

FINGER LAKES - September 22, 2026 - Race 1
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 121 lbs.
Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Hilary Star - 1:02.80 - April 16, 1989)
Purse: \$32,600
Includes: \$6,000 NYSTBDF - New York TB Breeding Development Fund
Available Money: \$32,600
Value of Race: \$29,000 1st \$15,960, 2nd \$6,520, 3rd \$3,586, 4th \$1,956, 5th \$978
Weather: Clear, 60° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 1:01 **Start:** Good for all except 1,3 **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
12Aug26 ² SAR ³	2	My Bestie (Bridgmohan, Shaun) 	121	b	2	2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ⁵	1 ^{7 3/4}	0.52*	2p trn,drw off,vrpd up
---	1	Lisa Loves (Coa, Keiber) 	121	--	1	4	3 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁵	2 ^{1 1/2}	1.51	rail5/16,2p1/4no match
---	3	Financial Star (Worrie, Andre)	121	b	3	5	5	5	4 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	15.10	brk slw,5w1/4,late bid
9Sep26 ⁶ FL ⁵	7	Tiz's Cupcake (Davila, Jr., Michael)	121	--	5	1	2 ¹	3 ³	3 ¹	4 ^{3 1/2}	12.33	3p3/8, weakened
9Sep26 ⁶ FL ⁶	6	Turbo Charger (De Diego, Emanuel)	121	--	4	3	4 ³	4 ^{1 1/2}	5	5	36.68	4w1/2,3p3/8,tired

Fractional Times: 23.37 47.08 59.16 **Final Time:** 1:05.65 **Time from Gate:** 1:07.43
Split Times: (23:71) (12:08) (6:49)
Run-Up: 56 feet

Winner: My Bestie, Gray or Roan Filly, by Game Winner out of Song of Melody, by Flat Out. Foaled May 05, 2024 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Racer's Edge, Autrey Bloodstock & W. S.Farish
Owner: Paradise Farms Corp., Madden, Jude and P Shooter Stable
Trainer: Giddings, Melanie

Scratched Horse(s): Mi Amor Morena (Veterinarian), Mid Age Rage (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$33,880		Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
Pgm	Horse							
2	My Bestie	3.04	2.10	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	2-1	4.88	27,276
1	Lisa Loves		2.26	2.10	\$0.10 Superfecta	2-1-3-7	0.82	7,227
3	Financial Star			2.64	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-1-3	2.80	13,676

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
2	My Bestie	2	1 ¹	1 ¹	1 ⁵	1 ^{7 3/4}
1	Lisa Loves	4	3 ²	2 ¹	2 ⁵	2 ^{7 3/4}
3	Financial Star	5	5 ⁶	5 ⁷	4 ¹¹	3 ^{9 1/4}
7	Tiz's Cupcake	1	2 ¹	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹⁰	4 ^{10 3/4}
6	Turbo Charger	3	4 ³	4 ^{5 1/2}	5 ¹³	5 ^{14 1/4}

Trainers: 2 - Giddings, Melanie; 1 - Ferraro, M.; 3 - D'Alessandro, Ralph; 7 - Acquilano, James; 6 - D'Alessandro, Ralph
Owners: 2 - Paradise Farms Corp., Madden, Jude and P Shooter Stable; 1 - TLC Thoroughbreds; 3 - McMahon, Joseph and Anne; 7 - Klimasewski, Robert G. and Klimasewski, Tammy; 6 -Edward F. Gardner;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)
MY BESTIE Set the fractions in hand while two from the rail, was cut loose in the lane and drew off while wrapping up late for the win. LISA LOVES Tracked along the two path, took the rail on the turn, two path leaving it, chased and was no match. FINANCIAL STAR Broke slow, lagged back four wide, five wide into the lane and found her best stride late. TIZ'S CUPCAKE Tracked along the three path, stayed on that path into the lane and weakened. TURBO CHARGER Four wide early, three path into the turn and tired.

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