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TURF PARADISE - February 24, 2026 - Race 2
 ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
 FOR THREE YEAR OLDS WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER, OR TRIAL
 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000. Weight, 121 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000. Arizona
 Bred Claiming Price \$75,000. (NW2 X) **Claiming Price:** \$75,000 - \$50,000
Distance: Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Twin Sparks - 1:06.49 - November 21, 2009)
Purse: \$19,000
Includes: \$1,000 AZHR (Arizona Horse Racing)
Available Money: \$19,000
Value of Race: \$19,000 1st \$11,780, 2nd \$3,800, 3rd \$1,900, 4th \$1,520
Weather: Clear, 80° **Track:** Fast
Off at: 1:47 **Start:** Good for all except 2 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
9Jan26 ⁵ SA ³	2	Court of Appeal (Americano, Manuel)	121	L b	2 4	4	4	4	3 ⁴	1 ^{Head}	3.90	bmp st,2p,5p str,rally
2Feb26 ⁶ TUP ²	1	Saint Benji (Rodriguez, Guillermo)	121	L	1 3	2 ¹	2 ⁷	2 ⁷	1 ³	2 ^{10 3/4}	1.40	bid3p5/16,clear,nailed
2Feb26 ⁶ TUP ⁵	5	Marking Broadway (Amador, Silvio)	123	--	4 1	3 ¹⁰	3 ²	3 ²	4	3 ^{Nose}	13.20	4-5p,wkn turn,even str
22Jan26 ⁴ TUP ¹	4	Mr. Matic (Asencio, Jose)	121	L	3 2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	2 ⁵	4	0.70*	bump st,2p-ins,gaveway

Fractional Times: 21.64 43.63 55.66 **Final Time:** 1:08.89
Split Times: (21:99) (12:03) (13:23)
Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Court of Appeal, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Constitution out of Charmed Life, by Super Saver. Foaled Feb 11, 2023 in Kentucky.
Breeder: WinStar Farm, LLC
Owner: Wilson, Holly and Wilson, David
Trainer: Cerin, Vladimir

Voided Claims: Mr. Matic(Vet)

Claiming Prices: 1 - Saint Benji: \$50,000; 4 - Mr. Matic: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Hey Pardner (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$34,702

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Court of Appeal	9.80	3.60	\$1.00 Daily Double	4-2	10.90	5,613
1	Saint Benji		2.60	\$1.00 Exacta	2-1	14.60	19,279
5	Marking Broadway			\$1.00 Quinella	1-2	7.30	1,416
				\$0.50 Trifecta	2-1-5	33.85	9,310
				\$0.10 Superfecta	2-1-5-4	4.08	4,967

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
2	Court of Appeal	4	4 ^{11 1/2}	4 ⁹	3 ⁸	1 ^{Head}
1	Saint Benji	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	1 ³	2 ^{Head}
5	Marking Broadway	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ⁷	4 ¹²	3 ^{10 3/4}
4	Mr. Matic	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	2 ³	4 ¹¹

Trainers: 2 - Cerin, Vladimir; 1 - Evans, Justin; 5 - Williams, Dewey; 4 - Eikleberry, Kevin

Owners: 2 - Wilson, Holly and Wilson, David; 1 - Evans, Austin and Leatherman, Ty; 5 -Dewey Williams; 4 - Wallstreet Racing Stables IV, Thygesen, Clifford and Eikleberry, Kevin;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

COURT OF APPEAL bumped with an outer foe at the start, trailed early, was ridden in the two path around the turn, angled out to the five path at the top of the lane, rallied into the final furlong, and nailed an inner rival at the wire. SAINT BENJI pressed the pace, bid under a nudge in the three path midway around the turn, took command at the top of the stretch, kicked away into the final furlong, but got nailed by a late surging outer foe at the wire. MARKING BROADWAY stalked in the four path, lost ground around the turn, floated out to the five path entering the lane, finished evenly, and nailed the inner pacesetter for show at the wire. MR. MATIC bumped with an inner foe at the start, showed the way in the two path, was cued along the inside when challenged midway around the turn, but lost the lead while back in the two path at the top of the stretch, and gave way.