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GULFSTREAM PARK - March 22, 2026 - Race 5

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$30,000 In Their Last 5 Starts). (If deemed inadvisable to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the Tapeta Course at One Mile and Seventy Yards) (Rail at 31 feet).

Distance: Seven And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Quality G - 1:25.98 - March 2, 2024)

Purse: \$84,000

Includes: \$6,000 FOA - Florida Owners Awards

Includes: \$10,000 FBIF - Florida Bred Incentive Fund

Available Money: \$84,000

Value of Race: \$68,000 1st \$40,800, 2nd \$14,280, 3rd \$6,800, 4th \$3,400, 5th \$680, 6th \$680, 7th \$680, 8th \$680

Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Good

Off at: 2:57 **Start:** Good for all except 4 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22Feb26 ¹ GP ⁵	8	Zakinthos (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	122 L	7	1	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ² 1/2	1 ⁴ 1/4	1.30*	3-2wd, drew off, drvng
---	3	Powell River (Maragh, Rajiv)	122 b	3	3	1 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/4	34.40	rail, willingly
---	5	Party Animal (Morelos, Jose)	122 L f	5	7	7 ⁴	6 ¹	4 ¹	3 ³ 1/2	19.20	2-3wd, rallied
10Aug25 ⁴ SAR ⁷	1	Time to Strike (Castellano, Javier)	122 L	1	2	5 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹ 1/2	5 ³	4 ¹ 1/2	2.20	bumped start, 2-4wd
---	4	Salt of the Earth (Davis, Dylan)	122 L	4	8	8	8	7 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	10.10	hesitated st, greenly
29Jan26 ¹ GP ⁷	7	High Leverage (Saez, Luis)	122 L	6	5	4 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	6 ⁴ 1/4	5.60	3wd, bid, empty
---	2	Candied Up (Gaffalione, Tyler)	122 L	2	6	6 ¹	7 ² 1/2	6 ¹	7 ³ 4	9.50	bumped start, inside
7Feb26 ⁶ GP ⁷	9	Palpable (Velazquez, John)	122 L	8	4	3 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 1/2	8	8	18.40	chased 2wd, retreated

Fractional Times: 24.02 48.80 1:12.19 1:23.64 **Final Time:** 1:29.71

Split Times: (24:78) (23:39) (11:45) (6:07)

Run-Up: 67 feet **Temporary Rail:** 31 feet

Winner: Zakinthos, Gray or Roan Colt, by Oscar Performance out of Zavrinka (FR), by =Rajsaman (FR). Foaled Jan 31, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Jerry Amerman

Owner: Amerman Racing, LLC

Trainer: Lynch, Brian

Scratched Horse(s): Go for Rocket (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$294,782

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Zakinthos	4.60	3.60	2.80	\$1.00 Exacta	8-3	50.00	245,400
3	Powell River		20.60	11.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-3-5	148.10	129,373
5	Party Animal			7.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	8-3-5-1	174.24	85,271
					\$1.00 Daily Double	8-8	80.60	33,664
					\$1.00 Pick 3	1-8-8 (3 correct)	242.20	55,074
					\$0.50 Pick 4	6/12-1/4-8-6/8 (4 correct)	294.50	156,401
					\$0.50 Pick 5	5/8/9-6/12-1/4-8-6/8 (5 correct)	1,403.00	515,782

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
8	Zakinthos	1	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ² 1/2	1 ⁴ 1/4
3	Powell River	3	1 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	2 ⁴ 1/4
5	Party Animal	7	7 ⁵ 1/2	6 ³	4 ⁴ 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/2
1	Time to Strike	2	5 ³	4 ²	5 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁹
4	Salt of the Earth	8	8 ⁹ 1/2	8 ⁶ 1/2	7 ⁹ 1/2	5 ¹⁰ 1/2
7	High Leverage	5	4 ² 1/2	2 ¹	3 ⁴ 1/2	6 ¹¹
2	Candied Up	6	6 ⁴ 1/2	7 ⁴	6 ⁸ 1/2	7 ¹⁵ 1/4
9	Palpable	4	3 ²	5 ² 1/2	8 ¹¹	8 ¹⁶

Trainers: 8 - Lynch, Brian; 3 - Vassilieva, Katerina; 5 - Antonucci, Jena; 1 - Casse, Mark; 4 - Casse, Mark; 7 - D'Angelo, Jose; 2 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 9 - Giddings, Melanie

Owners: 8 - Amerman Racing, LLC; 3 - Chiefswood Stables Limited; 5 - Bushman Thoroughbreds; 1 - Gold Standard Racing Stable LLC; 4 -Justin E. Casse; 7 - Three Diamonds Farm; 2 - Victory Racing Partners; 9 - Tramp Hollow Stable;

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ZAKINTHOS moved three wide to the lead around the first turn, drew clear down the backstretch, set the pace in the two path around the far turn then drew off under a drive. POWELL RIVER set the early pace along the rail, was content to stalk inside when the winner became intent on the lead down the backstretch, continued to save ground around the far turn, tipped out in upper stretch and finished willingly to hold the place. PARTY ANIMAL raced off the pace two and three wide and rallied for the show. TIME TO STRIKE bumped at the start, raced off the pace two wide, went four wide around the far turn and lacked the needed rally. SALT OF THE EARTH hesitated at the start, was green early, saved ground off the pace, angled out in upper stretch and passed tiring rivals. HIGH LEVERAGE tracked the pace three wide, bid in the three path rounding the far turn but came up empty in the lane. CANDIED UP bumped at the start, saved ground and never threatend. PALPABLE chased the pace two wide and retreated through the lane.