NINTH RACE

Woodbine

SEPTEMBER 20, 2026

1 MILE. (Inner Turf) (1.34[2]) ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING . Purse $128,200 (includes $17,100 Other Sources) INNER TURF FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON $9,000 TWICE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR RESTRICTED ALLOWANCE OR TWO YEAR OLD AND THREE YEAR OLD RESTRICTED STATE BRED/STATE SIRED SWEEPSTAKES OR SALES SWEEPSTAKES OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE SINCE MARCH 20, 2025 OR CLAIMING PRICE $50,000. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non–winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 20 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price $50,000, if for $47,500, allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For $40,000 Or Less Not Considered For Allowances). (Rail at 12 feet).

Value of Race: $120,173 (US $85,931) Winner $76,920 (US $55,003) ; second $25,640 (US $18,334) ; third $9,405 (US $6,725) ; fourth $5,130 (US $3,668) ; fifth $3,078 (US $2,201). Mutuel Pool $91,437.00 Exacta Pool $40,604.00 Superfecta Pool $15,775.00 Trifecta Pool $21,446.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Cl'g Pr	Odds $1
15Aug26 [1]WO[1]	Ciunas	L	4	125	5	5	5	5	5	4[1]	1[2]	Moran P		1.75
30Aug26 [10]WO[6]	Kekoa	L b	4	123	2	4	4[1]	4[2]	3[1]	1[hd]	2[nk]	Aebly F		2.25
20Aug25 [7]Cnl[3]	Eyes On the King	L	6	123	3	1	1½	1[1]	2[hd]	2[hd]	3[hd]	Hernandez R M		7.15
9Aug26 [7]WO[3]	War Bomber-Ire	L b	8	123	4	2	2[hd]	2[1]	1½	3[1]	4[1¼]	Civaci S	50000	4.35
29Aug26 [6]WO[1]	Yoshii	L	3	115	1	3	3[2]	3½	4[1]	5	5	Douglas C[5]		3.35

OFF AT 5:28 Start Good For All But KEKOA, EYES ON THE KING. Won ridden out. Course firm.

TIME :22[3], :46[4], 1:10[2], 1:22[3], 1:34[4] (:22.79, :46.82, 1:10.50, 1:22.63, 1:34.94)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

5 – CIUNAS	**5.50**	**3.00**	**2.40**
2 – KEKOA		**3.00**	**2.50**
3 – EYES ON THE KING			**4.10**

$1 EXACTA 5–2 PAID $6.70 20 CENT SUPERFECTA 5–2–3–4

PAID $13.13 20 CENT TRIFECTA 5–2–3 PAID $7.45

Gr/ro. g, (Apr), by Silent Name–Jpn – Myrtle's Gray , by Oratory . Trainer Halden Rachel. Bred by Jeff Zlonis (Ont–C).

CIUNAS settled into good rhythm unfazed being at the back of the pack still well within striking distance in the early stages, was nudged along for more shifting outside three wide starting to reach for more ground at the midpoint of the final bend, swung out wide gathering even more speed with the group five abreast in anyone's race at the top of the lane and stormed home outside finding another gear in the last eighth of a mile to win going away impressively with a strong late turn of foot. KEKOA broke out trading blows leaving the gate, travelled two wide on the outside close to the tail end, kept a close eye on the engaged pair in pair with an inside foe at the half, made a bid for the lead three wide at the quarter pole, got a head in front battling outside two others straightening out for the drive but was no match for the overpowering late charge by the winner outside in deep stretch. EYES ON THE KING broke inwards exchanging bumps at the start, assumed command on the rail into the first turn, slowed the pace down while shadowed outside down the backside, gave up the front end inside at the five sixteenths pole, countered when scrubbed on shaving the corner at the top of the stretch and kept on fighting inside three others to the end surging at the wire getting the nod for the show money. WAR BOMBER (IRE) tracked the frontrunner outside, moved closer hounding the pace down the backstretch, seized command two wide midway on the final turn, dueled in the two path with runners bearing down on both sides clinging up top at the head of the lane but was outfinished ever so slightly getting nosed out at the wire for the third place share in a scramble of a finish at the wire. YOSHII had a nice set-up tucked in on the rail just behind the leader, ran in tandem with an outside foe in the second flight at the half, waited two wide behind the leader with the pack tightly knit at the quarter pole, moved to the four path in the fray turning for home but needed more in the drive unable to quicken with rivals in upper stretch.

Owners– 1, Zlonis Jeff and Hogan Richard G; 2, Shefsky Stephen Shefsky Rita Kruh Willy Kruh Toby G Vella Daniel J and King; 3, M Racing Group LLC; 4, Schickedanz Bruno; 5, Centennial Farms (Niagara) Inc

Trainers– 1, Halden Rachel; 2, Day-Phillips Catherine; 3, Casse Mark; 4, Neigel Tara; 5, Desruisseaux Dale A

20 CENT Pick Three (3–3–5) Paid $10.13 ; Pick Three Pool $6,924 .
$1 Daily Double (3–5) Paid $18.00 ; Daily Double Pool $7,353 .