

FAIR GROUNDS - January 17, 2026 - Race 9

 STAKES Marie G. Krantz Memorial S. Black Type - Thoroughbred
 FOR FILLIES AND MARES FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD.

 Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Explosive Bid - 1:42.40 - January 13, 1983)

Purse: \$100,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$100,000

Value of Race: \$100,000 1st \$60,000, 2nd \$20,000, 3rd \$10,000, 4th \$4,000, 5th \$2,000, 6th \$1,000, 7th \$1,000, 8th \$1,000, 9th \$1,000

Weather: Cloudy, 58° Track: Firm

Off at: 4:05 Start: Good for all except 6 Timing Method: Electronic

EQUIBASE

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments	
30Nov25	7	DMR ⁶	5	Medoro (Ortiz, Jose)	124	L	4 3	5 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹	4 ²	2 ¹	1 ^{3/4}	1.10*	ins, loom3w, reeled in
29Nov25	8	FG ⁷	1	Cupids Crush (Pedroza, Jr., Marcelino)	124	L b	1 1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ⁴ 1/4	27.10	pace, opened, gamely	
27Nov25	11	CD ⁹	4	Lucky Speech (Graham, James)	118	L	3 8	7 ¹ 1/2	7 ¹	7 ^{Head}	7 ¹ 2	3 ^{3/4}	72.60	willingly, split3w
4Oct25	8	KEE ¹¹	8	Nanda Dea (ARG) (Prat, Flavien)	124	L f	7 6	6 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 1/2	6 ¹ 1/2	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	4.70	4w, mild rally
8Nov25	5	CD ⁵	7	Strikingly Spun (Lopez, Paco) 	118	L b	6 7	3 ^{Head}	3 ² 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	4 ¹	5 ^{3/4}	35.20	close up, stdy, faded
23Nov25	8	AQU ³	6	Sweet Treasure (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	120	L	5 9	8 ¹ 1/2	9 ²	8 ¹	8 ^{Head}	6 ^{3/4}	3.40	bobl, best stride late
27Nov25	11	CD ¹¹	9	Stylish Sue (Saez, Luis) 	120	L	8 5	2 ²	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	3 ¹ 2	7 ² 1/4	9.30	stalk3w, faded1/8
26Dec25	9	FG ¹	11	Triumphant Spirit (Cannon, Declan)	118	L	10 10	10	10	10	10	8 ^{Head}	31.40	stdy early, trail most
27Nov25	6	FG ¹	2	Epic Style (Concepcion, Axel) 	118	L	2 2	4 ¹	4 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹	6 ¹	9 ^{Head}	7.00	mid pack, wknd str
22Mar25	8	FG ⁷	10	Lakota Spirit (Castillo, Isaac)	118	L	9 4	9 ²	8 ^{Head}	9 ¹ 1/2	9 ¹ 1/2	10	97.40	never involved

Fractional Times: 23.23 48.85 1:13.17 1:35.98

Final Time: 1:42.17

Split Times: (25:62) (24:32) (22:81) (6:19)

Run-Up: 100 feet

Winner: Medoro, Bay Mare, by Honor Code out of Achira, by English Channel. Foaled Apr 11, 2021 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Parks Investment Group, LLC

Owner: C R K Stable LLC

Trainer: Eurton, Peter

Scratched Horse(s): Wild Bout Hilary (Stakes Scratch)

Total WPS Pool: \$314,377

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Medoro	4.20	3.00	2.60	\$0.50 Pick 3	4-7-5 (3 correct)	35.50	93,919
1	Cupids Crush		15.00	10.20	\$0.50 Pick 4	6-4/7/10/11/13-7-3/5 (4 correct)	417.55	156,998
4	Lucky Speech			16.40	\$0.50 Pick 5	10-6-4/7/10/11/13-7-3/5 (5 correct)	12,505.95	218,696
					\$1.00 Daily Double	7-5	19.30	51,482
					\$1.00 Exacta	5-1	25.50	234,849
					\$0.10 Superfecta	5-1-4-8	846.85	70,668
					\$0.50 Trifecta	5-1-4	448.20	122,855

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
5	Medoro	3	5 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁴	4 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{3/4}
1	Cupids Crush	1	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹	1 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{3/4}
4	Lucky Speech	8	7 ⁶ 1/4	7 ⁵ 1/2	7 ⁷	7 ⁴	3 ⁵
8	Nanda Dea (ARG)	6	6 ⁶	6 ⁵	6 ⁵ 1/2	5 ³	4 ⁵ 3/4
7	Strikingly Spun	7	3 ³ 1/2	3 ¹	3 ²	4 ²	5 ⁵ 3/4
6	Sweet Treasure	9	8 ⁷ 3/4	9 ⁶ 1/2	8 ⁷	8 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁶ 1/2
9	Stylish Sue	5	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ¹	3 ¹ 1/2	7 ¹ 1/4
11	Triumphant Spirit	10	10 ¹⁰ 1/4	10 ⁸ 1/2	10 ⁹ 1/2	10 ⁶ 1/4	8 ⁹ 1/2
2	Epic Style	2	4 ³ 1/2	4 ³ 1/2	5 ⁴ 1/2	6 ³	9 ⁹ 3/4
10	Lakota Spirit	4	9 ⁸ 1/4	8 ⁶ 1/2	9 ⁸	9 ⁴ 3/4	10 ⁹ 3/4

Trainers: 5 - Eurton, Peter; 1 - Robertson, Hugh; 4 - Asmussen, Steven; 8 - De Paz, Horacio; 7 - Sharp, Joe; 6 - Cox, Brad; 9 - Sharp, Joe; 11 - Walsh, Brendan; 2 - Stidham, Michael; 10 - Wilson, Shane

Owners: 5 - C R K Stable LLC; 1 - Xtreme Racing Stables, LLC; 4 - Millennium Stables, LLC; 8 - Happy Friday, LLC; 7 - Highlander Training Center; 6 - Full of Run Racing Two and Silva, Frank; 9 - Highlander Training Center; 11 - Pocket Aces Racing LLC; 2 - Speedway Stables LLC; 10 - Brittlyn Stable, Inc. ;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MEDORO tracked the early pace three deep on the inside, loomed three wide through the far turn to enter the stretch just behind the pace, found a surge of energy in the final furlong to reel in the leader. CUPIDS CRUSH quickly took command to set a comfortable pace, opened up a couple lengths in the upper stretch until grudgingly giving way to the winner at the sixteenth. LUCKY SPEECH raced off the pace on the inside, closed willingly in the upper stretch, split foes three wide at the eighth to get up for the show award. NANDA DEA (ARG) settled off the pace, angled out four wide in the stretch to show a mild rally for a respectable finish. STRIKINGLY SPUN moved up through traffic to find position just behind the pace on the inside, took hold repeatedly going up the backstretch, faded in the final furlong. SWEET TREASURE bobbed at the start, raced off the pace, found best stride late to make some minor improvements. STYLISH SUE stalked the early pace three wide, faded in the final furlong. TRIUMPHANT SPIRIT took hold after the start to trail the pack, trailed for most until passing tired foes in the stretch. EPIC STYLE found position around the middle of the pack, had no more to give in the stretch. LAKOTA SPIRIT raced off the pace three wide, never involved.

