

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS - May 18, 2026 - Race 8

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED PA-BRED MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. (S)

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Good Bye Greg - 1:02.03 - October 5, 2017)

Purse: \$31,000

Plus: \$190 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$31,190

Value of Race: \$31,190 1st \$18,600, 2nd \$6,200, 3rd \$3,100, 4th \$1,550, 5th \$775, 6th \$465, 7th \$250, 8th \$250

Weather: Clear, 82° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 6:47 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
8Apr26 ¹ TAM ⁴	6	Ready Set Cairo (Ayala, Addiel)	120 L	6	5	4 ¹	4 ¹	4 ¹	1 ¹	10.60	clsd well 5w,going away
---	4	Big Run (Gonzalez, Edwin)	120 L	4	6	2 ² 1/2	2 ⁵	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	1.50*	press,led,outfinished
26Aug25 ¹ PID ³	1	Fly in the Mystic (Rodriguez, Israel)	120 L f	1	8	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ⁴	3 ³ / ₄	6.90	traffic stretch
17Sep25 ⁵ PID ³	2	Warrior's Mission (Gallardo, Antonio)	125 L w	2	3	3 ²	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	4 ⁴ 1/4	4.20	bid upper,flatten late
17Apr26 ⁵ TAM ⁷	8	Youreawizard Harry (Barbosa, Carlos)	120 b	8	2	8	7 ²	7 ⁷	5 ^{Nose}	8.90	wide early, late int
8Oct25 ¹ PID ²	3	Cosmic Connection (Villa-Gomez, Huber)	125 L	3	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	6 ³ / ₄	8.20	set press pace,weaken
11Feb26 ⁴ TAM ⁹	5	Gleaming (Severino, Victor)	120 L	5	7	7 ¹	6 ^{Head}	6 ¹ / ₂	7 ¹⁰	7.80	evenly, no menace
8Oct25 ¹ PID ³	7	Double Up Larry (Martinez, Gaddiel)	125 L b	7	4	6 ¹	8	8	8	9.10	dropped back, outrun

Fractional Times: 22.26 45.50 57.95

Final Time: 1:04.15 **Time from Gate:** 1:06.33

Split Times: (23:24) (12:45) (6:20)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Ready Set Cairo, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Cairo Prince out of Dakota Ready, by More Than Ready. Foaled May 05, 2023 in Pennsylvania.

Breeder: Andrea McNeely Harden

Owner: Andrea McNeely Harden

Trainer: Rice, Kevin

Total WPS Pool: \$35,680

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Ready Set Cairo	23.20	8.40	4.00	\$2.00 Daily Double	4-6	73.60	15,617
4	Big Run		4.00	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	6-4	125.80	24,934
1	Fly in the Mystic			3.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-4-1	792.00	12,374
					\$2.00 Superfecta	6-4-1-2	3,663.60	8,266
					\$2.00 Pick 4	3-4-3/4-6 (4 correct)	486.60	34,024
					\$2.00 Pick 3	4-3/4-6 (3 correct)	219.00	11,306
					\$2.00 Pick 5	5-3-4-3/4-6 (5 correct)	1,848.00	30,442

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
6	Ready Set Cairo	5	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ⁶ 1/2	4 ¹ 3/4	1 ¹
4	Big Run	6	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹
1	Fly in the Mystic	8	5 ⁵ 1/2	5 ⁷ 1/2	5 ² 3/4	3 ³ 1/2
2	Warrior's Mission	3	3 ² 1/2	3 ⁵	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ⁴ 1/4
8	Youreawizard Harry	2	8 ⁷ 3/4	7 ⁹ 1/4	7 ⁷ 1/4	5 ⁸ 1/2
3	Cosmic Connection	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 1/2	6 ⁸ 1/2
5	Gleaming	7	7 ⁶ 3/4	6 ⁹	6 ⁶ 3/4	7 ⁹ 1/4
7	Double Up Larry	4	6 ⁵ 3/4	8 ¹¹ 1/4	8 ¹⁴ 1/4	8 ¹⁹ 1/4

Trainers: 6 - Rice, Kevin; 4 - Hamm, Timothy; 1 - Uhacz, Wendy; 2 - Zook, Jeff; 8 - Rice, Kevin; 3 - Schaber, Debbie; 5 - Cheeks, Katy; 7 - Russell, Randall

Owners: 6 -Andrea McNeely Harden; 4 - A1A Racing, Bligh, Jay W. and Blazing Meadows Farm, LLC; 1 -Wendy Uhacz; 2 -Jeff W. Zook; 8 - Rice Racing; 3 - Schaber Racing, LLC; 5 -Katy Cheeks; 7 -Randall R. Russell;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

READY SET CAIRO tracked the pace from mid-pack down the backstretch, angled five wide rallying at the quarter pole and closed well to reel-in the leader inside the final sixteenth and was going away at the line. BIG RUN pressed the pace to the head of the stretch, assumed command to go clear in mid-stretch and was outfinished to be second best. FLY IN THE MYSTIC reserved off the pace racing along the inside, rallied turning for home angling four wide, encountered traffic in the lane altered course and finished willingly. WARRIOR'S MISSION chased the leaders in a clear pocket through the turn, rallied to loom in mid-stretch and flattened out late. YOUREAWIZARD HARRY went way wide shortly from the break dropping back to trail the field and showed some late interest coming home. COSMIC CONNECTION set a pressured pace to the quarter pole and weakened in the final eighth causing FLY IN THE MYSTIC to alter course inside the eighth pole. GLEAMING went evenly failing to menace. DOUBLE UP LARRY raced in early contention, dropped back on the bend and was outrun coming home as a distant trailer.