

GULFSTREAM PARK - December 5, 2025 - Race 1

MAIDEN OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD FLORIDA-BRED, OR MAIDEN CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000. Weight, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000. (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). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000
Distance: Seven And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Quality G - 1:25.98 - March 2, 2024)
Purse: \$43,000
Includes: \$4,000 FOA - Florida Owners Awards
Includes: \$3,000 FBIF - Florida Bred Incentive Fund
Available Money: \$43,000
Value of Race: \$37,480 1st \$21,600, 2nd \$8,000, 3rd \$4,040, 4th \$2,040, 5th \$360, 6th \$360, 7th \$360, 8th \$360, 9th \$360
Weather: Clear, 82° **Track:** Firm
Off at: 12:25 **Start:** Good for all except 2,3 **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Nov25 ⁷ GP ⁵	1	Zucchero (Juarez, Nik)	120	b	1	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ¹	6.30	rail, drift out, drvng
---	8	Weseeulator (Gutierrez, Mario)	120	-	7	5	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ^{1/2}	6 ²	2 ^{1/2}	1.40*	2-3wd, 6wd 3/16, rally
15Nov25 ⁶ GP ⁴	4	Nickel C (Gaffalione, Tyler)	120	b	4	2	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	17.40	rail,tip out 3/16,even
---	3	Chemical Romance (Castellano, Javier)	120	-	3	8	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹ 3/4	13.50	hit gate,ins,bid,flatn
23Oct25 ⁵ BAQ ⁶	11	Skip Forward (JPN) (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	120	b	9	9	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	5 ⁴	2.20	step slow, 3wd
8Nov25 ³ LRL ³	9	Best Artist (Ruiz, Jorge)	120	b	8	4	7 ¹ 1/2	7 ¹ 1/2	7 ^{Head}	6 ^{Neck}	6.40	pulling early, 3-4wd
15Nov25 ⁶ GP ⁵	5	Unreachable Star (Jaramillo, Emisael)	120	b	5	3	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{1/2}	7 ¹ 1/2	29.50	pressed 2wd, wknd
19Oct25 ² GP ²	7	Three Cheers (Morelos, Jose)	120	b	6	6	8 ¹ 1/2	8 ³	8 ⁶	8 ⁹ 1/2	23.40	outrun inside
---	2	Gold Miner (Zayas, Edgard)	120	b	2	7	9	9	9	9	34.30	in tight start, inside

Fractional Times: 23.93 47.72 1:11.18 1:23.25 **Final Time:** 1:29.20
Split Times: (23:79) (23:46) (12:07) (5:95)
Run-Up: 67 feet **Temporary Rail:** 31 feet

Winner: Zucchero, Gray or Roan Colt, by Mendelssohn out of Toffen, by Cairo Prince. Foaled May 20, 2023 in Kentucky.
Breeder: Raroma Stable LLC
Owner: Raroma Stable LLC
Trainer: Lynch, Brian

Claiming Prices: 1 - Zucchero: \$50,000; 11 - Skip Forward (JPN): \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): My Man Money (Trainer), Ramses the Great (Trainer), Sun's Arising (Also-Eligible), Win Street (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$146,984

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Zucchero	14.60	5.40	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	1-8	22.50	116,940
8	Weseeulator		3.40	2.80	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-8-4	120.15	63,879
4	Nickel C			6.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	1-8-4-3	147.87	38,277

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Zucchero	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ¹
8	Weseeulator	5	5 ² 1/2	5 ³ 1/2	6 ⁴	2 ¹
4	Nickel C	2	3 ²	3 ²	2 ²	3 ¹ 1/2
3	Chemical Romance	8	6 ⁴	6 ⁴	3 ² 1/2	4 ²
11	Skip Forward (JPN)	9	4 ²	4 ² 1/2	5 ³ 1/2	5 ³ 3/4
9	Best Artist	4	7 ⁴ 1/4	7 ⁴ 1/2	7 ⁶	6 ⁷ 3/4
5	Unreachable Star	3	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	4 ³	7 ⁸
7	Three Cheers	6	8 ⁵ 3/4	8 ⁶	8 ⁶	8 ⁹ 1/2
2	Gold Miner	7	9 ⁷ 1/4	9 ⁹	9 ¹²	9 ¹⁹

Trainers: 1 - Lynch, Brian; 8 - Lynch, Brian; 4 - Fawkes, David; 3 - Castro, Jose; 11 - Pletcher, Todd; 9 - Trombetta, Michael; 5 - Preciado, Guadalupe; 7 - Catanese III, Joseph; 2 - Mott, Riley

Owners: 1 - Raroma Stable LLC; 8 - Victoriam Farm LLC; 4 - Monarch Stables, Inc.; 3 - JC Racing Stable (Jose Castro); 11 - Repole Stable; 9 - Live Oak Plantation; 5 -Joseph M. Imbesi; 7 - Peter J. Mirabelli Trust; 2 - Braun, Alan W., English, Kenneth D., Wolf, Chris and Wolf, Michael, Frey, Leonard;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ZUCCHERO set the pace along the rail, shook clear in upper stretch, drifted out under left handing through the lane and held safe. WESEEULATOR settled off the pace while racing two wide, went three wide around the far turn, swung six wide turning for home and finished well to gain the place. NICKEL C saved ground up close, tipped out in upper stretch and finished evenly for the show. CHEMICAL ROMANCE hit the starting gate, saved ground off the pace, tipped two wide nearing the quarter pole, made progress inside in upper stretch and flattened out a bit in the final furlong. SKIP FORWARD (JPN) was off a step slowly, raced in range three wide, switched back to the left lead in midstretch and lacked a closing bid. BEST ARTIST was pulling early, raced off the pace three and four wide and lacked a rally. UNREACHABLE STAR pressed the winner two wide and weakened in the lane. THREE CHEERS was outrun inside. GOLD MINER was in tight at the start and trailed inside.