

SANTA ANITA PARK - October 4, 2025 - Race 5
MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred
FOR CALIFORNIA BRED OR CALIFORNIA SIRE MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs. (Winning Owner to Receive \$10,000 From CTBA). (S)
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (The Factor - 1:06.98 - December 26, 2010)
Purse: \$60,000
Plus: \$1,500 Other Sources
Available Money: \$61,500
Value of Race: \$61,500 1st \$36,000, 2nd \$12,000, 3rd \$7,200, 4th \$3,600, 5th \$1,200, 6th \$500, 7th \$500, 8th \$500
Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 3:10 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
7Sep25 ² DMR ²	6	Southern Melodee (Ayuso, Armando)	122	b	4	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2.40*	ins pair, dueled, dug in
7Sep25 ² DMR ³	4	Tommy Norris (Cohen, David)	122	--	2	4	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	5.20	rail bid, denied
---	1	Cruise Home (Orantes, Welfin)	117	--	1	8	8	7 ^{1/2}	6 ³	3 ^{1 1/4}	12.00	2w, angled, closed fast
7Sep25 ⁹ DMR ⁶	10	Oracle of Paradise (Herrera, Diego)	122	b	8	2	3 ¹	2 ¹	3 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/4}	2.70	vie3deep, outsd, weaknd
7Sep25 ² DMR ⁴	9	Tamarando Beach (Pereira, Tiago)	122	--	7	5	6 ³	5 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	5 ^{7 3/4}	9.50	lost path early, 3-4wd
7Sep25 ⁵ DMR ⁶	7	Forever Ben (Baze, Tyler)	122	--	5	1	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ¹	6 ^{Nose}	13.10	stmbld, vie btwn, weaknd
---	5	My Bodacious Boy (Kimura, Kazushi)	122	b	3	6	7 ³	8	8	7 ^{9 1/2}	4.30	brush gate, svd ground
---	8	Tiggrrr Whitworth (Maldonado, Edwin)	122	bf	6	7	5 ¹	6 ³	7 ^{1/2}	8	29.50	chased 2-3wd, empty

Fractional Times: 21.88 45.18 58.04 **Final Time:** 1:11.31
Split Times: (23:30) (12:86) (13:27)
Run-Up: 70 feet

Winner: Southern Melodee, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Smokem out of Northern Song, by Animal Kingdom. Foaled Apr 23, 2023 in California.
Breeder: Terry C. Lovingier
Owner: Lovingier, Terry C. and Yayoshi, Ronald R.
Trainer: Dollase, Craig

Scratched Horse(s): Kid Kayak (Veterinarian), Need Mo Diamonds (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$254,561

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Southern Melodee	6.80	4.00	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	6-4	13.00	144,851
4	Tommy Norris		5.00	3.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	6-4-1	109.10	90,043
1	Cruise Home			8.00	\$2.00 Daily Double	2-6	25.40	24,251
					\$1.00 Pick 3	2-2-6 (3 correct)	146.50	37,622
					\$0.50 Pick 4	3-2-2-2/3/6 (4 correct)	184.60	116,295
					\$0.50 Pick 5	9-3-2-2-2/3/6 (5 correct)	883.35	405,487
					\$0.10 Superfecta	6-4-1-10	64.20	62,138

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Southern Melodee	3	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}
4	Tommy Norris	4	4 ^{1 1/4}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}
1	Cruise Home	8	8 ^{10 3/4}	7 ^{7 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	3 ¹
10	Oracle of Paradise	2	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	3 ¹	4 ^{2 1/4}
9	Tamarando Beach	5	6 ^{4 3/4}	5 ⁴	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{3 1/2}
7	Forever Ben	1	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{2 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{11 1/4}
5	My Bodacious Boy	6	7 ^{7 3/4}	8 ⁸	8 ⁹	7 ^{11 1/4}
8	Tiggrrr Whitworth	7	5 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}	8 ^{20 3/4}

Trainers: 6 - Dollase, Craig; 4 - Barocio, Librado; 1 - Pederson, Dean; 10 - Koriner, Brian; 9 - Pederson, Dean; 7 - Gaines, Carla; 5 - Yakteen, Tim; 8 - Knapp, Steve

Owners: 6 - Lovingier, Terry C. and Yayoshi, Ronald R.; 4 - Rockingham Ranch; 1 - Harris Farms, Inc.; 10 -Philip Lebherz; 9 - Williams, Larry D. and Williams, Marianne; 7 - Out of the Blue Stables; 5 - Aselage, Cindy, Bernardi, Dario, Cavalli, John and Lazarte, Roger; 8 - Zolotas, Steven and Romo-Zolotas, Sabina;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SOUTHERN MELODEE vied inside a pair of rivals to the five-sixteenths pole, held a short lead over outer rival late on the bend, maintained command with rivals on both sides in upper stretch, fought with TOMMY NORRIS in the final furlong and gamely prevailed. TOMMY NORRIS raced up close behind the top trio, waited on the inside to the quarter pole, roused late on the bend, challenged inside the top pair in upper stretch, hounded SOUTHERN MELODEE into deep stretch and could not get by. CRUISE HOME lacked early speed, passed a rival in the two path on the turn, angled out into the lane, closed fast in the late stages but ran out of ground. ORACLE OF PARADISE vied three deep to the turn, kept the pressure on SOTHERN MELODEE around the bend, fought three deep once again in upper stretch but weakened in the furlong grounds. TAMARANDO BEACH had to steady when losing a clear path early, chased off the rail in the early going, took the turn three then four wide and finished evenly down the lane. FOREVER BEN stumbled leaving the gate, recovered and fought between rivals for command, yielded to the top pair midway around the bend and weakened in the stretch. MY BODACIOUS BOY coaxed along well off the pace early, moved inside for the turn, fell back to last around the bend, angled out at the top of the lane and passed a tired rival. TIGGRRR WHITWORTH chased just out of range off the rail, lost ground two to three wide around the bend and came up empty in the drive.