

KENTUCKY DOWNS - August 31, 2025 - Race 2

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less \$50,000 In Last 5 Starts).

Distance: One And One Half Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Stellify - 2:24.89 - August 28, 2025)

Purse: \$170,000

Includes: \$80,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Plus: \$8,400 Other Sources

Available Money: \$178,400

Value of Race: \$178,400 1st \$102,000, 2nd \$34,000, 3rd \$17,000, 4th \$10,600, 5th \$7,200, 6th \$1,520, 7th \$1,520, 8th \$1,520, 9th \$1,520, 10th \$1,520

Weather: Clear, 80° Track: Firm

Off at: 1:02 Start: Poor Timing Method: Video Review



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7Aug25 ² CNL ¹	4	The Jackal (Boyce, Forest)	124	L b	4	3 ¹	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{3/4}	2.40*	2p1/2,aim4p1/4,up1/16
23Jul25 ⁴ CNL ²	5	Orator (Ortiz, Jose)	121	L b	5	5 ³	5 ³	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	2 ¹	3.12	bump st,stdy1/8,ran on
19Jul25 ³ MT ²	6	Crystal Hill (Geroux, Florent)	121	L b	6	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	15.18	bump st,bid2p5/16,duel
21Jul25 ⁹ ELP ²	11	Abbi Fede (Morales, Edgar)	121	L b	10	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	23.90	2p-ins turns,edged out
8Jun25 ³ CD ⁴	9	Kicking Clear (Curtis, Ben)	121	L b	9	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ²	5 ¹	17.57	bump st,3p1/2,5p3/16
28Jun25 ¹¹ GP ⁴	1	Abuelo (Machado, Luan)	121	L b	1	10	10	10	9 ^{Head}	8 ¹	6 ^{3/4}	7.43	3p5/16,5p1/4,improved
28Jun25 ² CD ³	7	Rule Seventy Six (Gaffalione, Tyler)	121	L	7	9 ^{Head}	9 ²	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	6 ²	7 ^{3 3/4}	4.09	pinch st,3p1/2,mildly
1Aug25 ⁸ ELP ⁵	3	Ice Shot (Moncada, Irving)	121	L	3	8 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	7 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1 3/4}	31.72	rated,rail final turn
11Aug25 ⁷ ELP ⁵	8	Pacific (Asmussen, Erik)	121	L	8	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ³	8 ^{1/2}	8 ^{2 1/2}	9 ³	9 ^{1 3/4}	46.61	bobl bmp,cued btw2p1/2
27Jul25 ¹⁰ SAR ⁸	2	Elko County (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	124	L	2	7 ¹	7 ^{1/2}	9 ²	10	10	10	5.81	chase,ride3p1/2,no bid

Fractional Times: 23.84 49.55 1:13.83 1:37.69 2:02.01 Final Time: 2:28.42

Split Times: (25:71) (24:28) (23:86) (24:32) (26:41)

Run-Up: 10 feet Temporary Rail: 25 feet

Winner: The Jackal, Bay Gelding, by Medaglia d'Oro out of Sweet Assassin, by Tapit. Foaled Mar 18, 2020 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Don Alberto Corporation

Owner: Bruton Street-US

Trainer: Fisher, Jack

Scratched Horse(s): Spy (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$324,252

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	The Jackal	6.80	3.96	3.28	\$1.00 Daily Double	11-4	159.64	74,248
5	Orator		4.46	2.86	\$1.00 Exacta	4-5	14.92	247,136
6	Crystal Hill			6.52	\$0.10 Superfecta	4-5-6-11	171.23	84,591
					\$0.50 Trifecta	4-5-6	77.33	147,268

