

SANTA ANITA PARK - January 25, 2026 - Race 2

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FOUR AND FIVE YEARS OLD. Weight, 124 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000. **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Ruhmann - 1:33.40 - March 5, 1989)

Purse: \$21,000

Plus: \$80 Other Sources

Available Money: \$21,080

Value of Race: \$21,080 1st \$12,600, 2nd \$4,200, 3rd \$2,520, 4th \$1,260, 5th \$500

Weather: Clear, 67° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:03 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
9Jan26 ⁶ SA ⁵	1	Babe Ruthless (Pyle, William)	124	L b	1	4	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ²	1 ²	1Neck	0.50*	stalk,press2w,clr,held
15Jan26 ⁹ SA ⁹	3	Irish Element (Jaramillo, Emisael)	124	L b	3	2	4 ³	3 ^{1/2}	4 ⁵	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{2 3/4}	2.20	bpd st,rail bid,denied
12Sep25 ¹ LRC ⁴	2	Goodbye Dal (Alsagoor, Abdul)	124	L b	2	5	5	5	2 ^{Head}	3 ⁴	3 ^{13 1/2}	7.00	tight early,inside,3wd
15Jan26 ² SA ⁶	5	Palo Alto (Escobedo, Adrian)	124	L b	5	3	3 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	5	5	4 ⁹	39.00	3w,drop back2w-ins2nd
15Jan26 ² SA ⁵	4	Love Da Gig (Franco, Geovanni)	124	L b	4	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	4 ³	5	10.20	bumped st,led,gave way

Fractional Times: 24.18 49.72 1:14.07 1:27.53

Final Time: 1:40.62

Split Times: (25.54) (24:35) (13:46) (13:09)

Run-Up: 170 feet

Winner: Babe Ruthless, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by [Candy Ride \(ARG\)](#) out of Rutherford, by Pulpit. Foaled Mar 21, 2022 in Kentucky.



Winner's sire standing at Lane's End

Breeder: Payson Stud, Inc.

Owner: D K Racing, LLC, Radley Equine, Inc. and Macariello, Patrick

Trainer: Blacker, Dan

Voided Claims: Babe Ruthless(Vet)

Claiming Prices: 1 - Babe Ruthless: \$20,000; 3 - Irish Element: \$20,000; 2 - Goodbye Dal: \$20,000; 5 - Palo Alto: \$20,000; 4 - Love Da Gig: \$20,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$141,058

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Babe Ruthless	3.00	2.10	2.10	\$1.00 Exacta	1-3	2.90	54,819
3	Irish Element		2.80	2.10	\$1.00 Trifecta	1-3-2	4.80	67,718
2	Goodbye Dal			2.10	\$2.00 Daily Double	4-1	6.00	27,198

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Babe Ruthless	4	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ²	1Neck
3	Irish Element	2	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	2 ²	2Neck
2	Goodbye Dal	5	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}	2 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ³
5	Palo Alto	3	3 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}	5 ^{9 1/2}	4 ^{16 1/2}
4	Love Da Gig	1	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	3 ²	4 ^{6 1/2}	5 ^{25 1/2}

Trainers: 1 - Blacker, Dan; 3 - O'Neill, Doug; 2 - Gallagher, Patrick; 5 - Calvario, Samuel; 4 - Tamayo, Isidro

Owners: 1 - D K Racing, LLC, Radley Equine, Inc. and Macariello, Patrick; 3 - Ed Delaney; 2 - DeNike, Edward A. and DeNike, Theresa; 5 - Baseline Equine, LLC; 4 - Molloy, John A. and O'Leary, Timothy Francis;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

BABE RUTHLESS stalked from inside then in the two path around the first turn, moved up to press the pace on the backstretch, headed the leader at the three-eighths pole, cleared past the five-sixteenths marker, led three wide into the lane, met the bid from IRISH ELEMENT in the final furlong and gamely prevailed. IRISH ELEMENT broke out and bumped, tracked from inside to the far turn, tipped two wide midway around the bend, rallied inside BABE RUTHLESS, battled with that rival in deep stretch but could not get by. GOODBYE DAL crowded shortly after the start, lagged behind on the inside into the first turn, moved off the rail into the backstretch and started to whittle the gap on the leaders, gained in the three path on the far turn, chased outside IRISH ELEMENT into the final furlong and flattened in the late stages. PALO ALTO brushed leaving the gate, followed in range from the three path, dropped back in the two path then along the rail on the far turn and passed a tired rival in the stretch. LOVE DA GIG bumped leaving the gate, led two wide into the first turn then angled over to the rail, took pressure in the middle stages, headed with the three furlongs remaining, yielded to outer rival past the five-sixteenths pole and gave way.