SEVENTH RACE

Keeneland

APRIL 11, 2026

1 MILE. (Turf) (1.32[4]) ALLOWANCE . Purse $120,000 (includes $39,600 KTDF – Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since March 11 Allowed 3 lbs. Such A Race Since February 11 Allowed 5 lbs. (Races Where Entered For $35,000 Or Less Not Considered In Allowances). In the event that this race is taken off the turf it will be contested at One Mile on the main track.

Value of Race: $120,000 Winner $71,610; second $23,100; third $11,550; fourth $5,775; fifth $3,465; sixth $1,500; seventh $1,500; eighth $1,500.
Mutuel Pool $621,014.00 Exacta Pool $354,369.00 Superfecta Pool $83,095.00 Trifecta Pool $207,394.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
28Feb26 [1]GP[8]	Noble Confessor	L b	4	118	6	4	3[1]	2[1]	2[1]	2 2½	1hd	Gaffalione T	1.82
7Mar26 [8]TP[3]	Cinister Cix	L bf	4	118	1	1	1 4½	1 4½	1 2½	1[2]	2hd	Saez L	17.63
13Mar26 [5]GP[1]	Love'm Or Liam	L b	4	118	2	3	7[1]	8	7 1½	4hd	3[3]	Alvarado J	4.37
6Mar26 [5]Tam[1]	Arkhipov	L b	4	120	5	6	6½	5[1]	5[1]	6½	4hd	Prat F	2.02
24Jan25 [5]TP[4]	Master of Light	L	4	118	4	5	4½	6½	6hd	5[1]	5 1¼	Beschizza A	31.97
1Jan26 [7]TP[11]	Rocky Joy	L	6	118	8	7	5½	3hd	3[2]	3[1]	6 7¼	Machado L	9.94
12Feb26 [9]TP[7]	Apophis	L f	5	118	7	8	8	7[1]	8	8	7½	Kimura K	50.36
1Jun25 [6]CD[9]	Sicilian Defense	L b	5	118	3	2	2[1]	4[1]	4hd	7 3½	8	Ortiz I Jr	7.02

OFF AT 4:13 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :23, :47[1], 1:11[3], 1:23[2], 1:35[2] (:23.12, :47.33, 1:11.79, 1:23.48, 1:35.52)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

7 – NOBLE CONFESSOR	**5.64**	**4.20**	**3.00**
1 – CINISTER CIX		**12.00**	**5.98**
2 – LOVE'M OR LIAM			**3.60**

$1 EXACTA 7–1 PAID $35.60 50 CENT SUPERFECTA 7–1–2–6
PAID $243.82 50 CENT TRIFECTA 7–1–2 PAID $105.11

B. c, (Jan), by Quality Road – Sweeter Than Wine , by Noble Mission–GB . Trainer Pletcher Todd A. Bred by St Elias Stables LLC (Ky).

NOBLE CONFESSOR stalked from the three two path, sustained gradual progress on the clear leader in the final furlong, bid in the final sixteenth and prevailed as an outer bidder joined the fray at the wire. CINISTER CIX ran off to set a clear pace, held sway through midstretch but got collared by an outer bidder in the final sixteenth, then got nailed at the wire and saved place. LOVE'M OR LIAM settled along the inside, took the far turn in the three path, shifted out to the six path in upper stretch, rallied to bid outside of the top pair reaching the wire but missed. ARKHIPOV laid off of the pace two wide and between horses, chased in the three path into the lane, tipped four wide in midstretch, stayed on mildly and prevailed for fourth. MASTER OF LIGHT pursued from midpack along the inside, split foes two wide in upper stretch, ran on to bid for fourth at the sixteenth pole but got outfinished. ROCKY JOY tracked four wide, then in the three path around the far turn and faded. APOPHIS broke a beat slow, raced at the rear in the three path while getting keen around the first turn, chased four wide around the far turn, floated five wide into the lane and tired. SICILIAN DEFENSE stalked near the inside then faded.

Owners– 1, St Elias Stable; 2, Herrera Bartolome M; 3, Cheyenne Stable LLC; 4, Lawrence William H and Rucker William J; 5, Ware Edward; 6, Brownwood Farm LLC; 7, Chiefswood Stables Limited; 8, Gunther John D and Borders Racing Stable Ltd

Trainers– 1, Pletcher Todd A; 2, Sands Shane; 3, Mott William I; 4, Brown Chad C; 5, Vaughan Edward; 6, Aranha Jose L; 7, Oliver Victoria; 8, DeVaux Cherie

Scratched– Ciro di Marzio (03Jul25 [7]ElP[2])

$1 Pick Three (4–3–7) Paid $343.51 ; Pick Three Pool $130,068 .
50 CENT Pick Four (9–4–3–4/7) Paid $854.12 ; Pick Four Pool $261,410 .
$1 Daily Double (3–7) Paid $30.82 ; Daily Double Pool $139,494 .