

WOODBINE - August 23, 2026 - Race 3

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs.

Distance: Six Furlongs On The All Weather Track - Originally Scheduled For 6 Furlongs On Turf Current Track Record: (Nobals - 1:07.63 - May 1, 2022)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$125,500

Includes: \$26,700 Other Sources

Includes: \$17,800 State Bred

Plus: \$1,000 Other Sources

Available Money: \$126,500

Value of Race: \$105,941 (US\$76,947) 1st \$59,280 (US\$43,056) , 2nd \$25,100 (US\$18,230) , 3rd \$10,868 (US\$7,894) , 4th \$5,928 (US\$4,306) , 5th \$3,765 (US\$2,735) , 6th \$500 (US\$363) , 7th \$500 (US\$363)

Weather: Rainy, 17° C Track: Fast

Off at: 2:12 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
13Nov25 ¹ WO ⁶	7	Mor Joe's Spirit (Reyes, Luis)	120	L	7	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ²	1 ²	3.45	pace,clear,held sway
26Jul26 ⁸ WO ³	1	Auntie's Bambino (Forde, Xarel)	120	L	1	5	6 ¹	5 ^{Head}	3 ⁴	2 ^{1 3/4}	3.40	came out 1/16,gaining
19Jul26 ¹² WO ⁴	3	Starship Salute (Aebly, Fraser)	120	L	b	3	4	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ²	3.55	tight brk,insd,evenly
---	4	Cyclone Taylor (Moran, Pietro)	120	L	4	7	7	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	3.25*	off slow,altered 7w1/4
2Aug26 ⁷ WO ²	5	Aterya (Salles, Leo)	120	b	5	3	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{Head}	5 ^{5 1/2}	10.95	3w,stdy/alter1/4,faded
1Mar26 ⁸ GP ¹⁰	6	Copa de Plata (Wilson, Emma-Jayne)	120	L	b	6	2	5 ^{Head}	7	6 ^{4 1/2}	4.25	forced out 10w 1/4
19Jul26 ¹² WO ⁶	2	Fightin to Survive (Alderson, Jeffrey)	120	L	b	2	6	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	33.05	stdy brk,came out 1/4

Fractional Times: 22.67 45.09 57.17

Final Time: 1:10.39 Time from Gate: 1:12.22

Split Times: (22:42) (12:08) (13:22)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Mor Joe's Spirit, Chestnut Gelding, by Mor Spirit out of Knotty Pine (GB), by =Pivotal (GB). Foaled Feb 23, 2023 in ON.

Breeder: Spring Farm

Owner: Durigon, Paul and Durigon, Mark

Trainer: Wright, Jr., Michael

Total WPS Pool: \$136,095

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Mor Joe's Spirit	8.90	4.30	3.30	\$0.20 Pick 3	2/4/5-3-7 (3 correct)	5.40	21,702
1	Auntie's Bambino		3.70	2.60	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-7	20.00	10,969
3	Starship Salute			3.20	\$1.00 Exacta	7-1	17.40	80,847
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	1-3	2.75	674
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	1-7	5.15	0
					\$1.00 Omni/Swinger	3-7	5.30	0
					\$0.20 Superfecta	7-1-3-4	49.13	31,346
					\$0.20 Trifecta	7-1-3	12.86	49,405

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
7	Mor Joe's Spirit	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	1 ²	1 ²
1	Auntie's Bambino	5	6 ^{4 3/4}	5 ⁵	3 ⁴	2 ²
3	Starship Salute	4	3 ²	3 ²	2 ²	3 ^{3 3/4}
4	Cyclone Taylor	7	7 ^{5 3/4}	6 ^{5 1/4}	6 ^{8 1/4}	4 ^{6 3/4}
5	Aterya	3	4 ²	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ⁸	5 ^{9 1/4}
6	Copa de Plata	2	5 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{10 3/4}	6 ^{14 3/4}
2	Fightin to Survive	6	2 ^{1/2}	2 ²	5 ⁸	7 ^{19 1/4}

Trainers: 7 - Wright, Jr., Michael; 1 - Capi, Louis; 3 - De Paulo, Michael; 4 - Attard, Kevin; 5 - Ceccato, Sharon; 6 - Casse, Mark; 2 - White, Carlington

Owners: 7 - Durigon, Paul and Durigon, Mark; 1 -Vern Vandenberg; 3 - Russell, John E. and Russell, Diana L.; 4 - Canuck Racing Club and Anderson Farms Ontario Inc.; 5 -Sharon Ceccato; 6 - M Racing Group LLC; 2 - Ignite De Nite Racing;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MOR JOE'S SPIRIT got away alertly, set the pace from just off the rail, shook clear of a brief challenger at the half, held sway under steady handling. AUNTIE'S BAMBINO settled toward the rear inside saving ground on the turn, advanced into upper stretch, came out nearing the sixteenth pole and was gaining but too little too late. STARSHIP SALUTE was forced out at the start but forwardly-placed tracking inside in behind the eventual winner, ran on evenly. CYCLONE TAYLOR got away slowly and in tight, settled at the back, advanced inside a foe but off the rail on the turn, had to alter course veering out seven wide at the quarter pole to avoid contacting a rival in front, ran on in the lane. ATERYA pursued from outside three wide up the backstretch, was forced out and steadied at the quarter pole, faded in the stretch. COPA DE PLATA settled at the back outside, was forced out by a veering foe past the quarter pole ending up ten wide coming to the top of the stretch, failed to rally. FIGHTIN TO SURVIVE broke out and steadied at the start, switched out and was encouraged forward between foes, briefly pressed at the half then chased from outside a rival, came out a bit near the quarter pole, faded in the stretch. FOLLOWING A STEWARDS' INQUIRY AS WELL AS AN OBJECTION BY THE RIDER OF ATERYA AGAINST STARSHIP SALUTE ALLEGING INTERFERENCE NO ACTION WAS TAKEN.