

OAKLAWN PARK - March 19, 2026 - Race 3

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES FOUR YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$25,000 OR LESS IN 2024 - 2026 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$32,000. Weight, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since January 19, 2026 Allowed 3 lbs. A Race Since November 19, 2025 Allowed 5 lbs. Claiming Price \$32,000. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$32,000

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Heatherthen - 1:40.20 - April 18, 1984)

Purse: \$60,000

Available Money: \$60,000

Value of Race: \$60,000 1st \$36,000, 2nd \$12,000, 3rd \$6,000, 4th \$3,000, 5th \$1,500, 6th \$1,500

Weather: Clear, 72° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:37 **Start:** Good for all except 3 **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
13Dec25 ⁶ TAM ²	6	U Lite Up My Life (Torres, Cristian)	119 L b	5	1	3 ¹	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1.20*	4-3p,bid3/8,dueled str
4Jan26 ¹⁰ OP ¹	2	Thestral (Arrieta, Francisco)	121 L b	2	3	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Nose}	3.10	2p,duel lane,edged out
26Feb26 ⁶ OP ¹	3	Mad About Marie (Mendoza, Amir)	119 L	3	5	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{4 3/4}	2.60	hop st,2p,float 6p upr
13Feb26 ¹ OP ⁴	1	Tiffany Twist (Asmussen, Erik)	119 L	1	6	6	6	6	5 ⁷	4 ¹	8.80	2p,swung 6p lane, even
29Nov25 ⁷ WO ³	7	Cozy Curlin Kitten (Hernandez, Israel)	119 L b	6	4	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{16 1/2}	10.70	stalk 5-4p, faded lane
26Feb26 ² OP ²	4	Windy Bay (Cabrera, David)	119 L b	4	2	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	5 ¹	6	6	17.10	btwn3p, yield far turn

Fractional Times: 24.10 48.38 1:13.08 1:39.17 **Final Time:** 1:45.79

Split Times: (24:28) (24:70) (26:09) (6:62)

Run-Up: 60 feet

Winner: U Lite Up My Life, Dark Bay or Brown Mare, by [City of Light](#) out of Dido, by Bernstein. Foaled Mar 18, 2021 in Kentucky.



Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Jack Swain III

Owner: WSS Racing, LLC

Trainer: Joseph, Jr., Saffie

Claiming Prices: 7 - Cozy Curlin Kitten: \$32,000; 4 - Windy Bay: \$32,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Sweet Note (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$138,398

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	U Lite Up My Life	4.40	2.60	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	6-2	5.70	87,021
2	Thestral		3.20	2.20	\$0.50 Trifecta	6-2-3	5.20	45,735
3	Mad About Marie			2.20	\$1.00 Pick 3	1-3/6/7-5/6 (3 correct)	29.60	28,099
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-6	6.00	16,080
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-2-3-1	2.57	29,746

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	U Lite Up My Life	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}
2	Thestral	3	1 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}
3	Mad About Marie	5	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{2 3/4}	4 ³	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}
1	Tiffany Twist	6	6 ⁴	6 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{4 3/4}	4 ^{5 1/4}
7	Cozy Curlin Kitten	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{Neck}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/4}
4	Windy Bay	2	2 ¹	3 ^{Head}	5 ^{5 1/2}	6 ^{11 3/4}	6 ^{22 3/4}

Trainers: 6 - Joseph, Jr., Saffie; 2 - Schultz, Lindsay; 3 - Green, Ike; 1 - Santamaria, Carlos; 7 - Foster, Eric; 4 - Hartman, Chris

Owners: 6 - WSS Racing, LLC; 2 - Ten Strike Racing, Four Corners Racing and Cory Moelis Racing LLC; 3 -James Keplin; 1 -Carlos Santamaria; 7 -Bruno Schickedanz; 4 - JD Thoroughbreds LLC, Davis, Joey Keith and Romero, Larry J.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

U LITE UP MY LIFE laid up close between foes from the four path, was nudged along to bid from the three path passing the three-eighths pole, rubbed shoulders with the stubborn inner pacesetter while dueling on the left lead from the four path down the lane, and inched ahead late. THESTRAL set the pace in the two path, was cued while facing an outer challenger midway around the far turn, dug in gamely while brushing with that challenger down the stretch, but got edged out late. MAD ABOUT MARIE hopped at the start, was held up around the first turn to lay off the pace in the two path up the backstretch, came under a ride passing the three-eighths pole, floated out to the six path in upper stretch, switched to the left lead passing the sixteenth pole, and kept on to make it close late but could not get past an inner pair. TIFFANY TWIST trailed in the two path, was cued passing the three-eighths pole, angled out midway around the far turn, swung from the six path into the stretch, but finished evenly. COZY CURLIN KITTEN stalked outside of rivals from the five path, was driven from the four path around the far turn, but faded in the lane. WINDY BAY prompted the pace between foes from the three path but yielded around the far turn.