

LAUREL PARK - January 16, 2026 - Race 1

EQUIBASE

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 15% MBF) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$20,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR CLAIMING \$20,000-\$16,000 AND NEVER WON THREE RACES. Weight, 126 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000, if for \$16,000, allowed 4 lbs. (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Richter Scale - 1:07.95 - July 15, 2000)

Purse: \$26,000

Includes: \$390 MBF - Maryland Bred Fund

Available Money: \$26,000

 [Video Race Replay](#)

Value of Race: \$25,870 1st \$15,600, 2nd \$5,200, 3rd \$2,990, 4th \$1,300, 5th \$780

Weather: Cloudy, 31° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:02 Start: Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
27Nov25	3	Wiffleball (Cruz, Angel)	126	L	2	2	1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 ⁵	1 ⁹ 1/2	1.00*	rail, ridden out
13Dec25	6	Summer Vibes (Boyce, Forest)	126	b	1	5	5	5	5	2 1/2	3.00	rail,5w upper,mild bid
18Oct25	9	Square Slice (Lyapustina, Tais)	126	L	3	3	4 2 1/2	3 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 1/2	4.50	rail,3w uppr,fltn out
21Dec25	4	Artist Mark (Barbosa, Jeiron)	126	L	4	4	2 ³	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁴	9.00	prompted, faltered
13Dec25	6	Rapidity (Torrealba, J.G.)	126	L	5	1	3 1 1/2	4 3 1/2	4 ²	5	4.00	3-4wd, faltered

Fractional Times: 23.24 46.80 58.94

Final Time: 1:11.83

Split Times: (23:56) (12:14) (12:89)

Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: Wiffleball, Bay Gelding, by Constitution out of Holiday Disguise, by Harlan's Holiday. Foaled Apr 30, 2022 in New York.

Breeder: Lady Sheila Stable III, LLC

Owner: Joseph E. Besecker

Trainer: Kreiser, Timothy

1 Claimed Horse(s): Summer Vibes

New Trainer: Anthony Farrior

New Owner: Michael J. Miller

Claiming Prices: 2 - Wiffleball: \$20,000; 1 - Summer Vibes: \$20,000; 4 - Square Slice: \$20,000; 6 - Rapidity: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Minister (PrivVet-Injured), Schrader (PrivVet-Illness)

Total WPS Pool: \$27,359

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Wiffleball	4.00	2.40	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	2-1	5.60	27,656
1	Summer Vibes		3.40	2.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	2-1-4-5	42.40	8,994
4	Square Slice			2.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	2-1-4	9.10	14,667

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	Wiffleball	2	1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 ⁵	1 ⁹ 1/2
1	Summer Vibes	5	5 7 1/2	5 7 1/2	5 ¹⁰	2 ⁹ 1/2
4	Square Slice	3	4 ⁵	3 3 1/2	3 ⁶ 1/2	3 ¹⁰
5	Artist Mark	4	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ⁵	4 ¹⁰ 1/2
6	Rapidity	1	3 3 1/2	4 ⁴	4 ⁸	5 ¹⁴ 1/2

Trainers: 2 - Kreiser, Timothy; 1 - Gaudet, Lacey; 4 - Klesaris, Robert; 5 - Geralis, Emanuel; 6 - Shankle, Joanne

Owners: 2 -Joseph E. Besecker; 1 - Liberty House Racing and Penwood Racing; 4 -Michael Hoesing; 5 -John Chamatsos; 6 -Joanne Shankle;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

WIFFLEBALL bore out leaving the starting gate, sprinted to the early lead, hugged the rail, was asked for run approaching the stretch, pulled away under a hand ride and was allowed to relax late. SUMMER VIBES stayed along the inner rail around the turn while well off the pace, swung to the five path in upper stretch and had a slight rally outside horses. SQUARE SLICE stayed along the inner rail on the turn, moved to the three path in upper stretch and flattened out between foes. ARTIST MARK prompted the winner to upper stretch and faltered. RAPIDITY , three wide chasing the winner around the turn, floated to the four path in upper stretch and faltered.