

MEADOWLANDS - October 10, 2026 - Race 6
MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO 40% NJB) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs.
Claiming Price \$10,000. **Claiming Price:** \$10,000
Distance: One Mile On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Nantasket Beach - 1:33.38 - September 21, 2024)
Purse: \$16,225
Plus: \$3,360 NJB - New Jersey Bred Enhancement
Available Money: \$19,585
Value of Race: \$19,585 1st \$11,760, 2nd \$2,800, 3rd \$1,400, 4th \$725, 5th \$725, 6th \$725, 7th \$725, 8th \$725
Weather: Clear, 65° **Track:** Firm
Off at: 9:24 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
12Sep26 ¹ MTH ³	8	Howitzer (Maragh, Christian)	119	L b	8	6	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ /2	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹ /2	1 ³ /4	2.70*	bid 2w, dueled, gamely
3Sep26 ⁶ DEL ⁵	6	Quamash (Batista, Jose)	125	L b	6	4	1 ²	1 ¹	2 ⁴	2 ⁶	2 ³ /4	3.00	dueled inside, gamely
17Sep26 ⁵ DEL ²	2	Tyrus (Gutierrez, Reylu)	122	L	2	2	5 ¹ /2	4 ¹ /2	4 ³	3 ¹	3 ⁴ 1/2	3.00	rail, steady near wire
12Jun26 ³ PEN ⁵	4	Butter Man (Ocasio, Luis)	122	L	4	3	4 ¹	3 ¹	3 ⁴	4 ⁴	4 ³ /4	6.90	3w, chased, weakened
17Sep26 ⁵ DEL ⁵	1	Christ Is King (Sutherland, Chantal)	122	L b	1	1	7 ¹ 1/2	7 ² 1/2	7 ² 1/2	7 ¹	5 ^{Nose}	4.80	inside, no threat
---	3	Bolts Thunder (Hernandez, Julio)	125	L bf	3	5	3 ^{Head}	5 ¹	6 ¹ /2	5 ¹ /2	6 ¹ 1/2	9.50	ins, chased, faded
18Sep26 ⁶ MED ⁵	5	Bee More (Martinez, Francisco)	122	L b	5	7	8	8	8	8	7 ² 1/4	23.30	no factor
19Sep26 ¹ MED ⁶	7	Better Day (Hazelwood, Teshawn)	122	L bf	7	8	6 ¹ 1/2	6 ¹ /2	5 ¹ 1/2	6 ¹ /2	8	82.80	4w early, gave way

Fractional Times: 23.75 48.54 1:12.02 **Final Time:** 1:37.59 **Time from Gate:** 1:39.07
Split Times: (24:79) (23:48) (25:57)
Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Howitzer, Bay Gelding, by War Dancer out of Marina View, by Into Mischief. Foaled Mar 22, 2023 in New Jersey.
Breeder: Tee-N-Jay Farm
Owner: Tee-N-Jay Farm
Trainer: Hills, Timothy

Claiming Prices: 8 - Howitzer: \$10,000; 6 - Quamash: \$10,000; 2 - Tyrus: \$10,000; 4 - Butter Man: \$10,000; 1 - Christ Is King: \$10,000; 3 - Bolts Thunder: \$10,000; 5 - Bee More: \$10,000; 7 - Better Day: \$10,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Over Imagination (Veterinarian), Target Market (Re-entered)

Total WPS Pool: \$50,470

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
8	Howitzer	7.40	4.80	3.40	\$1.00 Exacta	8-6	19.30	40,149	
6	Quamash		4.00	3.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	8-6-2	27.90	29,651	
2	Tyrus			3.20	\$0.10 Superfecta	8-6-2-4	23.26	18,741	
					\$3.00 Pick 3	9-2-8 (3 correct)	309.90	14,818	
					\$0.50 Pick 4	7-9-2-8/9/10 (4 correct)	296.20	34,573	
					\$0.50 Pick 5	2-7-9-2-8/9/10 (5 correct)	3,078.90	39,845	
					\$0.20 Pick 6 Jackpot	8-2-7-9-2-8/9/10 (6 correct)	2,462.60	10,261	9,548
					\$5.00 Daily Double	2-8	130.50	12,952	

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
8	Howitzer	6	2 ²	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹ /2	1 ³ /4
6	Quamash	4	1 ²	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹ /2	2 ³ /4
2	Tyrus	2	5 ⁴ 1/2	4 ² 1/2	4 ⁸	3 ⁶ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2
4	Butter Man	3	4 ³ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ⁴	4 ⁷ 1/2	4 ⁶
1	Christ Is King	1	7 ⁶ 1/2	7 ⁴ 1/2	7 ¹³	7 ¹² 1/2	5 ⁶ 3/4
3	Bolts Thunder	5	3 ³ 1/2	5 ³	6 ¹² 1/2	5 ¹¹ 1/2	6 ⁶ 3/4
5	Bee More	7	8 ⁸	8 ⁷	8 ¹⁵ 1/2	8 ¹³ 1/2	7 ⁸ 1/4
7	Better Day	8	6 ⁵	6 ⁴	5 ¹¹	6 ¹²	8 ¹⁰ 1/2

Trainers: 8 - Hills, Timothy; 6 - Carrasco, Jr., Victor; 2 - Pecoraro, Anthony; 4 - Bedard, Alan; 1 - Kravets, Bruce; 3 - Synnefias, Panagiotis; 5 - Dini, Michael; 7 - Werneth, Robert
Owners: 8 - Tee-N-Jay Farm; 6 -Tom Coulter; 2 -Philip DiCosmo; 4 -Andrew Bedard; 1 - Trinity West Stables, Inc.; 3 -Panagiotis A. Synnefias; 5 - Ballybrit Stable, LLC; 7 -Mauricio E. Fuentes;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)
HOWITZER stalked two wide, moved up on the backside, bid two wide entering the far turn, hooked up in a prolonged duel with QUAMASH on the turn, gained a short lead in upper stretch, dug in gamely outside that rival and edged away near the finish. QUAMASH set the pace on the inside, then dueled inside on the far turn, dug in gamely in the two path in the stretch drive and battled willingly to the end. TYRUS raced off the pace between rivals, chased inside on the far turn, rallied on the rail in the stretch run and steadied behind the leaders nearing the wire. BUTTER MAN raced three wide early, stalked three wide, chased on the far turn, lacked a bid and weakened. CHRIST IS KING raced off the pace inside, came three wide into the lane and failed to threaten. BOLTS THUNDER tracked early on the inside, then chased and faded. BEE MORE trailed the field and did not factor. BETTER DAY raced four wide early, settled off the rail, off the pace and gave way.

Track Attendance: 0 **Handle:** \$58,900
Total **Handle:** \$1,050,839