

COLONIAL DOWNS - July 18, 2026 - Race 1

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO 50% VBF) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.
Claiming Price \$12,500. **Claiming Price:** \$12,500
Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Love Me Tender - 1:01.30 - July 13, 2024)
Purse: \$28,000
Plus: \$3,400 Starters Bonus
Available Money: \$31,400
Value of Race: \$31,400 1st \$16,800, 2nd \$5,600, 3rd \$2,800, 4th \$1,400, 5th \$1,200, 6th \$1,200, 7th \$1,200, 8th \$1,200
Weather: Hazy, 90° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 11:32 **Start:** Good for all except 3,8 **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	8	Sotto Mo (Esquivel, Emmanuel)	124	L b	8	8	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 3/4}	3.30	step slw,bid2-3w,clear
25Jun26 ² HAW ²	7	Chief Morter (Loveberry, Jareth)	119	L b	7	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ⁵	2 ^{1 3/4}	2.10*	sharp brk,ins,2nd best
26Apr26 ⁶ TAM ³	4	Bernardo's Legacy (Marin, Samuel)	124	L b	4	6	5 ¹	5 ^{5 1/2}	4 ²	3 ^{Nose}	5.70	brk in bmp,2p,angled5w
27Jun26 ⁴ CNL ⁸	5	Birdy Whisper (Rosado, Johan)	119	L b	5	2	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ¹	4 ^{3 1/4}	24.30	chased3-4w,lost 3rd
27Jun26 ⁴ CNL ²	1	Gran Corredor (Fuentes, Mario)	124	L bf	1	3	7 ⁶	7 ⁵	6 ⁵	5 ^{2 3/4}	7.10	ins-2p turn, belatedly
3Jul26 ⁵ PEN ³	6	Paintmymasterpeace (Ruiz, Jorge)	119	L	6	5	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	6 ⁶	2.70	chased4-5w, weakened
26Apr26 ⁶ TAM ⁴	3	Arrow Ghost (Fuenmayor, Luis)	117	L bf	3	7	8	8	7 ²	7 ^{10 1/4}	17.60	bumped,checked start
27Jun26 ⁴ CNL ⁹	2	Lady's Lad (Montalvo, Carlos)	119	L bf	2	4	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	8	8	21.80	bmpd brk,2w, stopped

Fractional Times: 22.92 45.57 57.78 **Final Time:** 1:04.44 **Time from Gate:** 1:05.64
Split Times: (22:65) (12:21) (6:66)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Sotto Mo, Gray or Roan Colt, by Uncle Mo out of Sotto Voce, by Tapit. Foaled May 07, 2022 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Barronstown Stud
Owner: Halona PH, LLC
Trainer: West, Aaron

1 Claimed Horse(s): Chief Morter New Trainer: Kevin J. Joy New Owner: Pesaturo, Gus and Joy, Kevin J.

Claiming Prices: 8 - Sotto Mo: \$12,500; 7 - Chief Morter: \$12,500; 4 - Bernardo's Legacy: \$12,500; 5 - Birdy Whisper: \$12,500; 1 - Gran Corredor: \$12,500; 6 - Paintmymasterpeace: \$12,500; 3 - Arrow Ghost: \$12,500; 2 - Lady's Lad: \$12,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$33,702

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Sotto Mo	8.60	5.00	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	8-7	14.70	26,347
7	Chief Morter		4.00	2.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	8-7-4-5	96.15	10,269
4	Bernardo's Legacy			3.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-7-4	47.60	13,447

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
8	Sotto Mo	8	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{2 3/4}
7	Chief Morter	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{2 3/4}
4	Bernardo's Legacy	6	5 ³	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁶	3 ^{4 1/2}
5	Birdy Whisper	2	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	3 ⁵	4 ^{4 1/2}
1	Gran Corredor	3	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{9 1/2}	6 ⁹	5 ^{7 3/4}
6	Paintmymasterpeace	5	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	5 ⁸	6 ^{10 1/2}
3	Arrow Ghost	7	8 ^{11 1/2}	8 ^{14 1/2}	7 ¹⁴	7 ^{16 1/2}
2	Lady's Lad	4	6 ⁴	6 ⁹	8 ¹⁶	8 ^{26 3/4}

Trainers: 8 - West, Aaron; 7 - Rivelli, Larry; 4 - Orseno, Joseph; 5 - Munoz, Carlos; 1 - Werneth, Robert; 6 - Magee, Kieron; 3 - Paramo, Martin; 2 - Kelly, Blake

Owners: 8 - Halona PH, LLC; 7 -Carolyn Wilson; 4 -Gabriela Alvarez-Calderon; 5 -Valentin Jimenez; 1 -Mauricio E. Fuentes; 6 -Kieron Magee; 3 -Shannon Colson; 2 - Red Devil Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SOTTO MO was off a blue slow but quickly recovered and rushed up on the outside to stalk the leader three to two wide on the turn, then went up to go on even terms for command leaving the five-sixteenths marker and made a two to three wide bid leaving the turn and gained a short lead nearing the furlong marker and kicked clear to prove best under left handed crop urging. CHIEF MORTER broke sharply and was soon clear to set the pace on the inside, then was pressured by the five-sixteenths and dueled for command leaving the turn but could not stay with the winner in the final furlong while keeping on to be second best. BERNARDO'S LEGACY broke in sharply and bumped a foe at the break, settled two wide on the turn and angled out five wide leaving the turn and had a mild late rally winning the bob for the show award. BIRDY WHISPER chased the pace and was three to four wide on the turn and kept on one paced losing the bob for the show award. GRAN CORREDOR was reserved on the inside and moved out to the two path leaving the five-sixteenths and came two wide off the turn and had a belated rally. PAINTMYMASTERPEACE chased the pace and raced four to five wide on the turn and weakened. ARROW GHOST was bumped soundly and checked at the start and dropped back to trail early and never factored. LADY'S LAD bumped at the start and chased the pace two wide and stopped.