

**GULFSTREAM PARK - January 29, 2026 - Race 6**

MAIDEN OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD FLORIDA-BRED, OR MAIDEN CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000. Weight, 122 lbs.

 Claiming Price \$50,000. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000

**Distance:** Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Forest Danger - 1:14.44 - February 14, 2005)

**Purse:** \$50,000

**Includes:** \$3,000 FOA - Florida Owners Awards

**Includes:** \$7,000 FBIF - Florida Bred Incentive Fund

**Available Money:** \$50,000

**Value of Race:** \$42,970 1st \$24,000, 2nd \$10,700, 3rd \$4,000, 4th \$1,780, 5th \$490, 6th \$400, 7th \$400, 8th \$400, 9th \$400, 10th \$400

**Weather:** Clear, 69° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 2:56 **Start:** Good for all except 2,5 **Timing Method:** Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Jan26	5GP <sup>2</sup>	3 Turkish Pistachio (Vasquez, Miguel)	122	L b	2 6	1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	2.90*	inside,clear turn,drvng	
---	8	Chanceofalifetime (Maragh, Rajiv) <small>VR CERTIFIED</small>	122	b	7 1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>3/4</sup>	29.00	3 wide,held 2nd	
20Dec25	1GP <sup>9</sup>	11 Quality of Essence (Velazquez, John)	122	L b	10 7	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	7.30	5p,7w upper,late rally	
---	7	Queen of Rock (Bravo, Joe)	122	L	6 5	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	3.60	chased3-4w,needed bid	
---	5	Majestic Lucia (Alvarado, Junior)	122	L f	4 10	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>8</sup>	5 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	18.70	reluctant,off slw,2-3p	
---	2	Softly Dreaming (Zayas, Edgard)	122	L	1 9	9 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	11.50	step slow,5p,7w upper	
11Dec25	6GP <sup>3</sup>	4 Lady Rockula (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	122	L b	3 8	6 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>Nose</sup>	6.60	3-4p,5w uppr,no rally	
---	6	All I Do (Gaffalione, Tyler)	122	L	5 4	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	3.30	tracked2w,ins1/4,wknd	
---	9	Sunfish (Gutierrez, Mario)	122	--	8 3	10	10	9 <sup>3</sup>	9 <sup>8 1/4</sup>	56.80	inside turn, no factor	
4Jan26	5GP <sup>7</sup>	10 Dare to Desire (Torres, Yolber)	117	L b	9 2	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	10	10	12.00	stalked4-3w,stopped	

**Fractional Times:** 22.87 46.60 1:11.33

**Final Time:** 1:17.85

**Split Times:** (23:73) (24:73) (6:52)

**Run-Up:** 30 feet

**Winner:** Turkish Pistachio, Chestnut Filly, by Catholic Boy out of Spin Control, by Hard Spun. Foaled Feb 09, 2023 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Colts Neck Stables, LLC

**Owner:** Gokmen Kaya

**Trainer:** David, Carlos

**Claiming Prices:** 3 - Turkish Pistachio: \$50,000; 8 - Chanceofalifetime: \$50,000; 11 - Quality of Essence: \$50,000; 10 - Dare to Desire: \$50,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Trill (Re-entered)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$208,864

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Turkish Pistachio	7.80	4.20	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	3-8	80.30	232,470
8	Chanceofalifetime		21.80	13.00	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-8-11	261.60	112,703
11	Quality of Essence			5.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-8-11-7	256.89	77,978
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-3	6.20	41,450
					\$1.00 Pick 3	5-4-3 (3 correct)	34.80	34,445

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Turkish Pistachio	6	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
8	Chanceofalifetime	1	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
11	Quality of Essence	7	8 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>
7	Queen of Rock	5	5 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>5 3/4</sup>
5	Majestic Lucia	10	7 <sup>6</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>	8 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>10 3/4</sup>
2	Softly Dreaming	9	9 <sup>8</sup>	9 <sup>10</sup>	6 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>12 1/2</sup>
4	Lady Rockula	8	6 <sup>6</sup>	8 <sup>9</sup>	7 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>13</sup>
6	All I Do	4	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>13</sup>
9	Sunfish	3	10 <sup>8 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>11</sup>	9 <sup>20 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>23 1/2</sup>
10	Dare to Desire	2	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>5</sup>	10 <sup>23 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>31 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 3 - David, Carlos; 8 - Lightner, Mary; 11 - Margotta, Jr., Anthony; 7 - Fawkes, David; 5 - Garcia, Rodolfo; 2 - McKathan, Kevin; 4 - David, Carlos; 6 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 9 - Lerman, Michael; 10 - Alter, Happy

**Owners:** 3 -Gokmen Kaya; 8 -Mary Lightner; 11 - St. Elias Stable and ARM Racing LLC; 7 - Royalight Racing, LLC; 5 - Correa, Belkis Lucia and Carga, Inc.; 2 -Kathy Machesky; 4 - Fast Furlong Stable; 6 - AMG Equine, LLC; 9 -David S. Romanik; 10 - Alter's Racing Stable, Inc. ;

**Footnotes |** [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TURKISH PISTACHIO rushed up the inside to vie for the lead and then shook clear on the turn and drew out leaving the turn and then was give two pops right handed with the crop and remained clear to the sixteenth marker and then was ridden out to the wire to prove best. CHANCEOFALIFETIME was away alertly and vied for the lead early three wide and then stalked the winner three to two wide on the turn, came three to four wide off the turn and chased the winner to the wire while saving the place award. QUALITY OF ESSENCE was settled early on the outside, five wide run on the turn and came seven wide into the lane and had a late rally to gain the show award. QUEEN OF ROCK chased the pace three to four wide and lacked the needed winning bid while racing evenly. MAJESTIC LUCIA was reluctant to load, off slowly and raced two to three wide on the turn, came three to four wide off the turn and had a belated rally. SOFTLY DREAMING was off a step slow, moved out and made a four to five wide run on the turn and came seven wide into the lane and had no late kick. LADY ROCKULA angled out leaving the eleven sixteenths to be towards the far outside, raced four wide on the turn in mid pack and came five wide into the lane but lacked a serious rally. ALL I DO tracked the early pace two wide and then chased the pace on the inside by the five sixteenths marker and weakened. SUNFISH was settled back early, raced on the inside on the turn but never factored. DARE TO DESIRE stalked the pace four wide and then was three wide on the turn and stopped.

 Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred

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