CHURCHILL DOWNS - November 25, 2026 - Race 8

EQUIBASE

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. (For Horses That Sold Or RNA For $65,000 Or Less In Their Most Recent Auction).
Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Fierceness - 1:40.66 - May 2, 2025)
Purse: $92,000
Includes: $18,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund
Plus: $3,328 Other Sources
Available Money: $95,328
Value of Race: $94,788 1st $52,240, 2nd $18,400, 3rd $9,200, 4th $4,600, 5th $2,220, 6th $1,162, 7th $1,162, 8th $1,162, 9th $1,162, 10th $1,160, 11th $1,160, 12th $1,160
Weather: Showery, 47° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:27 **Start:** Good for all except 2,10 **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
25Oct26 ^{3}CD^{3}	9	Pirate Ship (Saez, Luis)	119	b	9	4	1^{1}	$1^{1/2}$	1^{1}	$1^{3\ 1/2}$	$1^{2\ 1/2}$	4.63	pace 2p, cleared 1/4
15Oct26 ^{5}KEE^{6}	4	Wild Streak (Machado, Luan)	119	- -	4	3	2^{1}	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	2^{1}	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$2^{4\ 1/4}$	7.90	prss winner 3p,2nd bst
22Oct26 ^{4}KEE^{3}	8	Sunfyre (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	119	bf	8	7	8^{Head}	7^{Head}	5^{Head}	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	$3^{3/4}$	6.25	3w,5p2nd,edged show
15Oct26 ^{5}KEE^{4}	10	Bonzo (Corrales, Gerardo)	119	b	10	12	10^{2}	10^{3}	$10^{2\ 1/2}$	$8^{1/2}$	4^{Head}	5.99	stdy btw st,3-4p,7p1/4
11Nov26 ^{2}CD^{3}	5	Salty Viking (Ortiz, Jr., Yomar)	112	bf	5	1	5^{1}	$6^{1\ 1/2}$	3^{Head}	$3^{1/2}$	5^{1}	5.28	ins,chsd,yield shw lat
22Oct26 ^{4}KEE^{2}	7	Golden Reserve (Sheehy, Danny)	119	- -	7	6	$3^{1/2}$	$4^{1/2}$	6^{Head}	5^{1}	$6^{1\ 1/4}$	6.37	3p,chsd btw 2nd,no bid
9Oct26 ^{2}KEE^{2}	12	Mysterical (Arrieta, Francisco)	119	- -	12	11	$11^{1/2}$	$11^{1\ 1/2}$	$11^{1\ 1/2}$	$7^{1/2}$	$7^{1\ 3/4}$	16.85	brk out,6-4p1st,6p upr
9Oct26 ^{7}KEE^{9}	1	Innocent No More (Ortiz, Jose)	119	b	1	10	12	12	12	10^{1}	$8^{1/2}$	4.08*	brush start,ins,8p upr
21Oct26 ^{1}KEE^{4}	3	Night Knight (Sanjur, Santo)	119	b	3	2	7^{1}	9^{4}	8^{1}	$6^{1/2}$	9^{4}	19.24	saved ground, no avail
22Oct26 ^{4}KEE^{4}	6	Romo (Morales, Edgar)	119	b	6	9	9^{3}	8^{Head}	9^{2}	12	10^{2}	65.83	2wd btwn,tired,left ld
---	2	Matcha Twist (Machado, Dylan)	119	- -	2	8	$6^{1/2}$	5^{Head}	$7^{1/2}$	$9^{1\ 1/2}$	$11^{2\ 1/4}$	58.25	brsh/chk btw st,2w,wkn
1Nov26 ^{4}CD^{2}	11	Good Hand (Asmussen, Keith)	119	b	11	5	4^{Head}	3^{Head}	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	11^{Head}	12	75.42	brk in,4p,wknd btw 1/4

Fractional Times: 24.47 49.88 1:14.77 1:38.97 **Final Time:** 1:45.42 **Time from Gate:** 1:47.46
Split Times: (25:41) (24:89) (24:20) (6:45)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Pirate Ship, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Midshipman out of La Perla Nera, by More Than Ready. Foaled Mar 24, 2024 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate
Owner: Three Diamonds Farm
Trainer: Sharp, Joe

Scratched Horse(s): Champagne Shane (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: $212,026

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show
9	Pirate Ship	11.26	6.06	4.14
4	Wild Streak		8.86	7.06
8	Sunfyre			5.14

Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
$2.00 Exacta	9-4	107.46	162,841	
$0.50 Trifecta	9-4-8	175.93	88,960	
$0.10 Superfecta	9-4-8-10	191.14	56,452	
$1.00 Daily Double	1-9	46.52	26,600	
$0.50 Pick 3	7-1-9 (3 correct)	142.18	40,731	
$2.00 Odd or Even	ODD	2.10	183	
$1.00 Z-5 Super Hi-5	9-4-8-10-5		2,287	1,784

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Pirate Ship	4	1^{1}	$1^{1/2}$	1^{1}	$1^{3\ 1/2}$	$1^{2\ 1/2}$
4	Wild Streak	3	2^{1}	$2^{1/2}$	2^{1}	$2^{3\ 1/2}$	$2^{2\ 1/2}$
8	Sunfyre	7	8^{5}	$7^{4\ 1/4}$	$5^{3\ 1/2}$	$4^{5\ 1/2}$	$3^{6\ 3/4}$
10	Bonzo	12	$10^{8\ 1/4}$	$10^{8\ 1/2}$	$10^{7\ 1/4}$	8^{9}	$4^{7\ 1/2}$
5	Salty Viking	1	$5^{2\ 1/2}$	$6^{2\ 3/4}$	3^{2}	3^{5}	$5^{7\ 1/2}$
7	Golden Reserve	6	3^{2}	4^{2}	$6^{3\ 3/4}$	5^{7}	$6^{8\ 1/2}$
12	Mysterical	11	$11^{10\ 1/4}$	$11^{11\ 1/2}$	$11^{9\ 3/4}$	$7^{8\ 1/2}$	$7^{9\ 3/4}$
1	Innocent No More	10	$12^{10\ 3/4}$	12^{13}	$12^{11\ 1/4}$	10^{11}	$8^{11\ 1/2}$
3	Night Knight	2	7^{4}	$9^{4\ 1/2}$	$8^{4\ 1/4}$	6^{8}	9^{12}
6	Romo	9	$9^{5\ 1/4}$	$8^{4\ 1/4}$	$9^{5\ 1/4}$	12^{12}	10^{16}
2	Matcha Twist	8	$6^{3\ 1/2}$	$5^{2\ 1/2}$	$7^{3\ 3/4}$	$9^{9\ 1/2}$	11^{18}
11	Good Hand	5	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	3^{2}	4^{2}	11^{12}	$12^{20\ 1/4}$

Trainers: 9 - Sharp, Joe; 4 - Ennis, John; 8 - Wilkes, Ian; 10 - Romans, Dale; 5 - Sharp, Joe; 7 - Mott, Riley; 12 - Anderson, Doug; 1 - Arnold II, George; 3 - Navarrete, Anna; 6 - Moquett, Ron; 2 - Colebrook, Ben; 11 - Morse, Randy

Owners: 9 - Three Diamonds Farm; 4 - BC Stables, LLC, Albritton, Bob, Baggett, David and Graham, Jay; 8 - Old Guys Rule Racing Stables; 10 - Romans, Dale L. and Berg, Steve; 5 - Moving Forward Racing, LLC; 7 - Silverton Hill LLC; 12 -Aaron Kennedy; 1 -Brent J. Malmstrom; 3 - Rolling Fields Thoroughbreds; 6 - Triton Thoroughbreds LLC; 2 - Midway Racing LLC (Davant Latham); 11 - Orr, Ed and Orr, Susie;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms
PIRATE SHIP brushed with an inner foe at the start, set the pace in the two path, drew clear of an outer presser entering the lane then held sway. WILD STREAK pressed the eventual winner from the three path, failed to keep pace entering the lane yet proved second best. SUNFYRE brushed with an outer rival leaving the gate, laid off of the pace three wide, took the far turn in the five path then stayed on one paced to edge show. BONZO got antsy in the starting gate then steadied when put to tight quarters between horses at the start, lacked speed in the three to four path, swung to the seven path entering the lane and rallied willingly. SALTY VIKING tracked along the inside, chased through the lane then yielded show to outer rivals late. GOLDEN RESERVE tracked from the three path, chased between rivals around the far turn and lacked a bid. MYSTERICAL broke outwardly, lacked speed in the six to four path into the backstretch, fanned to the six path and between horses into the lane and failed to menace. INNOCENT NO MORE brushed with an outer rival at the start, trailed along the inside, swung to the eight path in upper stretch and failed to threaten. NIGHT KNIGHT saved ground off of the pace to no avail.

ROMO raced off of the pace two wide and between horses then tired on his left lead. MATCHA TWIST brushed with an inner foe and checked back between horses at the start, pursued from midpack two wide then weakened between horses. GOOD HAND broke inwardly, stalked from the four path then weakened between horses entering the lane.

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