

EVA NGELINE DOWNS - May 21, 2026 - Race 1

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

(INCLUDES UP TO \$500 LTBASBF) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less \$20,000). (S)

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Sunbean - 1:35.75 - July 6, 2013)

Purse: \$40,000

Includes: \$33,500 Other Sources

Includes: \$4,000 LAVPF - Louisiana Video Poker Fund

Available Money: \$40,000

Value of Race: \$40,000 1st \$24,000, 2nd \$8,000, 3rd \$4,400, 4th \$2,400, 5th \$1,200

Weather: Cloudy, 80° **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

Off at: 5:19 **Start:** Poor **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
2May26 ⁶ EVD ⁵	1	Reaux Ban Da Man (McMahon, C.J.)	122	L b	1	5	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ³	1 ^{Head}	2.20*	stlk,dueled,edge ahead
29Apr26 ³ EVD ⁵	7	Soft Hands (Mudd, Jamison)	117	L b	6	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{5 1/2}	5.60	bmp,duel,headed late
29Apr26 ³ EVD ²	6	Lil Central (Thornton, Timothy)	122	L b	5	8	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{3 1/2}	2.30	adv ins,stayed on3rd
5May26 ⁴ LAD ³	11	Seize the Win (Hernandez, Harry)	122	L b	9	3	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{3/4}	9.60	prssd,wknd3/8,tired
11Apr26 ⁴ EVD ³	4	Tears for Thee (Ramirez, Jr., Julio)	122	L b	3	9	7 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	8 ⁴	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/4}	2.90	shffld,btw,mild gain
8May26 ¹ EVD ³	5	Yankee Prince (Castillo, Isaac)	122	L bf	4	1	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{2 1/2}	31.80	trk2-3w,no late respns
25Apr26 ⁵ EVD ²	10	Seeking Aces (Arana, Kelvin)	117	L b	8	7	8 ²	8 ³	7 ¹	7 ⁴	7 ⁸	45.50	3w nr bk,lacked finish
21Mar26 ¹⁴ FG ⁷	3	Shalom (Fusilier, Casey)	122	L	2	4	9	9	9	9	8 ^{15 1/4}	24.80	troubld trip,no factor
9May26 ⁷ EVD ⁶	8	Shred It Up (Perez, Carlos)	122	L bf	7	6	5 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	8 ^{Head}	9	53.30	steadied 1trn, tired

Fractional Times: 23.96 48.23 1:13.50 1:26.58 **Final Time:** 1:40.13 **Time from Gate:** 1:42.16

Split Times: (24:27) (25:27) (13:08) (13:55)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Reaux Ban Da Man, Bay Gelding, by Midshipman out of Holdontoyourdream, by Proud Citizen. Foaled Feb 18, 2023 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Clear Creek Stud LLC & Theodore Brandon

Owner: Robin, Dawn and Robin, Scotty

Trainer: Calhoun, W.

Scratched Horse(s): Krugerrand Kip (Veterinarian), Von Erich (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$48,605

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Reaux Ban Da Man	6.40	3.60	2.80	\$1.00 Exacta	1-7	18.20	42,502
7	Soft Hands		6.80	4.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	1-7-6-11	26.03	17,698
6	Lil Central			3.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-7-6	28.50	24,439

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Reaux Ban Da Man	5	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}
7	Soft Hands	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}
6	Lil Central	8	6 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{3 1/4}	4 ²	3 ³	3 ^{5 1/2}
11	Seize the Win	3	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ⁵	4 ⁹
4	Tears for Thee	9	7 ⁵	6 ³	8 ⁵	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{9 3/4}
5	Yankee Prince	1	4 ²	5 ²	5 ³	6 ⁶	6 ¹¹
10	Seeking Aces	7	8 ^{5 1/2}	8 ^{3 3/4}	7 ⁴	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{13 1/2}
3	Shalom	4	9 ^{7 1/2}	9 ^{6 3/4}	9 ⁹	9 ^{10 3/4}	8 ^{21 1/2}
8	Shred It Up	6	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{3 1/2}	8 ^{10 1/2}	9 ^{36 3/4}

Trainers: 1 - Calhoun, W.; 7 - Delhomme, Jerry; 6 - David, Jr., Sam; 11 - West, Patricia; 4 - Chatters, Benard; 5 - Ward, Ronnie; 10 - Averett, Ronnie; 3 - Ladner, Jr., Herman; 8 - Zenon, Sr., Shelton

Owners: 1 - Robin, Dawn and Robin, Scotty; 7 - Set-Hut LLC; 6 - Hernandez, Earl J., Hernandez, Keith J. and Duvieilh, John; 11 - Lange, I. L. and Credeur, Don; 4 -Benard Chatters; 5 - Gulf Haven Farms; 10 - Peterson, Stephen J. and Peterson, Konnor; 3 -Philman Ladner; 8 - Zenon Racing Stables;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

REAUX BAN DA MAN was hustled from the start to get forward position, initially stalked the pacetting duo along the rail, then moved up to challenge for the lead approaching the half-mile pole, dueled inside of SOFT HANDS from that point, engaged that rival in a spirited battle to the finish well ahead of the rest of the field, and got a head in front in the final yards to prevail. SOFT HANDS broke off-balance to the inside and bumped with LIL CENTRAL at the start, then was sent hard to establish a forward position, won the race to the first turn, and took a narrow lead with SEIZE THE WIN joining on the outside turning on to the backstretch, dueled with REAUX BAN DA MAN through the turn, leaving the other rival behind, showed determination through the stretch, though headed in the final strides. LIL CENTRAL got bumped by SOFT HANDS at the break, then was allowed to settle after the break, was carried out a couple of paths on the first bend, losing some ground, angled to the inside, then rushed up to join the main pack, steadily advanced up the inside, came under a drive on the far turn, and stayed on to gain the place, while never a threat to the two pair. SEIZE THE WIN pressed the pace three to four wide, weakened near the three-furlong pole, and tired in the stretch. TEARS FOR THEE lost the path and got shuffled back after the start, settled between rivals in the trio at the back of the pack, finished evenly with slight improvement. YANKEE PRINCE tracked behind the leading group through the first half-mile, was called upon for more run going into the far turn, but did not respond with a late bid. SEEKING ACES was off a step slow, raced three-wide with the third group near the back, then lacked a finish. SHALOM broke well, then took a bump from YANKEE PRINCE, got put in a tight spot on the first turn, took up sharply, went to the outside but became rank through that initial turn, dropped far back, lost interest, and trailed the rest of the way, passing one rival before the finish. SHRED IT UP showed good speed from the start, steadied in traffic on the first turn, settled mid-pack on the inside, and tired before the stretch.