

Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Saturday, December 26, 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 PAPPY GO GO 5-2
10 ST JAMES GATE 2-1
4 THISISSHE 9-2
1 GRUDEN 6-1

PAPPY GO GO lost at 2/5 and 4/5 in his last two starts but he's a good trotter who has 8 wins over this track and he was in with tougher the last time he was here...ST JAMES GATE has won three in a row for Burke and his last was his best yet as he had to rally wide from a tough spot.

RACE 2

9 PARKLANE JET 3-1
8 FOX VALLEY NEMITZ 4-1
3 ACTING OUT 4-1
7 HAYMITCH 5-1

PARKLANE JET was used hard against a better field at this level two back, then had a pretty tough first over trip at Yonkers. I'll give him the edge with Dunn in a competitive race.

RACE 3

4 ROLLING WITH SAM 6-1
5 BRIGHTSIDE KELVIN 8-1
7 FULL VIEW 4-1
1 ROGERTHAT BLUECHIP 4-1

ROLLING WITH SAM is in good form right now, upset call in a wide open NW2 pace...BRIGHTSIDE KELVIN has won two of three starts, over a half mile track in Canadian. The times are slow but there's a lot of room to improve for this colt and Flamboro is not that fast of a track...FULL VIEW seems better than last; chance...ROGERTHAT BLUECHIP is in good form and may be the one to beat.

RACE 4

2 NEVERFORGETWHOUR** 2-1
9 DON'T THINK TWICE A 5-2
5 ALWAYS MINDY 9-2
8 QUITE A SIGHT 8-1

NEVERFORGETWHOUR had post 6 in last at Yonkers, left, tucked, went first over into a quick third quarter; drops, gets Gingras, looks live here...DON'T TWINK TWICE A had to need last; drops for sharp outfit and Bartlett should leave with her...ALWAYS MINDY shows good form, chance...QUITE A SIGHT has speed and fits on one of her better efforts or with the right trip.

RACE 5

7 SUGARTOWN** 2-1
4 QUICK FUN N 5-2

9 AMERICAN BOY N 5-1
3 ARQUE HANOVER 7-1

SUGARTOWN was in a very fast race off a long layoff in last and had no chance; qualified nicely into that race, drops, may be tough here...QUICK FUN N ships in for good barn and gets Dunn...AMERICAN BOY N seems more of a small track horse but he has some class and gets a top driver off a freshening...ARQUE HANOVER drops, best needed.

RACE 6
7 ALWAYS AND AGAIN** 5-2
6 PUT TO RIGHT 2-1
8 THE CANDYMAN CAN 4-1
2 MY PAL JOE 6-1

ALWAYS AND AGAIN had post 10 on last Saturday's canceled card, this time he gets a better spot, drops out of back to back key races...PUT TO RIGHT comes off a game wire or wire win from post 10 against similar...THE CANDYMAN CAN holds fine form.

RACE 7
5 BLOOD LINE 2-1
3 BOILING OAR 7-2
1 FIZZING N 4-1
8 UNLOADED N 9-2

BLOOD LINE raced well against much tougher in two starts here in September. Classy sort qualified well...BOILING OAR drops for 2nd off the bench and comes out of a very fast race for that class...FIZZING N took his mark over this track, picks up the sport's leading driver...UNLOADED N steps up sharp.

RACE 8
9 PAMMY JO** 2-1
6 CALLMEQUEENBEE A 7-2
10 ROYALTYWESTHO 5-1
5 STELLENBOSCH 5-1

PAMMY JO is 0 for 4 over this track but she takes a key drop out of the Open at Yonkers and picks up Dunn...CALLMEQUEENBEE A raced okay from a less than ideal spot in local debut.

RACE 9
7 HILL OF A HORSE 7-2
4 DELTASUN A 4-1
8 WARRIOR ONE 9-2
2 JOEY 9-2

RACE 10
2 FRANCO TOTEM N 5-2
7 BRACKEN STORM A 4-1
5 HEZA REAL DIAMOND 4-1
1 DE LOS CIELOS DEO 4-1

FRANCO TOTEM N drops and is quite capable against this type...BRACKEN STORM A holds his form well and chased a buzzsaw in last...HEZA REAL DIAMOND has uncorked a few big miles...DE LOS CIELOS DEO has his moments, drop helps.

RACE 11
5 TYMAL PEACEMAKER 7-2

8 B STONEY 4-1
1 LOVE THE BLUES N 4-1
2 GOOD ROCKIN 4-1

RACE 12

5 CHASER HANOVER 2-1
6 SAYING GRACE N 5-2
4 ROCK N TONY 7-2
1 ROCK THE NITE 6-1

CHASER HANOVER takes a key drop and picks up a catchdriver...SAYING GRACE N drops, adds lasix, should go well in this spot...ROCK N TONY is down the ladder with Dunn...ROCK THE NITE best needed.

RACE 13

4 LION SAFARI AS 7-2
3 CARRICK 4-1
2 DRAZZMATAZZ 5-1
10 CHIPLOSIVE 5-1

LION SAFARI AS kind of hung in the stretch at this level in his last two starts but I think this field might be a bit softer...CARRICK is better than last...DRAZZMATAZZ rallied to finish third against similar...CHIPLOSIVE steps up off a nice win against a field he figured to beat.

RACE 14

7 DAMION DIEEL HAHN 4-1
3 SO SO DE VIE 4-1
2 CENTURY FERRARI 4-1
1 VICTORIAS MAVERICK 4-1

RACE 15

8 GRANDPA DON 2-1
3 ROCKAHOLIC 4-1
6 LET'S FOAL AROUND 6-1
1 THUNDER DOME 8-1

BEST BETS: NEVERFORGETWHOUR 4th...SUGARTOWN 5th...ALWAYS AND AGAIN 6th...PAMMY JO 8th