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## CHURCHILL DOWNS - September 29, 2023 - Race 4

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 119 lbs. (Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$50,000). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at Five Furlongs.)

Five Furlongs On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Power Alert (AUS) - 55.17 - May 1, 2015)

**Purse:** \$120,000

**Includes:** \$45,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

**Plus:** \$3,375 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$123,375

**Value of Race:** \$123,375 1st \$69,000, 2nd \$24,000, 3rd \$12,000, 4th \$6,000, 5th \$3,600, 6th \$1,256, 7th \$1,256, 8th \$1,255, 9th \$1,255, 10th \$1,251, 11th \$1,251, 12th \$1,251

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Firm

**Off at:** 2:16 **Start:** Good for all except 11 **Timer:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
20Aug23 <sup>7</sup> ELP <sup>7</sup>	3	Ceepeegee (Bejarano, Rafael)	119 b	3	1	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	32.31	dueled ins, clear, held
---	2	Lightning Myqueen (Carroll, Declan)	118 --	2	4	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	18.54	ins-2p, 3w1/8, need more
---	6	Spirit's Mischief (Corrales, Gerardo)	119 b	6	6	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	2.09*	dueled 2wd, gave way
---	9	Bye Bye Liam (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	119 --	9	10	10 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>Neck</sup>	15.81	ins, veered 6p5/16, stay
---	5	Norwich (Torres, Cristian)	119 --	5	3	4 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	2.62	2wbw, chck3/8, ins, even
---	10	Numero Siete (Morales, Edgar)	119 b	10	8	5 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	13.76	bump, 4-3p, chsd, yld btw
20Aug23 <sup>4</sup> HAW <sup>2</sup>	7	King of the Palace (Loveberry, Jareth)	119 b	7	5	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>5</sup>	6.20	3wbw, stdy3/8, no rally
---	11	Big Fig (Gaffalione, Tyler)	119 b	11	12	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	8 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	8.61	step slow/bumpd st, 2p
---	12	Thezelenskyfactor (Gutierrez, Reylu)	119 --	12	11	8 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	9 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	10.05	brk out, 3pbtw, no impct
---	4	Lomachenko (Graham, James)	119 --	4	2	11 <sup>Head</sup>	11 <sup>2</sup>	11 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>1/2</sup>	38.18	rear 2wd, no factor
---	8	Big Hungry (Murrill, Mitchell)	119 --	8	7	9 <sup>1</sup>	10 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>2</sup>	11 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	36.67	forced out 9p5/16, wknd
---	1	Irish Moon (Cohen, David)	119 --	1	9	12	12	12	12	48.61	step slw st, ins, outrun

**Fractional Times:** 22.72 46.26

**Final Time:** 58.65

**Split Times:** (23:54) (12:39)

**Run-Up:** 36 feet **Temporary Rail:** 24 feet

**Winner:** Ceepeegee, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Army Mule out of Dance for Daddy, by Scat Daddy. Foaled Apr 06, 2021 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** William S. Sparks

**Owner:** Johnston, Keith F. and Sparks, William S.

**Trainer:** Moquett, Ron

**Scratched Horse(s):** Honky Tonk Highway (Also-Eligible), King Bukele (Also-Eligible), Runnin' Rocket (Also-Eligible), Thunder Ball (Also-Eligible)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$252,904

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
3	Ceepeegee	66.62	27.70	11.74	\$2.00 Exacta	3-2	792.72	200,246	
2	Lightning Myqueen		16.66	7.98	\$0.50 Trifecta	3-2-6	1,029.85	106,423	
6	Spirit's Mischief			3.42	\$0.10 Superfecta	3-2-6-9	2,915.92	72,814	
					\$1.00 Daily Double	4-3	161.82	41,539	
					\$0.50 Pick 3	2-4-3 (3 correct)	588.42	31,721	
					\$1.00 Z-5 Super Hi-5	3-2-6-9-5		1,337	1,043

