EIGHTH RACE
Monmouth
AUGUST 16, 2026

ABOUT 5½ FURLONGS. (Turf) (1.00[3]) MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT . Purse $50,000 (includes $10,000 NJB – New Jersey Bred Enhancement) FOR REGISTERED NEW JERSEY BREDS MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. (Rail at 12 feet).

Value of Race: $49,500 Winner $30,000; second $10,000; third $5,000; fourth $2,500; fifth $500; sixth $500; seventh $500; eighth $500. Mutuel Pool $160,702.00 Exacta Pool $105,042.00 Trifecta Pool $64,154.00 Superfecta Pool $38,488.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	⅜	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
1Aug26 7Mth2	Life Raft	L b	3	122	8	3	2[1]	1[2]	1[2]	1[no]	Rivera D A	2.40
19Jly26 4Mth3	Aria D	L	3	122	1	2	4[2]	2[hd]	2[3]	2[3¼]	Ferrer J C	2.60
26Jun26 5Mth2	Count My Blessings	L f	3	122	6	4	3[hd]	3[1]	3[2]	3½	Sutherland C	4.40
9Aug26 8Mth2	Gypsy Style	L bf	5	125	2	8	8	7[hd]	6[2½]	4[1¼]	Rivera K	20.00
5Jly26 8Mnr3	Have a Happy	L b	4	125	4	6	6[1]	5[hd]	4½	5[3½]	Rojas C E	33.70
16May26 6Mth8	My Alena Marie	L b	3	122	5	5	5[hd]	6[2]	7[1]	6½	Marquez C	5.50
19Jly26 4Mth2	Luciana	L b	3	122	3	1	1½	4[1]	5[hd]	7½	Gomez J A	4.10
12Nov25 6Aqu11	One Bad Habit	b	3	122	7	7	7[1]	8	8	8	Rivera L R Jr	32.10

OFF AT 4:26 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.
TIME 1:05[2] (1:05.57)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

9 – LIFE RAFT	**6.80**	**3.80**	**2.60**
1 – ARIA D		**4.00**	**3.00**
7 – COUNT MY BLESSINGS			**3.20**

$1 EXACTA 9–1 PAID $12.90 50 CENT TRIFECTA 9–1–7 PAID $20.65 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 9–1–7–2 PAID $14.95

B. f, (May), by Maximum Security – Swimming–Ire , by Holy Roman Emperor–Ire . Trainer Bertone Joann. Bred by Isabelle de Tomaso (NJ).

LIFE RAFT vied outside for the lead, took over on the turn, drew clear, responded when roused, dug in gamely in the final furlong and narrowly held on at the wire. ARIA D tracked on the inside, chased between rivals on the turn, rallied three wide into the stretch, commenced a late bid in deep stretch outside of LIFE RAFT and just missed. COUNT MY BLESSINGS stalked two wide early on, chased three wide on the turn, finished evenly and held for third. GYPSY STYLE raced off the pace, saved ground on the turn and rallied mildly inside in the final furlong. HAVE A HAPPY steadied at the half mile marker, raced off the pace, between rivals at the quarter pole, angled out and had no rally. MY ALENA MARIE steadied at the half mile marker, raced off the pace, went three wide past the quarter pole and failed to threaten. LUCIANA vied inside for the lead, dropped back on the turn and tired. ONE BAD HABIT raced off the rail, off the pace and did not factor.

Owners– 1, Bertone Joann; 2, Drazin Dennis A; 3, Starting Line Stable; 4, Prima Ventures LLC; 5, Next Level Stables; 6, F R I Farm LLC; 7, ABL Stable; 8, Irace Joseph and Noll Alfred

Trainers– 1, Bertone Joann; 2, McBurney Patrick B; 3, Harris Holly; 4, Marquez Cesareo; 5, Gotera Juan C; 6, Dini Mike; 7, McBurney Patrick B; 8, Keithan Rachael

Scratched– Rosie's Sugarplum (13Sep25 5Mth4)

$5 Daily Double (7–9) Paid $471.00 ; Daily Double Pool $16,850 .
$3 Pick Three (5–7–9) Paid $537.30 ; Pick Three Pool $17,692 .
50 CENT Pick Four (3–5/6–7–3/9) Paid $378.50 ; Pick Four Pool $22,711 .
50 CENT Pick Five (3–3–5/6–7–3/9) 5 Correct Paid $4,591.20 ; Pick Five Pool $23,982 .
20 CENT Pick 6 Jackpot (5–3–3–5/6–7–3/9) 6 Correct Paid $955.26 ; Pick 6 Jackpot Pool $7,960 Carryover Pool $25,424.

Monmouth Park Attendance: 6,487 Mutuel Pool: $269,065.00 Attendance: Unavailable Mutuel Pool: $1,907,171.00