

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - August 21, 2026 - Race 1

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, THREE, FOUR, FIVE, AND SIX YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500, if for \$10,000, allowed 2 lbs. **Claiming Price:** \$12,500 - \$10,000

Distance: Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Good Lord - 1:22.68 - June 30, 2012)

Purse: \$20,500

Available Money: \$20,500

[Video Race Replay](#)

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, 75° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 7:11 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
31Jul26 ⁵ CT ⁴	2	El Rabano (Chilo, Maximo)	124	L	bf	2 2	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	1 ²	1 ³ 1/2	4.80	solo pace, clr driving
1Aug26 ¹ DEL ²	5	Mr Skinny (Radosevich, Joshua)	115	L	bf	5 4	4 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁵	2 ¹ 1/2	2.60	angled in1/16,chased
30Jul26 ⁵ CNL ⁶	1	Birdy Whisper (Rodriguez, Víctor)	122	L	b	1 1	2 ¹	2 ³ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	3 ³	2.30*	chase2w1/4,willingly
6Aug26 ² CT ⁶	6	DQ-Knocking Luck (Espinoza, Alexis)	121	L	b2	6 6	6 ²	6 ⁴	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ²	5.10	bid btw1/4,no kick str
24Jul26 ¹ CT ³	4	Mustwinagenda (Rivera, Javier)	119	L		4 7	7	7	6 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/4	10.50	outrun, no response
24Apr26 ⁴ TAM ⁸	7	Chance On Me (Bocachica, Arnaldo)	121	L		7 5	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹	5 ³	6 ¹⁶ 1/2	4.70	off pace3w,no factor
11Sep25 ⁷ PEN ⁵	3	Mersin Heat (Whitacre, Grant)	126	L	b	3 3	3 ¹	4 ³	7	7	25.00	off heels3/16,weakened

Fractional Times: 23.69 47.42 1:13.81 **Final Time:** 1:27.94 **Time from Gate:** 1:29.45

Split Times: (23:73) (26:39) (14:13)

Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: El Rabano, Bay Gelding, by [Twirling Candy](#) out of Tapit Queen, by Tapit. Foaled Apr 24, 2022 in Kentucky.

 Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Hill N Dale Equine Holdings, Inc

Owner: Mark Joseph Racanelli

Trainer: Racanelli, Mark

Claiming Prices: 2 - El Rabano: \$10,000; 5 - Mr Skinny: \$10,000; 1 - Birdy Whisper: \$12,500; 6 - Knocking Luck: \$12,500; 4 - Mustwinagenda: \$10,000; 7 - Chance On Me: \$12,500; 3 - Mersin Heat: \$12,500;

Disqualification(s): # 6 Knocking Luck from 4 to 7

Total WPS Pool: \$43,280

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	El Rabano	11.60	5.60	2.80	\$1.00 Exacta	2-5	25.40	35,355
5	Mr Skinny		4.40	2.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	2-5-1	121.50	23,996
1	Birdy Whisper			2.60	\$1.00 Superfecta	2-5-1-4	398.80	16,090

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	El Rabano	2	1 ² 1/2	1 ²	1 ²	1 ³ 1/2
5	Mr Skinny	4	4 ⁴ 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/2	3 ⁴ 1/2	2 ³ 1/2
1	Birdy Whisper	1	2 ² 1/2	2 ²	2 ²	3 ⁴
6	Knocking Luck	6	6 ⁷	6 ¹¹	4 ⁹ 1/2	4 ⁷
4	Mustwinagenda	7	7 ⁹	7 ¹⁵	6 ¹³	5 ⁹
7	Chance On Me	5	5 ⁵ 1/2	5 ¹⁰	5 ¹⁰	6 ¹⁰ 1/4
3	Mersin Heat	3	3 ³ 1/2	4 ⁷	7 ¹⁴ 1/2	7 ²⁶ 3/4

Trainers: 2 - Racanelli, Mark; 5 - Lopez, Mario; 1 - Joy, Kevin; 6 - Siculietano, Daniel; 4 - Obed-Letts, Keturah; 7 - Bacallao Vega, Juan; 3 - Martinez, Joey

Owners: 2 -Mark Joseph Racanelli; 5 - Azteca Dreams, LLC; 1 -Kevin J. Joy; 6 -Jonathon S. Sanchez; 4 - Flamingo Run LLC; 7 -Juan Carlos Bacallao Vega; 3 - Sugarland, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

EL RABANO broke alertly, quickly seized control of the tempo leaving the club house turn, set a measured solo pace down the backside, unchallenged leaving the furlong marker, held sway driving. MR SKINNY rated mid-pack of the rail into the far turn, sent to the attack leaving the quarter pole, angled inside rival approaching the sixteenth marker, chased on late bested the rest. BIRDY WHISPER broke sharp, chased the leader two wide into the far turn, no match from the sixteenth marker, stayed on willingly for the show. KNOCKING LUCK saved ground well off the pace, upped the tempo between runners leaving the quarter pole, angled over to the rail nearing the furlong marker, had no late kick. MUSTWINAGENDA outrun down the backside, had no late response. CHANCE ON ME urged along off the pace three and four wide, never threatened. MERSIN HEAT saved ground mid pack down the backside, losing ground steadied off heels around the far turn, weakened through the stretch. THERE WAS A JOCKEY'S OBJECTION LODGED IN THIS RACE, THE RIDER OF MERSIN HEAT CLAIMED FOUL AGAINST THE RIDER OF KNOCKING LUCK FOR INTERFERENCE AROUND THE FAR TURN, AFTER THE JUDGE'S REVIEW KNOCKING LUCK WAS DISQUALIFIED AND PLACE LAST.