

LAUREL PARK - May 8, 2026 - Race 9

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO 15% MBF) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$25,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING \$30,000-\$24,000 AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Claiming Price \$30,000, if for \$24,000, allowed 4 lbs. Maryland Bred Claiming Price \$37,500. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race on the Turf course, it will be run on the main track at Five and One half Furlongs) (Rail at 35 feet). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$30,000

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Remuda - 1:00.63 - June 16, 2023)

Purse: \$36,300

Includes: \$1,300 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$36,300

Value of Race: \$36,300 1st \$21,000, 2nd \$7,000, 3rd \$3,500, 4th \$1,750, 5th \$1,050, 6th \$1,000, 7th \$1,000

Weather: Clear, 71° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 4:06 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18Apr26 ¹² LRL ²	7	Serene Spirit (Lopez, Carlos)	126	L b	6	3	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ²	1 ²	1 ³	0.90*	stalk,outside,rddn out
19Apr26 ⁷ LRL ⁸	4	Disney Belle (Cruz, Angel)	118	L b	4	1	4 ¹	5 ³	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Neck}	8.40	btwn foes, rallied
25Apr26 ³ LRL ¹	1	Salty One (Toledo, Jevian)	118	L b	1	5	5 ²	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3.80	bump start,3w,leveled
1Nov25 ¹ LRL ⁴	8	Awesome McKinzie (Boyce, Forest)	126	b	7	7	7	6 ^{Head}	6 ⁴ 1/2	4 ³	5.60	mild late move
18Apr26 ¹² LRL ⁸	5	Ballykeefe (Kingsley, Taylor)	111	L b	5	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹	10.40	pace,rail,weakened
9May25 ⁶ PIM ¹	2	Danni's Rhythm (Barbosa, Jeiron)	126	L b	2	2	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	5 ¹	6 ^{Neck}	24.50	bump start,rail,weaknd
30Oct25 ⁶ LRL ⁷	3	Midnight Queen (Villalobos, Ismerio)	118	L b	3	6	6 ²	7	7	7	8.20	4wd 1/2, no factor

Fractional Times: 22.26 45.39 56.62

Final Time: 1:02.74 **Time from Gate:** 1:04.11

Split Times: (23:13) (11:23) (6:12)

Run-Up: 20 feet **Temporary Rail:** 35 feet

Winner: Serene Spirit, Bay Filly, by Speightstown out of Misericordia (GB), by \$Dansili (GB). Foaled Mar 15, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Colts Neck Stables LLC

Owner: Eric A. Rizer

Trainer: Bailes, W.

Claiming Prices: 5 - Ballykeefe: \$37,500; 2 - Danni's Rhythm: \$37,500; 3 - Midnight Queen: \$37,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Old Fashion Candy (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$115,970

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
7	Serene Spirit	3.80	2.40	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	7-4	14.00	93,419	
4	Disney Belle		6.40	3.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	7-4-1	38.30	61,093	
1	Salty One			2.60	\$1.00 Superfecta	7-4-1-8	156.90	37,996	
					\$1.00 Daily Double	6-7	7.70	19,714	
					\$0.50 Pick 3	7-6-6/7 (3 correct)	12.75	13,040	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	1/2/5/6/7/10/15/16-7-8-6/7 (4 correct)	47.75	20,027	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	5-1/2/5/6/7/10/15/16-7-8-6/7 (5 correct)	143.00	19,319	
					\$0.20 Pick 6 Jackpot	2-5-1/2/5/6/7/10/15/16-7-8-6/7 (6 correct)	48.96	2,955	945

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
7	Serene Spirit	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ³
4	Disney Belle	1	4 ³	5 ² 3/4	3 ²	2 ³
1	Salty One	5	5 ⁴	4 ² 1/2	2 ²	3 ³ 1/4
8	Awesome McKinzie	7	7 ⁸	6 ⁵ 3/4	6 ⁴ 3/4	4 ⁴ 1/4
5	Ballykeefe	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	4 ² 1/4	5 ⁷ 1/4
2	Danni's Rhythm	2	3 ²	3 ² 1/2	5 ³ 3/4	6 ⁸ 1/4
3	Midnight Queen	6	6 ⁶	7 ⁵ 3/4	7 ⁹ 1/4	7 ⁸ 1/2

Trainers: 7 - Bailes, W.; 4 - Cox, Kenneth; 1 - Salzman, Jr., John; 8 - Keefe, Timothy; 5 - Boniface, Kevin; 2 - Bailes, W.; 3 - Flores, Irvin

Owners: 7 - Eric A. Rizer; 4 - Bonuccelli Racing; 1 - Virginia Equine, PLLC; 8 - Willow Oaks Stables LLC; 5 - Bonita Farm; 2 - WWCD, LLC; 3 - Lady Olivia Northcliff LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SERENE SPIRIT , well rated four deep leaving the backstretch, stalked the leader around the turn, gained command outside and drew out under a hand ride. DISNEY BELLE raced in the two path between horses around the turn, remained between rivals in the stretch and rallied. SALTY ONE bore out bumping DANNI'S RHYTHM leaving the starting gate, circled the turn three wide and leveled off. AWESOME MCKINZIE lacked speed, saved ground on the turn, eased off the rail and offered a mild late move between horses. BALLYKEEFE showed speed between horses, moved to the inner rail on the turn and weakened in the stretch. DANNI'S RHYTHM , bumped leaving the starting gate, stayed along the inner rail on the turn and gave way. MIDNIGHT QUEEN , swung to the four path leaving the backstretch, was not a factor.

Total Attendance: 0

Handle: \$2,589,276