

LONE STAR PARK - April 24, 2026 - Race 4

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(PLUS UP TO \$2,600 Open ATB) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Claiming Price \$7,500. Texas Bred Claiming Price \$10,000. **Claiming Price: \$7,500**

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Savorthetime - 1:07.82 - May 31, 2004)

Purse: \$13,000

Includes: \$10,000 Horse Industry Escrow Account

Available Money: \$13,000

Value of Race: \$13,000 1st \$7,740, 2nd \$2,580, 3rd \$1,419, 4th \$774, 5th \$387, 6th \$100

Weather: Clear, 82° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 7:59 **Start:** Good for all except 5 **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
18Oct25 ⁷ RP ⁴	6	Dero's Deputy (Wiseman, Isaiah)	124	L bf	6	1	1 ³	1 ⁴	1 ⁴ 1/2	1 ⁵ 3/4	0.70*	much the best
29Mar26 ² HOU ²	3	Faith's Spirit (Elliott, Stewart)	124	L b	3	3	2 ¹	2 ⁶	2 ¹⁰	2 ¹⁶ 1/4	2.00	chased winner,clr 2nd
29Mar26 ² HOU ⁷	4	Better Day (Fuentes, Mario)	118	L bf	4	2	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	19.30	trkd btw,mild late bid
29Mar26 ² HOU ³	5	The Birdman (Rivera, Santos)	120	L bf	5	4	5 ²	6	5 ^{Head}	4 ³ 1/4	12.10	crwd st,3-4w,mld gain
14Mar26 ⁷ HOU ⁶	2	Wholelotagreyarea (Juarez, Jr., Alfredo)	119	L	2	5	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	5 ¹	7.80	close up ins, faded
---	1	Unusual Holiday (Hamilton, Weston)	124	L b	1	6	6	5 ¹	6	6	13.40	lagged,no late respons

Fractional Times: 22.71 45.54 57.82

Final Time: 1:11.25 **Time from Gate:** 1:12.95

Split Times: (22:83) (12:28) (13:43)

Run-Up: 38 feet

Winner: Dero's Deputy, Chestnut Horse, by Divisidero out of Always Tomorrow, by Badge of Silver. Foaled Feb 04, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Brereton C. Jones

Owner: Evans, Johnny B. and Eoff, Terry

Trainer: Eoff, Terry

Claiming Prices: 6 - Dero's Deputy: \$7,500; 3 - Faith's Spirit: \$7,500; 4 - Better Day: \$7,500; 5 - The Birdman: \$7,500; 2 - Wholelotagreyarea: \$7,500; 1 - Unusual Holiday: \$7,500;

Scratched Horse(s): Perfect Dial (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$13,152

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Dero's Deputy	3.40	2.40	2.40	\$0.50 Pick 3	3-5/6-6 (3 correct)	4.75	823
3	Faith's Spirit		2.60	2.20	\$2.00 Exacta	6-3	6.00	5,898
4	Better Day			4.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	6-3-4-5	2.75	1,945
					\$0.50 Trifecta	6-3-4	9.05	3,609

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Dero's Deputy	1	1 ³	1 ⁴	1 ⁴ 1/2	1 ⁵ 3/4
3	Faith's Spirit	3	2 ³	2 ⁴	2 ⁴ 1/2	2 ⁵ 3/4
4	Better Day	2	3 ⁴	3 ¹⁰	3 ¹⁴ 1/2	3 ²²
5	The Birdman	4	5 ⁴ 1/2	6 ¹² 1/2	5 ¹⁷	4 ²²
2	Wholelotagreyarea	5	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ¹¹	4 ¹⁶	5 ²⁵ 1/4
1	Unusual Holiday	6	6 ⁶ 1/2	5 ¹¹ 1/2	6 ¹⁷	6 ²⁶ 1/4

Trainers: 6 - Eoff, Terry; 3 - Asmussen, Steven; 4 - Werneth, Robert; 5 - Castellanos, Jaime; 2 - Willis, Mindy; 1 - Baldillez Jr., Alejandro

Owners: 6 - Evans, Johnny B. and Eoff, Terry; 3 -Ken T. Reimer; 4 -Mauricio E. Fuentes; 5 - Cuadra Tehuantepec; 2 -Mindy J. Willis; 1 - Powderhorn Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

DERO'S DEPUTY was quickest from the gate, opened up a big lead early, always travelling well, and won as the rider pleased. FAITH'S SPIRIT gave futile chase in second position, kept trying to the finish to be well clear of the third finisher. BETTER DAY tracked between horses in the second flight, made a mild late bid to outfinish the rest of the field. THE BIRDMAN got crowded after the start, raced three to four wide throughout near the back, finished with some late interest and just missed the minor award. WHOLELOTAGREYAREA raced close up on the inside to the turn, then faded in the late stages. UNUSUAL HOLIDAY was not asked for speed from the start, chased at the back, was asked to go on after passing the half-mile pole, but lacked a response.