

COLONIAL DOWNS - September 3, 2025 - Race 8

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

OUTER TURF FOR VA RESTRICTED MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Claiming Price \$16,000. (Rail at 90 feet). (S) **Claiming Price:** \$16,000

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Outer turf **Current Track Record:** (Four Wheel Drive - 1:00.84 - August 31, 2019)

Purse: \$40,000

Plus: \$2,800 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$42,800

Value of Race: \$42,800 1st \$24,000, 2nd \$8,000, 3rd \$4,000, 4th \$2,000, 5th \$1,200, 6th \$1,200, 7th \$1,200, 8th \$1,200

Weather: Clear, 72° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 4:05 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
12Jul25 ² CNL ⁶	4	Blessings Bestowed (Casique, Ubardo) <small>VA CERTIFIED</small>	121	L b	4	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁵	1 ^{8 1/4}	1.40	brk sharp, kept to task
21Aug25 ⁸ CT ²	11	Dadio (Ashton, Gavin)	121	L bf	8	3	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	28.50	3w, no match, nod 2nd
13Aug25 ⁸ CNL ⁶	1	Let Fly (Karamanos, Horacio) <small>VA CERTIFIED</small>	121	L bf	1	7	6 ^{Head}	4 ¹	4 ²	3 ^{Neck}	9.20	std'd 9/16, 3w, missed 2nd
14Aug25 ¹ CNL ²	6	Efficacy (Russell, Sheldon)	124	L b	6	5	3 ^{1/2}	3 ³	3 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	1.30*	pressed 2p, outkickd 2nd
16Aug25 ⁶ CNL ¹¹	2	Maximus Thunder (Trejos, Joseph)	121	L b	2	4	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ⁴	5 ^{6 1/4}	11.50	one paced thru out
13Aug25 ⁸ CNL ¹¹	3	Pretty Jimmy (Centeno, Daniel)	124	L b	3	8	7 ³	7 ⁴	6 ²	6 ^{3 1/2}	5.70	last away, back
22Aug25 ⁵ CNL ⁷	5	Salty Lime (Burnham, Matilda)	114	L h	5	6	4 ²	5 ¹	7 ¹²	7 ^{10 3/4}	55.10	forward, steady fade
14Mar25 ⁸ PEN ⁶	10	Gollum (Hamilton, Weston)	121	b	7	2	8	8	8	8	75.40	unruly loading, 4w

Fractional Times: 22.33 45.15 56.72

Final Time: 1:02.92

Split Times: (22:82) (11:57) (6:20)

Run-Up: 90 feet **Temporary Rail:** 90 feet

Winner: Blessings Bestowed, Bay Gelding, by Midshipman out of Practical Ideas, by Prospect Bay. Foaled Mar 26, 2022 in West Virginia.

Breeder: C. Allen Johnson

Owner: C. Allen Johnson

Trainer: Clement III, Roland

Claiming Prices: 4 - Blessings Bestowed: \$16,000; 11 - Dadio: \$16,000; 1 - Let Fly: \$16,000; 6 - Efficacy: \$16,000; 2 - Maximus Thunder: \$16,000; 3 - Pretty Jimmy: \$16,000; 5 - Salty Lime: \$16,000; 10 - Gollum: \$16,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Italiano Kid (Trainer), Last of Bad Boys (Trainer), Vernor's Junction (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$91,974

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
4	Blessings Bestowed	4.80	3.60	3.00	\$1.00 Pick 3	7-2-4 (3 correct)	432.70	15,660	
11	Dadio		17.40	10.20	\$0.50 Pick 4	2/9-7-2-4 (4 correct)	570.00	36,550	
1	Let Fly			4.40	\$0.50 Pick 5	2/3-2/9-7-2-4 (5 correct)	2,000.70	47,766	
					\$0.50 Pick 6	1/5-2/3-2/9-7-2-4 (5 correct)	138.65	5,873	3,744
					\$1.00 Daily Double	2-4	26.20	24,626	
					\$1.00 Exacta	4-11	62.60	83,479	
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-11-1-6	85.07	38,048	
					\$0.50 Trifecta	4-11-1	212.90	49,514	

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
4	Blessings Bestowed	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁵	1 ^{8 1/4}
11	Dadio	3	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ⁵	2 ^{8 1/4}
1	Let Fly	7	6 ^{3 3/4}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁶	3 ^{8 1/4}
6	Efficacy	5	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ⁵	4 ^{8 1/2}
2	Maximus Thunder	4	5 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁸	5 ⁹
3	Pretty Jimmy	8	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ⁷	6 ¹²	6 ^{15 1/4}
5	Salty Lime	6	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	7 ¹⁴	7 ^{18 3/4}
10	Gollum	2	8 ^{6 3/4}	8 ¹¹	8 ²⁶	8 ^{29 1/2}

Trainers: 4 - Clement III, Roland; 11 - Hess, Jacob; 1 - Allen III, A.; 6 - Meyers, Madison; 2 - Williams, Jr., Gary; 3 - Cooney, Susan; 5 - McClure, Diana; 10 - Smith, Lawrence

Owners: 4 -C. Allen Johnson; 11 -Jacob G. Hess; 1 - Burning Daylight Farms, Inc.; 6 - Sunny Ridge Farm; 2 -Gary L. Williams, Jr.; 3 - Quest Realty; 5 -Kevin L. Anderson; 10 - Kabel Stables and Hickory Made Stables;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BLESSINGS BESTOWED broke sharp, clear early with minimal encouragement, shrugged off a couple of foes entering the stretch, drew out steadily while being kept to task. DADIO prompted the winner from the outside early, crept a bit closer three wide late in the turn then proved no match, narrowly gained the nod for the runner up position. LET FLY broke back from along the inside, steadied slightly with over a half mile to run, advanced steadily three wide through the turn, also proved no match for the winner, narrowly missed the place. EFFICACY in the second flight while inside the runner up, long drive with lane one for the second spot, outkicked. MAXIMUS THUNDER went one paced throughout toward the inside. PRETTY JIMMY last away, remained always back. SALTY LIME forwardly placed early along the inside, began a steady retreat after a quarter. GOLLUM unruly loading, broke up, fell back four wide, well beaten at the end.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred

Total Attendance: 0

Handle: \$1,713,629