

**COLONIAL DOWNS - July 5, 2026 - Race 1**

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 50% VBF) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Claiming Price \$12,500. **Claiming Price:** \$12,500

**Distance:** One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Caldera - 1:33.27 - June 25, 2026)

**Purse:** \$28,000

**Plus:** \$1,000 Starters Bonus

**Available Money:** \$29,000

**Value of Race:** \$29,000 1st \$16,800, 2nd \$5,600, 3rd \$2,800, 4th \$1,400, 5th \$1,200, 6th \$1,200

**Weather:** Clear, 84° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 10:47 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29May26 <sup>5</sup> CD <sup>9</sup>	5	Power Aura (Sanchez, Mychel)	118 L b	5	2	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2.60	rail bid3/8,5w1/8,held
25Jun26 <sup>8</sup> CNL <sup>5</sup>	6	Dare Defying (Esquivel, Emmanuel)	118 L b	6	3	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup> 3/4	1.40*	2-3p trn,4w1/4,gaining
25Jun26 <sup>8</sup> CNL <sup>7</sup>	1	Revolution Rock (Toledo, Jevian) <small>VA CERTIFIED</small>	118 L b	1	5	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>10</sup> 3/4	6.50	bmpd st,2p,fin well
---	3	Christmas Surprise (Vargas, Jose)	119 L f	3	4	5 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>11</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	21.20	ins,2w1/4, improved
13Jun26 <sup>6</sup> LRL <sup>9</sup>	4	Skedaddling Home (Lopez, Paco)	118 L b	4	1	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>24</sup>	2.10	3-2p,5w1/4,tired lane
---	2	Festus (Vives, Sofia)	118 L b	2	6	6	6	6	6	6	20.50	bmpd st,3-2p trn,tired

**Fractional Times:** 23.01 45.65 1:10.41 1:23.51 **Final Time:** 1:37.43 **Time from Gate:** 1:38.63

**Split Times:** (22:64) (24:76) (13:10) (13:92)

**Run-Up:** 50 feet

**Winner:** Power Aura, Bay Ridgling, by Cloud Computing out of Fast Moon, by Malibu Moon. Foaled Feb 14, 2023 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Magdalena Racing

**Owner:** Ubaldo Maldonado

**Trainer:** Simms, Jr., Mark

**1 Claimed Horse(s):** Dare Defying New Trainer: Kevin J. Joy New Owner: Pesaturo, Gus and Joy, Kevin J.

**Claiming Prices:** 5 - Power Aura: \$12,500; 6 - Dare Defying: \$12,500; 1 - Revolution Rock: \$12,500; 3 - Christmas Surprise: \$12,500; 4 - Skedaddling Home: \$12,500; 2 - Festus: \$12,500;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$20,843

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Power Aura	7.20	3.20	2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	5-6	8.90	15,456
6	Dare Defying		2.60	2.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-6-1-3	8.38	4,663
1	Revolution Rock			3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-6-1	13.85	6,806

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Power Aura	2	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1/2</sup>
6	Dare Defying	3	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1/2</sup>
1	Revolution Rock	5	4 <sup>4</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>6</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/4
3	Christmas Surprise	4	5 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>7</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>9</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>10</sup>	4 <sup>13</sup>
4	Skedaddling Home	1	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>7</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>16</sup>
2	Festus	6	6 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>8</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>16</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>21</sup>	6 <sup>40</sup>

**Trainers:** 5 - Simms, Jr., Mark; 6 - McPeck, Kenneth; 1 - Bailes, W.; 3 - Shuman, Mark; 4 - Trombetta, Michael; 2 - McCutchen, Jason

**Owners:** 5 -Ubaldo Maldonado; 6 - David A. Bernsen LLC, Chambers, James and Lewis, Tommie M.; 1 - Smith, Steven R. and Durand, Howard; 3 -Wendy Hendricks; 4 -Marie F. Trombetta; 2 -Robert B. McCutchen;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

POWER AURA was well placed early, made a quick rail bid by the three-eighths marker and shook clear by the five-sixteenths and then moved out leaving the quarter pole to the five to six path by the furlong marker and then held DARE DEYING at bay late to prove best under right handed crop urging. DARE DEFYING pressed the early pace three wide and then moved in to stalk the pace two wide entering the turn, moved out to the three path and made a mild bid with the winner three wide by the three furlong marker and tracked that rival three to four wide off the turn and made another bid in the lane and was gaining late but could not get by the winner. REVOLUTION ROCK bumped with a rival at the break, settled along the inside and then moved out to the two path on the turn and came three wide by the quarter pole and then moved in to finish well on the inside. CHRISTMAS SURPRISE was allowed to settle early, dropped to the inside on the turn and came two wide by the quarter pole and moved out in the lane and improved. SKEDADDLING HOME set a pressured pace off the rail, three wide entering the turn and then was two wide and in between rivals by the three furlong marker and fell back, moved to the outside and was five wide by the quarter pole and tired. FESTUS bumped with a rival at the break and chased the pace from the outside and was three wide entering the turn and tired.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred