SIXTH RACE
Santa Anita
APRIL 18, 2026

5½ FURLONGS. (1.01³) MAIDEN CLAIMING . Purse $16,000 (plus$3,680 Other Sources) FOR CALIFORNIA BRED OR CALIFORNIA SIRED MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE, FOUR, AND FIVE YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Claiming Price $12,500.

Value of Race: $19,680 Winner $9,600; second $3,200; third $1,920; fourth $960; fifth $500; sixth $500; seventh $500; eighth $500; ninth $500; tenth $500; eleventh $500; twelfth $500. Mutuel Pool $229,641.00 Exacta Pool $135,778.00 Trifecta Pool $82,908.00 Superfecta Pool $72,149.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	⅜	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
	Lovely Medaglia	L f	4	126	3	5	2hd	21	22	1½	Frey K	12500	19.60
20Mar26 8SA5	Play for Me	L f	4	126	11	1	4½	4½	3hd	2¾	Pereira T J	12500	8.50
20Mar26 8SA3	Bitter Truth	L b	4	126	12	6	62	5½	41	32	Jaramillo E	12500	2.30
15Mar26 8SA2	Twisted Humor	L b	3	120	1	7	1½	11	1hd	43¾	Maldonado E	12500	1.40
8Mar26 1SA6	Vronaway	L f	4	126	10	4	32½	32	53	52¼	Garcia E	12500	8.70
13Mar26 5SA5	Julia Street	L bf	3	120	7	12	114	116	104	6no	Espinoza V	12500	13.90
30Jan26 1SA5	Duchess Cat	L bf	3	120	9	10	8hd	7hd	62	7¼	Belmont C	12500	63.70
28Mar26 2LA5	Palace Mischief	L b	5	126	5	9	106	92	91	8¼	Orduna-Rojas F	12500	87.60
28Mar26 4SA5	Despite	L b	4	121	6	2	5hd	6½	71	9½	Bautista A L5	12500	56.20
	Kambree's Flyer	L b	3	120	4	8	7hd	83	8hd	10¾	Baze T C	12500	12.80
23Jan25 3TuP4	Spicy Rosso	b	4	126	8	3	91	103	115	11½	Lezcano A	12500	55.00
	Bernie's Big Baby	L bf	3	122	2	11	12	12	12	12	Herrera C	12500	75.20

OFF AT 3:47 Start Good. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :22², :46³, :59, 1:05⁴ (:22.47, :46.64, :59.11, 1:05.81)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

3 – LOVELY MEDAGLIA	**41.20**	**14.20**	**9.40**
11 – PLAY FOR ME		**8.40**	**4.60**
12 – BITTER TRUTH			**3.00**

$1 EXACTA 3–11 PAID $165.50 $1 TRIFECTA 3–11–12 PAID $498.60 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 3–11–12–1 PAID $119.26

Ch. f, (Mar), by Gato Del Oro – Lovely Instinct , by Henny Hughes . Trainer Palma Hector O. Bred by B G Stables (Cal).

LOVELY MEDAGLIA vied between rivals up the backstretch, chased after TWISTED HUMOR in the two path around the bend, re-bid from outside turning for home, took over midstretch and held over the runner-up. PLAY FOR ME chased out of range of the top trio three wide into the turn, cut to the two path late on the bend, rallied inside the leaders in the furlong grounds but could not get by the winner. BITTER TRUTH traveled in mid-pack off the inside, went four wide around the bend, got bumped and floated out into the lane, finished well and gained the show honors. TWISTED HUMOR vied for the lead inside a pair of rivals, cleared at the seven-sixteenths pole, challenged by LOVELY MEDAGLIA coming into the stretch, relinquished the lead midstretch and weakened in the last sixteenth. VRONAWAY vied outside a pair of rivals up the backstretch, chased three wide around the bend, drifted out and bumped BITTER TRUTH entering the lane and weakened. JULIA STREET lacked early speed, had one beat while traveling three wide into the turn, angled down to the rail around the bend while passing another runners, split foes at the eighth pole and improved position. DUCHESS CAT chased from off the pace, navigated the turn three then four wide and failed to rally. PALACE MISCHIEF coaxed along from off the pace in the early going, traveled on the inside then two wide around the turn and failed to menace. DESPITE showed early speed three deep between rivals then got crowded and dropped back to chase, rounded the bend two then three wide and weakened down the lane. KAMBREE'S FLYER coaxed along the inside from off the pace, hugged the rail to the stretch and could not threaten. SPICY ROSSO raced up close then climbed early and dropped back, went two wide around the bend and had little left for the drive. BERNIE'S BIG BABY got crowded leaving the gate, climbed in the early going and dropped back, trailed on the inside and was never a factor. THE TRAINER VRONAWAY LODGED A CLAIM OF FOUL AGAINST BITTER TRUTH FOR ALLEGED INTERFERENCE COMING INTO THE STRETCH. THE STEWARDS RULED THAT THE CONTACT BETWEEN THE TWO RIVALS DID NOT WARRANT A DISQUALIFICATION AND THE OBJECTION WAS DISALLOWED.

Owners– 1, B G Stables; 2, Newfield Farm and Knapp Steve R; 3, Legacy Ranch Inc; 4, Bonde Brooks Mayo Tom and Robinson Jacquetta; 5, Rollercoaster Racing Stable LLC; 6, Zolotas Steven and Romo-Zolotas Sabina; 7, Flores Francisco and Guillen Favio; 8, Paradox Stable; 9, Barclay Rozamund; 10, Jensen Daniel M; 11, Smolich Andrew J Smolich Jim Smolich Rob and Wood Chris; 12, Orsi Bernardo and Schmitt George F

Trainers– 1, Palma Hector O; 2, Knapp Steve; 3, Lewis Craig A; 4, Bonde Jeff; 5, Baker D Wayne; 6, Knapp Steve; 7, Williams Arturo J; 8, Bautista Jorge; 9, Haley Gloria; 10, Jensen Daniel M; 11, Thomas Jamey; 12, Stortz Marcia

Twisted Humor was claimed by Uranga Jesus J; trainer, Uranga Jesus J.

Scratched– Tina's Princess (11Apr26 3LA 8)

$2 Daily Double (8–3) Paid $165.00 ; Daily Double Pool $20,480 .
$1 Pick Three (6–8–3) Paid $314.50 ; Pick Three Pool $21,065 .