

CHURCHILL DOWNS - September 12, 2026 - Race 5
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$50,000).
Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fruit Ludt - 1:33.26 - November 21, 2014)
Purse: \$120,000
Includes: \$47,200 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund
Plus: \$3,275 Other Sources
Available Money: \$123,275
Value of Race: \$123,275 1st \$69,088, 2nd \$24,000, 3rd \$12,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$3,600, 6th \$1,229, 7th \$1,229, 8th \$1,229, 9th \$1,228, 10th \$1,224, 11th \$1,224, 12th \$1,224
Weather: Cloudy, 80° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 2:55 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)
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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
8Aug26 ¹ SAR ²	3	Coach Pope (Ortiz, Jose)	119	--	2	1	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ² 1/2	1 ⁹	1 ¹² 1/2	0.40*	took over,cruised away
---	12	Fullback (Gaffalione, Tyler)	119	--	11	6	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ² 3/4	27.39	stalked 4-5p, no match
8Aug26 ⁵ ELP ³	7	Justification (Concepcion, Axel)	119	--	6	5	10 ²	10 ^{Head}	9 ¹	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	8.66	tough load,3p,moved up
8Aug26 ⁵ ELP ⁴	5	Cartography (Prat, Flavien)	119	--	4	7	9 ¹ 1/2	9 ²	8 ¹ 1/2	5 ^{1/2}	4 ⁴ 1/4	16.52	bmpd btw st,2p,mss shw
21Aug26 ⁹ ELP ⁵	8	Bardstown (Torres, Jaime)	119	--	7	2	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ¹ 1/2	3 ²	5 ³	86.38	bmp st,3-2wbtw,flattn
2Aug26 ¹ ELP ²	1	Monnie (Asmussen, Keith)	119	--	1	9	8 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	7 ³	6 ³ 3/4	9.82	ins,3-5p upr,no bid
---	11	Signature (Saez, Luis)	119	b	10	4	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	7 ² 1/4	11.11	press 3-4p,wknd btw1/4
8Aug26 ⁵ ELP ⁵	4	Ragged Sky (Cedillo, Abel)	119	--	3	12	12	12	12	10 ¹ 1/2	8 ^{Nose}	98.80	pinched start, lag 2p
8Aug26 ⁵ ELP ⁶	6	Party in the Grove (Machado, Luan)	119	--	5	10	11 ⁸	11 ⁶ 1/2	10 ^{Head}	8 ^{1/2}	9 ⁷ 1/4	85.87	bump st,2p,no factor
25Jul26 ⁵ ELP ²	9	Snubbed (Morales, Edgar)	119	--	8	11	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	11 ²	10 ^{Head}	25.60	bmpd btw,4pbtw,gave wy
---	10	Vintage Warrior (Torres, Cristian)	119	--	9	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	4 ^{Head}	9 ¹	11 ² 3/4	22.98	2w-ins,no match,wknd
23Aug26 ⁷ ELP ⁸	13	Heise (Garcia, Martin)	119	b	12	8	7 ¹	8 ^{Head}	11 ³	12	12	50.02	5p, done early

Fractional Times: 22.75 45.79 1:10.66 1:23.02 **Final Time:** 1:35.77 **Time from Gate:** 1:37.57
Split Times: (23:04) (24:87) (12:36) (12:75)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Coach Pope, Bay Colt, by Tapit out of Gamble's Ghost, by Ghostzapper. Foaled Feb 20, 2024 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Tall Oaks Farm & Tapit Syndicate
Owner: Gainesway Stable (Antony Beck), Shamrock Stables and Mackin, Michael J.
Trainer: McPeek, Kenneth

Scratched Horse(s): Cybersteel (Also-Eligible), Fiestabowforemike (Also-Eligible), Oblivion (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$514,727

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
3	Coach Pope	2.80	2.26	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	3-12	47.76	339,697	
12	Fullback		14.72	8.52	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-12-7	54.63	180,380	
7	Justification			3.96	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-12-7-5	64.18	117,938	
					\$1.00 Daily Double	10-3	5.14	61,977	
					\$0.50 Pick 3	3-10-3 (3 correct)	10.23	95,452	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	10-1/3/11/13-4/10-2/3/14/15 (4 correct)	231.43	215,092	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	2-10-3-10-3 (5 correct)	1,015.21	551,752	
					\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	3-4-3 (3 correct)	2.01	0	
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	ODD	2.22	415	
					\$1.00 Z-5 Super Hi-5	3-12-7-5-8		8,323	6,482

