

CHURCHILL DOWNS - September 27, 2026 - Race 6

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$50,000 In Last 3 Starts).

Distance: One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt

Current Track Record: (Gould's Gold - 1:47.26 - May 17, 2025)

Purse: \$120,000

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

Available Money: \$120,000

Value of Race: \$118,908 1st \$69,088, 2nd \$24,000, 3rd \$12,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$3,600, 6th \$1,408, 7th \$1,408, 8th \$1,404

Weather: Clear, 75° Track: Fast

Off at: 3:19 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
29Aug26 ² KD ⁵	8	Don's Winner (Saez, Luis)	120	L b	8	8	5 ¹	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	3.88	3-4p,rally,drove past
7Jul26 ¹⁰ IND ²	4	Cromwell (Ortiz, Jose)	124	L b	4	5	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ²	2 ^{Head}	2.58	2-3p,5p upr,rallied
---	5	Mr. Tapps (Hazlewood, Yedsit)	120	L	5	3	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹	3 ³	17.43	3p,bid 3w3/8,cght 1/16
1Aug26 ¹ ELP ²	6	Top Drawer (Concepcion, Axel)	120	L b	6	2	1 ¹	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/4}	1.79*	2p,ins pair3/8,gave wy
21Aug26 ⁴ ELP ²	1	El Tio (Corrales, Gerardo)	120	L b	1	1	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 3/4}	26.30	ins,bid 2w btw3/8,fade
10Jun26 ² IND ²	3	Bold Stand (Achard, Alex)	120	L b	3	4	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	6 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	7.89	ins,chased,no threat
21Aug26 ⁴ ELP ⁸	7	Liberty Valance (Gaffalione, Tyler)	120	L	7	7	8	8	8	7 ¹	7 ^{1 3/4}	9.70	2p,btw 3/8,no impact
---	2	Safety Off (Loveberry, Jareth)	120	L	2	6	7 ¹	7 ¹	7 ^{Head}	8	8	12.57	saved ground, no avail

Fractional Times: 23.35 48.16 1:12.85 1:37.39

Split Times: (24:81) (24:69) (24:54) (12:70)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Final Time: 1:50.09 Time from Gate: 1:52.34

Winner: Don's Winner, Gray or Roan Colt, by Game Winner out of Map Maker, by Liam's Map. Foaled Feb 19, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Summer Wind Equine LLC

Owner: Anthony Tate

Trainer: Sharp, Joe

Total WPS Pool: \$252,039

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Don's Winner	9.76	5.24	3.40	\$2.00 Exacta	8-4	27.92	171,310
4	Cromwell		4.02	2.84	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-4-5	94.19	94,851
5	Mr. Tapps			5.78	\$0.10 Superfecta	8-4-5-6	69.66	56,885
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-8	31.93	37,660
					\$0.50 Pick 3	6-4-8 (3 correct)	59.87	42,297
					\$0.20 Odd or Even	EVEN	2.58	258
					\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	6-1-8 (3 correct)	7.87	0
					\$1.00 Super High Five	8-4-5-6-1	3,630.57	16,846

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Don's Winner	8	5 ³	4 ⁴	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{1 1/4}
4	Cromwell	5	6 ⁴	6 ^{5 3/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	5 ³	2 ^{1 1/4}
5	Mr. Tapps	3	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	3 ^{1 1/4}
6	Top Drawer	2	1 ¹	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	4 ^{4 1/4}
1	El Tio	1	2 ¹	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}
3	Bold Stand	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/4}	5 ³	6 ⁵	6 ^{7 1/4}
7	Liberty Valance	7	8 ^{5 1/2}	8 ^{7 1/4}	8 ^{5 1/4}	7 ⁶	7 ^{7 3/4}
2	Safety Off	6	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{6 1/4}	7 ⁵	8 ⁷	8 ^{9 1/2}

Trainers: 8 - Sharp, Joe; 4 - DeVaux, Cherie; 5 - McCarthy, Michael; 6 - Cox, Brad; 1 - Medina, Robert; 3 - Harty, Eoin; 7 - Walsh, Brendan; 2 - Beckman, D. Whitworth

Owners: 8 -Anthony Tate; 4 - Belladonna Racing LLC, Twin Brook Stables, Corser Thoroughbreds, LLC, B.C.W.T., Ltd. and Taylor Creek; 5 - Winchester Place Thoroughbreds LLC; 6 - Juddmonte; 1 - Stone Bridge Farm; 3 - Godolphin, LLC; 7 - Cherry Knoll Farm and Clohessy, Barry; 2 - Flanagan Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

DON'S WINNER tracked three wide, chased in the four path around the far turn, rallied to bid leaving the furlong grounds and drove past. CROMWELL laid off of the pace in the two to three path, swung out to the five path in upper stretch and rallied to gain place at the wire. MR. TAPPS stalked from the two to three path into the backstretch, bid three deep at the three furlong pole, led reaching the lane, but got collared in the final furlong, headed at the sixteenth pole then got nailed for place at the wire. TOP DRAWER sped clear in the three to two path around the first turn, got collared by an outer pair at the three furlong pole, headed turning for home then gave way through the final furlong. EL TIO stalked along the inside, bid two wide and between horses at the three furlong pole, vied into the lane but faded in midstretch. BOLD STAND pursued from midpack along the inside, chased around the far turn, moved to the two path in upper stretch and failed to factor. LIBERTY VALANCE trailed in the two path, then between horses turning for home and made little impact. SAFETY OFF saved ground off of the pace to no avail.