

Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Friday, December 18, 2020

Note: My odds-line for my top four contenders is based on what I think each horse's chances are to win the race. For instance, if I make a horse 4-1, I think the horse's chances of winning are about 20%, so if the same exact race was run ten times, he'd win it twice. If I make all of the horses about the same odds, that's an indication that I think the race is wide open, or that I can't pinpoint a horse that appears to have a strong edge.

Meadowlands Race Picks by Bob Pandolfo

RACE 1

2 BEST HONEY HANOVER 6-5
8 QUITE A SIGHT 4-1
6 STELLENBOSCH 6-1
7 ALWAYS A MINDY 6-1

BEST HONEY HANOVER comes off a lifetime best and looks to make it three in a row over the track...QUITE A SITE made two moves to the lead and was a game third behind top pick...STELLENBOSCH and ALWAYS A MINDY could be factors at a price with the right set ups.

RACE 2

2 R HERBIE BLUE CHIP 4-1
10 FOCUS POCUS 2-1
6 SCIROCCO PATRICK 4-1
9 GERARD 6-1

R HERBIE BLUE CHIP ships in for live barn, adds lasix, picks up sharp driver Billy Dobson...FOCUS POCUS was 2nd behind a horse that was winning his third straight...SCIROCCO PATRICK can improve off last...GERARD has speed, gets Dunn.

RACE 3

8 JUST N BERLANDER 4-1
2 WALKS OF LIFE 8-5
10 ALWAYS A FORCE 7-2
7 NORTHERN ROCK 9-2

JUST N BERLANDER gets lasix back and beat similar two back...WALKS OF LIFE one to beat off last...ALWAYS A FORCE last improved...NORTHERN ROCK form is okay.

RACE 4

4 DIXIE STAR N 2-1
8 BE BEST 5-2
6 QUEEN JOSEPHINE 5-1
1 PEPPERMINT MOCHA 7-1

RACE 5

6 GIGFY 4-1
1 MAKE IT A DOUBLE 5-1
9 SILVERMASS VOLO 5-1
4 FINGALS WAVE 5-1

RACE 6

1 SWAN IN MOTION 4-1
6 SOME CHAPTER 8-5

2 MCMATTERS 4-1
3 WINNERUP 6-1

SWAN IN MOTION had post 9 in last two starts, moves inside and adds lasix; upset call...SOME CHAPTER was a sharp winner against similar in last...MCMATTERS broke as the favorite in last but two back was a solid speed effort...WINNERUP adds lasix.

RACE 7
9 CHIPLOSIVE 2-1
8 WISENHEIMER 5-2
3 MAGICAL WINNER K 5-1
6 TT'S D-JAY 8-1

CHIPLOSIVE takes a key drop and should respond...WISENHEIMER is a game veteran who is usually put in play early when he's at the right level...MAGICAL WINNER K drops and moves inside...TT'S D-JAY drops and has good longshot driver in the bike.

RACE 8
1 MOVEOUTOFMYWAY K 5-2
4 GET LEGS 8-5
8 QUESTTICHAP 9-2
3 NO TIME TO PLAY 9-2

MOVEOUTOFMYWAY K was a beaten favorite in last but it's a good sign that Dunn maintains the drive and his effort two back is certainly good enough...GET LEGS is undefeated in three starts; faces faster here on the move up in class.

RACE 9
2 CAY'S BLESSING 5-2
9 EXOTIC DANCE 5-2
3 TWINSBURG 9-2
10 KAITLYN N 5-1

CAY'S BLESSING had post 10 against tougher; drops, moves inside...EXOTIC DANCE consistent sort holds her form...TWINSBURG ships back in for live barn...KAITLYN N ships in from Yonkers and gets Gingras, handles this track.

RACE 10
8 ALL CHAMPY** 7-2
10 JOEY 7-2
7 LINDSEY'S PRIDE 9-2
3 GRUDEN 6-1

ALL CHAMPY had good trot on both ends of his mile in last; picks up Dunn and faces weaker...JOEY was a sharp winner in last and David Miller stayed here over the 8...LINDSEY'S PRIDE can improve off last...GRUDEN was 2nd behind Joey in last.

RACE 11
6 ST JAMES GATE 2-1
5 CARRICK 7-2
1 LION SAFARI AS 5-1
3 RONNIE GOLDSTEIN 6-1

RACE 12
1 MARLOE HANOVER 8-5

3 ALEXA SKYE 7-2
7 GOLDEN QUEST N 9-2
6 ROYALTYWESTHO 8-1

MARLOE HANOVER takes a key drop and could be tough to deny here...ALEXA SKYE has continued to develop for great trainer Brett Pelling...GOLDEN QUEST N comes off a good effort...ROYALTYWESTHO ships in for top connections and handles this track.

RACE 13

1 MARK OF THE BEAST 2-1
2 EXPLOSIVE RIDGE 5-2
10 FUJI 4-1
3 FRENCH MONI 8-1

BEST BET: ALL CHAMPY 10th Race