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
3	Ceepeegee	1	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>
2	Lightning Myqueen	4	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>
6	Spirit's Mischief	6	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>4 3/4</sup>
9	Bye Bye Liam	10	10 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>	6 <sup>7 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>
5	Norwich	3	4 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>7 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/4</sup>
10	Numero Siete	8	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>6 3/4</sup>
7	King of the Palace	5	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>
11	Big Fig	12	7 <sup>5</sup>	8 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>10 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>13</sup>
12	Thezelenskyfactor	11	8 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>8 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>11 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>14</sup>
4	Lomachenko	2	11 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	11 <sup>14 1/4</sup>	11 <sup>16 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>17 1/4</sup>
8	Big Hungry	7	9 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>11 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>14 3/4</sup>	11 <sup>17 3/4</sup>
1	Irish Moon	9	12 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	12 <sup>16 1/4</sup>	12 <sup>19 1/4</sup>	12 <sup>22 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 3 - Moquett, Ron; 2 - Casse, Mark; 6 - Ward, Wesley; 9 - Asmussen, Steven; 5 - DeVaux, Cherie; 10 - Sharp, Joe; 7 - Tracy, Tanner; 11 - Maker, Michael; 12 - Stall, Jr., Albert; 4 - Beckman, D. Whitworth; 8 - Forster, Grant; 1 - Desormeaux, J.

**Owners:** 3 - Johnston, Keith F. and Sparks, William S.; 2 - St. Simon Place, LLC; 6 - John C. Oxley; 9 - B4 Farms, LLC; 5 - Twin Brook Stables, Belladonna Racing, LLC, Nice Guys Stables, West Point Thoroughbreds, Iapetus Racing, Hornstock, S., Runnels Racing, Perrine Time Thoroughbreds, R T R Stables, LLC, Peppermint Stables, LLC and Manganaro Bloodstock; 10 - Highlander Training Center; 7 - Joel B. Hunsburger; 11 - Paradise Farms Corp., Staudacher, David, Maxis Stable and Skychai Racing LLC; 12 - UPcountry Farm; 4 - Legion Racing; 8 - Chris Nolan; 1 - Calumet Farm;

### Footnotes

CEEPEEGEE vied along the inside, prolonged the duel while headed around the turn, gamely reclaimed an advantage at the furlong grounds, drove clear shortly after and held off an outer bidder late. LIGHTNING MYQUEEN stalked along the inside, pursued from just off the top pair while taking the turn in the two path, chased behind them through upper stretch, shifted three wide at the furlong grounds, sustained a grinding charge in pursuit of the clear leader in the final sixteenth but needed more late. SPIRIT'S MISCHIEF vied two wide and outside of the eventual winner, clung to a narrow margin around the turn and through upper stretch, but relinquished the advantage to his inner counterpart at the furlong grounds and yielded. BYE BYE LIAM lacked speed along the inside, veered out to the six path approaching the five sixteenths pole causing trouble for an outer rival in the process, then stayed on outside of foes to

gain a minor share. NORWICH tracked two wide and between horses, but forced the rider to take a firm hold while bearing out slightly entering the turn, was guided to the inside approaching the five sixteenths pole and ran on evenly. NUMERO SIETE bumped with an outer rival at the start, tracked four wide, chased the leaders from the three path around the turn and gave way between horses in the final furlong. KING OF THE PALACE chased three wide and between horses, but steadied when an inner rival put him to crowded quarters entering the turn, pursued from the three to four path around the bend and lacked a rally. BIG FIG broke a step slow before receiving contact from an inner rival at the start causing a slight bobble, then failed to factor from the two path. THEZELENSKYFFACTOR broke outwardly, laid off of the pace in the three path and between horse and made little impact. LOMACHENKO raced at the rear two wide into the turn and failed to factor. BIG HUNGRY lacked speed in the four path, but got forced outwardly and shied to the nine path approaching the nine sixteenths pole and subsequently weakened. IRISH MOON broke a step slow and was outrun along the inside.