

PERCY WARNER - May 9, 2026 - Race 5

STAKES Calvin Houghland Iroquois S. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

TO BE RUN OVER NATIONAL FENCES FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Fouryear-olds, 148 lbs.; older, 158 lbs.

Distance: Three Miles On The Hurdle **Current Track Record:** (Snap Decision - 5:32.40 - May 11, 2024)

Purse: \$250,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$250,000

Value of Race: \$250,000 1st \$150,000, 2nd \$45,000, 3rd \$25,000, 4th \$17,500, 5th \$12,500

Weather: Clear, 79° **Track:** Good

Off at: 3:53 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Hand

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	1m	11/2	2m	21/2	Str	Fin	Comments
18Apr26 ⁴ MID ¹	1	Zabeel Champion (GB) (Procter, Freddie)	158 L	1	6 ^{1/2}	7 ²	8 ^{1 1/2}	9 ²	5 ⁴	1 ^{Neck}	stretch rally
28Mar26 ⁴ CAM ¹	6	Swore (Mulqueen, Stephen)	158 --	6	11 ^{1/2}	1 ⁴	1 ⁴	1 ^{1/2}	11 ^{1/2}	2 ²	stretch loss
18Apr26 ⁴ MID ³	7	Ziggle Pops (GB) (Bargary, Jamie)	158 L	7	8 ^{1/2}	8 ¹	6 ¹	4 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	rated, gained
23Nov25 ⁴ CAM ¹	2	Fil Dor (FR) (Coen, Jake)	158 L b	2	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	close up, bid, held
28Feb26 NAV ¹	3	James Du Berlais (FR) (Mullins, Danny)	158 L	3	7 ¹	6 ¹	7 ^{1/2}	8 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{3 3/4}	even, gained
25Apr26 ⁵ FX ¹	5	Lydford (GB) (Dwan, Evan)	158 L v	5	9 ^{1 1/2}	9 ²	9 ^{1 1/2}	10	6 ¹	6 ³	bid, flattened
8Apr26 GOW ²	10	Zanahiy (IRE) (Kennedy, Jack)	158 L b	10	5 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	7 ³	7 ^{3 1/4}	bid, faded, no rally
22Nov25 ⁵ AIK ¹	9	Sweet Will (IRE) (Nevin, Dan)	158 --	9	3 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	8 ⁵	8 ⁶	kept touch, weakened
2May26 ⁴ GRM ⁴	8	Abaan (Dalton, Bernard)	158 L v	8	10	10	10	6 ¹	9	9	trailed, bid, faded
23Nov25 ⁴ CAM ²	4	Vae Patron (FR) (Watters, Graham)	158 L v	4	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²²	2 ^{1 1/2}	---	---	stalked, weakened, PU

Final Time: 5:37.60

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Zabeel Champion (GB), Bay Gelding, by =Poet's Voice (GB) out of =Stars In Your Eyes (GB), by \$Galileo (IRE). Foaled Mar 29, 2017 in Great Britain.

Breeder: Hascombe & Valiant Stud Ltd

Owner: Riverdee Stable

Trainer: Fisher, Jack

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1m	11/2	2m	21/2	Str	Fin
1	Zabeel Champion (GB)	6 ⁵	7 ⁹	8 ²⁹	9 ^{5 1/4}	5 ^{2 1/2}	1 ^{Neck}
6	Swore	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ⁴	1 ⁴	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Neck}
7	Ziggle Pops (GB)	8 ^{6 1/2}	8 ¹¹	6 ^{27 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/4}
2	Fil Dor (FR)	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ⁶	5 ²⁷	7 ^{3 3/4}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/4}
3	James Du Berlais (FR)	7 ^{5 1/2}	6 ⁸	7 ^{28 1/2}	8 ^{4 1/4}	3 ²	5 ^{3 3/4}
5	Lydford (GB)	9 ⁷	9 ¹²	9 ^{30 1/2}	10 ^{7 1/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}	6 ^{7 1/2}
10	Zanahiy (IRE)	5 ⁴	3 ^{5 1/2}	4 ^{26 1/2}	3 ²	7 ^{7 1/2}	7 ^{10 1/2}
9	Sweet Will (IRE)	3 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}	3 ²⁶	5 ^{2 1/2}	8 ^{10 1/2}	8 ^{13 3/4}
8	Abaan	10 ^{8 1/2}	10 ¹⁴	10 ³²	6 ^{2 3/4}	9 ^{15 1/2}	9 ^{19 3/4}
4	Vae Patron (FR)	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ⁴	2 ⁴	2 ^{1/2}	---	---

Trainers: 1 - Fisher, Jack; 6 - Brion, Keri; 7 - Fisher, Jack; 2 - Hendriks, Richard; 3 - Young, Leslie; 5 - Garner, Thomas; 10 - Elliott, Gordon; 9 - Kingsley, Jr., Archibald; 8 - Dalton, Kate; 4 - Young, Leslie

Owners: 1 - Riverdee Stable; 6 - Stone Farm and Upland Flats Racing; 7 - Bruton Street-US; 2 - Del Rio Racing LLC; 3 - Leipers Fork Steeplechase; 5 - Maranto Manor, LLC; 10 - Bective Stud; 9 - Hurricana Farm; 8 - Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners and Daigneault Thoroughbreds; 4 - Leipers Fork Steeplechase;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ZABEEL CHAMPION (GB) was unhurried early, racing in hand through 15 of 16 fences, rushed to contention, landing fifth at the final, and rallied in the stretch for the win. SWORE led through all 16 fences but could not hold back ZABEEL CHAMPION (GB) in the stretch. ZIGGLE POPS (GB) rated early, gained position after the 10th fence, moved to contention before the 15th, landed second after the final but lost position in the stretch. FIL DOR (FR) raced close up, lost position after the 14th fence, bid before the final to land fourth and held position. JAMES DU BERLAIS (FR) ran evenly, increased speed with the field after the 14th fence, gained to enter the stretch in third but could not match the pace of nearby rivals. LYDFORD (GB) raced out the back, bid before the final to gain position, then flattened. ZANAHIYR (IRE) started midpack, kept touch with the leaders, moved to contention before the 12th fence, faded before the final and had no stretch rally. SWEET WILL (IRE) kept touch with the leaders for 14 fences, then weakened. ABAAN trailed, bid after the 12th to move into contention, then faded quickly before the final. VAE PATRON (FR) stalked the leader, dueled with SWORE after the 13th fence, weakened, pulled up after the 15th and walked off.