

MONMOUTH PARK - August 23, 2026 - Race 2

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED NEW JERSEY BREDS MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. (S)

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt Current Track Record: (Idiot Proof - 1:07.47 - July 4, 2007)

Purse: \$57,500

Includes: \$11,500 NJB - New Jersey Bred Enhancement

Available Money: \$57,500

Value of Race: \$55,200 1st \$34,500, 2nd \$11,500, 3rd \$5,750, 4th \$2,875, 5th \$575

Weather: Cloudy, 78° Track: Good

Off at: 1:26 Start: Good for all Timing Method: Electronic

EQUIBASE

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Aug26 ² MTH ²	4	J J Pacheco (Marquez, Charlie)	122	L b	3	2	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ² 1/4	1.40*	dueled 2w, drew clr
11Jul26 ⁸ MTH ⁸	7	Garden Gal (Gonzalez, Edwin)	120	b	5	1	3 ² 1/2	3 ²	2 ¹	2 ⁶ 3/4	3.30	chased 3w, rallied 2d
28Jun26 ⁶ MTH ⁸	1	Change Your Boots (Rivera, Kendry)	125	L	1	4	4 ^{Head}	5	5	3 ³ 4	8.00	inside, belatedly
26Jul26 ² MTH ³	3	Johnny Bay Goode (Lopez, Paco)	122	L bf	2	3	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹	3 ²	4 ⁵ 1/4	1.70	inside duel, weakened
7Aug26 ² MTH ³	6	Why Me Lord (Rivera, Jr., Luis)	125	L b	4	5	5	4 ¹	4 ^{Head}	5	9.20	off bit slow, tired

Fractional Times: 22.17 45.22 57.73

Split Times: (23:05) (12:51) (12:90)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Final Time: 1:10.63 Time from Gate: 1:12.25

Winner: J J Pacheco, Bay Gelding, by Engage out of Lost Princess, by Stephen Got Even. Foaled Mar 20, 2023 in New Jersey.

Breeder: Jose Armando Garcia

Owner: Jose A. Garcia

Trainer: Alcala, Cesar

Scratched Horse(s): Notyourordinaryjoe (Stewards), Stormy City (Re-entered)

Total WPS Pool: \$91,485

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	J J Pacheco	4.80	2.80	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	4-7	7.70	56,932
7	Garden Gal		3.60	2.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	4-7-1	14.70	22,985
1	Change Your Boots			3.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	4-7-1-3	4.82	11,452
					\$1.00 Daily Double	8-4	50.80	16,562
					\$1.00 Consolation Double	8-2	14.80	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	J J Pacheco	2	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	1 ² 1/4
7	Garden Gal	1	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹	2 ¹	2 ² 1/4
1	Change Your Boots	4	4 ⁴	5 ⁴	5 ⁴	3 ⁹
3	Johnny Bay Goode	3	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ²	4 ⁹ 3/4
6	Why Me Lord	5	5 ⁴ 1/4	4 ³	4 ⁴	5 ¹⁵

Trainers: 4 - Alcala, Cesar; 7 - Milne, Joan; 1 - Hawthorne, Bobbi; 3 - Potts, Wayne; 6 - Potts, Wayne

Owners: 4 -Jose A. Garcia; 7 - Liberation Farm and Milne, Joan; 1 -Carolyn Sleeter; 3 - JMS Stable LLC; 6 - Brad's Equine Adventure;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

J J PACHECO dueled two wide for the lead, dueled on the turn, took over in upper stretch, drew clear under urging and was ridden out. GARDEN GAL stalked the leaders in the early stages, chased three wide on the turn, rallied outside in the stretch run and finished well for the place spot. CHANGE YOUR BOOTS raced off the pace inside, chased inside on the turn and closed belatedly for third. JOHNNY BAY GOODE dueled inside for the lead, dueled with the winner on the turn and weakened in the lane. WHY ME LORD was off a bit slow, raced off the pace, chased two wide on the turn and tired.