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LAUREL PARK - March 1, 2026 - Race 1

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 15% MBF) FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD. Weight, 124 lbs.

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Siralfredthegreat - 1:02.20 - October 6, 2018)

Purse: \$51,730

Includes: \$500 Starters Bonus

Includes: \$4,230 MBF - Maryland Bred Fund

Available Money: \$51,730

Value of Race: \$51,730 1st \$32,430, 2nd \$9,400, 3rd \$4,700, 4th \$2,350, 5th \$1,410, 6th \$940, 7th \$500

Weather: Clear, 48° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:03 **Start:** Good for all except 3 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	2	Sunset Rising (Toledo, Jevian)	124 L	2	4	5 ³	5 ³	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Nose}	19.20	brush start,5w 3/16
---	6	Serenity Song (Russell, Sheldon)	124 L b	6	5	6 ⁴	6 ⁸	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 3/4	1.00*	stead start,6w upper
17Jan26 ³ LRL ²	3	Cupid's Choice (Perez, Xavier)	124 L	3	6	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	3 ⁴	4.00	stmble start,3w,tired
---	4	Butler Road (Chavez, Andres)	124 - -	4	3	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	4 ¹	4 ⁶ 1/4	21.10	steadied 1/2,rail
---	5	Grande Voix (Sanchez, Mychel)	124 L	5	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	5 ² 1/2	5 ^{Neck}	2.10	pace, gave way
13Feb26 ⁶ LRL ⁴	7	Nattie's Boss (Villalobos, Ismerio)	124 L b	7	2	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	6 ⁶	6 ^{Head}	15.90	prompted, gave way
---	1	Rock Talk (Vargas, Jose)	117 L b	1	7	7	7	7	7	15.20	outrun

Fractional Times: 23.87 48.08 1:00.30

Final Time: 1:06.60

Split Times: (24:21) (12:22) (6:30)

Run-Up: 55 feet

Winner: Sunset Rising, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Golden Lad out of Fearless Lassie, by Jump Start. Foaled Mar 15, 2023 in Maryland.

Breeder: Katharine M. Voss, Daniel McKenzie & Lianna McKenzie

Owner: MIH Affiliates LLC

Trainer: McKenzie, Daniel

Total WPS Pool: \$41,734

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Sunset Rising	40.40	11.60	4.80	\$1.00 Exacta	2-6	56.60	33,792
6	Serenity Song		2.80	2.20	\$1.00 Superfecta	2-6-3-4	950.30	16,000
3	Cupid's Choice			2.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	2-6-3	185.90	23,027

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
2	Sunset Rising	4	5 ³	5 ³ 1/2	2 ²	1 ^{Nose}
6	Serenity Song	5	6 ⁶	6 ⁶ 1/2	3 ³ 1/2	2 ^{Nose}
3	Cupid's Choice	6	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	1 ²	3 ¹ 3/4
4	Butler Road	3	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	4 ⁵ 3/4
5	Grande Voix	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ¹²
7	Nattie's Boss	2	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	6 ⁷	6 ¹² 1/4
1	Rock Talk	7	7 ¹⁰	7 ¹⁴ 1/2	7 ¹³	7 ¹² 1/2

Trainers: 2 - McKenzie, Daniel; 6 - Russell, Brittany; 3 - Robb, John; 4 - Keefe, Timothy; 5 - Trombetta, Michael; 7 - Flores, Irvin; 1 - Eppler, Mary

Owners: 2 - MIH Affiliates LLC; 6 - Winners Win, Parkinson, Mark and Golden Lion Racing; 3 - Mens Grille Racing; 4 - Nancy Lee Farms; 5 - Awestrike Racing, Rudan, Jeremia and Pick View LLC; 7 - Lady Olivia Northcliff LLC; 1 - Eppler, Mary E. and Triple Tree Stable;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SUNSET RISING brushed with CUPID'S CHOICE leaving the starting gate, stalked behind horses on the turn, swung to the five path in upper stretch, bid for the lead between horses inside the sixteenth pole and narrowly prevailed. SERENITY SONG, steadied in close quarters leaving the starting gate, lacked speed around the turn, swung to the six path in upper stretch, rallied and stayed on her left lead until deep stretch. CUPID'S CHOICE stumbled and brushed with SUNSET RISING leaving the starting gate, advanced three deep on the turn, sprinted clear in upper stretch and weakened in the drive. BUTLER ROAD steadied lacking room along the inner rail leaving the backstretch, remained along the rail and weakened. GRANDE VOIX sped to the front, saved ground setting the pace on the turn, raced in the two path in the stretch and gave way in upper stretch. NATTIE'S BOSS came in at the break, prompted the pace two wide on the turn and gave way. ROCK TALK was outrun.

Denotes OBS Graduate

Denotes Virginia-Certified Thoroughbred