

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS - September 17, 2025 - Race 8

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
(PLUS UP TO 30% PABF) FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since August 17 Allowed 2 lbs.
Claiming Price \$6,250 (Claiming Races For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Estimating Allowances). (NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$6,250
Distance: One Mile And Seventy Yards On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Carpenters Call - 1:38.97 - August 22, 2022)
Purse: \$16,000
Plus: \$600 Starters Bonus
Plus: \$480 PABF - Pennsylvania Bonus Program
Available Money: \$17,080
Value of Race: \$17,080 1st \$9,600, 2nd \$3,200, 3rd \$2,080, 4th \$800, 5th \$400, 6th \$250, 7th \$250, 8th \$250, 9th \$250
Weather: Cloudy, 76° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 6:47 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
3Sep25 ⁸ PID ⁴	6	DQ-Tango Zulu (Montanez, Rosario)	123 L w	4 7		7 ^{1/2}	9	9	4 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	8.10	shut off rival,dq'd 5t
19Aug25 ⁶ PID ⁷	9	Mardene (Spieth, Scott)	123 L bw	7 2		4 ²	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	3.60	closed well 4path
30Aug25 ⁴ FAI ⁵	12	Tartan Green (IRE) (Rodriguez, Israel)	123 L b	9 8		9	8 ²	5 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	4.60	crwded str,angld late
19Aug25 ⁵ PID ²	8	Eastern Sunrise (Villa-Gomez, Huber)	123 L b	6 1		1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ¹	4 ^{Neck}	14.30	pace,respond,outkicked
9Sep25 ¹ PID ⁵	11	Cheerful Trout (Severino, Victor)	125 L w	8 3		6 ²	6 ^{Head}	7 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{2 3/4}	4.10	rough trip,came on lat
19Aug25 ⁵ PID ⁵	7	Gulf Coast Girl (Martinez, Willie)	123 L w	5 9		8 ^{Head}	7 ^{Head}	8 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	40.00	passed tiring rivals,
3Sep25 ¹ PID ¹	4	Stroke of Luck (Rojas, Martina)	121 L bw	2 6		5 ^{1/2}	5 ²	6 ^{1/2}	7 ⁶	7 ^{10 1/4}	5.20	well placed, no kick
28Aug25 ¹⁰ SAR ⁸	5	Quite Continental (Martinez, Gaddiel)	123 L	3 5		2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{Head}	8 ²	8 ^{1 3/4}	3.00*	pressed pace, gave way
3Sep25 ⁸ PID ⁸	2	Metanoia (Garcia, Francisco)	123 L bfw	1 4		3 ^{1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	9	9	105.30	stalk,bid, flattened

Fractional Times: 25.05 49.49 1:14.34 1:39.93 **Final Time:** 1:44.03
Split Times: (24:44) (24:85) (25:59) (4:10)
Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Mardene, Gray or Roan Mare, by [Creative Cause](#) out of Mag's Holiday, by Harlan's Holiday. Foaled Apr 28, 2019 in Kentucky.

CREATIVE CAUSE Winner's sire standing at Marjorie Farms

Breeder: Bell Tower Thoroughbreds
Owner: Holly Delaney
Trainer: Kintz, S.

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Quite Continental** New Trainer: Scooter Davis New Owner: Scooter Davis

Claiming Prices: 6 - Tango Zulu: \$6,250; 9 - Mardene: \$6,250; 12 - Tartan Green (IRE): \$6,250; 8 - Eastern Sunrise: \$6,250; 11 - Cheerful Trout: \$6,250; 7 - Gulf Coast Girl: \$6,250; 4 - Stroke of Luck: \$6,250; 5 - Quite Continental: \$6,250; 2 - Metanoia: \$6,250;

Disqualification(s): # 6 Tango Zulu from 1 to 5

Scratched Horse(s): Katakana (Stewards), Kathlyns Phalanx (Trainer), Sensible Marriage (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$25,213

