NINTH RACE

Churchill

MAY 17, 2026

5½ FURLONGS. (Turf) (1.00[4]) ALLOWANCE. Purse $127,000 (includes $4,225 KTDF – Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race On The Turf Since March 17 Allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For $35,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at Five and a Half Furlongs.).

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Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	⅜	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
19Apr26 [8]Kee[7]	Schwarzenegger	L	3	118	7	2	1[1]	1[1½]	1[2]	1[2¼]	Geroux F	0.75
15Apr26 [4]Kee[1]	Rose Ruler	L b	4	125	10	8	5[1½]	5[2]	4[1½]	2[hd]	Sheehy D	10.70
17Apr26 [8]Kee[3]	Double Talker	L b	3	118	6	1	2[hd]	2[hd]	2[1]	3[hd]	Corrales G	11.16
17Apr26 [5]Kee[3]	Military Cruiser	L b	5	123	12	6	4[hd]	3[1]	3[hd]	4[¾]	Ortiz I Jr	6.27
29Jan26 [6]FG[7]	Mega Magic	L b	4	123	11	11	11[hd]	11[2½]	9[hd]	5[½]	Concepcion A	39.94
25Mar26 [10]TP[1]	Ancient History	L	4	118	3	12	9[1½]	9[1½]	8[1]	6[hd]	Pauly S[5]	18.24
15Apr26 [6]Kee[1]	Taterpie	L	3	120	9	7	10[1]	10[1]	10[hd]	7[¾]	Gaffalione T	31.18
19Jan26 [8]FG[1]	Magic Brew	L b	3	118	5	5	8[hd]	8[hd]	7[½]	8[½]	Ortiz J L	9.54
12Apr26 [2]Kee[3]	Long Pour	L	4	123	1	9	6[1]	6[1½]	6[hd]	9[½]	Carrasco V R	53.36
15Mar25 [3]GP[1]	Absolutely Hot	L	4	123	4	3	3[hd]	4[1]	5[1½]	10[1]	Garcia M	15.84
17Apr26 [8]Kee[4]	Frontier Justice	L f	3	118	8	4	7[1]	7[hd]	11[17]	11[3] 11[¼]	Moncada I	64.55
11Apr26 [3]OP[5]	Poppa Echo	L b	4	123	2	10	12	12	12	12	Esquivel E	22.78

OFF AT 4:55 Start Good For All But ANCIENT HISTORY. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME : 22[1], :44[4], :56[2], 1:02[1] (:22.39, :44.90, :56.42, 1:02.37)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

7 – SCHWARZENEGGER	3.50	2.68	2.42
10 – ROSE RULER		6.78	5.12
6 – DOUBLE TALKER			4.54

$2 EXACTA 7–10 PAID $21.14 50 CENT TRIFECTA 7–10–6 PAID $34.28 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 7–10–6–12 PAID $42.15 $1 SUPER HIGH FIVE 7–10–6–12–11 PAID $3,545.01

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$3 Pick Three (9–10–7) Paid $37.44 ; Pick Three Pool $201,268 .

50 CENT Pick Four (8–9–10–7) Paid $52.43 ; Pick Four Pool $266,343 .

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