

EVANGELINE DOWNS - August 8, 2026 - Race 1
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
(INCLUDES UP TO \$1,100 LTBASBF) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 120 lbs. (S)
Distance: Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Desert Ransom - 51.17 - May 16, 2012)
Purse: \$40,000
Includes: \$31,400 Other Sources
Includes: \$2,500 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, 91° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 5:33 **Start:** Good for all except 12 **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17Jul26 ⁴ EVD ²	8	Classy G (Barrera, Elio)	120	L b	6	2	2 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 2	2.00*	pressed, rail rally
---	1	Wicked No Mo (Rosier, Chris)	121	- -	1	1	3 ³	3 ⁴	2 ¹	5.20	stalked, 5 wide rally
17Jul26 ⁶ EVD ²	9	Visions of War (Hernandez, Javier)	116	L b	7	3	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹	3 ⁵ 1/4	7.80	pace, all out, caught
17Jul26 ⁴ EVD ⁵	6	Grey Strat (Melancon, Jansen)	120	L	4	5	7 ¹ 2	4 ¹ 2	4 ¹ 1/2	9.80	ran on late 6 wide
---	13	Tensas Union Girl (Hernandez, Harry)	120	L f	10	8	5 ¹ 2	6 ¹ 2	5 ^{Neck}	5.50	split horses, mild bid
---	5	Rosie's Getaway (Hernandez, Colby)	120	L	3	7	6 ¹ 2	7 ¹ 2	6 ³ 4	4.10	altered 7wd, ran on
17Jul26 ⁶ EVD ⁵	2	Rushing Brooke (McMahon, C.J.)	120	L f	2	4	4 ³	5 ^{Head}	7 ¹ 1/4	25.60	rail early, mild rally
---	7	Swiftly Engaged (Santiago, Edward)	120	b	5	6	8 ²	8 ³	8 ⁹ 1/2	19.20	rail trip, evenly
---	12	Brilliant Deal (Ruiz, Efigenio)	120	L b	9	10	9 ¹⁰	9 ¹⁰	9 ¹⁸ 1/2	38.70	squeezed back start
---	10	Come'on Tuts (Mudd, Jamison)	116	L b	8	9	10	10	10	19.90	off slowly, not asked

Fractional Times: 22.91 47.31 **Final Time:** 53.90 **Time from Gate:** 55.60
Split Times: (24:40) (6:59)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Classy G, Bay Filly, by Closing Argument out of Classy Cross, by Cross Traffic. Foaled Mar 11, 2024 in Louisiana.
Breeder: Tom Curtis & Wayne Simpson
Owner: Valene Farms LLC
Trainer: Duhon, Joe

Scratched Horse(s): Charming Gail (Also-Eligible), Fearless Maximus (Veterinarian), G's Soxy (Veterinarian), Maximum Return (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$51,794

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Classy G	6.00	3.60	2.80	\$1.00 Exacta	8-1	18.80	45,145
1	Wicked No Mo		6.60	5.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-1-9	46.10	24,621
9	Visions of War			3.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	8-1-9-6	54.21	20,642

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
8	Classy G	2	2 ¹ 2	2 ¹	1 ¹ 2
1	Wicked No Mo	1	3 ³	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 2
9	Visions of War	3	1 ¹ 2	1 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2
6	Grey Strat	5	7 ¹⁰	4 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁶ 3/4
13	Tensas Union Girl	8	5 ⁹	6 ⁶	5 ⁸ 1/4
5	Rosie's Getaway	7	6 ⁹ 1/2	7 ⁶ 1/2	6 ⁸ 1/2
2	Rushing Brooke	4	4 ⁶	5 ⁶	7 ⁹ 1/4
7	Swiftly Engaged	6	8 ¹⁰ 1/2	8 ⁷	8 ¹⁰ 1/2
12	Brilliant Deal	10	9 ¹² 1/2	9 ¹⁰	9 ²⁰
10	Come'on Tuts	9	10 ²² 1/2	10 ²⁰	10 ³⁸ 1/2

Trainers: 8 - Duhon, Joe; 1 - Courville, Ricky; 9 - Pomier, Chasey; 6 - Wilson, Shane; 13 - Jeansonne, Justin; 5 - Duhon, Joe; 2 - Noel, Dane; 7 - Chatters, Benard; 12 - Gonzalez, Isai; 10 - Noel, Dane

Owners: 8 - Valene Farms LLC; 1 -Keith Gautreau; 9 - Bruno, Jr., Gerald, Deville, Carl J., Deville, Kyle and Pomier, Chasey Deville; 6 - Naukabena Farms LLC; 13 - Oldacre Stable LLC, Blanchet, Riley and Rogers, David T.; 5 -Russell Welch; 2 -Brooke Guidry; 7 -Daniel Rossiter; 12 - Aggarwal Family LLC; 10 - All Us Racing, LLC;

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CLASSY G pressed the pace and chased through the turn along the inside then made a rally along the rail, getting up in time. WICKED NO MO stalked the early pacesetters then angled five wide coming off the turn and rallied late to get up for place. VISIONS OF WAR broke sharply and set the pace, was all out into the lane and got caught late. GREY STRAT chased early while four wide then made a steady advance on the turn and ran on late while six wide. TENSAS UNION GIRL was allowed to settle early then was asked between horses turning into the lane, split runners and made a mild rally late. ROSIE'S GETAWAY rated mid-pack early behind a wall of horses then altered course seven wide into the stretch and showed some run late. RUSHING BROOKE raced close up early while racing along the rail then split horses coming off the turn and was asked, making a mild rally late. SWIFTLY ENGAGED settled off the pace while along the inside and saved ground throughout but just raced evenly the entire way. BRILLIANT DEAL got squeezed back at the start then tucked in but was never a threat. COME'ON TUTS got off a step slowly and showed no speed, was well back and was not asked by the rider in the lane.