LAUREL PARK - September 28, 2025 - Race 3

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 \$16,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING \$16,000-\$12,500 AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000, if for \$12,500, allowed 4 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$20,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race on the Turf course, it will be run on the main track at One Mile) (Rail at 70 feet). (NW2 L) Claiming Price: \$16,000

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

Purse: \$27,600

Includes: \$2,520 Starters Bonus

Includes: \$1,080 MBF - Maryland Bred Fund

Available Money: \$27,600

Value of Race: \$27,600 1st \$14,400, 2nd \$5,520, 3rd \$2,760, 4th \$1,200, 5th \$720, 6th \$500, 7th \$500, 8th \$500, 9th \$500, 10th

\$500, 11th \$500 **Weather:** Clear, 77° **Track:** Good

Off at: 1:10 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

Last Raced 10Sep25 ⁸ CNL ⁴ 28Aug25 ² CNL ¹ 13Sep25 ⁸ DEL ¹ 30Aug25 ⁴ CNL ¹ 7Sep25 ⁹ LRL ¹ 7Sep25 ⁵ LRL ³	Pgm 5 7 2 3 10	Horse Name (Jockey) Bella Estrela (Centeno, Daniel) Happy This Day (Villalobos, Ismerio) Canadian Bear (Hazlewood, Yedsit) Practical Romance (Russell, Sheldon) Queen Rocket (Ruiz, Jorge) Ecliptical Gina (Chiappe, Ricardo)	Wgt M/E 126 L 122 L 113 L b 122 L b 122 L b 122 L b	5 6 2 3 9	Start 6 3 10 1 8 7	1/4 7 ¹ 4 ¹ 11 1 ^{1 1/2} 8 ² 6 ^{1/2}	1/2 5 ¹ 1/2 3Head 11 1 ¹ 8 ¹ 21 1/2	3/4 5 ¹ 1/2 3 ^{1/2} 11 1 ² 7 ¹ 1/2 cHead	Str 2 ^{Head} 3 ² 8 ² 1 ¹ 1/2 5 ¹	11/2 2Neck 3Neck 41/2 53/4 cHead	2.50* 3.20 18.60 4.60 6.90	Comments closed outside, up gamely between foes pinched start,8w upper rail, gave way late 3-6wd, no threat flattened out
7Sep25 ⁵ LRL ⁵ 7Sep25 ⁵ LRL ⁴	11 12	Scholar (Sanchez, Mychel) Learning to Fly (Boyce, Forest)	122 Lb 126 Lh	11	-	10 ^{1 1/2} 5 ^{1/2}	10 ^{1 1/2} 6 ^{1/2}	9 ^{Head} 8 ¹	7 ¹ 9 ^{1/2}	7 ³ 8 ^{Head}	16.40	outrun, 7wd upper 3wd 1st, no factor
1Sep25 ⁶ CNL ⁷ 11Sep25 ³ PEN ¹ 12Sep25 ⁹ LRL ²	8 4 9	Steam Knot (Chavez, Andres) Octet (Torres, Jomar) Infastuation (Lyapustina, Tais)	122 Lb 122 b 118 Lb	4	2 9 5	2 ² 9 ^{1/2} 3 ^{1/2}	2 ² 9 ^{Head} 4 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 10 ² 4 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 10 ³ 11	9 ^{1/2} 10 ^{3 1/2} 11	40.50	chased, faltered, no factor 4wd move, gave way

Fractional Times: 23.82 49.05 1:13.79 1:25.76

Split Times: (25:23) (24:74) (11:97) (11:94)

Run-Up: 35 feet Temporary Rail: 70 feet

Winner: Bella Estrela, Bay Filly, by Collected out of Miraculously, by Hat Trick (JPN). Foaled Feb 07, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Madeline Auerbach Owner: Conti Racing Stable LLC

