1/2	7 ⁹	8 ⁷ 1/2	6 ⁸ 1/2	5 ¹¹
9	Money Man	8	9 ¹¹ 1/2	8 ¹⁰	7 ⁶ 1/2	5 ⁷ 1/2	6 ¹⁵
3	Nomolimbo	3	5 ⁷ 1/2	6 ⁷	6 ⁶	7 ¹⁰	7 ¹⁶
1	El Tio	9	10 ¹⁷ 1/2	10 ¹⁵ 1/2	10 ¹¹ 1/2	8 ¹²	8 ¹⁶
2	Delancey Street	4	6 ⁹	5 ⁶ 1/2	5 ⁶	9 ¹³ 1/2	9 ²² 1/4
6	Your Wildest Dream	5	2 ³	2 ²	4 ⁵	10 ¹⁶ 1/2	10 ³⁵ 1/4

Trainers: 8 - Sciametta, Jr., Anthony; 4 - Asmussen, Steven; 10 - Eurton, Peter; 5 - Cox, Brad; 7 - Mott, William; 9 - Heath, Destin; 3 - Miller, Darrin; 1 - Medina, Robert; 2 - Casse, Norm; 6 - Casse, Norm

Owners: 8 -Mark D. Breen; 4 - Spendthrift Farm LLC, St. Elias Stable, West Point Thoroughbreds and LVD Racing; 10 - C R K Stable LLC; 5 - Qatar Racing LLC, Mountmellick Farm and Hunter Valley Farm; 7 - Pin Oak Stud LLC; 9 - Everest Stables, Inc.; 3 -Tom R. Walters; 1 - Stone Bridge Farm; 2 - AJ Suited Racing Stable, LLC, Turman Racing Stable, LLC, Blieden, Mark, Duignan, Gabriel and Shanahan, Mrs. Paul; 6 - CKDS Racing Stable, LLC, Peacock Stable (Tom Hammond), Turman Racing Stable LLC and Hightower, Dale;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SASSMASTER leaned inwardly and bumped a foe at the start, tracked from the two path, tipped to the four path with five furlongs to go, ranged up outside of rivals in the three path around the far turn to bid entering the lane, gained command in upper stretch, drove clear into the final furlong then held late. PRESIDE stalked along the inside, pursued within striking range turning for home, tipped outside of the clearing new leader at the furlong grounds, drifted out then back in while grinding closer to offer a late bid but was denied. OUR FOREFATHERS set a clear pace in the three to two path, got headed by an outer bidder in upper stretch, faded into the final furlong and lasted for show. DIRECT STRIKE lacked speed in the two path, advanced in the three to four path entering the lane then stayed on mildly. CIVIC CHARM was bumped on both sides and put to tight quarters between rivals at the start, laid off of the pace near the inside, then in the three path around the far turn, steadied when shuffled behind a foe reaching the lane then stayed on. MONEY MAN lacked speed in the three path before moving to the inside down the backstretch, improved inside of foes turning for home then flattened out. NOMOLIMBO pursued from midpack in the three to four path, then the five path around the far turn before being floated out to the seven path entering the lane and gave way. EL TIO lagged behind along the inside and made little impact. DELANCEY STREET steadied behind foes into the first turn, raced off of the pace along the inside, then in the four to six path and between horses turning for home before tiring. YOUR WILDEST DREAM bumped with an outer foe at the start, stalked from the three path but faded between horses into the far turn then wilted turning for home.

