

LAUREL PARK - May 16, 2026 - Race 9

STAKES James W. Murphy S. Black Type - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS. Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time. By free subscription. \$500 to pass the entry box, \$500 to start, with \$100,000 Guaranteed, of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 1% to sixth. Supplemental nomination of \$1,000 each will be accepted by the usual time of entry with all other fees due as noted. Weight: 124 lbs. Non-winners of \$60,000 twice at a mile or over allowed 2 lbs.; \$60,000 once at one mile or over, 4 lbs.; \$50,000 once at a mile or over, 6 lbs. (Maiden, Claiming and Starter races not considered in estimating allowances). Trophy to the owner of the winner. Closed Tuesday, May 5, 2026 with 39 nominations. (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race on the Turf course, it will be run on the main track at One Mile).

Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Sir London - 1:33.32 - July 5, 2024)

Purse: \$100,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$100,000

Value of Race: \$100,000 1st \$60,000, 2nd \$20,000, 3rd \$10,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$3,000, 6th \$1,000

Weather: Clear, 83° **Track:** Firm

Off at: 3:34 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
21Mar26 ¹² TP ⁹	6	Turf Star (Ruiz, Jorge)	118 b	5	6	6 ⁵	6 ⁴ 1/2	6 ³	4 ³	1 ^{1/2}	4.20	rated rail, angl 1/8, up
2May26 ⁸ GP ²	1	My Favorite Bird (Prat, Flavien)	118 --	1	2	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ³	3.00	rail, 3w 3/16, led, game
3Apr26 ⁸ KEE ⁹	4	Attfield (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	122 b	3	4	2 ²	2 ²	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3.10	bid, brush 3/16, weaknd
3Apr26 ⁸ KEE ⁷	5	Proton (Velazquez, John)	122 --	4	3	4 ²	3 ^{Head}	4 ¹	5 ²	4 ¹	2.00*	tracked, by-fader
18Apr26 ⁶ OP ⁷	2	Thebabeslayer (Ortiz, Jose)	122 --	2	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ²	3 ¹	5 ^{3/4}	5.50	rail, duel, brushd 3/16
26Apr26 ⁵ LRL ⁴	7	Jessica's Eyes (Perez, Xavier)	118 b	6	5	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{3/4}	21.70	4wd 1st, 5wd 1/4
6Apr26 ² PRX ⁵	8	J Cody (Sanchez, Mychel)	118 b	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	42.10	trailed

Fractional Times: 23.76 48.31 1:12.74 1:24.34

Final Time: 1:35.82 **Time from Gate:** 1:37.80

Split Times: (24:55) (24:43) (11:60) (11:48)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Turf Star, Bay Colt, by Caravaggio out of Starstruck (IRE), by \$Galileo (IRE). Foaled Mar 17, 2023 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Calumet Farm

Owner: Calumet Farm

Trainer: Motion, H.

Scratched Horse(s): Zihnal (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$1,250,279

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Turf Star	10.40	4.60	3.20	\$0.50 Pick 3	3/4-1-6 (3 correct)	52.85	211,245
1	My Favorite Bird		4.40	3.20	\$0.50 Pick 4	2-3/4-1-6 (4 correct)	406.95	400,506
4	Attfield			3.00	\$0.50 Pick 5	3-2-3/4-1-6 (5 correct)	6,168.10	1,145,478
					\$1.00 Daily Double	1-6	43.20	129,106
					\$1.00 Exacta	6-1	23.90	826,523
					\$1.00 Superfecta	6-1-4-5	138.30	264,800
					\$1.00 Trifecta	6-1-4	84.20	474,636

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Turf Star	6	6 ⁵	6 ³ 3/4	6 ⁴	4 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{1/2}
1	My Favorite Bird	2	3 ² 1/2	4 ² 1/4	3 ²	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
4	Attfield	4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ³ 1/2
5	Proton	3	4 ² 1/2	3 ²	4 ² 1/2	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2
2	Thebabeslayer	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	5 ⁴ 1/2
7	Jessica's Eyes	5	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ³ 1/4	5 ³ 1/2	6 ⁶ 1/2	6 ¹⁰ 1/4
8	J Cody	7	7 ¹⁰	7 ⁸ 1/4	7 ⁷	7 ⁸	7 ¹¹

Trainers: 6 - Motion, H.; 1 - Sweezey, J.; 4 - Morley, Thomas; 5 - Motion, H.; 2 - Asmussen, Steven; 7 - Robb, John; 8 - Montoya, Marya

Owners: 6 - Calumet Farm; 1 - Starry Night Racing; 4 - Rainbow's End Racing Stable LLC and West Paces Racing LLC; 5 - Stone Farm, Reiman, Tom, Wheeler, Jr., Ken, Napier, Lynwood and Easter, Deborah A.; 2 - Kent, Bradley D and Reimer, Ken T.; 7 - No Guts No Glory Farm; 8 - Abdala III, Albert P. and Brooklin Farm, LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TURF STAR , patiently rated down the backstretch, raced along the inner rail the far turn following MY FAVORITE BIRD, angled outside horses approaching the eighth pole, surged late and was up in deep stretch. MY FAVORITE BIRD remained along the inner rail stalking the pace, advanced leaving the far turn, eased out to the three path in upper stretch, swept to the lead in mid stretch and gave way grudgingly. ATTFIELD prompted outside THEBABESLAYER, engaged that one leaving the backstretch, dueled around the turn, brushed with THEBABESLAYER in upper stretch and weakened. PROTON tracked outside horses down the backstretch, circled the far turn three wide, floated to the four path in upper stretch and passed a tired foe late. THEBABESLAYER made the early lead easily, remained along the inner rail, dueled around the far turn, brushed with ATTFIELD in upper stretch and weakened. JESSICA'S EYES , four wide entering the first turn, was no factor and floated five wide leaving the far turn. J CODY trailed.

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