

DEL MAR - July 26, 2026 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$21,000 ONCE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR STATE BRED OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Or Starter At A Mile Or Over Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Non-Starters For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less In The Last 2 Starts Preferred)(HORSES THAT ARE ENTERED FOR CLAIMING PRICE ARE RUNNING FOR A PURSE OF \$65,000) (Plus \$19,500 to Cal-Breds). (Rail at 18 feet). (NW1\$ X) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Obviously (IRE) - 1:32.10 - August 26, 2012)

Purse: \$81,000

Plus: \$24,300 CBOIF - California Bred Owner Fund

Plus: \$1,500 Other Sources

Available Money: \$106,800

Value of Race: \$72,040 1st \$39,000, 2nd \$16,200, 3rd \$10,140, 4th \$3,900, 5th \$1,300, 6th \$500, 7th \$500, 8th \$500

Weather: Clear, 78° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 2:02 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
12Jun26 ⁹ SA ³	1	Candy Bar (Kimura, Kazushi)	125	L	bf	1 5	⁴ Head	⁵ ²	⁵ ^{1/2}	¹ Head	¹ ^{1 1/4}	2.60	rail bid,led,drew away
29May26 ⁸ SA ⁵	5	Lubie's Music (Jaramillo, Emisael)	123	L		5 2	² Head	⁴ ¹	³ ¹	² ²	² ^{1 3/4}	10.70	ins,tip3w,bid,outkickd
14Jun26 ¹¹ SA ⁵	4	Shocking Grey (Fresu, Antonio)	125	L	b	4 3	⁶ ²	⁶ ²	⁶ Head	⁴ Head	³ ^{1/2}	4.10	2w-ins,2-4w,gained3rd
30Apr26 ⁷ SA ⁵	3	Ima Joker (Bravo, Joe)	125	L	b	3 8	⁷ ¹	⁷ ⁴	⁷ ⁶	³ Head	⁴ ^{4 1/2}	10.50	ins,gained3-5w,flatten
5Jun26 ⁷ SA ⁹	7	Sareeha (IRE) (Leparoux, Julien)	125	L		7 1	³ ^{1 1/2}	² ^{1 1/2}	² ^{1 1/2}	⁶ ⁴	⁵ Head	2.30*	pulld early,tight uppr
5Jun26 ⁴ SA ²	6	Cameron Slough (Ayuso, Armando)	123	L	b	6 7	⁸	⁸	⁸	⁷ ¹	⁶ ^{3/4}	7.40	2w,ins-pass tired rvls
12Jun26 ⁹ SA ⁵	8	Corporal Violette (IRE) (Aguilar, Armando)	125	L		8 6	¹ ^{1 1/2}	¹ ²	¹ ^{2 1/2}	⁵ ^{1/2}	⁷ ^{8 1/4}	8.40	speed 3w-ins,ins,fold
14Jun26 ¹¹ SA ⁸	2	Mars Magic (Garcia, Epifanio)	123	L		2 4	⁵ ³	³ Head	⁴ Head	⁸	⁸	43.10	fractious,3-2w,2-3w

Fractional Times: 22.34 45.39 1:09.85 1:22.54

Final Time: 1:34.44 **Time from Gate:** 1:37.23

Split Times: (23:05) (24:46) (12:69) (11:90)

Run-Up: 70 feet **Temporary Rail:** 18 feet

Winner: Candy Bar, Bay Mare, by Constitution out of Sugar Babe, by Candy Ride (ARG). Foaled Mar 06, 2020 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Pippa's Hurricane

Owner: Steve P. Rusich

Trainer: Valdez, Jose

Claiming Prices: 1 - Candy Bar: \$50,000; 3 - Ima Joker: \$50,000; 7 - Sareeha (IRE): \$50,000; 8 - Corporal Violette (IRE): \$50,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$310,702

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Candy Bar	7.20	4.60	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	1-5	27.70	189,349
5	Lubie's Music		7.80	5.40	\$2.00 Quinella	1-5	26.20	10,013
4	Shocking Grey			3.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-5-4	61.90	101,180
					\$0.10 Superfecta	1-5-4-3	56.84	60,150

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Candy Bar	5	⁴ ³	⁵ ^{4 1/2}	⁵ ⁵	¹ Head	¹ ^{1 1/4}
5	Lubie's Music	2	² ^{1 1/2}	⁴ ^{3 1/2}	³ ⁴	² Head	² ^{1 1/4}
4	Shocking Grey	3	⁶ ^{6 1/4}	⁶ ^{6 1/2}	⁶ ^{5 1/2}	⁴ ^{2 1/4}	³ ³
3	Ima Joker	8	⁷ ^{8 1/4}	⁷ ^{8 1/2}	⁷ ^{5 3/4}	³ ²	⁴ ^{3 1/2}
7	Sareeha (IRE)	1	³ ^{1 1/2}	² ²	² ^{2 1/2}	⁶ ^{2 3/4}	⁵ ⁸
6	Cameron Slough	7	⁸ ^{9 1/4}	⁸ ^{12 1/2}	⁸ ^{11 3/4}	⁷ ^{6 3/4}	⁶ ⁸
8	Corporal Violette (IRE)	6	¹ ^{1 1/2}	¹ ²	¹ ^{2 1/2}	⁵ ^{2 1/4}	⁷ ^{8 3/4}
2	Mars Magic	4	⁵ ^{3 1/4}	³ ^{3 1/2}	⁴ ⁵	⁸ ^{7 3/4}	⁸ ¹⁷

Trainers: 1 - Valdez, Jose; 5 - Mandella, Richard; 4 - Mullins, Jeff; 3 - O'Neill, Doug; 7 - Glatt, Mark; 6 - Wright, Blaine; 8 - Rheinford, Mark; 2 - Baker, D.

Owners: 1 -Steve P. Rusich; 5 - Jay Em Ess Stable; 4 - Rockingham Ranch; 3 - Purple Rein Racing (Buss); 7 - Shanderella Stables, Cohen, Cody and Cohen, Cole; 6 -Stanley L. Spano; 8 -W. Quinn Chin; 2 - Packsaddle Road LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

CANDY BAR tracked in hand from inside out of range, moved to the two path then came back to the rail and was on the move through the far turn, surged to the front in upper stretch, fought with LUBIE'S MUSIC into the final furlong and kicked clear from that rival in the late stages. LUBIE'S MUSIC showed early speed then took a stalking position on the inside, ridden along while easing off the fence, came three wide into the lane, challenged in upper stretch, fought on even terms with CANDY BAR at the eighth pole and was outkicked by the winner. SHOCKING GREY settled in the two path then moved inside on the first turn, crept closer on the backstretch, angled from the two path to the four path on the far turn and ran on to edge IMA JOKER for third. IMA JOKER unhurried in the beginning and moved inside, rallied three, four, then five wide on the far turn, chased widest into the final furlong and flattened out. SAREEHA (IRE) pulled between rivals approaching the first turn, followed closely after in the two path, traveled along the rail then took aim two wide to the stretch, raced in tight quarters at the top of the lane and weakened. CAMERON SLOUGH raced outside a rival at the back, trailed up the backstretch, saved ground to the stretch and passed tired rivals. CORPORAL VIOLETTE (IRE) vied three deep into the first turn then cleared and crossed over, remained unchallenged saving ground through the far turn, offered little resistance when tested in upper stretch and gave way. MARS MAGIC became fractious in the gate, tracked three then two wide around the first turn, started to weaken in the same paths on the second bend and tired in the lane.