

FORT ERIE - September 2, 2025 - Race 5

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD THREE YEAR OLDS, 120 LBS.; OLDER, 122 LBS. Claiming Price \$4,000, if for \$3,750, allowed 2 lbs.(Colts And Geldings Preferred). (*Plus Up To \$540 Ontario Bred/Ontario Sired Breeders Awards).

Claiming Price: \$4,000 - \$3,750

Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Divine Music - 1:15.22 - May 31, 2011)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$16,800

Includes: \$3,360 Ontario Sired / Bred Breeders Awards

Includes: \$2,240 State Bred

Available Money: \$16,800

Value of Race: \$13,840 (US\$10,066) 1st \$6,720 (US\$4,887) , 2nd \$3,360 (US\$2,444) , 3rd \$1,680 (US\$1,222) , 4th \$1,008 (US\$733) , 5th \$672 (US\$489) , 6th \$400 (US\$291)

Weather: Clear, 75° C Track: Fast

Off at: 5:01 Start: Good for all 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
18Aug25 ³ FE ⁷	6	Magical Champagne (Vandermeersch, Amanda)	122	L bf	6	1	5 ³	2 ² 1/2	1 ¹	1 ⁴	5.35	3-path str, drew off
18Aug25 ² FE ⁵	2	Cometothedarkside (Johnson, Kirk)	118	L b	2	4	1 1/2	1 ¹	2 ³ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	10.25	set pace, no match
12Aug25 ³ FE ⁴	1	Kowboys Sequel (Crawford, Juan)	120	L	1	3	2 1/2	4 ¹	3 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	12.55	4-path str, held show
2Aug25 ¹ WO ⁷	4	Bolshoye Spasibo (Bynoe, Desean)	120	- -	4	6	6	6	4 1/2	4 ⁸	19.15	3-p str, up for share
12Aug25 ³ FE ²	3	Frac City (Husbands, Christopher)	120	L bf	3	2	4 ¹	5 ¹	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ³ 1/4	4.40	6-p str, no response
7Aug25 ² WO ⁵	5	Last Ride (Sanchez, Alexis)	120	L bf	5	5	3 ^{Head}	3 1/2	6	6	0.50*	dropped back stretch

Fractional Times: 23.01 46.55 1:12.74 Final Time: 1:19.90

Split Times: (23:54) (26:19) (7:16)

Run-Up: 16 feet

Winner: Magical Champagne, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by David Copperfield out of Champagne Time, by Macho Uno. Foaled Mar 30, 2020 in ON.

Breeder: Andrew Stronach

Owner: Cathcart, Steven, Roberto, Joseph I., Blair, Guy Robert and Blair, Dan

Trainer: Cathcart, Steven

Claiming Prices: 6 - Magical Champagne: \$4,000; 2 - Cometothedarkside: \$3,750; 1 - Kowboys Sequel: \$3,750; 4 - Bolshoye Spasibo: \$4,000; 3 - Frac City: \$3,750; 5 - Last Ride: \$4,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Jo Jagr (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$31,894

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Magical Champagne	12.70	7.00	5.00	\$0.20 Pick 3	2-5-6 (3 correct)	26.49	4,579
2	Cometothedarkside		7.80	5.60	\$0.20 Triactor	6-2-1	54.50	16,236
1	Kowboys Sequel			5.70	\$1.00 Daily Double	5-6	74.50	2,781
					\$1.00 Exactor	6-2	60.75	24,873
					\$0.20 Superfecta	6-2-1-4	208.55	11,032

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Magical Champagne	1	5 ²	2 ¹	1 ¹	1 ⁴
2	Cometothedarkside	4	1 1/2	1 ¹	2 ¹	2 ⁴
1	Kowboys Sequel	3	2 1/2	4 ⁴	3 ⁴ 1/2	3 ⁶ 1/2
4	Bolshoye Spasibo	6	6 ⁵	6 ⁶	4 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁷
3	Frac City	2	4 ¹	5 ⁵	5 ⁶	5 ¹⁵
5	Last Ride	5	3 ¹	3 ³ 1/2	6 ⁷ 1/2	6 ¹⁸ 1/4

Trainers: 6 - Cathcart, Steven; 2 - Mathes, Julie; 1 - Humber, Joseph; 4 - Husbands, Anthony; 3 - Smith, Kenneth; 5 - Spada, Lauren

Owners: 6 - Cathcart, Steven, Roberto, Joseph I., Blair, Guy Robert and Blair, Dan; 2 -Bruno Schickedanz; 1 -Joseph Humber; 4 - Tara Horse Farm Inc.; 3 - Radcliffe Racing Stable; 5 -Richard Forbush;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MAGICAL CHAMPAGNE was away alertly, a factor on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch drew off. COMETOTHEDARKSIDE set a pressured pace, had the lead on the turn and vied through the stretch but was no match for the winner. KOWBOYS SEQUEL was hustled early, raced evenly on the turn and from the four path at the top of the stretch held show. BOLSHOYE SPASIBO was well back, had a mild gain on the turn and from the three path at the top of the stretch was up for a share. FRAC CITY was up close early and roused on the turn but from the six path at the top of the stretch had no response. LAST RIDE was in touch but chased from the inside on the turn and dropped back through the stretch.