FIRST RACE

Keeneland

OCTOBER 21, 2026

6 FURLONGS. (1.07[4]) MAIDEN CLAIMING . Purse $65,000 (includes $21,500 KTDF – Kentucky TB Devt Fund) FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. Claiming Price $75,000. (Clear. 70.)

Value of Race: $65,000 Winner $39,293; second $12,675; third $6,338; fourth $3,169; fifth $1,901; sixth $812; seventh $812. Mutuel Pool $127,500.00 Exacta Pool $81,706.00 Superfecta Pool $22,353.00 Trifecta Pool $46,678.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
5Sep26 [2]KD[8]	Pop and Locke	b	2	119	1	6	4[1]	3[1]	2½	1[hd]	Gaffalione T	75000	1.15
19Jun26 [4]PrM[4]	Midnight Burst		2	119	5	3	1[1]	1[3]	1[3]	2[4¼]	Curtis B	75000	12.72
	Flanker	b	2	119	7	2	2[1]	2[hd]	3[2½]	3½	Corrales G	75000	10.02
9Sep26 [2]KD[5]	Night Knight	b	2	119	6	1	5[4]	5[1½]	5[2]	4[1¼]	Machado L	75000	3.64
	Nickyb		2	119	2	4	3[hd]	4[1½]	4[hd]	5[4¼]	Hernandez B J Jr	75000	2.96
9Sep26 [7]KD[7]	Mandalay		2	119	4	7	6[1]	6[8]	6[8]	6[8]	Concepcion A	75000	21.77
	Ghost Wish		2	119	3	5	7	7	7	7	Espinoza A	75000	18.54

OFF AT 1:02 Start Good For All But MANDALAY. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME : 22[4], :46[3], :58[2], 1:11[1] (:22.88, :46.60, :58.50, 1:11.34)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 – POP AND LOCKE	**4.30**	**2.92**	**2.42**
7 – MIDNIGHT BURST		**8.44**	**4.88**
9 – FLANKER			**5.40**

$1 EXACTA 3–7 PAID $20.19 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–7–9–8 PAID $39.13 50 CENT TRIFECTA 3–7–9 PAID $74.85

B. c, (Mar), by Vekoma – Sum More Bizzness, by Fed Biz. Trainer Walsh Brendan P. Bred by Ernest C Frohboese (Ky).

POP AND LOCKE brushed with an outer at the start, moved out to stalk from the three path into the turn, chased the clearing leader turning for home, ran on to close in on that tiring rival in the final sixteenth and reeled him in at the wire. MIDNIGHT BURST snagged the stall door upon leaving the gate, set the pace along the inside, drew clear of an outer presser passing the five sixteenths pole, maintained a clear margin through midstretch but tired in the final furlong and got nailed at the wire. FLANKER pressed the eventual winner from the three to two path while coming under urging into the turn, failed to sustain pressure and proved no match for the leader passing the five sixteenths pole, got outkicked for place by an outer rival in upper stretch then lasted for show late. NIGHT KNIGHT pursued from midpack four wide then stayed on mildly to miss show. NICKYB brushed with an inner rival at the start, tracked along the inside and lacked a bid. MANDALAY broke slowly then stuttered a step at the start, raced off of the pace in the two path, swung out to the five path entering the lane and failed to factor. GHOST WISH lacked a response to urging and dropped back early on, lagged behind along the inside into the turn and showed little.

Owners– 1, Thrash Ike and Thrash Dawn; 2, Hoese Tim; 3, Anthony Edwin C; 4, Rolling Fields Thoroughbreds; 5, Sycamore Bark Thoroughbreds LLC; 6, Norman Stables LLC; 7, Stockseth Norma Lee and Dunn Todd

Trainers– 1, Walsh Brendan P; 2, Goodwin Nik G; 3, Casse Norm W; 4, Navarrete Anna; 5, Romans Dale; 6, Briley Lonnie; 7, Von Hemel Donnie K

Scratched– Black Jacket Crazy, Magical Mikel (04Oct26 [4]Kee[10])