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	1m	11/4	Str	Fin
4	The Jackal	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	3 ²	3 ²	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}
5	Orator	5 ³	5 ^{3 1/2}	4 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/4}	2 ^{3/4}
6	Crystal Hill	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 3/4}
11	Abbi Fede	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 3/4}
9	Kicking Clear	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ³	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ⁴	5 ^{2 1/4}	5 ^{2 1/4}
1	Abuelo	10 ¹⁰	10 ^{12 1/2}	10 ⁹	9 ^{10 3/4}	8 ^{7 3/4}	6 ^{3 1/4}
7	Rule Seventy Six	9 ¹⁰	9 ^{10 1/2}	6 ⁵	6 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/4}	7 ⁴
3	Ice Shot	8 ^{8 1/2}	8 ¹⁰	7 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{5 3/4}	7 ^{6 1/4}	8 ^{7 3/4}
8	Pacific	6 ⁶	6 ^{6 1/2}	8 ^{6 1/2}	8 ^{8 1/4}	9 ^{8 3/4}	9 ^{9 1/2}
2	Elko County	7 ^{7 1/2}	7 ^{9 1/2}	9 ⁷	10 ^{10 3/4}	10 ^{11 3/4}	10 ^{11 1/4}

Trainers: 4 - Fisher, Jack; 5 - McGaughey III, Claude; 6 - Schultz, Lindsay; 11 - Ennis, John; 9 - Walsh, Brendan; 1 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 7 - Walsh, Brendan; 3 - Arnold II, George; 8 - Asmussen, Steven; 2 - Maker, Michael

Owners: 4 - Bruton Street-US; 5 - Claiborne Farm and Wilson Family Stables, LLC; 6 - Shortleaf Stable, Inc.; 11 -Hayden Noriega; 9 - Calumet Farm; 1 - Heiligbrodt, L. William and Corinne; 7 - Lightning Stable; 3 - Calumet Farm; 8 - Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds LLC; 2 - Fugget About It Racing Stables;

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THE JACKAL saved ground from up close behind the leader around the first turn, continued comfortably behind the pacesetter up the hill, came under a nudge in the two passing the half mile pole, angled out to the four path to take aim passing the quarter, drew ahead of an inner pair to take the lead around the final sixteenth, and held safe. ORATOR bumped with an outer foe at the start, tracked just behind the winner heading up the hill, angled to the rail entering the sweeping turn, was cued just after the half, driven along the inside into the long stretch, had to steady slightly while angling out to the five path passing the eighth pole, and ran on to get up for place late. CRYSTAL HILL bumped with an inner foe at the start, laid up close outside of the pacesetter, bid in hand from the two path passing the five-sixteenths, duelled with the inner pacesetter down the lane, got overtaken by an outer pair in the closing stages, but edged out show. ABBI FEDE broke well to show the way while crossing over to the two path around the first turn, angled inside approaching the sweeping turn, was roused passing the three-eighths, got headed by an outer challenger at the top of the stretch, fought on along the inside, but was edged out for minor rewards. KICKING CLEAR bumped with an inner foe at the start, stalked, came under a ride while in the three path entering the sweeping far turn, angled out to the five path passing the three-sixteenths pole, and stayed on. ABUELO trailed along the inside turning up the hill, was roused in the three path passing the five-sixteenths, tipped out of the five path down the long stretch, and improved. RULE SEVENTY SIX got pinched at the start, settled off the pace outside of an inner trio, was coaxed along in the three path passing the half, and mildly gained down the lane. ICE SHOT rated inside of rivals, was ridden along the rail around the sweeping turn, but made no impact. PACIFIC bobbled and bumped with an outer foe, rated in midpack between foes, was cued in the two path passing the half, but did not threaten. ELKO COUNTY chased, was ridden in the three path passing the half, but made no closing bid. AN OBJECTION LODGED BY THE RIDER OF ORATOR AGAINST THE RIDER THE JACKAL FOR INTERFERENCE AROUND THE EIGHTH POLE

WAS DISALLOWED. AN OBJECTION LODGED BY THE RIDER OF KICKING CLEAR AGAINST THE RIDER OF ORATOR FOR INTERFERENCE AT THE EIGHTH POLE WAS ALSO DISALLOWED. This race had a timing discrepancy or malfunction and was re-timed using video technology to arrive at the most accurate time.

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