

KEENELAND - April 11, 2026 - Race 7

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since March 11 Allowed 3 lbs. Such A Race Since February 11 Allowed 5 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$35,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). In the event that this race is taken off the turf it will be contested at One Mile on the main track. (NW1 X)

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Uni (GB) - 1:32.87 - October 5, 2019)

Purse: \$120,000

Includes: \$39,600 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$120,000

Value of Race: \$120,000 1st \$71,610, 2nd \$23,100, 3rd \$11,550, 4th \$5,775, 5th \$3,465, 6th \$1,500, 7th \$1,500, 8th \$1,500

Weather: Clear, 56° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 4:13 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
28Feb26 ¹ GP ⁸	7	Noble Confessor (Gaffalione, Tyler)	118 L b	6 4	3 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1.82*	3-2p,slow gain,up btw	
7Mar26 ⁸ TP ³	1	Cinister Cix (Saez, Luis)	118 L bf	1 1	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ²	2 ^{Head}	17.63	ran off, game, nailed	
13Mar26 ⁵ GP ¹	2	Love'm Or Liam (Alvarado, Junior)	118 L b	2 3	7 ¹	8	7 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	3 ³	4.37	ins,3p,6pupr,rally,mss	
6Mar26 ⁵ TAM ¹	6	Arkhipov (Prat, Flavien)	120 L b	5 6	6 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	5 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	2.02	2wd btw,3-4p1/8,mild	
24Jan25 ⁵ TP ⁴	5	Master of Light (Beschizza, Adam)	118 L	4 5	4 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	5 ¹	5 ^{1 1/4}	31.97	ins,splt 2wupr,bid 4th	
1Jan26 ⁷ TP ¹¹	9	Rocky Joy (Machado, Luan)	118 L	8 7	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ²	3 ¹	6 ^{7 1/4}	9.94	tracked 4-3wd, faded	
12Feb26 ⁹ TP ⁷	8	Apophis (Kimura, Kazushi)	118 L f	7 8	8	7 ¹	8	8	7 ^{1/2}	50.36	keen 3p1st,4w2nd,tired	
1Jun25 ⁶ CD ⁹	3	Sicilian Defense (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	118 L b	3 2	2 ¹	4 ¹	4 ^{Head}	7 ^{3 1/2}	8	7.02	stalked 2p-ins, faded	

Fractional Times: 23.12 47.33 1:11.79 1:23.48 **Final Time:** 1:35.52 **Time from Gate:** 1:38.79

Split Times: (24:21) (24:46) (11:69) (12:04)

Run-Up: 93 feet

Winner: Noble Confessor, Bay Colt, by [Quality Road](#) out of Sweeter Than Wine, by Noble Mission (GB). Foaled Jan 28, 2022 in Kentucky.

Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: St. Elias Stables, LLC

Owner: St. Elias Stable

Trainer: Pletcher, Todd

Scratched Horse(s): Ciro di Marzio (RegVet-Unsound)

Total WPS Pool: \$621,014

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Noble Confessor	5.64	4.20	3.00	\$1.00 Pick 3	4-3-7 (3 correct)	343.51	130,068
1	Cinister Cix		12.00	5.98	\$0.50 Pick 4	9-4-3-4/7 (4 correct)	854.12	261,410
2	Love'm Or Liam			3.60	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-7	30.82	139,494
					\$1.00 Exacta	7-1	35.60	354,369
					\$0.50 Superfecta	7-1-2-6	243.82	83,095
					\$0.50 Trifecta	7-1-2	105.11	207,394

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Noble Confessor	4	3 ^{5 1/2}	2 ^{4 1/2}	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ²	1 ^{Head}
1	Cinister Cix	1	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{4 1/2}	1 ^{2 1/2}	1 ²	2 ^{Head}
2	Love'm Or Liam	3	7 ⁸	8 ⁹	7 ^{6 3/4}	4 ^{5 1/2}	3 ^{Head}
6	Arkhipov	6	6 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/4}
5	Master of Light	5	4 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{7 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/4}
9	Rocky Joy	7	5 ⁷	3 ^{5 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}
8	Apophis	8	8 ⁹	7 ⁸	8 ^{8 1/4}	8 ^{10 1/2}	7 ^{11 3/4}
3	Sicilian Defense	2	2 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{5 1/2}	7 ⁷	8 ^{12 1/4}

Trainers: 7 - Pletcher, Todd; 1 - Sands, Shane; 2 - Mott, William; 6 - Brown, Chad; 5 - Vaughan, Edward; 9 - Aranha, Jose; 8 - Oliver, Victoria; 3 - DeVaux, Cherie

Owners: 7 - St. Elias Stable; 1 -Bartolome Mafla Herrera; 2 - Cheyenne Stable, LLC; 6 - Lawrence, William H. and Rucker, William J.; 5 -Edward Ware; 9 - Brownwood Farm, LLC; 8 - Chiefswood Stables Limited; 3 - Gunther, John D. and Borders Racing Stable Ltd.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

NOBLE CONFESSOR stalked from the three two path, sustained gradual progress on the clear leader in the final furlong, bid in the final sixteenth and prevailed as an outer bidder joined the fray at the wire. CINISTER CIX ran off to set a clear pace, held sway through midstretch but got collared by an outer bidder in the final sixteenth, then got nailed at the wire and saved place. LOVE'M OR LIAM settled along the inside, took the far turn in the three path, shifted out to the six path in upper stretch, rallied to bid outside of the top pair reaching the wire but missed. ARKHIPOV laid off of the pace two wide and between horses, chased in the three path into the lane, tipped four wide in midstretch, stayed on mildly and prevailed for fourth. MASTER OF LIGHT pursued from midpack along the inside, split foes two wide in upper stretch, ran on to bid for fourth at the sixteenth pole but got outfinished. ROCKY JOY tracked four wide, then in the three path around the far turn and faded. APOPHIS broke a beat slow, raced at the rear in the three path while getting keen around the first turn, chased four wide around the far turn, floated five wide into the lane and tired. SICILIAN DEFENSE stalked near the inside then faded.