

FINGER L AKES - September 2, 2026 - Race 2
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.
Distance: Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Wonderous Wise - 57.20 - April 11, 1989)
Purse: \$32,600
Includes: \$6,000 NYSTBDF - New York TB Breeding Development Fund
Available Money: \$32,600
Value of Race: \$32,600 1st \$19,560, 2nd \$6,520, 3rd \$3,260, 4th \$1,630, 5th \$978, 6th \$652
Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)
Off at: 1:31 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	4	Big Poppy (Perez, Luis)	121	--	4	2	4 ³	4 ⁵	2 ¹	1 ^{Neck}	2.60	rail bid,driving
---	5	Referendum (Coa, Keiber)	121	bf	5	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	2 ^{3 3/4}	3.51	3p5/16,gamely
---	2	Locked Horns (Gomez, Oscar)	121	--	2	5	5 ⁵	5 ⁴	5 ⁴	3 ^{1 3/4}	3.94	3p trn, with interest
6Aug26 ² SAR ¹⁰	6	Roadhouse Warrior (Bridgmohan, Shaun)	121	b	6	4	3 ³	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 3/4}	8.59	3acrs7/16,weakened
9Aug26 ⁵ SAR ¹¹	1	Beach Life (Worrie, Andre)	118	--	1	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4 ³	5 ¹	1.69*	tired inside
---	3	I'm a Happy Man (Cruz, Joel)	121	--	3	6	6	6	6	6	21.77	rail trn, outrun

Fractional Times: 22.27 46.54 **Final Time:** 59.57 **Time from Gate:** 1:00.88
Split Times: (24:27) (13:03)
Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Big Poppy, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by [Greatest Honour](#) out of Amanda Lane, by Into Mischief. Foaled Mar 30, 2024 in New York.

 Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift Farm

Breeder: Stonegate Stables LLC
Owner: Stonegate Racing Stables
Trainer: Ferraro, M.

Total WPS Pool: \$39,000

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Big Poppy	7.20	3.86	3.06	\$2.00 Daily Double	3-4	17.06	17,272
5	Referendum		4.28	3.48	\$2.00 Exacta	4-5	27.16	32,513
2	Locked Horns			4.32	\$0.10 Superfecta	4-5-2-6	13.85	10,742
					\$0.50 Trifecta	4-5-2	22.27	18,829

Past Performance Running Line Preview

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4	Big Poppy	2	4 ⁴	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{Neck}
5	Referendum	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹	2 ^{Neck}
2	Locked Horns	5	5 ⁷	5 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	3 ⁴
6	Roadhouse Warrior	4	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	4 ^{5 3/4}
1	Beach Life	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{8 1/2}
3	I'm a Happy Man	6	6 ¹²	6 ^{11 1/2}	6 ^{9 1/2}	6 ^{9 1/2}

Trainers: 4 - Ferraro, M.; 5 - Ferraro, Michael; 2 - Barrow, Paul; 6 - Giddings, Melanie; 1 - Englehart, Jeremiah; 3 - Ferraro, M.

Owners: 4 - Stonegate Racing Stables; 5 -Michael S. Ferraro; 2 - Valente, Roddy J., Bilinski, Darlene and Alfred, Richard; 6 - Paradise Farms Corp. and Giddings, Melanie; 1 - Repole Stable; 3 - DelPo and The Boys Racing LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BIG POPPY In hand along the rail, launched a bid inside, reached the leader and wore that one down for the win. REFERENDUM Vied for the lead from between early, dueled along the three path around, kicked loose some, was collared, battled on and just missed. LOCKED HORNS Unhurried along the three path into the turn, angled out and finished with interest. ROADHOUSE WARRIOR Vied three across early, tracked the leaders into the lane and weakened. BEACH LIFE Vied along the two path, took the rail into the lane and tired. I'M A HAPPY MAN Saved ground while always outrun.