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
3	Coach Pope	1	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2	1 ⁹	1 ¹² 1/2
12	Fullback	6	4 ¹	4 ²	2 ² 1/2	2 ⁹	2 ¹² 1/2
7	Justification	5	10 ⁴ 3/4	10 ⁶	9 ⁷ 3/4	4 ¹² 1/2	3 ¹⁵ 1/4
5	Cartography	7	9 ³ 1/4	9 ⁴	8 ⁶ 1/4	5 ¹² 1/2	4 ¹⁵ 1/4
8	Bardstown	2	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ² 1/2	5 ³ 1/4	3 ¹⁰ 1/2	5 ¹⁹ 1/2
1	Monnie	9	8 ³ 1/4	6 ³	6 ⁴ 3/4	7 ¹³ 1/4	6 ²² 1/2
11	Signature	4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	3 ² 1/2	6 ¹³	7 ²⁶ 1/4
4	Ragged Sky	12	12 ¹⁴ 3/4	12 ¹² 3/4	12 ¹¹ 3/4	10 ¹⁷ 3/4	8 ²⁸ 1/2
6	Party in the Grove	10	11 ⁶ 3/4	11 ⁶ 1/4	10 ⁸ 3/4	8 ¹⁶ 1/4	9 ²⁸ 3/4
9	Snubbed	11	6 ¹ 3/4	7 ³ 1/2	7 ⁵ 1/4	11 ¹⁹ 1/4	10 ³⁶
10	Vintage Warrior	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	4 ³	9 ¹⁶ 3/4	11 ³⁶
13	Heise	8	7 ² 1/4	8 ⁴	11 ⁸ 3/4	12 ²¹ 1/4	12 ³⁸ 3/4

Trainers: 3 - McPeek, Kenneth; 12 - Mott, William; 7 - Arnold II, George; 5 - Harty, Eoin; 8 - Mott, Riley; 1 - Asmussen, Steven; 11 - Lynch, Brian; 4 - Schultz, Lindsay; 6 - Colebrook, Ben; 9 - McGee, Paul; 10 - Drury, Jr., Thomas; 13 - Romans, Dale

Owners: 3 - Gainesway Stable (Antony Beck), Shamrock Stables and Mackin, Michael J.; 12 -Mike G. Rutherford; 7 - Bit O'Fortune Partners, LLC; 5 - Godolphin, LLC; 8 -James S. Karp; 1 - Red Lane Thoroughbreds LLC; 11 - Amerman Racing, LLC; 4 - Shortleaf Stable, Inc.; 6 - Ball, Michael and Ball, Katherine G.; 9 - Jay Em Ess Stable; 10 - Knapp, Richard M. and Agnello, Bob; 13 - West Point Thoroughbreds and Albaugh Family Stables LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

COACH POPE bumped an outer foe at the start, raced close up along the inside, stalked before offered a bold challenge between the leaders while well in hand at the three furlong pole, assumed command shortly after, kicked clear entering the lane then opened up easily while under wraps. FULLBACK stalked from the four to five path, gained place entering the lane but proved no match for the winner. JUSTIFICATION was reluctant to load, lacked speed in the three path, shifted out from the five path to the seven path in upper stretch, moved up to vie for show with an inner foe in the final furlong and prevailed. CARTOGRAPHY was bumped between horses at the start, raced off of the pace in the two path, advanced among foes in upper stretch, vied for show late

but missed. BARDSTOWN bumped with an outer foe at the start, tracked from the three path and between horses, bid for place two wide and among foes entering the lane but flattened out. MONNIE pursued along the inside, chased in the three to five path in upper stretch and lacked a bid. SIGNATURE pressed from the three path, got outmoved by an inner foe while in the four path leaving the three furlong pole then weakened between horses entering the lane. RAGGED SKY was pinched back at the start, lagged behind in the two path then improved. PARTY IN THE GROVE bumped with an inner foe at the start, lacked speed in the two path and failed to factor. SNUBBED was bumped between horses at the start, raced off of the pace in the four path and between horses then gave way in the six path. VINTAGE WARRIOR bumped with an inner foe at the start, set the pace two wide into the backstretch before tucking to the inside, proved no match for an outer rival approaching the five sixteenths pole and weakened. HEISE raced off of the pace in the five path then was done early.