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Mardene	9.20	4.00	3.60	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-10	3.60	8,354
12	Tartan Green (IRE)		4.60	4.20	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-9	17.20	0
8	Eastern Sunrise			9.00	\$2.00 Exacta	9-12	68.00	21,896
					\$2.00 Trifecta	9-12-8	590.60	14,642
					\$2.00 Superfecta	9-12-8-11	1,946.00	7,238
					\$2.00 Pick 4	6-4-2/5-9 (4 correct)	2,583.80	23,659
					\$2.00 Pick 3	4-2/5-9 (3 correct)	125.60	9,407
					\$2.00 Pick 5	2-6-4-2/5-9 (5 correct)	5,788.80	8,523

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	Tango Zulu	7	7 ^{7 1/2}	9 ^{9 1/4}	9 ^{4 3/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹
9	Mardene	2	4 ³	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹
12	Tartan Green (IRE)	8	9 ⁸	8 ^{7 1/4}	5 ^{2 3/4}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹
8	Eastern Sunrise	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ¹	4 ^{1 1/4}
11	Cheerful Trout	3	6 ^{5 1/2}	6 ⁷	7 ^{3 1/4}	5 ²	5 ^{1 1/2}
7	Gulf Coast Girl	9	8 ⁸	7 ⁷	8 ^{4 1/4}	6 ^{3 1/2}	6 ^{4 1/4}
4	Stroke of Luck	6	5 ⁵	5 ⁵	6 ^{2 3/4}	7 ^{3 3/4}	7 ^{4 3/4}
5	Quite Continental	5	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	8 ^{9 3/4}	8 ¹⁵
2	Metanoia	4	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	9 ^{11 3/4}	9 ^{16 3/4}

Trainers: 6 - Valdez, Moises; 9 - Kintz, S.; 12 - Hendriks, Richard; 8 - Davis, Christopher; 11 - Baez, Ralph; 7 - Bowersock, Maria; 4 - Rojas, Murray; 5 - Rice, Linda; 2 - Uhacz, Wendy

Owners: 6 -Brian Dougherty; 9 -Holly Delaney; 12 - Hunt Lane Racing; 8 -Christopher Davis; 11 -Alexis Ruiz-Beltran; 7 - Ballybrit Stable LLC; 4 - Sajor Stable; 5 -Robert A. Meier; 2 - Catch Me If You Can Stables;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

TANGO ZULU unhurried to be the trailer to the far turn, swept up rallying strongly turning for home from eight wide, bore-in down the lane to the five path bumping CHEERFUL TROUT causing that one to take up in mid-stretch and prevailed in a drive to the wire. MARDENE tracked the leader to midway on the turn to be well place, rallied nearing the quarter pole to threaten from four wide, passed the pacesetter inside the eighth pole for a brief lead and was

outkicked in deep stretch. TARTAN GREEN (IRE) was reserved at the rear of the field for the first half mile traveling with the winner, rallied five wide on the turn to steadily advance to contention, was prominent in mid-stretch when crowded by the winner's actions, took up briefly to angle off that one to the clear and surged late. EASTERN SUNRISE set a moderate pace under steady pressure to the head of the lane, held the advantage racing along the fence clear of the trouble to mid-stretch and was outfinished in the final hundred yards. CHEERFUL TROUT raced mid-field to the far turn, rallied on the bend only to be caught behind a wall of runners taking up off heels nearing the quarter pole, angled out seven wide to rally in upper stretch, was shut-off and bumped by the winner in mid-stretch having to take up and angle out to the clear and came on late in the drive having suffered a terrible trip. GULF COAST GIRL passed tiring rivals. STROKE OF LUCK was well placed racing in contention to the quarter pole and lacked a closing bid. QUITE CONTINENTAL pressed the pace for three-quarters and gave way. METANOIA stalked the pace from the inside down the backside, made a bid on the turn circling four wide and flattened out turning for home. THE STEWARDS POSTED AN INQUIRY AND THE RIDER OF CHEERFUL TROUT CLAIMED FOUL AGAINST THE WINNER FOR INTERFERENCE IN THE STRETCH, UPON REVIEW THE WINNER WAS DISQUALIFIED AND PLACED FIFTH.

Track Attendance: 347	Handle: \$11,937
Off Track Wagering	Handle: \$592,595

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