EIGHTH RACE
Mahoning Valley

6 FURLONGS. (1.08[3]) MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT . Purse $31,800 (includes $7,500 OTF – Ohio Thoroughbred Fund) FOR ACCREDITED OHIO BRED MAIDENS, FILLIES TWO YEARS OLD. Weight, 122 lbs.

NOVEMBER 18, 2026

Value of Race: $31,800 Winner $19,716; second $6,360; third $3,180; fourth $1,590; fifth $954. Mutuel Pool $9,499.00 Exacta Pool $7,835.00 Superfecta Pool $2,803.00 Trifecta Pool $4,051.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
19Oct26 [8]MVR[7]	The Way It Is	b	2	122	5	1	1½	11½	11½	17	Barbaran E	1.00
3Nov26 [1]MVR[6]	Kellykoz		2	122	3	3	2hd	2hd	23½	21½	Diaz A I	3.40
3Nov26 [1]MVR[4]	Baroness		2	122	2	5	5	5	5	33¼	Salazar Becerra F	9.20
3Nov26 [1]MVR[3]	Ohio Girl	bf	2	122	4	2	33	44	3hd	4hd	Keiser C	5.50
1Oct26 [3]BtP[4]	Opalite		2	122	1	4	46	3½	4½	5	Bracho J A	2.90

OFF AT 3:26 Start Good. Won driving. Track muddy (Sealed).

TIME :23[1], :48[3], 1:02[1], 1:16[3] (:23.37, :48.63, 1:02.35, 1:16.78)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

6 – THE WAY IT IS	**4.00**	**3.20**	**2.60**
4 – KELLYKOZ		**4.20**	**2.80**
3 – BARONESS			**6.20**

$2 EXACTA 6–4 PAID $14.00 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 6–4–3–5 PAID $5.41 50 CENT TRIFECTA 6–4–3 PAID $16.25

B. f, (May), by Drill – Way to Fly , by Bowman's Band . Trainer Gorham Robert M. Bred by Gail Kromer & Eric J Heyman (Ohio).

THE WAY IT IS contested the early pace to the turn, shook off all challengers at the head of the stretch and drew clear late. KELLYKOZ always close up while saving ground, tipped out to chase THE WAY IT IS LATE, shifted to the inside but had to settle for second. BARONESS lacked any early foot and fell behind early, then made a belated rally to gain the minor award. OHIO GIRL briefly disputed the early pace between rivals, dropped back after passing the half-mile pole, tried to rebid into the stretch, but flattened out. OPALITE chased off the early pace, moved up four-wide approaching the three-furlong pole, then flattened out in upper stretch.

Owners– 1, Mast Thoroughbreds LLC; 2, Alderson Richard L; 3, Marion F Gorham Irrevocable Trust; 4, Executive Management LLC; 5, Estvanko Christina

Trainers– 1, Gorham Robert M; 2, Smith Larry E; 3, Gorham Robert M; 4, Zielinski Richard; 5, Estvanko Richard

Scratched– Date With Destiny (19Oct26 [8]MVR[5])

50 CENT Pick Three (5–2–2/6) Paid $18.80 ; Pick Three Pool $3,827 .
50 CENT Pick Four (6/7–5–2–2/6) Paid $55.55 ; Pick Four Pool $4,316 .
50 CENT Pick Five (3–6/7–5–2–2/6) 5 Correct Paid $111.00 ; Pick Five Pool $3,658 .
20 CENT Pick 6 Jackpot (2/3–3–6/7–5–2–2/6) 6 Correct Paid $132.52 ; Pick 6 Jackpot Pool $3,313 Carryover Pool $18,889.
$2 Daily Double (2–6) Paid $21.80 ; Daily Double Pool $2,529 .
$2 Consolation Daily Double (2–2) Paid $8.00 .

Mahoning Valley Race Course Attendance: Unavailable Mutuel Pool: $7,636.00 Total Mutuel Pool: $408,968.00