THIRD RACE

Fair Grounds

MARCH 15, 2026

1 MILE. (Turf) (1.34[2]) MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT . Purse $54,000 (includes $8,000 LTBA – Louisiana TB Breeders Association) FOR ACCREDITED LA BRED MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 117 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. (Preference To Horses With The Most Starts At The 2025–2026 Fair Grounds Meet Which Have Not Started For Less Than $25,000 In Their Last 3 Starts). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at One Mile and 70 Yards.) (Rail at 28 feet).

Value of Race: $54,000 Winner $32,400; second $10,800; third $5,940; fourth $3,240; fifth $1,620. Mutuel Pool $167,877.00 Exacta Pool $140,663.00 Superfecta Pool $51,697.00 Trifecta Pool $72,846.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
22Feb26 1FG[2]	Victory Prince	L b	4	125	4	3	4[hd]	3[hd]	3[hd]	4[3]	1¾	Ortiz J L	0.60
22Feb26 1FG[6]	Metairie	L	4	125	10	6	6½	7[1]	5[1]	1[2]	2[2]	Vives S	13.20
17Feb26 1FG[3]	Seize the Win	L b	3	117	6	8	5½	4[hd]	4[hd]	2[hd]	3[2]½	Graham J	49.30
22Feb26 1FG[3]	Ayden's Edge	L	4	125	7	1	2[1]	2[1]½	2[1]	3½	4[nk]	Hernandez C J	13.10
22Feb26 1FG[4]	Clearly Artemus	L b	3	117	5	9	9½	9[5]	9[5]	5½	5[1]	Loveberry J	8.30
17Feb26 9FG[8]	Von Erich	L b	3	117	8	10	10	8[hd]	8[hd]	6½	6[4]	McMahon C	9.10
22Feb26 1FG[5]	Lil Central	L b	3	117	2	5	7½	6[1]	6[hd]	7[1]	7[nk]	Pedroza M Jr	9.60
17Feb26 1FG[2]	Musical Band	L bf	4	125	3	2	3½	5[1]	7[1]	8[3]	8[17]½	Nieves E	6.60
5Dec25 3DeD[7]	Nippit	L	3	112	1	4	8[1]	10	10	10	9[15]½	Rea H[5]	103.20
13Feb26 1FG[2]	Code of Parapluie	L bf	3	117	9	7	1[1]	1[1]	1[hd]	9[3]	10	Concepcion A	64.80

OFF AT 1:52 Start Good For All But VON ERICH. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME : 23[4], :48, 1:13[3], 1:25[4], 1:38[1] (:23.91, :48.05, 1:13.78, 1:25.84, 1:38.34)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

4 – VICTORY PRINCE	**3.20**	**2.20**	**2.20**
10 – METAIRIE		**7.00**	**4.60**
6 – SEIZE THE WIN			**12.20**

$1 EXACTA 4–10 PAID $17.40 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 4–10–6–7

PAID $312.82 50 CENT TRIFECTA 4–10–6 PAID $170.80

Gr/ro. g, (Feb), by Cairo Prince – Mischievous Belle , by Into Mischief. Trainer Gelner Scott. Bred by Curt Leake (La).

VICTORY PRINCE tracked the early pace between foes, repositioned to be close up behind the leaders in the far turn, shifted out four wide at the top of the stretch and sustained a rally to be up in time. METAIRIE brushed inner foe at the start, settled off the pace six wide, loomed through the far turn to take charge at the top of the stretch, changed lanes towards the inside but got caught late. SEIZE THE WIN was rated four to five wide, cued in the far turn and looked to split foes at the quarter but couldn't get through, chased on down the stretch. AYDEN'S EDGE broke alertly, surrendered the early lead before the first turn and opted to stalk the pace, moved up to contest the lead in the far turn, flattened out in the stretch. CLEARLY ARTEMUS settled off the pace, lost some ground in the first turn, settled in the two path up the backstretch, navigated traffic in the upper stretch to make improvements. VON ERICH was off slowly, trailed four wide through the first turn, took to the far outside entering the stretch, brushed lightly with LIL CENTRAL at the three sixteenths, passed tiring foes. LIL CENTRAL settled off the pace, moved up between foes in the far turn, brushed with VON ERICH at the three sixteenths, had no more to give in the stretch. MUSICAL BAND chased the early pace, backed off through the far turn, failed to respond to any encouragement in the stretch. NIPPIT settled off the pace, got in tight entering the first turn and took a slight hold, trailed until passing retreating foe in the stretch. CODE OF PARAPLUIE brushed outer foe at the start, rushed to the lead before the first turn, continued up the backstretch until coming under pressure through the far turn, faded fast down the stretch.

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Trainers– 1, Gelner Scott; 2, Cuccia L Jay; 3, West Patricia G; 4, Cangemi Daniel R; 5, Wilson Shane; 6, Calhoun William Bret; 7, David Sam B Jr; 8, Wilson Shane; 9, Rogers Andy; 10, West Patricia G

50 CENT Pick Three (5–1–4) Paid $24.45 ; Pick Three Pool $22,267 .

$1 Daily Double (1–4) Paid $13.30 ; Daily Double Pool $8,397 .