

ELLIS PARK - July 25, 2026 - Race 9

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$30,000. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at One mile.) (Rail at 20 feet). **Claiming Price:** \$30,000

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Beach Gold - 1:31.76 - August 2, 2025)

Purse: \$37,500

Includes: \$7,500 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$37,500

Value of Race: \$37,500 1st \$22,430, 2nd \$7,284, 3rd \$3,642, 4th \$1,821, 5th \$1,093, 6th \$410, 7th \$410, 8th \$410

Weather: Showery, 74° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 3:50 **Start:** Good for all except 6,7 **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
26Jun26 ⁸ CD ⁷	6	Havana Rum (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	118	L	5	8	8	⁷ 1/2	⁷ 12	⁶ 1 1/2	¹ 1 1/4	6.62	steady st, rolling str
22Jun26 ³ IND ⁷	3	Great Kerry Lee (Gutierrez, Mario)	118	L f	3	2	2 1/2	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	2 ¹	5.77	4p upr,clr1/8,no match
6Feb26 ² TP ⁹	12	Risky Wave (Hazlewood, Yedsit)	124	L	8	4	⁶ 2 1/2	⁶ 2 1/2	4 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	2.55	3w1/4,6p upr,bid,flatn
3Jun26 ⁵ CD ⁴	8	Union Rose (Machado, Luan)	124	L f	7	3	4 ² 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁴	1.13*	3w1st,5p upr,bid,wknd
20Jun26 ¹⁰ CD ¹⁰	2	Sweettalkingwoman (Geroux, Florent)	118	L b	2	5	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	3 1/2	5 ^{Neck}	12.61	pace, 2p upr, gave way
---	1	Saint Laurent (Achard, Alex)	118	L	1	1	3 1/2	4 ¹	⁶ 2 1/2	⁷ 18	6 ¹ 3/4	13.48	2p into lane, leveled
17Jun26 ² CD ⁶	5	Crown of Violence (Corrales, Gerardo)	118	L	4	6	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	5 1/2	5 ^{Head}	7 ⁴⁵ 1/2	61.27	ins 1st,3p upr, faded
---	7	Amber Valletta (Morales, Edgar)	118	L	6	7	⁷ Head	8	8	8	8	40.15	bothered st, no factor

Fractional Times: 23.40 47.37 1:11.46 1:23.63

Final Time: 1:35.76 **Time from Gate:** 1:41.76

Split Times: (23:97) (24:09) (12:17) (12:13)

Run-Up: 230 feet **Temporary Rail:** 20 feet

Winner: Havana Rum, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by [Yaupon](#) out of Havana Dream, by Quality Road. Foaled Mar 05, 2023 in Kentucky.

YAUPON - SPENDTHRIFT Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: Dixiana Farms LLC

Owner: Dixiana Farms LLC

Trainer: Murphy, Conor

1 Claimed Horse(s): Havana Rum

New Trainer: Ian R. Wilkes

New Owner: Stewart F. Denholtz

Claiming Prices: 6 - Havana Rum: \$30,000; 3 - Great Kerry Lee: \$30,000; 12 - Risky Wave: \$30,000; 8 - Union Rose: \$30,000; 2 - Sweettalkingwoman: \$30,000; 1 - Saint Laurent: \$30,000; 5 - Crown of Violence: \$30,000; 7 - Amber Valletta: \$30,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Completely Elegant (Also-Eligible), Daring Madison (RegVet-Unsound), Lexico (Trainer), Maxies Bubble Gum (Also-Eligible), Nectar of the Gods (PrivVet-Illness), Prosecco Gal (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$106,639

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
6	Havana Rum	15.24	6.32	4.42	\$2.00 Exacta	6-3	66.52	62,176	
3	Great Kerry Lee		6.24	4.30	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-3-12	67.30	34,434	
12	Risky Wave			3.28	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-3-12-8	24.50	26,108	
					\$2.00 Daily Double	8-6	147.92	23,714	
					\$0.50 Pick 3	2-8-6 (3 correct)	293.35	26,365	
					\$3.00 Pick 3	ELP TURF P3 2-2-6 (3 correct)	1,750.44	27,268	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	12-2-8-6 (4 correct)	2,772.53	56,196	
					\$1.00 Super High Five	6-3-12-8-2	1,313.86	2,714	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	2-12-2-8-6 (5 correct)	24,201.88	56,951	
					\$0.20 Pick 6 Jackpot	7-2-12-2-8-6 (6 correct)	129,486.18	50,238	
					\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	2-4-4 (3 correct)	2.31	0	
					\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	2-4-6 (3 correct)	28.24	0	
					\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	2-8-4 (3 correct)	14.08	0	
					\$3.00 Consolation Pick 3	ELP TURF P3 2-2-4 (3 correct)	93.36	0	
					\$1.00 Octafecta Jackpot	REFUNDED		0	288,314
					\$2.00 Consolation Double	8-4	12.92	0	

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Havana Rum	8	⁸ 7 3/4	⁷ 5 1/2	⁷ 5 1/4	⁶ 4 1/4	¹ 1 1/4
3	Great Kerry Lee	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 1/2	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	2 ¹ 1/4
12	Risky Wave	4	⁶ 5	⁶ 3	4 ¹ 3/4	4 ² 1/2	3 ² 1/4
8	Union Rose	3	4 ² 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	2 ²	4 ² 1/4
2	Sweettalkingwoman	5	1 ¹ 1/2	1 1/2	2 ^{Head}	3 ²	5 ⁶ 1/4
1	Saint Laurent	1	3 ²	4 ²	⁶ 2 3/4	⁷ 5 3/4	⁶ 6 1/2
5	Crown of Violence	6	⁵ 5	⁵ 3	⁵ 2 1/4	⁵ 4	⁷ 8 1/4
7	Amber Valletta	7	⁷ 7 1/2	⁸ 6	⁸ 17 1/4	⁸ 23 3/4	⁸ 53 3/4

Trainers: 6 - Murphy, Conor; 3 - Oliver, Victoria; 12 - Arnold II, George; 8 - Cowans, William; 2 - Pitts, Helen; 1 - Ennis, John; 5 - Moreno, Tito; 7 - Ennis, John

Owners: 6 - Dixiana Farms LLC; 3 - Bam Jak Racing; 12 -G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.; 8 - PTK LLC; 2 -Jay McKee; 1 - Tom Grether Farms, Inc.; 5 - Las Mercedes Stable; 7 -Jeff Ramey;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

HAVANA RUM was steadied a bit at the start and trailed the field early on, raced along the inside in the first turn, was in the six path entering the lane, was rolling down the lane and strolled past foes while in hand to the wire. GREAT KERRY LEE raced between horses along the first turn, stalked the pace early on, was in the four path into the lane, took over command into the lane, drew clear near the eighth pole but was no match for the winner in the final stages. RISKY WAVE raced two wide in the first turn while back early on, was three wide nearing the lane, raced in the six path entering the lane, made a bid in the stretch but flattened out late in the drive. UNION ROSE raced three wide in the first turn and tracked the pace early on, raced in the five path into the lane, made a bid in the stretch but weakened late in the drive. SWEETTALKINGWOMAN set the pace early on, raced in the two path into the lane, was overtaken into the lane and gave way down the lane. SAINT LAURENT chased the pace early, raced in the two path into the lane and leveled off late in the stretch run. CROWN OF VIOLENCE raced along the inside in the first turn, chased the early pace, was between horses nearing the lane, raced in the three path into the lane and faded late in the stretch. AMBER VALLETTA was bothered at the start and never a factor.