

FORT ERIE - August 24, 2026 - Race 1

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000, if for \$7,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Colts And Geldings Preferred)(Limited To 10 Starters)(*Plus Up To \$540 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeders Awards). If deemed inadvisable by management to run on the turf, this race will be run at a distance of Six and One Half Furlongs on the main track. **Claiming Price:** \$8,000 - \$7,000

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt - Originally Scheduled For About 7 Furlongs On Turf **Current Track Record:** (Hey Cue - 1:14.33 - September 29, 2025)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$25,200

Includes: \$5,040 Ontario Sired / Bred Breeders Awards

Includes: \$3,360 State Bred

Available Money: \$25,200

Value of Race: \$21,156 (US\$15,342) 1st \$10,080 (US\$7,309) , 2nd \$5,040 (US\$3,655) , 3rd \$2,520 (US\$1,827) , 4th \$1,008 (US\$731) , 5th \$1,008 (US\$731) , 6th \$500 (US\$363) , 7th \$500 (US\$363) , 8th \$500 (US\$363)

Weather: Cloudy, 65° C **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:34 **Start:** Good for all except 3 **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
28Jul26 ⁵ FE ⁴	3	Sassagoula River (Jadoo, Steve)	122 L	3	8	5 ^{1/2}	2 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3 1/4}	1.80*	off slow 5-p, prd best
11Aug26 ³ FE ⁴	4	Woodglen Court (Zenteno, Edgar)	122 L b	4	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ³	2 ^{4 3/4}	4.05	3-p, clearly 2nd best
28Jul26 ⁵ FE ²	7	Tanist (Alderson, Jeffrey)	120 L b	6	4	6 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{4 3/4}	2.35	5-p, finished evenly
11Aug26 ³ FE ⁷	1	Alzado (Cheyne, Brian)	122 L b	1	6	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	8.05	3-p str, no response
11Aug26 ³ FE ³	9	Rose for Carrick (Johnson, Kirk)	120 L b	8	5	8	7 ³	5 ¹	5 ^{3 1/2}	6.65	6p str, no real threat
11Aug26 ³ FE ⁸	5	Pelee Island (Bynoe, Desean)	120 L b	5	2	4 ¹	4 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1 3/4}	9.95	8-p str, no late kick
6Aug26 ² WO ⁸	8	Alnessa (Crawford, Juan)	117 L b	7	1	7 ^{1 1/2}	8	8	7 ^{Nose}	52.20	never in contention
11Aug26 ² FE ⁶	2	Solo Surging (David, Michael)	120 b	2	7	3 ¹	6 ¹	7 ^{1 1/2}	8	104.85	chased turn, empty

Fractional Times: 23.40 46.99 1:11.84 **Final Time:** 1:18.37 **Time from Gate:** 1:19.35

Split Times: (23:59) (24:85) (6:53)

Run-Up: 16 feet

Winner: Sassagoula River, Bay Gelding, by Game Winner out of That's So Frosty, by Frosted. Foaled Apr 09, 2023 in ON.

Breeder: Jesse Korona

Owner: Lincoln V C Radhay

Trainer: Cohen, Michael

Claiming Prices: 3 - Sassagoula River: \$8,000; 4 - Woodglen Court: \$8,000; 7 - Tanist: \$7,000; 1 - Alzado: \$8,000; 9 - Rose for Carrick: \$7,000; 5 - Pelee Island: \$8,000; 8 - Alnessa: \$8,000; 2 - Solo Surging: \$8,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Whiskytangodisco (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$53,031

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Sassagoula River	5.60	3.20	2.30	\$1.00 Exactor	3-4	9.20	32,910
4	Woodglen Court		4.50	2.70	\$0.20 Triactor	3-4-7	4.34	18,633
7	Tanist			2.30	\$0.20 Superfecta	3-4-7-1	14.25	9,905

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Sassagoula River	8	5 ^{3 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3 1/4}
4	Woodglen Court	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{3 1/4}
7	Tanist	4	6 ⁴	5 ^{5 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ⁸
1	Alzado	6	2 ¹	3 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{12 3/4}
9	Rose for Carrick	5	8 ^{7 1/2}	7 ⁸	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{15 1/4}
5	Pelee Island	2	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{18 3/4}
8	Alnessa	1	7 ⁶	8 ¹¹	8 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{20 1/2}
2	Solo Surging	7	3 ^{1 1/2}	6 ⁷	7 ⁷	8 ^{20 1/2}

Trainers: 3 - Cohen, Michael; 4 - McMahon, William; 7 - Wills, Daniel; 1 - Agostino, Roy; 9 - Mathes, Julie; 5 - Mitchell, Joan; 8 - Chubb, Beverley; 2 - Agostino, Roy

Owners: 3 -Lincoln V C Radhay; 4 -Jennelle McMahon; 7 -Paul O'Brien; 1 - Even Steven Stables, Ltd.; 9 -Bruno Schickedanz; 5 -Andrew M. Roberts; 8 -Walter A. Lock; 2 - Even Steven Stables, Ltd.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SASSAGOULA RIVER was off slow, a factor on the turn and from the five path at the top of the stretch proved best. WOODGLEN COURT set the pace, had the lead on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch was clearly second best. TANIST was in range and hustled along on the turn but from the five path at the top of the stretch finished evenly. ALZADO was hustled early and roused on the turn but from the three path at the top of the stretch had no response. ROSE FOR CARRICK was well back early and moved up on the turn but from the six path at the top of the stretch was no real threat. PELEE ISLAND was in touch and raced evenly on the turn but from the eight path at the top of the stretch had no late kick. ALNESSA settled off the pace, trailed the field on the turn and was never in contention. SOLO SURGING was up close early but chased on the turn and came up empty.