

CHURCHILL DOWNS - May 3, 2025 - Race 9

STAKES American Turf S. presented by Ford Grade 1 - Thoroughbred
FOR THREE YEAR OLDS.

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Wise River - 1:39.83 - April 26, 2009)

Purse: \$1,000,000 Added



Includes: \$100,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$1,000,000

Value of Race: \$924,780 1st \$507,780, 2nd \$183,800, 3rd \$81,900, 4th \$40,950, 5th \$27,570, 6th \$9,230, 7th \$9,230, 8th \$9,220, 9th \$9,220, 10th \$9,220, 11th \$9,220, 12th \$9,220, 13th \$9,000, 14th \$9,220

Weather: Showery, 62° **Track:** Good

Off at: 4:08 **Start:** Good for all except 15 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
8Mar25 ⁷ TAM ¹	7	Zulu Kingdom (IRE) (Prat, Flavien)	122	--	7	5	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/4	2.17*	6p upr,bid2w,edge clr
7Apr25 ⁸ KEE ¹	5	Test Score (Franco, Manuel)	122	--	5	3	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	3 ¹	2 ^{Nose}	5.90	Ing drv, prevail place
16Apr25 ^{NEW} ⁵	3	New Century (GB) (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	122	--	3	7	11 ¹ 1/2	11 ¹	12 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	4.96	Ing drv,outfinishd plc
7Apr25 ⁸ KEE ¹⁰	4	Mi Bago (Ortiz, Jose)	122	b	4	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ¹	4 ² 1/4	15.25	clr upr,collared,yield
22Mar25 ¹² TP ⁵	9	Giocososo (Curtis, Ben)	122	--	8	11	10 ¹	10 ¹ 1/2	11 ¹	7 ^{Head}	5 ^{Neck}	20.55	4w1st,8p upr,mvd up
1Nov24 ¹⁰ DMR ²	10	Iron Man Cal (Fresu, Antonio)	122	--	9	6	6 ^{Head}	7 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	8 ¹ 1/2	6 ¹ 1/2	4.44	3p1st, 5p upr,leveled
7Apr25 ⁸ KEE ²	2	Scipio (Rispoli, Umberto) 	122	--	2	8	8 ^{1/2}	8 ^{Head}	8 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	7 ¹ 1/2	12.05	3p upr, rally, flatten
7Apr25 ⁸ KEE ³	13	Maui Strong (Cheminaud, Vincent)	122	--	12	12	12 ¹ 1/2	12 ¹	9 ^{1/2}	9 ^{Head}	8 ^{1/2}	22.31	bmpd into far turn
7Apr25 ⁸ KEE ¹¹	12	Golden Afternoon (Smith, Mike) 	122	--	11	10	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	4 ¹	6 ^{Head}	9 ^{3/4}	39.39	5p1st, 7p upr, weaken
22Mar25 ¹² TP ³	6	Maximum Promise (Hernandez, Jr., Brian)	122	b	6	4	9 ^{Head}	9 ^{Head}	10 ^{Head}	11 ^{Head}	10 ^{3/4}	21.61	3w1st,7p upr,no threat
22Mar25 ⁸ TP ²	14	Megalodon (Alvarado, Junior)	122	b	13	13	14	13 ^{Head}	13 ¹	13 ^{1/2}	11 ^{1/2}	30.77	never a factor
7Apr25 ⁸ KEE ⁶	15	Hammerhead (Moncada, Irving)	122	b	14	14	13 ^{Head}	14	14	14	12 ³ 1/4	41.77	tad slw st,bmp ins far
29Mar25 ³ GP ¹	11	Classic of Course (Dettori, Lanfranco)	122	b	10	9	7 ¹	6 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	10 ¹	13 ¹ 1/4	37.65	5p1st,4wd2nd,thru 1/2
12Apr25 ⁵ KEE ⁵	1	Warlander (Rosario, Joel)	122	--	1	1	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	12 ^{1/2}	14	40.22	2w1st,ins2nd,folded up


Fractional Times: 23.57 47.76 1:11.97 1:35.58 **Final Time:** 1:41.64

Split Times: (24:19) (24:21) (23:61) (6:06)

Run-Up: 27 feet

Winner: Zulu Kingdom (IRE), Bay Ridgling, by =Ten Sovereigns (IRE) out of Zindziswa, by Smart Strike. Foaled Feb 08, 2022 in Ireland.

Breeder: Ecurie Peregrine SAS

Owner: Madaket Stables LLC, Dubb, Michael, Strauss, William and Caruso, Michael J. 

Trainer: Brown, Chad

Scratched Horse(s): A. P. Kid (Also-Eligible), Charlie's to Blame (RegVet-Unsound), Discreet Dancer (Also-Eligible), Spirit Rags (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$5,273,359

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Zulu Kingdom (IRE)	6.34	3.84	2.80	\$0.50 Pick 3	7-7-7 (3 correct)	30.39	633,295
5	Test Score		5.72	3.70	\$0.50 Pick 4	7-3/4/5-7-7/8/16/17/18 (4 correct)	686.53	1,083,465
3	New Century (GB)			3.78	\$0.50 Pick 5	9-7-3/4/5-7-7/8/16/17/18 (5 correct)	23,927.94	1,160,155
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-7	16.01	320,605
					\$2.00 Exacta	7-5	32.48	2,647,752
					\$1.00 Superfecta	7-5-3-4	662.82	525,334
					\$1.00 Super High Five	7-5-3-4-9	3,186.81	36,862
					\$0.50 Trifecta	7-5-3	31.86	1,846,065

