

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - April 30, 2026 - Race 5

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR ACCREDITED WEST VIRGINIA-BRED MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE, FOUR, FIVE, AND SIX YEARS OLD.

Older, 126 lbs.; Three Year Olds, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500, if for \$10,000, allowed 2 lbs. (S) **Claiming Price:** \$12,500 - \$10,000

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Lucy's Bob Boy - 1:16.44 - December 11, 2012)

Purse: \$20,500

Available Money: \$20,500

Value of Race: \$20,500 1st \$12,216, 2nd \$4,072, 3rd \$2,036, 4th \$1,018, 5th \$611, 6th \$407, 7th \$140

Weather: Cloudy, 50° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 9:13 **Start:** Good for all except 3,4 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25Mar26 ⁸ CT ⁵	5	DQ-Hellenic Spirit (Maldonado, Christian)	120	L	bf	4 6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{3/4}	21.90	pace,lf-ld,lug out,drv
5Feb26 ⁵ CT ⁸	7	Flattering Way (Lewis, Justin)	126	L	bf	6 5	7	6 ⁴	4 ²	2 ^{Neck}	5.90	cut corner,rallied str
25Mar26 ⁸ CT ⁴	2	Saichi's Girl (Acosta, J.)	120	L	b	1 3	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	1.40*	forced out up,willing
17Apr26 ⁸ CT ³	4	Amama (Diaz, Jr., Sunday) <small>VA CERTIFIED</small>	120	L	b	3 2	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹⁰	1.50	bmp,off heels,improved
17Apr26 ⁸ CT ⁴	6	Unusual Bay (Santaella, Moises)	124	L	b	5 1	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Neck}	9.80	press2w3/8,faded str
5Mar26 ² CT ⁶	8	Pettyisaspettydoes (Larrosa, Gustavo)	120	L	b	7 4	4 ⁴	4 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{1 3/4}	8.00	chase4w3/8,gave way
17Apr26 ⁸ CT ⁵	3	Ekati Indian (Raspaldo, Jahnxander)	110	L	b	2 7	6 ²	7	7	7	57.10	bump start, no factor

Fractional Times: 23.95 48.30 1:14.87

Final Time: 1:21.78 **Time from Gate:** 1:23.40

Split Times: (24:35) (26:57) (6:91)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Flattering Way, Dark Bay or Brown Mare, by Aaron's Way out of Flattering Annie, by Flatter. Foaled May 14, 2020 in West Virginia.

Breeder: Bybee Road Farm

Owner: Isaac Barahona

Trainer: Barahona, Isaac

Claiming Prices: 5 - Hellenic Spirit: \$12,500; 7 - Flattering Way: \$12,500; 2 - Saichi's Girl: \$12,500; 4 - Amama: \$12,500; 6 - Unusual Bay: \$10,000; 8 - Pettyisaspettydoes: \$12,500; 3 - Ekati Indian: \$12,500;

Disqualification(s): # 5 Hellenic Spirit from 1 to 4

Scratched Horse(s): Reece's Drama (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$65,810

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Flattering Way	13.80	6.00	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	7-2	21.10	41,490
2	Saichi's Girl		3.00	2.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	7-2-4	45.10	33,024
4	Amama			2.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	7-2-4-5	220.10	24,923
					\$1.00 Pick 3	6-2-7 (3 correct)	153.40	14,063
					\$1.00 Pick 4	2-6-2-7 (4 correct)	1,241.90	43,015
					\$1.00 Pick 5	3-2-6-2-7 (5 correct)	9,330.90	58,338
					\$2.00 Daily Double	2-7	87.60	7,621

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Hellenic Spirit	6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ^{3/4}
7	Flattering Way	5	7 ¹⁰	6 ^{6 1/2}	4 ²	2 ^{3/4}
2	Saichi's Girl	3	3 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	3 ¹
4	Amama	2	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}
6	Unusual Bay	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	5 ⁴	5 ^{11 1/2}
8	Pettyisaspettydoes	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	6 ⁴	6 ^{11 3/4}
3	Ekati Indian	7	6 ⁸	7 ^{10 1/2}	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{13 1/2}

Trainers: 5 - Schottroffe, Edward; 7 - Barahona, Isaac; 2 - Viands, Stacey; 4 - Adorno, Jean; 6 - Brown, Ronney; 8 - Petty, Kristy; 3 - McKee, Cynthia

Owners: 5 - O'Sullivan Farms LLC; 7 -Isaac Barahona; 2 -Troy Rankin; 4 - Valls Thoroughbreds LLC; 6 -Kevin L. Anderson; 8 - KP Racing Stables, LLC; 3 - Beau Ridge Farm, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

HELLENIC SPIRIT urged along set the pace along the rail around the first turn, fought off outside rival leaving the quarter pole, clear leader approaching the furlong marker, lugged out while unable to switch leads in upper stretch, dug in gamely held on late. FLATTERING WAY rated off the pace three wide down the back stretch, cut the corner into the lane, rallied with good energy through the final sixteenth. SAICHI'S GIRL sent hard into the first turn, chased along the rail down the backside, took aim four wide into the lane, forced out by HELLENIC SPRIT in upper stretch, chased on willingly for the show. AMAMA bumped at the start, clean pocket off the pace down the backside, angled out around the far turn, off heels upper, improved position after a rough trip. UNUSUAL BAY hustled up into the first turn, pressed the leader two wide into the far turn, fade through the stretch. PETTYISASPETTYDOES away in good order, pressed four wide down the backside, gave way upper. EKATI INDIAN bumped at the start, saved ground well off the pace, never factored. THERE WERE TWO CLAIMS OF FOUL IN THIS RACE, THE RIDER OF AMAMA CLAIMED FOUL AGAINST THE RIDER OF SAICHI'S GIRL FOR INETERFERENCE IN UPPER STARTCH, THIS CLIAM WAS DISALLOWED BY THE JUDGE'S. THE RIDER OF SACHI'S GIRL CLAIMDE FOUL AGAINST THE RIDER OF HELLENIC SPIRIT FOR INETERFERNCE IN UPPER STRETCH, AFTER REVIEW HELLENIC SPIRIT WAS DISQUALIFIED AND PLACE FOURTH.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred