

**TURF PARADISE - December 8, 2025 - Race 5**  
STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred  
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$10,000 OR LESS IN 2024 - 2025 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since November 8 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$16,000. Arizona Bred Claiming Price \$20,000. ( C ) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000  
**Distance:** One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Mr. Pappion - 1:33.20 - January 30, 1993)  
**Purse:** \$16,000  
**Includes:** \$1,000 AZHR (Arizona Horse Racing)  
**Available Money:** \$16,000  
**Value of Race:** \$16,000 1st \$9,920, 2nd \$3,200, 3rd \$1,600, 4th \$800, 5th \$480  
**Weather:** Clear, 72° **Track:** Fast  
**Off at:** 3:18 **Start:** Good for all except 1 **Timing Method:** Electronic



Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
22Oct25 <sup>6</sup> MNR <sup>1</sup>	4	Sir Maximus (Cruz, Alex)	122	L	3	1	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	2.40	cued2p1/4,dug in,clear
17Nov25 <sup>5</sup> TUP <sup>6</sup>	5	Afjan (Belmont, Cesar)	122	L	f	4	3	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup> /2	2 <sup>3</sup> /4	4.70	bid3p3/16,ran on,repel
28Nov25 <sup>4</sup> TUP <sup>1</sup>	2	Go Cats (Mojica, Orlando)	124	L	bf	2	2	4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	0.80*	2p-ins,coaxed5/16,even
12Oct25 <sup>3</sup> ALB <sup>2</sup>	1	Surpsringlyperfect (Kriger, Kevin)	122	L		1	5	5	5	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>10</sup> 1/4	3.80	slow st, 2-4p, no bid
4Oct25 <sup>5</sup> ALB <sup>7</sup>	7	Bodie Got Gold (Lopez, Karlo)	122	bk		5	4	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	5	5	17.10	4-3p, backup far turn

**Fractional Times:** 24.38 48.33 1:12.50 1:24.64 **Final Time:** 1:36.78  
**Split Times:** (23:95) (24:17) (12:14) (12:14)  
**Run-Up:** 95 feet

**Winner:** Sir Maximus, Bay Gelding, by [Maximus Mischief](#) out of Delicate Affair, by Langfuhr. Foaled Apr 10, 2021 in Virginia.

**MAXIMUS MISCHIEF** Winner's sire standing at Spendthrift

**Breeder:** Knockgriffin Farm  
**Owner:** Tijuana Racing Stables  
**Trainer:** Silva, Juan

**Claiming Prices:** 5 - Afjan: \$16,000; 7 - Bodie Got Gold: \$16,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** American Empire (Veterinarian), French Onion (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$51,721

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Sir Maximus	6.80	3.80	2.10	\$1.00 Daily Double	7-4	14.80	7,292
5	Afjan		4.80	2.40	\$1.00 Exacta	4-5	15.70	29,119
2	Go Cats			2.10	\$1.00 Quinella	4-5	10.70	2,900
					\$0.50 Trifecta	4-5-2	10.80	20,297
					\$0.10 Superfecta	4-5-2-1	2.53	16,010
					\$0.50 Pick 3	2-7-4 (3 correct)	11.90	15,411
					\$0.50 Pick 4	1-2-7-4 (4 correct)	729.60	28,366

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Sir Maximus	1	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup> 1/4
5	Afjan	3	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup> 1/4
2	Go Cats	2	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>3</sup>
1	Surpsringlyperfect	5	5 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup> 3/4
7	Bodie Got Gold	4	3 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	4 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>10</sup>	5 <sup>17</sup>

**Trainers:** 4 - Silva, Juan; 5 - Fuentes, Ruben; 2 - Diodoro, Robertino; 1 - Evans, Justin; 7 - Gonzalez, Andres

**Owners:** 4 - Tijuana Racing Stables; 5 - Fuentes Racing LLC; 2 -Charles Garvey; 1 - Rakoczy Racing LLC and Evans, Justin R.; 7 -Richard Navarette;

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

SIR MAXIMUS set a clear pace in the two path entering the backstretch, was roused when challenged passing the quarter, dug in down the lane, and drew clear in the final sixteenth. AFJAN laid up close in the three path, bid under a ride at the top of the stretch, and ran on but got repelled by the winning pacesetter around the sixteenth. GO CATS tracked in the two path, was coaxed along the inside midway around the far turn, and finished evenly down the lane. SURPSRINGLYPERFECT had a slow start, rated in the three path, was cued from the two path midway around the far turn, but made no closing bid from the four path down the stretch. BODIE GOT GOLD stalked in the four path but backed up in the three path around the far turn.