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Zulu Kingdom (IRE)	5	4 ¹	4 ²	2 ²	2 ¹	1 ¹ 1/4
5	Test Score	3	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ³	5 ⁴	3 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/4
3	New Century (GB)	7	11 ⁴ 3/4	11 ⁶ 1/2	12 ⁷ 1/4	4 ³ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/4
4	Mi Bago	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ²	1 ¹	4 ¹ 3/4
9	Giocososo	11	10 ³ 3/4	10 ⁵	11 ⁶ 1/4	7 ³ 3/4	5 ⁴
10	Iron Man Cal	6	6 ²	7 ³ 3/4	6 ⁴ 1/4	8 ⁴	6 ⁴ 1/4
2	Scipio	8	8 ³ 1/4	8 ⁴ 3/4	8 ⁵ 1/4	5 ³ 1/2	7 ⁵ 3/4
13	Maui Strong	12	12 ⁶ 1/4	12 ⁷ 1/2	9 ⁵ 3/4	9 ⁵ 1/2	8 ⁷ 1/4
12	Golden Afternoon	10	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ³	6 ³ 3/4	9 ⁷ 3/4
6	Maximum Promise	4	9 ³ 3/4	9 ⁴ 3/4	10 ⁶ 1/4	11 ⁶ 1/2	10 ⁸ 1/2
14	Megalodon	13	14 ⁸	13 ⁸ 1/2	13 ⁸ 3/4	13 ⁷	11 ⁹ 1/4
15	Hammerhead	14	13 ⁷ 3/4	14 ⁸ 1/2	14 ⁹ 3/4	14 ⁷ 1/2	12 ⁹ 3/4
11	Classic of Course	9	7 ² 1/4	6 ³ 1/2	7 ⁴ 3/4	10 ⁵ 1/2	13 ¹³
1	Warlander	1	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ³	12 ⁶ 1/2	14 ¹⁴ 1/4

Trainers: 7 - Brown, Chad; 5 - Motion, H.; 3 - Walsh, Brendan; 4 - Casse, Mark; 9 - Desormeaux, J.; 10 - D'Amato, Philip; 2 - Baltas, Richard; 13 - Romans, Dale; 12 - Vaccarezza, Nicholas; 6 - McPeck, Kenneth; 14 - Carroll, Josie; 15 - Summers, Chad; 11 - Biancone, Patrick; 1 - Asmussen, Steven

Owners: 7 - Madaket Stables LLC, Dubb, Michael, Strauss, William and Caruso, Michael J.; 5 - Amerman Racing LLC; 3 - Qatar Racing LLC; 4 -Gary Barber; 9 - Rocker O Ranch LLC; 10 - Little Red Feather Racing and Madaket Stables LLC; 2 - Nguyen, Calvin and Tran, Joey C.; 13 - West Point Thoroughbreds, Blue Devil Racing Stable (Holliday) and Barker, Edwin S.; 12 - Greco, Eddie, Greco, Pat, Jaffe, Scott, Cloonan, Michael P. and Vaccarezza Racing LLC; 6 - Back Racing, LLC and Run for LaRoses, LLC; 14 - Pin Oak Stud LLC; 15 - Gold Square LLC; 11 - Patrick L. Biancone Racing LLC and Dunne, Amy E.; 1 - Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

ZULU KINGDOM (IRE) raced in the three path along the first turn, tracked the pace early on, was in the six path entering the lane, pulled away with MI BAGO and made a bid two wide then edged clear from that foe in the final stages under a strong drive. TEST SCORE raced in the two path along the first turn while not far off the pace, was two wide in the far turn, shifted into the four path entering the lane, rallied under a long drive with NEW CENTURY (GB) from the inside and prevailed for place at the wire. NEW CENTURY (GB) raced two wide along the first turn while back early on, was in the four path into the lane, rallied down the lane with TEST SCORE near the inside while under a long drive but was outfinished for place at the wire. MI BAGO raced in the four path along the first turn and set the pace early, raced in the three path along the far turn, shifted into the five path entering the lane, was clear in the upper stretch then collared inside the eighth pole and yielded late in the drive. GIOCOSO raced four wide along the first turn while back early on, was in the four path in the far turn, fanned into the eight path entering the lane and moved up late in the stretch run. IRON MAN CAL raced in the three path in the first turn, was three wide along the far turn, shifted into the five path entering the lane and leveled off down the lane. SCIPIO raced in the two path in the first turn, was in the three path entering the lane under a rally but flattened out late in the stretch drive. MAUI STRONG was unhurried early on, bumped from between horses into the far turn, fanned into the nine path entering the lane and improved position in the stretch run. GOLDEN AFTERNOON was in the five path along the first turn and stalked the pace early on, raced in the three path in the far turn, fanned into the seven path into the lane and weakened late in the stretch drive. MAXIMUM PROMISE raced three wide in the first turn, was in the seven path into the lane while never a threat. MEGALODON was never a factor. HAMMERHEAD broke a tad slow at the start, was bumped while on the rail into the far turn and lacked any late bid down the lane. CLASSIC OF COURSE raced in the five path along the first turn, was four wide in the far turn and through after a half. WARLANDER raced two wide in the first and tracked the early pace, was near the rail in the far turn and folded up down the lane.

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