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**SUNRAY PARK - April 18, 2026 - Race 3**

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR REGISTERED NEW MEXICO BRED MAIDENS, FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD. Weight, 121 lbs. (S)

**Distance:** Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Pache of Gold - 49.67 - June 17, 2010)

**Purse:** \$30,300

**Includes:** \$4,500 NMHBA - New Mexico Horse Breeders Assoc.

**Available Money:** \$30,300

**Value of Race:** \$29,845 1st \$18,180, 2nd \$6,060, 3rd \$3,030, 4th \$1,212, 5th \$606, 6th \$303, 7th \$227, 8th \$227

**Weather:** Clear, 56° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 2:11 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	1	La Chanca (Gomez, Enrique)	121	L b	1	4	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup>	1 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	2.40*	speed,geared down
22Mar26 <sup>5</sup> SUN <sup>5</sup>	6	Mightylilsky (Rodriguez, Luis)	121	h	6	6	6 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	8.40	green,2-3w,willingly
30Mar26 <sup>4</sup> SUN <sup>12</sup>	4	Latigo N Lace (Medellin, Erick)	121	L b	4	3	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	10.10	stp slw,outkick for 2d
9Mar26 <sup>10</sup> SUN <sup>4</sup>	5	Whitney Jayne (Amparan, Francisco)	121	L b	5	2	5 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3.40	inside,mild late rally
---	7	Taco Five (Andrade, Jr., Oscar)	121	--	7	8	8	8	5 <sup>3/4</sup>	14.80	slow early,improved
22Mar26 <sup>5</sup> SUN <sup>4</sup>	3	Gypsy Wildcat (Valenzuela, Luis)	121	L b	3	7	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Neck</sup>	3.20	tk up early,no rally
30Mar26 <sup>4</sup> SUN <sup>5</sup>	2	Tuning the Spirits (Purcell, Kelsi)	121	L h	2	5	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7 3/4</sup>	8.30	chased inside,tired
1Mar26 <sup>3</sup> SUN <sup>4</sup>	8	Texas Tech Legs (Sigala, Alfredo)	121	b	8	1	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	8	7.70	close early, empty

**Fractional Times:** 21.53 44.79

**Final Time:** 51.45 **Time from Gate:** 52.76

**Split Times:** (23:26) (6:66)

**Run-Up:** 20 feet

**Winner:** La Chanca, Bay Filly, by Sporting Chance out of Hennessy Express, by Roll Hennessy Roll. Foaled Mar 01, 2023 in New Mexico.

**Breeder:** Robert Driggers, Del Rae Driggers & Benlvey

**Owner:** Driggers, Robert M., Driggers, Del Rae and Ivey, Ben Lee

**Trainer:** Buechler, Simon

**Total WPS Pool:** \$3,559

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	La Chanca	6.80	5.00	3.80	\$1.00 Exacta	1-6	21.60	1,970
6	Mightylilsky		8.60	6.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	1-6-4	141.00	1,507
4	Latigo N Lace			7.60	\$0.10 Superfecta	1-6-4-5	51.39	1,234

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
1	La Chanca	4	1 <sup>5</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup>	1 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
6	Mightylilsky	6	6 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>11</sup>	2 <sup>3 3/4</sup>
4	Latigo N Lace	3	2 <sup>5</sup>	2 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>5 1/4</sup>
5	Whitney Jayne	2	5 <sup>8</sup>	5 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>7 1/2</sup>
7	Taco Five	8	8 <sup>11</sup>	8 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>9</sup>
3	Gypsy Wildcat	7	7 <sup>10 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>9 3/4</sup>
2	Tuning the Spirits	5	3 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>8</sup>	7 <sup>10</sup>
8	Texas Tech Legs	1	4 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>17 3/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 1 - Buechler, Simon; 6 - Marr, Joel; 4 - Barrios, Bernadette; 5 - Hone, Bart; 7 - Aldavaz, Hermenegildo; 3 - Valdez-Cabral, Martin; 2 - Chavez, Larry; 8 - Olguin, Ever

**Owners:** 1 - Driggers, Robert M., Driggers, Del Rae and Ivey, Ben Lee; 6 -Bob Matney; 4 - Tucumcari Thoroughbreds; 5 -Kerry Showalter; 7 -William G. McCarty; 3 -Lane Kuykendall; 2 - McClintic, Erin and McClintic, Nataleigh; 8 -Alfredo L. Montoya;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

LA CHANCA hustled away from the gate, assumed early command then sprinted clear approaching the turn, widened the advantage nearing the top of the lane, was given a reminder tap of the crop into the stretch and won geared down. MIGHTYLILSKY climbed and was a bit green in the early stages, advanced two wide and between rivals along the turn, spun three wide to upper stretch, could not impact the winner in the late stages but finished well and was second best. LATIGO N LACE broke a step slowly then was hustled from the gate, ran in pursuit of LA CHANCA into the turn, was no match for the winner into the stretch, got outkicked for second and held clearly at the finish for third. WHITNEY JAYNE close up to the early pace, shifted to the rail into the turn, saved ground nearing the top of the lane, made a mild late bid but needed more late. TACO FIVE was slow into stride and trailed early, advanced between rivals into the turn, improved position into the stretch but failed to threaten the leaders late. GYPSY WILDCAT took up while in tight in the early stages, saved ground into the turn and did not rally late. TUNING THE SPIRITS chased the early pace from the inside, drifted to the three path while giving way along the turn and could not find more in the stretch. TEXAS TECH LEGS broke alertly, ceded the early lead and chased into the turn, was outrun to the stretch and came up empty in the late stages.