**FIFTH RACE**

# Churchill

**SEPTEMBER 19, 2026**

**6½ FURLONGS. ( 1.14¹ ) MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT. Purse $120,000 ( includes $47,200 KTDF – Kentucky TB Devt Fund ) FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than $50,000).**

**Value of Race: $118,908 Winner $69,088; second $24,000; third $12,000; fourth $6,000; fifth $3,600; sixth $1,408; seventh $1,408; eighth $1,404.**
**Mutuel Pool $221,642.00 Exacta Pool $115,337.00 Trifecta Pool $58,128.00 Superfecta Pool $34,382.00**

| Last Raced | Horse | M/Eqt. | A. | Wt | PP | St | ¼ | ½ | Str | Fin | Jockey | Odds $1 |
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| | Just for Pipa | | 2 | 119 | 8 | 2 | 4¹ | 3¹½ | 1hd | 1¹¼ | Morales E | 19.07 |
| | Better Quality | | 2 | 119 | 1 | 9 | 8⁴⁰ | 8⁶⁰ | 4½ | 2²¼ | Graham J | 12.86 |
| | Ever Royal | b | 2 | 119 | 9 | 3 | 3½ | 2² | 2¹½ | 3³½ | Arrieta F | 7.62 |
| | Bermuda | b | 2 | 119 | 7 | 7 | 6¹½ | 5² | 5¹ | 4³ | Machado L | 0.86 |
| | Violent Reserve | | 2 | 119 | 4 | 4 | 5½ | 6½ | 7¹½ | 5½ | Esquivel E | 12.52 |
| | Tchaikovsky | | 2 | 119 | 5 | 5 | 2hd | 4½ | 6hd | 6¾ | Hernandez B J Jr | 9.51 |
| | Dark Sky | | 2 | 119 | 6 | 6 | 7²½ | 7¹½ | 8 | 7⁵ | Bejarano R | 22.20 |
| | Union Star | | 2 | 119 | 3 | 1 | 1½ | 1½ | 3² | 8 | Concepcion A | 3.81 |
| | Armando | | 2 | 119 | 2 | 8 | 9 | 9 | — | — | Meza J | 51.50 |

**OFF AT 8:29 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.**

**TIME :22³, :45³, 1:11², 1:18² ( :22.61, :45.76, 1:11.52, 1:18.44 )**

## $2 Mutuel Prices:

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| **9 – JUST FOR PIPA** | **40.14** | **17.90** | **10.62** |
| **2 – BETTER QUALITY** | | **11.08** | **6.30** |
| **10 – EVER ROYAL** | | | **6.12** |

**$2 EXACTA 9–2 PAID $315.70 50 CENT TRIFECTA 9–2–10 PAID $681.04 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 9–2–10–8 PAID $562.32**

**B. c, (Mar), by Justify – Arya's lightnbolt, by Bolt d'Oro. Trainer Foley Gregory D. Bred by Saints or Sinners (Ky).**

JUST FOR PIPA stalked the pace, raced three wide through the far turn and finished well to edge up under all out pressure. BETTER QUALITY raced three wide through the far turn, seven wide into the upper stretch and finished well to get up for the place position. EVER ROYAL prompt the early pace from the outside of rivals and kept on willingly to the wire. BERMUDA was allowed to settle early, raced three to four wide through the far turn and needed more. VIOLENT RESERVE dropped back to raced mid pack, saved ground through the far turn, shifted out five wide and raced with no late rally. TCHAIKOVSKY forwardly place along the inside early and faded in the drive. DARK SKY unhurried early, raced two wide through the far turn, tipped out five wide into the lane and never threatened. UNION STAR sent along early to set the pace and gave way. ARMANDO lag early, eased through the stretch and walked off the tracked under his own power.

**Owners–** 1, Saints or Sinners; 2, Lebherz Racing LLC Klein Alan P and Brown Rusty; 3, Maxis Stable Foster Family Racing Hausmann Zach Bartlett Tim and Bartlett David; 4, WinStar Farm LLC CHC Inc and First Go Racing LLC; 5, Holleman John; 6, Arindel; 7, Triton Thoroughbreds LLC; 8, Durant Tom R; 9, LS Racing Stable LLC

**Trainers–** 1, Foley Gregory D; 2, Desormeaux J Keith; 3, Foster Eric; 4, Cox Brad H; 5, McPeek Kenneth G; 6, Walsh Brendan P; 7, Moquett Ronald E; 8, Sharp Joe; 9, Seglin Luis E

**Scratched–** Colortime

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**$1 Daily Double (8–9) Paid $53.17; Daily Double Pool $21,563.**
**50 CENT Pick Three (10–8–9) Paid $162.64; Pick Three Pool $41,777.**
**50 CENT Pick Five (1–ALL–4/10–8–9) 4 Correct Paid $984.65; Pick Five Pool $313,770.**