

CHURCHILL DOWNS - September 13, 2026 - Race 10

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$50,000 In Last 3 Starts).

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Love At Noon - 1:14.34 - May 5, 2001)

Purse: \$120,000

Includes: \$47,200 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Plus: \$2,183 Other Sources

Available Money: \$122,183

Value of Race: \$122,028 1st \$69,088, 2nd \$24,000, 3rd \$12,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$3,600, 6th \$1,252, 7th \$1,252, 8th \$1,248, 9th \$1,092, 10th \$1,248, 11th \$1,248

Weather: Clear, 87° Track: Fast

Off at: 5:27 Start: Good for all except 1 Timing Method: Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Jun26 ³ CD ³	3	Big Jake (Prat, Flavien)	121 L b	3 3		1 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁴	1 ^{7 3/4}	0.85*	breathr turn,riddn out
21Aug26 ⁴ ELP ⁴	2	Nomolimbo (Arrieta, Francisco)	124 L b	2 2		4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}	76.94	determined 2nd rail
15Aug26 ⁵ ELP ²	11	C's Today (Garcia, Martin)	121 L	10 8		6 ^{Head}	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{3 1/4}	1.89	closr3w,duel2nd,outkck
17May25 ⁶ BAQ ⁶	4	Summit Ridge (Morales, Edgar)	124 L b	4 7		8 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	5 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	65.01	traffc9/16,steer5w 1/4
21Aug26 ⁴ ELP ⁵	7	Flick (Saez, Gabriel)	124 L b	7 9		11	10 ^{3 1/2}	6 ²	5 ^{2 1/4}	12.10	brk back,cut corner
---	1	Alworth (Rosario, Joel)	121 L b	1 11		7 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	6 ^{5 1/2}	21.99	hesitatd,bobbled 7/16
---	6	First Offense (Gaffalione, Tyler)	121 L	6 5		3 ^{1/2}	8 ¹	10 ^{3 1/2}	7 ^{1 3/4}	11.14	passed tiring rivals
7Aug26 ⁹ ELP ⁵	8	Final Countdown (Emigh, Christopher)	124 L	8 4		9 ³	9 ²	9 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	99.62	little impact 3-4w
---	5	Shapka (Loveberry, Jareth)	121 L b	5 6		5 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	9 ^{1/2}	94.19	floated 5w 1/4,no bid
24Jan26 ⁷ FG ⁶	12	Tapit's Gunner (Gutierrez, Mario)	121 L b	11 1		2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	7 ²	10 ^{2 3/4}	13.74	forward, tired 4w
---	10	Sonic Saint (Blanche, Rishawn)	121 L	9 10		10 ¹	11	11	11	114.69	off slow, trailed

Fractional Times: 22.91 45.77 1:09.42

Final Time: 1:15.60 Time from Gate: 1:17.41

Split Times: (22:86) (23:65) (6:18)

Run-Up: 45 feet

Winner: Big Jake, Bay Colt, by Army Mule out of Beyond Heavenly, by Uncle Mo. Foaled Feb 16, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Matthew Davis

Owner: Natalie J. Baffert

Trainer: Baffert, Bob

Scratched Horse(s): Payout (RegVet-Unsound)

Total WPS Pool: \$425,963

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
3	Big Jake	3.70	2.74	2.18	\$2.00 Exacta	3-2	67.30	290,193	
2	Nomolimbo		23.88	8.00	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-2-11-4	86.05	137,645	
11	C's Today			2.70	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-3	25.97	199,173	
					\$3.00 Pick 3	12-3-3 (3 correct)	1,125.36	216,231	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	8-12-3-3/9 (4 correct)	2,056.38	279,415	
					\$2.00 Odd or Even	ODD	2.26	359	
					\$1.00 Super High Five	3-2-11-4-7	8,321.88	13,566	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	1/9-8-12-3-3/9 (5 correct)	13,150.64	599,890	
					\$1.00 Octafecta Jackpot	3-2-11-ALL-ALL-ALL-ALL	77.07	13,758	359,083
					\$0.20 Pick 6 Jackpot	5/6-1/9-8-12-3-3/9 (6 correct)	11,906.50	103,431	32,871
					\$3.00 Consolation Pick 3	12-3-9 (3 correct)	504.21	0	
					\$1.00 Consolation Double	3-9	11.65	0	

