

DELTA DOWNS - January 17, 2026 - Race 2

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FOUR YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Weight, 124 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$20,000 In Their Last Three Starts).

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Grand Contender - 1:36.89 - November 23, 2013)

Purse: \$36,000

Includes: \$30,000 Other Sources

Plus: \$10,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$46,000

Value of Race: \$38,300 1st \$21,600, 2nd \$9,200, 3rd \$3,960, 4th \$2,160, 5th \$1,380

Weather: Cloudy, 51° Track: Fast

Off at: 5:13 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22Nov25	2	Weekendsandwhiskey (Barrera, Elio)	124	L b	5	6	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	13 ^{3/4}	2.40	prmpc, pulled away
13Dec25	9	Deelitesandimsum (Vargas, Juan)	121	L bf	3	3	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ³	2 ^{3/4}	3.30	adv3w, second best
4Dec25	1	Just Nate (Birzer, Alex)	124	L	6	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{2 3/4}	1.00*	led, caught1/4,clr3rd
20Dec25	2	Smarty's Back (Pompell, Thomas)	124	L	4	4	6	6	4 ¹	4 ¹	4 ⁵	5.40	mild4wbid, best of rst
29Dec25	5	Mo Can Do (Inirio, Junior)	121	L b	2	1	3 ¹	3 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ³	5 ^{1/2}	43.00	not a factor
29Dec25	5	Downtown Motown (Journet, Jarred)	124	L	1	2	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	6	6	6	33.40	never a threat

Fractional Times: 24.95 50.52 1:16.31 1:29.61

Final Time: 1:42.45

Split Times: (25:57) (25:79) (13:30) (12:84)

Run-Up: 22 feet

Winner: Weekendsandwhiskey, Chestnut Ridgling, by Justify out of Marketplace, by Stormy Atlantic. Foaled Feb 22, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Cypress Creek Equine, LLC

Owner: Sandeep Patel

Trainer: Gelner, Scott

Total WPS Pool: \$59,985

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Weekendsandwhiskey	6.80	4.00	2.20	\$1.00 Exacta	5-3	9.80	42,511
3	Deelitesandimsum		3.80	2.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-3-6	8.65	33,310
6	Just Nate			2.10	\$1.00 Daily Double	6-5	6.80	9,878
					\$0.10 Superfecta	5-3-6-4	2.52	22,130

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Weekendsandwhiskey	6	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}	13 ^{3/4}
3	Deelitesandimsum	3	5 ^{2 1/4}	5 ³	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{3 3/4}
6	Just Nate	5	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}
4	Smarty's Back	4	6 ^{2 3/4}	6 ³	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{7 1/4}
2	Mo Can Do	1	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{12 1/4}
1	Downtown Motown	2	4 ^{1 1/4}	4 ^{2 1/2}	6 ⁴	6 ^{8 1/2}	6 ^{12 3/4}

Trainers: 5 - Gelner, Scott; 3 - Dunn, Henry; 6 - Briley, Lonnie; 4 - Mojica, Edith; 2 - Zenon, Sr., Shelton; 1 - Dixon, Tim

Owners: 5 -Sandeep Patel; 3 -Henry Ray Dunn; 6 - Norman Stables LLC; 4 - Indian Creek Ranch, LLC; 2 -Alysia Lasha George; 1 - Red Oak Racing LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

WEEKENDSANDWHISKEY pressed the pace from two wide to the first turn then prompted the pace down the backstretch before taking the lead near the quarter pole and pulled away for the win. DEELITESANDIMSUM was away alertly then was allowed to settle near the back around the first turn then advance from three wide through the final turn but couldn't catch the leader and was second best. JUST NATE went to a clear lead to the quarter pole where he was collared but kept on to be a clear third. SMARTY'S BACK trailed around the first turn then made a mild four wide bid through the final turn to prove best of the rest. MO CAN DO went to the early lead before settling off the pace down the backstretch before falling back on the final turn and was not a factor. DOWNTOWN MOTOWN raced in the middle of the pack while saving ground around the first turn, fell back on the backstretch and was never a threat.

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