

DELAWARE PARK - July 25, 2026 - Race 8

STAKES Peach Blossom H. - Thoroughbred
FOR DELAWARE BRED OR CERTIFIED FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Free nomination, \$150 to enter and \$150 to start. Supplemental nominations of \$500 will be accepted at time of entry which shall include all fees. \$75,000 Guaranteed, of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Closed on Wednesday July 15 2026 with 39 Nominations (Rail at 25 feet). (S)

Distance: About Seven And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Tonal Verse - 1:27.76 - May 26, 2021)

Purse: \$75,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$75,000

Value of Race: \$75,000 1st \$45,000, 2nd \$15,000, 3rd \$8,250, 4th \$4,500, 5th \$2,250

Weather: Clear, 80° Track: Firm

Off at: 4:07 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	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Jul26 ⁶ DEL ²	1	J Candy (Luna, Paul)	118	L f	1	1	² Head	³ ¹ 1/2	² Head	¹ Neck	7.50	rail,angled,up btween
3Jun26 ⁵ DEL ⁵	7	Sophie's Cruiser (Barbosa, Jeiron) VA CERTIFIED	124	L	6	2	¹ ³ 1/2	¹ ⁴	¹ ¹ /2	² ¹	1.90	eager early,rail,game
5Jul26 ⁸ CNL ⁶	6	No Need to Ask (Cedeno, Carol) VA CERTIFIED	122	L	5	3	³ ¹	² Head	³ ¹	³ Head	10.80	chased, flattened out
20Jun26 ⁷ LRL ⁴	5	Boujee Bubblez (Cheminaud, Vincent)	126	L b	4	5	⁴ Head	⁴ ¹ /2	⁴ ²	⁴ ² 1/4	1.50*	3-4wd, even finish
1Jul26 ⁸ DEL ¹	4	Sassafrassness (Chuan, Martin)	124	L	3	6	6	6	⁵ ¹ /2	⁵ Neck	3.10	slow start,rail,no bid
27May26 ⁷ DEL ⁵	3	Old Bay (Gil, Cipriano)	122	L	2	4	⁵ ²	⁵ ² 1/2	6	6	29.60	outside, weakened

Fractional Times: 23.31 46.69 1:11.52

Final Time: 1:29.92 Time from Gate: 1:33.49

Split Times: (23:38) (24:83) (18:40)

Run-Up: 10 feet Temporary Rail: 25 feet

Winner: J Candy, Bay Filly, by Bal a Bali (BRZ) out of Coco Channel, by English Channel. Foaled Mar 19, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Calumet Farm

Owner: Jose S. Rodriguez

Trainer: Rodriguez, Jose

Scratched Horse(s): Beautiful Blome (Trainer), Golden Eib Micrphn (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$78,106

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	J Candy	17.00	6.60	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	1-7	25.00	42,850
7	Sophie's Cruiser		3.20	2.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-7-6	72.80	28,615
6	No Need to Ask			4.80	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-1	12.40	4,609
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-7-6-5	29.90	16,090
					\$0.50 Pick 3	5-4-1 (3 correct)	29.40	4,211
					\$3.00 Pick 3	TURF 5-8-1 (3 correct)	560.10	2,988
					\$0.50 Pick 5	5-2/8/9-5-4-1 (5 correct)	497.80	12,885

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	J Candy	1	² ³ 1/2	³ ⁴	² ¹ /2	¹ Neck
7	Sophie's Cruiser	2	¹ ³ 1/2	¹ ⁴	¹ ¹ /2	² Neck
6	No Need to Ask	3	³ ³ 1/2	² ⁴	³ ¹ /2	³ ¹ 1/4
5	Boujee Bubblez	5	⁴ ⁴ 1/2	⁴ ⁵ 1/2	⁴ ¹ 1/2	⁴ ¹ 1/4
4	Sassafrassness	6	⁶ ⁶ 3/4	⁶ ⁸ 1/2	⁵ ³ 1/2	⁵ ³ 1/2
3	Old Bay	4	⁵ ⁴ 3/4	⁵ ⁶	⁶ ⁴	⁶ ³ 3/4

Trainers: 1 - Rodriguez, Jose; 7 - Brinkman, Brett; 6 - Ashby, Lynn; 5 - McMahon, Hugh; 4 - Ness, Jamie; 3 - Shuman, Mark

Owners: 1 -Jose S. Rodriguez; 7 - Sugarland Thoroughbreds LLC; 6 -William T. Shook; 5 - SAB Stable, Inc.; 4 - Kernan, Jr., Morris E. and Jagger, Inc.; 3 - Runaway Point Farms LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

J CANDY broke well, remained along the inner rail under patient rating down the backstretch and on the far turn, angled off the fence in upper stretch, closed between horses and was up approaching the wire. SOPHIE'S CRUISER , eager soon after the start, sped to the front and moved to the inner rail, stayed along the fence setting the pace and gave way grudgingly. NO NEED TO ASK drifted out entering the first turn, chased outside the leader, drifted out a bit turning for home and flattened out. BOUJEE BUBBLEZ , a forward factor three wide down the backstretch, circled the far turn, drifted four wide turning for home and finished evenly. SASSAFRASSNESS broke slowly, hugged the inner rail around the far turn and failed to be a factor. OLD BAY bore out leaving the starting gate, raced near the inner rail on the backstretch, swung outside the far turn and weakened.

VA CERTIFIED Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred