

TURFWAY PARK - January 15, 2026 - Race 8

EQUIBASE

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON \$12,750 OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of \$18,600 Over A Mile Since December 15 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000 (Races Where Entered For \$20,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (NW1\$ X) **Claiming Price:** \$25,000

Distance: One And One Fourth Miles On The All Weather Track **Current Track Record:** (Zverev - 2:01.11 - December 6, 2025)

Purse: \$102,000

Includes: \$54,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$102,000

Value of Race: \$91,200 1st \$60,017, 2nd \$8,909, 3rd \$9,855, 4th \$4,927, 5th \$2,956, 6th \$760, 7th \$760, 8th \$754, 9th \$754, 10th

\$754, 11th \$754

Weather: Cloudy, 25° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 9:32 Start: Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
4Dec25	8TP ⁴	11 Sugoi (Contreras, Luis)	121	L b	10	2 1/2	2 ¹	2 1 1/2	2 1 1/2	1 ¹	1 Nose	7.26	prompt 2w,led 1/4,game
18Dec25	4TP ¹	2 Shankar (Gonzalez, Santiago)	121	L	2	3 1/2	3 Head	4 1/2	3 Head	2 1 1/2	2 1 3/4	8.48	ins-2p,wait1/4,bid,mss
4Dec25	8TP ⁷	1 Copper Missile (Machado, Dylan) 	121	L b	1	9 Head	10 1/2	11	8 ¹	4 Head	3 Neck	9.41	ins,rally btw,edge shw
11Dec25	8TP ¹	9 Punxsutawney Phil (Carrasco, Victor)	121	L b	8	4 1/2	4 ¹	3 Head	4 Head	3 Head	4 Head	8.10	pull,stalk 3p,btw,stay
4Dec25	8TP ²	5 The Hidden Chamber (Saez, Gabriel)	121	L b	4	6 ²	6 1/2	6 ¹	6 1 1/2	6 ²	5 1 1/2	4.97	2-3p,chsd btw,miss 4th
1Jan26	7TP ⁷	6 Obelisk (Bermudez, Samuel)	121	L	5	8 1 1/2	8 ¹	9 Head	10 Head	8 ¹	6 3 1/4	25.19	2p,4-7p2nd,moved up
24May25	8BAQ ¹	7 Hilliard (Rodriguez, Walter)	121	L b	6	10 ¹	11	10 Head	11	10 1 1/2	7 3/4	9.66	2wbtw,6-7p upr,no bid
20Dec25	9TP ⁴	8 Mount Horeb (Morales, Edgar)	121	L bf	7	5 ²	5 2 1/2	5 1 1/2	5 ¹	7 1/2	8 ¹	3.59*	track 4p,5p3/16,faded
1Jan26	7TP ⁶	10 Midnite in Finley (Garcia, Martin)	121	L b	9	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 Head	1 Head	5 1/2	9 Neck	16.17	ins winner, wknd upper
23Nov25	9CD ¹²	4 Warlander (Ramos, Joseph)	121	L b	3	7 Head	7 1 1/2	7 1 1/2	7 1/2	9 Head	10 2 1/2	5.39	bobbled/bump st,ins
11Dec25	6TP ¹	12 Modica (Machado, Luan)	121	L b	11	11	9 Head	8 1/2	9 ¹	11	11	19.61	3-4p,6p btw3/16,no bid

Fractional Times: 24.05 48.73 1:13.56 1:38.60

Final Time: 2:05.34

Split Times: (24:68) (24:83) (25:04) (26:74)

Run-Up: 65 feet

Winner: Sugoi, Bay Gelding, by Karakontie (JPN) out of Timeless Spirit, by Devil His Due. Foaled Mar 17, 2017 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Normandy Farm

Owner: EKB Stables LLC and Royal Bamboo Racing

Trainer: Vanden Berg, Brittany

2 Claimed Horse(s): Shankar
Sugoi

New Trainer: Tracey J. Wisner
New Trainer: Ismael Bahena

New Owner: Tracey Wisner Racing LLC
New Owner: Anayeli Ramirez

Claiming Prices: 11 - Sugoi: \$25,000; 2 - Shankar: \$25,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Dawn Dragon (RegVet-Unsound), Slip Mahoney (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$126,756

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
11	Sugoi	16.52		9.02	\$2.00 Exacta	11-2	167.56	97,591
2	Shankar		11.52		\$0.50 Trifecta	11-2-1	429.29	55,680
1	Copper Missile			6.98	\$1.00 Daily Double	1-11	26.06	23,961
					\$0.10 Superfecta	11-2-1-9	967.70	38,811
					\$0.50 Pick 3	3-1-11 (3 correct)	174.22	24,953
					\$0.50 Consolation Pick 3	3-6-11 (3 correct)	36.61	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin
11	Sugoi	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 Head	2 Head	1 ¹	1 Nose
2	Shankar	3 ¹	3 1 1/2	4 1 3/4	3 1 1/2	2 ¹	2 Nose
1	Copper Missile	9 7 1/2	10 8 1/4	11 ⁷	8 4 3/4	4 2 1/2	3 1 3/4
9	Punxsutawney Phil	4 1 1/2	4 1 1/2	3 1 1/2	4 1 3/4	3 2 1/2	4 ²
5	The Hidden Chamber	6 ⁴	6 ⁵	6 3 3/4	6 2 3/4	6 3 1/4	5 2 1/4
6	Obelisk	8 ⁶	8 ⁷	9 6 3/4	10 6 3/4	8 5 3/4	6 3 3/4
7	Hilliard	10 7 3/4	11 8 3/4	10 6 3/4	11 ⁷	10 6 3/4	7 ⁷
8	Mount Horeb	5 ²	5 2 1/2	5 2 1/4	5 1 3/4	7 5 1/4	8 7 3/4
10	Midnite in Finley	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 Head	1 Head	5 2 3/4	9 8 3/4
4	Warlander	7 ⁶	7 5 1/2	7 4 3/4	7 4 1/4	9 6 3/4	10 ⁹
12	Modica	11 8 3/4	9 ⁸	8 6 1/4	9 5 3/4	11 8 1/4	11 11 1/2

Trainers: 11 - Vanden Berg, Brittany; 2 - Douaihy, Michel; 1 - Sims, Matthew; 9 - De Paz, Horacio; 5 - Danner, Kelsey; 6 - Moger, Jr., Ed; 7 - Maker, Michael; 8 - Walsh, Brendan; 10 - Ewing, Michael; 4 - Asmussen, Steven; 12 - Williams, Colby

Owners: 11 - EKB Stables LLC and Royal Bamboo Racing; 2 - DNG Blessed Stable and Mana Racing; 1 - Wolf Power Racing LLC, Sims, Matthew P. and Sims, Paige; 9 - Liberty House Racing LLC; 5 - NBS Stable; 6 - Steve Moger; 7 - Jordan V. Wycoff; 8 - Miacomet Farm (William Harrigan), Pietrangelo, Michael A. and Golden Acorn Equine; 10 - Tier Racing LLC; 4 - Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; 12 - Alaricorns;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

SUGOI prompted two wide, vied down the backstretch, forged an advantage turning for home, dug in as an outer SHANKAR challenged at the sixteenth pole, battled gamely and narrowly held. SHANKAR took contact from an outer rival at the start, stalked near the inside, paused behind the leaders while aiming two wide and between horses at the quarter pole, pursued tipping to the three path in upper stretch, ranged up to bid at the sixteenth pole, dueled late but missed at the wire. COPPER MISSILE saved ground well back, rallied two wide and between horses into the final furlong and edged show from outer rivals late. PUNXSUTAWNEY PHIL pulled between horses early on, stalked in the three path, chased between horses around the far turn, floated to

the four path in upper stretch, kept on to vie for show late but got outfinished. THE HIDDEN CHAMBER pursued from midpack in the two to three path, chased between horses and missed fourth. OBELISK laid off of the pace in the two path, four to five path around the far turn, fanned to the seven path into the lane and moved up. HILLIARD lacked speed two wide and between horses, shifted out and failed to factor. MOUNT HOREB tracked four deep, chased in the five path into the lane and faded. MIDNITE IN FINLEY set the pace inside of the eventual winner, got headed turning for home then weakened in upper stretch. WARLANDER bobbed and bumped an inner rival at the start, raced off of the pace along the inside, shifted out entering the lane and failed to factor. MODICA raced at the rear in the three to four path, six path and between horses into the lane and made little impact.

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