Trainer: Brion, Keri

Claiming Prices: 2 - Canadian Bear: \$12,500; 10 - Queen Rocket: \$12,500; 11 - Scholar: \$16,000; 8 - Steam Knot: \$12,500; 9 -

Final Time: 1:37.70

Infastuation: \$12,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Fabia (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$49,380

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payott	Pool
5	Bella Estrela	7.00	3.80	3.00	\$0.50 Pick 3	10-4-5/6 (3 correct)	67.95	15,482
7	Happy This Day		4.20	3.20	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-5	16.30	8,231
2	Canadian Bear			7.40	\$1.00 Exacta	5-7	14.20	53,783
					\$1.00 Superfecta	5-7-2-3	642.10	17,037
					\$1.00 Trifecta	5-7-2	127.70	26,442

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Bella Estrela	6	7 ⁶	5 ^{3 1/4}	5 ^{3 1/2}	21 1/2	1 ^{1/2}
7	Happy This Day	3	4 ⁴	3^3	3^3	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
2	Canadian Bear	10	11 ¹¹	11 ^{9 1/4}	11 ^{9 3/4}	8 ^{7 1/2}	3 ^{3/4}
3	Practical Romance	1	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹
10	Queen Rocket	8	8 ⁷	8 ^{6 3/4}	7 ^{5 1/4}	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}
1	Ecliptical Gina	7	6 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{5 1/4}	6 ⁵	4 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/4}
11	Scholar	11			9 ^{7 3/4}	7 ⁶ 1/2	7 ² 1/4
12	Learning to Fly	4	5 ⁵	6 ^{4 3/4}	8 ^{6 3/4}	9 ^{9 1/2}	8 ^{5 1/4}
8	Steam Knot	2	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2^2	6 ^{5 1/2}	9 ⁵ 1/2
4	Octet	9	9 ⁹		10 ^{7 3/4}	10 ¹⁰	10 ⁶
9	Infastuation	5	3 ^{3 1/2}	4 ³	4 ^{3 1/2}	11 ¹³	11 ^{9 1/2}

Trainers: 5 - Brion, Keri; 7 - Milosevic, Milan; 2 - Magee, Kieron; 3 - Russell, Brittany; 10 - Aro, Michael; 1 - Stites, Flint; 11 - Trombetta, Michael; 12 - Brion, Keri; 8 - Cooney, Susan; 4 - Salvaggio, Mark; 9 - Albert, Linda

Owners: 5 - Conti Racing Stable LLC; 7 - Warning Drums Racing LLC; 2 -Gokmen Kaya; 3 -Michael J. Ryan; 10 - Swat Stable; 1 -Maria Montez Haire; 11 - Day At The Races LLC; 12 - Dark Horse Racing Stable; 8 - Twin Oaks Bloodstock LLC; 4 - Spinazzola, Anthony and Nicolby Racing Stable LLC; 9 - Stoneybrook Farm Trust and Potash, Edward C.;

Footnotes | View Glossary Of Terms

BELLA ESTRELA stalked the pace between horses down the backstretch, left the far turn in the three path, closed steadily outside foes and was up late. HAPPY THIS DAY stayed along the inner rail down the backstretch, saved ground the far turn, worked between horses in the stretch and finished gamely inside the winner. CANADIAN BEAR, pinched back leaving the starting gate, trailed to the stretch, swung to the eight path in upper and closed strongly. PRACTICAL ROMANCE assumed the early lead, set the pace along the inner rail and gave way late. QUEEN ROCKET, three wide the first turn, swung to the six path in upper stretch and failed to be a threat. ECLIPTICAL GINA saved ground the first turn, offered a mild move in mid stretch and flattened out. SCHOLAR, outrun, moved to the seven path in upper stretch and failed to rally. LEARNING TO FLY, three wide the first turn, was not a factor. STEAM

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Video Race Replay

KNOT chased PRACTICAL ROMANCE to upper stretch and faltered. OCTET was not a factor. INFASTUATION advanced four deep on the far turn then gave way.

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