SECOND RACE

Laurel

JUNE 21, 2026

ABOUT 2⅛ MILES. (Steeplechase) (3.58³) HANDICAP. Purse $40,000 FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH ARE RATED 115 OR LOWER. The highest rated horse will be assigned 158 lbs. with all other weights adjusted accordingly based on the current ratings. Minimum weight 144 lbs., not including apprentice allowances. (Rail at 87 feet).

Value of Race: $40,000 Winner $24,000; second $7,200; third $4,000; fourth $2,800; fifth $2,000. Mutuel Pool $33,943.00 Exacta Pool $38,355.00 Superfecta Pool $9,565.00 Trifecta Pool $19,937.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	½	1	1½	1¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
2May26 ³GrM⁶	Morning March	L	7	155	8	5¹½	4⁴	4½	2½	1⁴½	1¹⁴½	Procter F	29.50
25May26 ⁵Fai⁹	Doctor Love-FR	L f	6	156	1	1²⁰	1²⁵	1¹²	1⁶	2⁶	2⁷	Dwan E	14.90
9May26 ⁴PW⁸	L'Avvocato-FR	L	7	155	3	10	10	9⁸	8⁵	7¹½	3¹	Power J	13.90
9May26 ¹Wil⁵	On the Couch	L	9	158	4	2³	2hd	2⁵	4⁶	4⁵	4¹½	Beswick H	11.90
2May26 ³GrM⁴	Jhirsch	b	5	154	10	7hd	8¹⁰	8⁸	7¹	6²	5nk	Bargary J	3.30
9May26 ³Wil¹	RngrThundrbolt-Ire	L	6	153	9	8²½	5⁵	6²½	3⁵	3²	6½	Scully E⁵	3.20
2May26 ⁶GrM⁷	Pleasant Fantasy	L	4	155	2	4¹	6⁴½	5¹	5³	5²	7¹⁵	Dalton B	11.90
9May26 ¹PW⁵	Going Country-Ire	b	10	158	6	3²	3³	3½	9	9	8⁴⁹¼	Mulqueen S	*3.20
25May26 ⁵Fai⁷	Missionaire	L	6	158	7	6¹½	7hd	7hd	6hd	8⁴½	9	Watters G	5.90
28Mar26 ³Cam³	Outperform	L	7	155	5	9¹½	9²	10	—	—	—	Nevin D	16.20

***–Actual Betting Favorite.**

OFF AT 12:35 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME 3:58³ (3:58.78)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

8 – MORNING MARCH	**61.00**	**25.60**	**19.60**
1 – DOCTOR LOVE–FR		**14.40**	**9.60**
3 – L'AVVOCATO–FR			**11.80**

$1 EXACTA 8–1 PAID $362.60 $1 SUPERFECTA 8–1–3–4

PAID $35,432.10 $1 TRIFECTA 8–1–3 PAID $2,689.20

Dk. b or br. g, (Mar), by Morning Line – Marching On, by Majestic Warrior. Trainer Neilson Katherine S. Bred by Alexander Gordon Watson (Pa).

MORNING MARCH, headstrong early on, relaxed inside for the backstretch run then made some progress entering the stretch for the first time, worked outward near the seventh, gained outside rivals then picked up the chase with three furlongs remaining, rolled past DOCTOR LOVE (FR) entering the stretch and drew out under a strong left handed drive. DOCTOR LOVE (FR) opened up a huge lead through the opening half mile, remained well in front to the five eighths, saw his lead evaporate leaving the three eighths, ceded to the winner into the lane but kept on with effort to be well clear of the rest. L'AVVOCATO (FR) lagged far back, angled out with about a quarter mile remaining and finished with good energy to earn the show. ON THE COUCH chased the pace, continued willingly past midstretch then faded. JHIRSCH failed to menace while inside through the drive. RANGER THUNDERBOLT (IRE), wide early, bobbled at the fifth, moved up between runners near the seventh, chased to the inside of the winner heading to the far turn then flattened out. PLEASANT FANTASY was not a factor. GOING COUNTRY (IRE) chased and faltered. MISSIONAIRE, outrun, was eased late. OUTPERFORM, rank early, lagged back then was eased when distanced leaving the last. THIS RACE WAS HAND TIMED

Owners– 1, Morning March Partners; 2, Willis Molly Willis Paul and Smith Devon; 3, Hard Game LLC; 4, Keystone Thoroughbreds; 5, Riverdee Stable; 6, Naylor Irvin S; 7, St Rita Racing; 8, Madaket Stables LLC Rand K Racing LLC and The International Venture; 9, Ballybristol Farm LLC; 10, Davies Joseph G

Trainers– 1, Neilson Katherine S; 2, Garner Thomas; 3, Neilson Katherine S; 4, McKenna Todd; 5, George Laird; 6, Murphy Cyril; 7, Dalton Kate; 8, Brion Keri; 9, Morris Neil R; 10, Davies Joseph G

Scratched– Starforce (16May26 ³Mal³), Tuddenham Green (GB) (25May26 ⁷Fai¹), Whiskeyinthejaro (25May26 ⁸Fai¹), Claramente (16May26 ³Mal⁵), Vintage Year (09May26 ¹PW ¹⁰)

$1 Daily Double (2–8) Paid $114.10; Daily Double Pool $9,061.