

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT CHARLES TOWN RACES - October 8, 2026 - Race 3
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE, FOUR, FIVE, AND SIX YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 123 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs.
Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Lucy's Bob Boy - 1:16.44 - December 11, 2012)
Purse: \$32,900
Available Money: \$32,900
Value of Race: \$32,900 1st \$19,572, 2nd \$6,524, 3rd \$3,262, 4th \$1,631, 5th \$979, 6th \$652, 7th \$140, 8th \$140
Weather: Cloudy, 65° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 8:10 **Start:** Good for all except 6 **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Aug26 ⁵ CNL ²	1	Aqua Blaze (Bocachica, Arnaldo)	123	L b	1	6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ⁴	1 ^{11 1/2}	1.00*	sent hard early,drivin
26Sep26 ² CT ³	8	Lilys Back (Hiraldo, Christian) 	126	L b	8	7	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/4}	18.50	bid3w1/4,willingly
12Sep26 ¹ CT ³	4	La Devita (Santaella, Moises) 	123	L b	4	4	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ³	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/4}	3.10	chased ins1/4,evenly
12Sep26 ¹ CT ²	7	Dulce Mia (Arroyo Bueno, Nomar)	121	b	7	2	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ²	4 ^{2 1/4}	2.30	press4w3/8,no kick str
11Sep26 ⁶ CTL ⁵	6	Candyvance (Rodriguez, Victor)	123	- -	6	8	8	6 ¹	5 ²	5 ^{1/2}	110.50	stumbled start,empty
5Sep26 ² CNL ⁶	5	Beautiful Justify (Diaz, Jr., Sunday)	123	L b	5	3	7 ²	8	6 ²	6 ^{20 3/4}	14.00	save ground, no threat
20Jun26 ¹⁰ BAQ ¹⁰	2	Jenny Wade (Larrosa, Gustavo)	123	L b	2	5	5 ³	7 ^{1/2}	8	7 ²	45.50	brief chase,retreated
21Sep26 ⁴ MNR ⁸	3	Ridethelighting (Rios-Conde, Jr., Alexis)	126	L bf	3	1	2 ^{1/2}	4 ³	7 ⁴	8	26.70	pressed ins,faltered

Fractional Times: 23.95 48.12 1:13.71 **Final Time:** 1:20.51 **Time from Gate:** 1:21.11
Split Times: (24:17) (25:59) (6:80)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Aqua Blaze, Chestnut Filly, by Flameaway out of Thicker Than Water, by Speightstown. Foaled Apr 28, 2023 in New York.
Breeder: Newtownanner Stud Farm
Owner: Knicks In Five Racing Stables
Trainer: Libertini, Jason

Total WPS Pool: \$59,178

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Aqua Blaze	4.00	3.20	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	1-8	37.60	53,874
8	Lilys Back		11.20	5.20	\$1.00 Trifecta	1-8-4	131.50	36,573
4	La Devita			2.60	\$1.00 Superfecta	1-8-4-7	194.40	25,969
					\$2.00 Daily Double	3-1	10.20	8,700
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-3-1 (3 correct)	24.40	22,369

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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1	Aqua Blaze	6	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ⁴	1 ^{11 1/2}
8	Lilys Back	7	6 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}	4 ⁶	2 ^{11 1/2}
4	La Devita	4	4 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁴	3 ^{13 3/4}
7	Dulce Mia	2	3 ¹	2 ¹	3 ⁴	4 ¹⁵
6	Candyvance	8	8 ^{7 3/4}	6 ⁸	5 ^{8 1/2}	5 ^{17 1/4}
5	Beautiful Justify	3	7 ^{5 3/4}	8 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}	6 ^{17 3/4}
2	Jenny Wade	5	5 ^{2 1/2}	7 ⁹	8 ^{16 1/2}	7 ^{38 1/2}
3	Ridethelighting	1	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{12 1/2}	8 ^{40 1/2}

Trainers: 1 - Libertini, Jason; 8 - Espinosa, Victor; 4 - Viands, Stacey; 7 - Hamlin, Kathleen; 6 - McGee, Gail; 5 - Spangler, Jill; 2 - Bourne, Lori; 3 - Shanley, Tyler

Owners: 1 - Knicks In Five Racing Stables; 8 -Kevone O. Gibbs; 4 -Darren Viands; 7 -Kathleen E. Hamlin; 6 -Ronald Payne; 5 - Twin Oaks Bloodstock LLC; 2 - Liberty House Racing LLC; 3 -Trevor James;

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AQUA BLAZE under an all-out scrub into the first turn, took command mid-way down the backside, unchallenged around the far turn, drew off driving. LILYS BACK rated off the pace and off the rail into the far turn, three wide move from the quarter pole, willingly along for the place. LA DEVITA chased the run-away winner inside down the backside, no match from the quarter pole, finished evenly through the wire. DULCE MIA urged into the first turn, pressed up close four wide down the backstretch, had no late punch. CANDYVANCE stumbled at the start, outrun into the far turn, asked three wide leaving the quarter pole, had no late response. BEAUTIFUL JUSTIFY saved ground well off the pace, never threatened. JENNY WADE briefly chased around the first turn, steady retreat. RIDETHELIGHTNING forwardly placed pressed inside down the back stretch, faltered quarter.

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