CHURCHILL DOWNS - November 29, 2025 - Race 2

EQUIBASE

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than $75,000). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at One mile.).

Distance: About One Mile On The Turf - Originally Scheduled For 1 Mile On Turf **Current Track Record:** (Gairloch - 1:36.64 - November 29, 2025)

Purse: $120,000

Includes: $52,500 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Plus: $2,025 Other Sources

Available Money: $122,025

Value of Race: $122,025 1st $69,300, 2nd $24,000, 3rd $12,000, 4th $6,000, 5th $3,600, 6th $1,191, 7th $1,191, 8th $1,186, 9th $1,186, 10th $1,186, 11th $1,185

Weather: Cloudy**,** 36° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 1:30 **Start:** Good for all except 6,12 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	4	Gairloch (Gaffalione, Tyler)	119	- -	3	3	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	4^{2}	$3^{1/2}$	2^{Head}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	6.19	2w,4p upr,grind,cleard
25Oct25 ^{10}KEE^{6}	2	Royal Causeway (Geroux, Florent)	119	b	2	4	$3^{1/2}$	$3^{1/2}$	4^{3}	4^{4}	2^{Head}	6.92	ins,ran on,up place 2w
15Nov25 ^{1}CD^{3}	1	Happy Prince (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	119	b	1	1	$1^{1/2}$	$1^{1/2}$	$1^{1/2}$	1^{2}	3^{1}	1.64*	ins foe,clrd,cght 1/16
12Oct25 ^{2}KEE^{10}	5	Penn Star (Machado, Luan)	119	b	4	7	2^{2}	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$3^{1/2}$	$4^{4\ 3/4}$	26.20	prompt 2wd,yielded btw
26Oct25 ^{3}CD^{5}	16	Moluccan (Saez, Luis)	119	- -	11	8	$7^{1/2}$	$7^{1/2}$	$6^{3\ 1/2}$	5^{1}	5^{4}	2.55	2wd btwn,no menace
19Oct25 ^{4}KEE^{9}	8	Sun Dodger (Concepcion, Axel)	119	f	7	5	$5^{1/2}$	$5^{1\ 1/2}$	5^{1}	$6^{4\ 1/2}$	$6^{1\ 3/4}$	47.53	3-2w1st,ins 2nd,no bid
25Oct25 ^{2}KEE^{4}	10	Massachusetts (Rosario, Joel)	119	- -	8	6	$10^{2\ 1/2}$	10^{3}	9^{1}	7^{Head}	$7^{2\ 3/4}$	7.08	bump start,2w,5p upr
26Oct25 ^{9}CD^{10}	14	Dark Hope (Leparoux, Julien)	119	b	10	2	8^{2}	8^{2}	7^{1}	8^{1}	$8^{1\ 1/2}$	56.68	lean in/bmp st,4-3p1st
---	6	Two Jack (Machado, Dylan)	119	b	5	11	$9^{1/2}$	9^{Head}	10^{Head}	$9^{1\ 1/2}$	$9^{3\ 1/2}$	62.63	off slow, saved ground
26Oct25 ^{7}CD^{11}	7	Street Party (Sheehy, Danny)	119	b	6	10	$6^{1/2}$	6^{Head}	$8^{1/2}$	$10^{2\ 1/2}$	10^{7}	15.23	step solw st,ins,tired
12Oct25 ^{2}KEE^{9}	12	Because of Love (Cheminaud, Vincent)	119	- -	9	9	11	11	11	11	11	82.32	bmpd btw st, off heels

Fractional Times: 23.80 47.95 1:12.41 1:24.33 **Final Time:** 1:36.64 (New Track Record)

Split Times: (24:15) (24:46) (11:92) (12:31)

Run-Up: 30 feet **Temporary Rail:** 5 feet

Winner: Gairloch, Bay Gelding, by McKinzie out of Estate, by Quality Road. Foaled Jan 30, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Natalma Bloodstock Limited

Owner: Michael H. Burke

Trainer: Walsh, Brendan

Scratched Horse(s): Empire West (Also-Eligible), Flaming Rainbow (RegVet-Unsound), Light Cav (Trainer), Mendels Mate (Re-entered), Untethered (IRE) (RegVet-Unsound)

Total WPS Pool: $236,931

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show
4	Gairloch	14.38	8.08	4.24
2	Royal Causeway		6.38	3.58
1	Happy Prince			2.74

Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
$2.00 Exacta	4-2	94.78	225,935	
$0.50 Trifecta	4-2-1	53.93	117,713	
$0.10 Superfecta	4-2-1-5	154.35	71,691	
$1.00 Daily Double	8-4	36.14	56,644	
$1.00 Z-5 Super Hi-5	4-2-1-5-16		6,799	5,297

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Gairloch	3	4^{3}	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	3^{2}	2^{2}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$
2	Royal Causeway	4	$3^{2\ 1/2}$	3^{2}	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	$2^{1\ 1/2}$
1	Happy Prince	1	$1^{1/2}$	$1^{1/2}$	$1^{1/2}$	1^{2}	$3^{1\ 1/2}$
5	Penn Star	7	$2^{1/2}$	$2^{1/2}$	$2^{1/2}$	3^{2}	$4^{2\ 1/2}$
16	Moluccan	8	$7^{5\ 1/2}$	7^{6}	$6^{6\ 1/2}$	$5^{6\ 1/2}$	$5^{7\ 1/4}$
8	Sun Dodger	5	$5^{4\ 1/2}$	$5^{4\ 1/2}$	$5^{5\ 1/2}$	$6^{7\ 1/2}$	$6^{11\ 1/4}$
10	Massachusetts	6	$10^{8\ 1/2}$	$10^{8\ 3/4}$	$9^{11\ 1/2}$	7^{12}	7^{13}
14	Dark Hope	2	8^{6}	$8^{6\ 1/2}$	7^{10}	$8^{12\ 1/4}$	$8^{15\ 3/4}$
6	Two Jack	11	9^{8}	$9^{8\ 1/2}$	$10^{12\ 1/2}$	$9^{13\ 1/4}$	$9^{17\ 1/4}$
7	Street Party	10	6^{5}	6^{6}	8^{11}	$10^{14\ 3/4}$	$10^{20\ 3/4}$
12	Because of Love	9	11^{11}	$11^{11\ 3/4}$	$11^{12\ 1/2}$	$11^{17\ 1/4}$	$11^{27\ 3/4}$

Trainers: 4 - Walsh, Brendan; 2 - Stewart, Dallas; 1 - Casse, Mark; 5 - Wismer, Glenn; 16 - McCarthy, Michael; 8 - Oliver, Victoria; 10 - Asmussen, Steven; 14 - Wilkes, Ian; 6 - Huffman, Patrick; 7 - Kenneally, Eddie; 12 - Pierce, Lacy

Owners: 4 -Michael H. Burke; 2 - Gervais Racing LLC; 1 -Gary Barber; 5 - Novogratz Racing Stables, Inc.; 16 - Juddmonte; 8 - St. George Farm Racing LLC (Banwell); 10 - Harrell Ventures LLC; 14 - Shadowfax LLC; 6 - Winchester Place Thoroughbreds LLC; 7 - Boxman Stables and Kenneally, Eddie; 12 - S. J. S. Stables;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms

GAIRLOCH stalked two wide, tipped to the four path in upper stretch, progressed after changing to his right lead at the furlong grounds, ranged up to the leader at the sixteenth pole and drove clear. ROYAL CAUSEWAY stalked along the inside, ran on willingly into the final furlong, tipped two wide and at the sixteenth pole and gained place at the wire. HAPPY PRINCE set the pace inside of a prompting foe, shook free of that one in upper stretch, but was caught by an outer challenger at the sixteenth pole, yielded and lost place at the wire. PENN STAR came out at the start, prompted outside of the leader, failed to keep pace with that one in the three path in upper stretch then yielded between rivals in the final sixteenth. MOLUCCAN raced off of the pace two wide and between horses, then failed to menace. SUN DODGER tracked from midpack three to two wide into the backstretch, then along the inside around the far turn, tipped out and failed to threaten. MASSACHUSETTS bumped with an outer rival at the start, lacked speed two wide, shifted out to the five path in upper stretch and failed to factor. DARK HOPE leaned inwardly and bumped a foe at the start, raced off of the pace in the four to three path around the first turn and tired. TWO JACK broke slowly, saved ground well back to no avail. STREET PARTY broke a step slow, saved ground in midpack and tired. BECAUSE OF LOVE was bumped between horses at the start, altered off of rival's heels into the first turn, trailed in the two path, shifted out to the six path

into upper stretch and got outrun.

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