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OAKLAWN PARK - April 9, 2026 - Race 2

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Karen's Tom - 1:07.80 - April 16, 1990)

Purse: \$110,000

Available Money: \$110,000

Value of Race: \$110,000 1st \$66,000, 2nd \$22,000, 3rd \$11,000, 4th \$5,500, 5th \$1,100, 6th \$1,100, 7th \$1,100, 8th \$1,100, 9th \$1,100

Weather: Clear, 77° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:21 **Start:** Good for all except 5,6,8 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
6Mar26 ⁸ OP ²	7	Rational Theory (Asmussen, Erik)	124	L	7	1	3 ^{1/2}	3 ²	1 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{8 1/4}	3.10	bid 3p1/4, kicked away
6Mar26 ⁹ OP ⁵	1	Cali Cream (Mendoza, Amir)	119	L	1	3	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	2 ³	2 ^{2 1/4}	16.00	ins.cue1/4,flatten1/16
9Nov25 ⁶ CD ⁴	2	Daring Madison (Torres, Cristian)	124	L b	2	6	4 ¹	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{6 1/2}	3.80	2p, angle 1/4, 5p lane
8Mar26 ³ OP ³	3	Yes Julia (Quinonez, Luis)	119	L	3	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁴	4 ^{1/2}	16.00	duel 2p, cue1/4, yield
14Feb26 ⁹ SA ⁸	4	Mancuso (Arrieta, Francisco)	124	L bf	4	8	7 ^{1 1/2}	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{Neck}	1.60*	bump 5/8, 2p, weakened
14Mar26 ¹¹ OP ⁷	6	Fraud Alert (Cedillo, Abel)	119	L b	6	7	8 ^{1/2}	8 ^{2 1/2}	6 ³	6 ^{4 1/2}	13.40	bump 2x early, no bid
16Feb26 ¹ OP ⁷	5	Wicked One (Asmussen, Keith)	124	L b	5	5	9	9	8 ^{Head}	7 ^{3/4}	44.80	bump 2x early, no bid
20Feb26 ¹ SA ²	9	McSniper (Espinoza, Assael)	119	L b	9	4	5 ¹	7 ^{1/2}	9	8 ^{Neck}	8.80	midpack 4p, empty lane
---	8	Kaybella (Bejarano, Rafael)	119	L b	8	9	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	9	12.10	slow st,5-7p,no menace

Fractional Times: 21.90 45.93 58.32

Final Time: 1:11.06 **Time from Gate:** 1:13.56

Split Times: (24:03) (12:39) (12:74)

Run-Up: 80 feet

Winner: Rational Theory, Bay Filly, by Practical Joke out of Aunt Dorothy, by Uncle Mo. Foaled Feb 02, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Team Block

Owner: Steven M. Asmussen

Trainer: Asmussen, Steven

Total WPS Pool: \$132,528

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Rational Theory	8.20	4.40	3.20	\$1.00 Daily Double	8-7	7.40	32,708
1	Cali Cream		11.40	6.60	\$1.00 Exacta	7-1	41.40	94,435
2	Daring Madison			3.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-1-2-3	89.21	35,979
					\$0.50 Trifecta	7-1-2	83.75	56,156

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Rational Theory	1	3 ¹	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{8 1/4}
1	Cali Cream	3	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{3 1/2}	2 ^{8 1/4}
2	Daring Madison	6	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/4}	3 ^{6 1/2}	3 ^{10 1/2}
3	Yes Julia	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁷	4 ¹⁷
4	Mancuso	8	7 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{3 3/4}	5 ¹¹	5 ^{17 1/2}
6	Fraud Alert	7	8 ^{5 1/4}	8 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{12 1/2}	6 ^{17 3/4}
5	Wicked One	5	9 ^{5 3/4}	9 ^{6 3/4}	8 ¹⁶	7 ^{22 1/4}
9	McSniper	4	5 ^{2 1/2}	7 ^{3 3/4}	9 ¹⁶	8 ²³
8	Kaybella	9	6 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/4}	7 ^{15 1/2}	9 ^{23 1/4}

Trainers: 7 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Ward, Dan; 2 - Bauer, Philip; 3 - Von Hemel, Donnie; 4 - D'Amato, Philip; 6 - Morse, Randy; 5 - Asmussen, Steven; 9 - Miller, Peter; 8 - Moquett, Ron

Owners: 7 - Steven M. Asmussen; 1 - C T R Stables LLC (Calvert); 2 - Rigney Racing LLC; 3 - Robinson, Julia and Zoellner, Robert H.; 4 - Little Red Feather Racing; 6 - Stockseth, Norma Lee, Dunn, Todd, and Vogel, Sam M.; 5 - Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; 9 - Michael McMillan; 8 - Fleur De Lis Stables, T and T Racing, LLC and Southern Springs Stables (Ron Moquett);

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

RATIONAL THEORY stalked the dueling leaders in the three path, loomed up in hand to bid passing the quarter, made a sweeping move to take command turning into the lane, came under pressure passing the three-sixteenths pole, and kicked away. CALI CREAM vied for the lead along the rail, came under pressure passing the quarter, got overtaken by the winner at the top of the stretch, kept on before flattening around the sixteenth, but held place. DARING MADISON tracked inside of rivals from the two path, was coaxed midway around the turn, angled out passing the quarter, swung from the five path into the lane, and was along for show. YES JULIA dueled for the lead in the two path, was cued between foes passing the quarter, but yielded in the stretch. MANCUSO bumped with an outer foe passing the five-eighths pole, chased in the two path, was ridden from the rail around the turn, but weakened. FRAUD ALERT bumped with an inner foe at the start, then bumped with the same inner foe around the five-eighths pole, raced off the pace, was pushed along from just off the rail around the turn, but did not factor. WICKED ONE bumped with an outer foe at the start, then bumped between foes passing the five-eighths pole, trailed early, was urged along the inside around the turn, but did not threaten. MCSNIPER raced in midpack from the four path but was empty entering the stretch. KAYBELLA had a slow start, chased in the five path, was ridden around the turn, swung from the seven path into the lane, but never menaced.