FIRST RACE

Fair Grounds

MARCH 21, 2026

1 1/16 MILES. (Turf) MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT . Purse $75,000 (includes $4,000 Other Sources) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD WEIGHT, 120 LBS.(PREFERENCE TO HORSES THAT HAVE NOT STARTED FOR LESS THAN $50,000 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 One Sixteenth.). (Clear. 75.)

Value of Race: $75,000 Winner $45,000; second $15,000; third $8,250; fourth $4,500; fifth $2,250. Mutuel Pool $194,748.00 Exacta Pool $166,396.00 Superfecta Pool $47,519.00 Trifecta Pool $79,097.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
14Feb26 7FG8	Classic Tap	L	3	120	3	1	1hd	11	11	1hd	1nk	Loveberry J	20.70
17Feb26 4FG3	Swerve	L	3	120	4	3	3hd	3hd	41	21	2 2¼	Hernandez C J	34.10
19Jan26 6FG2	Prepped	L b	3	120	5	6	5hd	6 1½	7hd	51	3nk	Hernandez B J Jr	1.50
5Feb26 8FG4	Royal Causeway	L b	3	120	9	9	9	9	81	7½	4nk	Gaffalione T	2.90
17Feb26 4FG4	Taterpie	L b	3	120	8	8	4 1½	41	3½	41	5½	Saez L	11.20
17Feb26 4FG2	Road Trippin	L	3	120	1	2	6hd	71	5hd	61	6hd	Concepcion A	10.30
14Feb26 2FG9	Tranquillo	L	3	120	7	4	21	2½	2hd	3hd	7 1¾	Castillo I	28.00
17Feb26 4FG6	Mount Vernon	L b	3	120	2	5	81	81	9	82	8 5¼	Ortiz J L	4.40
6Mar26 4FG2	Fast Connection	L	3	120	6	7	71	5hd	6 1½	9	9	Pedroza M Jr	9.20

OFF AT 12:02 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME : 22⁴, :48⁴, 1:14, 1:37¹, 1:43² (:22.97, :48.88, 1:14.02, 1:37.30, 1:43.42)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 – CLASSIC TAP	**43.40**	**20.20**	**10.00**
4 – SWERVE		**28.20**	**11.60**
5 – PREPPED			**2.80**

$1 EXACTA 3–4 PAID $436.50 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–4–5–9 PAID $574.51 50 CENT TRIFECTA 3–4–5 PAID $742.55

B. c, (Apr), by Classic Empire – Tapit Baby Tapit, by Tapit. Trainer Beckman D Whitworth. Bred by Calumet Farm (Ky).

CLASSIC TAP assumed early command, set a modest pace to the far turn, met bid of SWERVE at mid-stretch, dug in late, held well to the wire. SWERVE settled inside, well placed into the far turn, tipped out and bid between rivals at the furlong marker, battled to the final sixteenth, kept at bay late, clear second. PREPPED settled in the two path to the backstretch, asked for run at the quarter pole, dove inside at mid-stretch, gaining late, held for third. ROYAL CAUSEWAY unhurried to the half, swung widest at upper stretch, came on late, missed third. TATERPIE forwardly placed early, tracked three wide to the half-mile, chased four wide upper stretch, flattened out. ROAD TRIPPIN settled to the backstretch run, angled four to five wide upper stretch, no late rally. TRANQUILLO close up to the early pace, stalked to the half-mile, chased three wide upper stretch, weakened. MOUNT VERNON bit rank early, settled to the backstretch run, trailed into the far turn then was caught in traffic to upper stretch, needed more late and finished evenly. FAST CONNECTION settled three wide to the first turn, coaxed four wide along the backstretch run, outkicked upper stretch, tired in the drive.

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Trainers– 1, Beckman D Whitworth; 2, Desormeaux J Keith; 3, DeVaux Cherie; 4, Stewart Dallas; 5, Foley Gregory D; 6, Calhoun William Bret; 7, Beckman D Whitworth; 8, DeVaux Cherie; 9, Foster Joseph M