Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Friday, December 4, 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
4 TAILGUNNER HANOVER 9-2
3 RUTHLESS DUDE 6-1
1 SO SO DE VIE 5-2
9 WATCHMENEIGHNEIGH 7-2

TAILGUNNER HANOVER takes a key drop...RUTHLESS DUDE beaten favorite but left well and made a second move, held okay...SO SO DE VIE beat similar gamely in last...WATCHMENEIGHNEIGH is sharp and Beltrami has been driving very well in these amateur events.

RACE 2
4 GROSSETO AS 2-1
6 MANHATTANUP NO ICE 10-1
9 SWEET TEA 7-2
10 MY BOY CHRISTIAN 9-2

GROSSETO AS is pretty slow but draws inside with the top driver and gets the call in a weak field of trotters...MANHATTANUP NO ICE left and was shuffled in last; adds lasix and might have a shot at a price...SWEET TEA rallied nicely from a similar spot in last...MY BOY CHRISTIAN let hard from post 10 in last.

RACE 3 8 TOUGH MAC 5-2 5 CHIEF JUSTICE 5-2 3 LASA DIDA LADY 8-1 9 BOLD FRESH 8-1

TOUGH MAC left, tucked, finished willingly in last...CHIEF JUSTICE is having an off year but gets Dunn and last was somewhat improved...LASA DIDA LADY seems fastest of these but has made an early break in her last three starts; she can win this if she can stay trotting...BOLD FRESH ships in and the 11 year old's form is pretty good.

RACE 4

10 LIFE WELL LIVED** 8-1

9 CASINO CUTIE IT 5-2

1 IMPACTER 7-2

4 CHASIN' DREAMS 4-1

LIFE WELL LIVED dropped to this level last time and never got into the race; picks up Marcus Miller and may try leaving this time...CASINO CUTIE IT saved ground and rallied for the place in his first start off a month's layoff and now drops down; Zeron's choice over two others including my top pick...IMPACTER raced okay in local debut...CHASIN' DREAMS broke in his last two starts at Yonkers but could fit nicely here if Andy Mac can keep him trotting.

RACE 5
5 MOVEOUTOFMYWAY K 5-2
2 GODSPELL HALL 3-1
8 BEYOND ORDINARY 7-2

RACE 6

4 TEAM KIWI N 2-1

4 ST MARTINS 4-1

9 SHELLIE DE VIE 5-2

2 ALKIPPE 3-1

3 MILADY DENVER A 4-1

TEAM KIWI N drops off a trip that was tougher than it looks on paper and this may be the spot...SHELLIE DE VIE has been sharp and was game despite leaving hard from post 10 in last; hasn't raced since 11/13 but dangerous here...ALKIPPE moves inside after a tough trip from post 9...MILADY DENVER A has been racing in good form.

RACE 7
1 LION SAFARI AS 8-5
6 VIC'S WINNER 5-2
5 CLASSIC VENTURE 7-2
3 MANNY L 5-1

LION SAFARI AS was a beaten favorite in his last two starts but drops, keeps Dunn, and should be tough here...VIC'S WINNER was used hard to get the lead from post 10 in his local debut; better spot here...CLASSIC VENTURE was coming on well late, picks up Anthony Napolitano...MANNY L ships in for good barn.

RACE 8
10 SWAN IN MOTION** 5-2
7 SOME CHAPTER 5-2
1 ALL AMERICAN N 7-2
4 I GOT THE LOOKS 10-1

SWAN IN MOTION was 9^{th} early behind a slow pace and finished sharply late; colt has some class and should be ready to show it as he makes his 2^{nd} start off a four week layoff here...SOME CHAPTER showed speed in local debut, held well for the place in a pretty good field at this level; one to catch...ALL AMERICAN N steps up seeking his fourth straight win...I GOT THE LOOKS is better than last.

RACE 9

4 ALEXA SKYE 2-1 5 GOLDEN QUEST N 5-2 1 ODDS ON NAPLES 7-2 6 SHOULDABEENATD 6-1

ALEXA SKYE is still in form...GOLDEN QUEST N ships in from Yonkers, fits well here...ODDS ON NAPLES needed last...SHOULDABEENATD may keep improving for Burke.

RACE 10
7 RICH AND MISERABLE 8-5
8 JL CRUZE 2-1
10 WARRIOR ONE 5-1
6 DELTASUN A 6-1

RICH AND MISERABLE is not as good as he was last year but he's still a very good trotter with 18 wins over the last two seasons, he has won 3 times over this track, and this field looks like a good fit for him...JL CRUZE was 2nd as a beaten favorite at a lower level but still fits well in this field...WARRIOR ONE has good speed for top connections...DELTASUN A beat JL CRUZE closing off a pretty quick pace in last.

RACE 11

- 4 LIFETIME ROYALTY 2-1
- 8 GOTWUTEVERITTAKES 4-1
- 7 GEMOLOGIST 5-1
- 9 BROADWAY BRUISER 6-1

LIFETIME ROYALTY was racing well against tougher here last month and ships back in after having two tough posts at Yonkers.

RACE 12

- 2 HEEZ ORL BLACK 5-1
- 7 JUST N BERLANDER 5-2
- 8 BILLION DOLLAR DAY 7-2
- 5 ROCKIN RAMBARAN 5-1

RACE 13

- 9 EXOTIC DANCE 5-2
- 10 BEST HONEY HANOVER 3-1
- 4 EDEN PAIGE N 4-1
- 3 GOTTALOVEMYSHADOW 5-1

BEST BETS: LIFE WELL LIVED 4th Race...SWAN IN MOTION 8th Race