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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3	Big Jake	3	1 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁴	1 ^{7 3/4}
2	Nomolimbo	2	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ⁴	2 ^{7 3/4}
11	C's Today	8	6 ^{3 1/4}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ⁴	3 ^{9 1/4}
4	Summit Ridge	7	8 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/4}	4 ^{12 1/2}
7	Flick	9	11 ^{8 1/2}	10 ^{8 1/4}	6 ^{8 1/4}	5 ¹³
1	Alworth	11	7 ^{3 1/4}	5 ³	4 ⁷	6 ^{15 1/4}
6	First Offense	5	3 ²	8 ^{5 1/4}	10 ^{13 1/4}	7 ^{20 3/4}
8	Final Countdown	4	9 ^{4 1/2}	9 ^{6 1/4}	9 ^{12 3/4}	8 ^{22 1/2}
5	Shapka	6	5 ³	7 ^{4 3/4}	8 ^{12 1/4}	9 ²³
12	Tapit's Gunner	1	2 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{10 1/4}	10 ^{23 1/2}
10	Sonic Saint	10	10 ^{7 1/2}	11 ^{11 3/4}	11 ^{16 3/4}	11 ^{26 1/4}

Trainers: 3 - Baffert, Bob; 2 - Miller, Darrin; 11 - Medina, Robert; 4 - Sweezey, J.; 7 - Tomlinson, Michael; 1 - Davis, Christopher; 6 - Walsh, Brendan; 8 - Pompell, Robert; 5 - Williamson, Brian; 12 - Stewart, Dallas; 10 - Kendrick, Mark

Owners: 3 -Natalie J. Baffert; 2 -Tom R. Walters; 11 - Rodeo Creek Racing LLC; 4 - Starry Night Racing; 7 -Mark Farrar; 1 - Walmac Farm; 6 - Sugar Mill Stables and Lucky Farms LLC; 8 - Schmid, Carol and Dale; 5 - Vanier, Nancy A. and Williamson, Lyda; 12 - Whisper Hill Farm LLC; 10 - Post Time Thoroughbreds and Chanley, Ryan;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BIG JAKE with the pace from the start, dueled early off the inside, edged before a quarter, was given a breather while maintaining daylight through the turn, extended his advantage through the lane under a moderate hand ride to win ridden out. NOMOLIMBO broke well, briefly raced with the winner inside that one, tracked that one into the turn, hooked up with C'S TODAY for a long duel for the second spot, proved determined while no match for the winner. C'S TODAY bothered slightly soon after the start, raced back off the pace outside, closer three wide through the turn, could not keep pace with the winner upper

stretch, extended duel for the second spot, outkicked. SUMMIT RIDGE in mid pack early toward the inside, idled in some traffic late backstretch, advanced in the two path through the turn, angled out five wide into the lane and improved his position. FLICK broke back, lacked speed while saving ground, cut the corner into the stretch, also bettered his position while not a serious threat to the top three. ALWORTH hesitated at the break, moved up quickly behind traffic backstretch, bobbed in some traffic into the turn, improved after recovering, flattened out a bit in the final furlong. FIRST OFFENSE in mid pack while racing off the inside, fell back late turn and into the lane, picked off a couple of tiring rivals late, never a threat. FINAL COUNTDOWN made little impact racing well back from three to four wide. SHAPKA behind the pace while racing outside, floated out five wide into the stretch, failed to launch a closing response. TAPIT'S GUNNER broke well, raced forwardly and outside, tired while four wide out of the turn. SONIC SAINT off slow, trailed most of the way to be always outrun.