

CHURCHILL DOWNS - November 23, 2025 - Race 1

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming

Price \$50,000. **Claiming Price:** \$50,000

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

Purse: \$67,000

Includes: \$8,700 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$67,000

Value of Race: \$63,028 1st \$37,868, 2nd \$13,400, 3rd \$6,400, 4th \$3,350, 5th \$2,010

Weather: Clear, 54° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:01 **Start:** Good for all except 7 **Timing Method:** Electronic

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 Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17Oct25 ¹ KEE ⁴	1	Army Nurse (Saez, Luis)	122	L	1	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{3 3/4}	0.81*	ins-2p,cleard,drft out
19Oct24 ¹ KEE ⁴	5	Lovely Words (Grisales Rave, Danilo)	122	L h	3	1	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	3.81	press winner,no match
17Oct25 ³ KEE ⁵	4	Senora d'Oro (Gaffalione, Tyler)	124	L	2	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	4 ³	3 ^{1/2}	2.31	stalked ins, stayed on
14Feb25 ⁹ Tp ¹⁰	6	Raconteuse (Leparoux, Julien)	124	L	4	2	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 3/4}	9.24	2w,chs 5-6pupr,vie shw
---	7	Velveteen (Arrieta, Francisco)	122	L	5	5	5	5	5	5	17.65	off slow, tralied 2p

Fractional Times: 23.07 46.69 58.95

Split Times: (23:62) (12:26) (12:99)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Final Time: 1:11.94

Winner: Army Nurse, Chestnut Filly, by Army Mule out of South Coast, by War Front. Foaled Jan 17, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Lara Run, LLC

Owner: Werner, William K. and Hidden Brook Farm

Trainer: Lynch, Brian

1 Claimed Horse(s): Army Nurse

New Trainer: Genaro Garcia

New Owner: Southwest Racing Stables, Inc. and Wargel, William J.

Claiming Prices: 1 - Army Nurse: \$50,000; 5 - Lovely Words: \$50,000; 4 - Senora d'Oro: \$50,000; 6 - Raconteuse: \$50,000; 7 - Velveteen: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Our Shenanigan (PrivVet-Illness), Stacking Tens (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$103,603

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Army Nurse	3.62	2.58	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	1-5	12.98	55,369
5	Lovely Words		4.10	2.38	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-5-4	7.13	29,166
4	Senora d'Oro			2.10				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Army Nurse	3	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{3 3/4}
5	Lovely Words	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{3 3/4}
4	Senora d'Oro	4	4 ²	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{4 3/4}
6	Raconteuse	2	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/4}
7	Velveteen	5	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ⁷

Trainers: 1 - Lynch, Brian; 5 - Ortiz, John; 4 - Gutierrez, Fausto; 6 - Wilkes, Ian; 7 - Williamson, Brian

Owners: 1 - Werner, William K. and Hidden Brook Farm; 5 - Rags Racing Stable LLC; 4 - Sotelo, Honorato and Sotelo, Martin; 6 - Selima Holdings, LLC and Bourbon Lane Stable (J. Hill, M. McMahon); 7 - Vanier, Nancy A., Williamson, Lyda and Schmitt, Mike;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ARMY NURSE leaned out and brushed a foe at the start, led from an outer presser while taking the turn in the two path, drove clear in upper stretch and drifted out. LOVELY WORDS pressed outside of the eventual winner and from the three path, failed to sustain pressure after moving to the five path into upper stretch, chased before drifting out in the late staged and held place from pursuers. SENORA D'ORO was brushed by an inner foe at the start, stalked along the inside, stayed on while vying for show through the final furlong and held that position. RACONTEUSE tracked two wide, chased in the five to six path in upper stretch, vied for show in the final furlong but needed more. VELVETEEN broke slow, trailed in the two path and made little impact.