

Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Friday, June 4

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

6 ALLGONOWHOA 2-1
3 BIG SWEEP OSBORNE 7-2
4 CASHNCAM 6-1
1 MAYFIELD DUKE 6-1

ALLGONOWHOA gets a key barn change and picks up a good amateur driver.

RACE 2

5 IDEAL SON 5-2
3 WESTERN REDHOT 8-5
4 DAVIDS COMING HOME 9-1
1 FINAL JUSTICE 14-1

IDEAL SON takes a key drop...WESTERN REDHOT appears the one to beat...DAVIDS COMING HOME had no shot from post 8 at Freehold, fits here on best...FINAL JUSTICE picks up Gingras.

RACE 3

4 LIFE WELL LIVED 2-1
1 GREY 2-1
3 INUKCHUK CHUCK 10-1
8 SHADY MCCOY 6-1

LIFE WELL LIVED drops, should show more...GREY was sharp wiring the field from post 6 at Yonkers.

RACE 4

3 GOODASHIM 7-5
6 BROADWAY DON 6-1
7 RATTLE MY CAGE 6-1
4 JULA MUSCLE PACK 8-1

GOODASHIM got a perfect trip to win his return for high-percentage barn. He normally stays flat which is a factor here because his main rivals all show multiple breaks.

RACE 5

2 A BETTOR BEACH 2-1
4 NORTHERN ROCK 4-1
8 KINGOFTHEJUNGLE 2-1
1 ROCKINWITHTHEBEST 12-1

A BETTOR BEACH takes a key drop...NORTHERN ROCK is back from Freehold; chased better here three back...KINGOFTHEJUNGLE remains in good form...ROCKINWITHTHEBEST signs of life in last.

RACE 6

9 ASTAIRE 5-1

1 TOLLY-HO 2-1
7 LUCK N ROLL K 5-2
8 JUST WAVE GOODBYE 7-1

ASTAIRE ships in off a game win at Harrington, recent form is much improved and he can leave...TOLLY-HO was sharp winning first start off the claim...LUCK N ROLL K is a threat here...JUST WAVE GOODBYE best needed.

RACE 7
2 GYPSY LEATHER 7-2
4 BUGGER BRUISER 4-1
8 NA NA NA BAATMAN 4-1
3 SOSSY'S KING KONG 5-1

RACE 8
7 SUDDEN CHANGE N 5-2
8 LITTLE HONEYBADGER 4-1
10 DIXIE STAR N 4-1
9 MILADY DENVER A 4-1

SUDDEN CHANGE N draws inside of main rivals.

RACE 9
2 ROSE RUN ADVANTAGE 6-1
8 WINGDING HANOVER 4-1
4 DARKRSHADEOPALE 4-1
10 SWIFT ALLY 4-1

ROSE RUN ADVANTAGE was used leaving and tired in last; the track did seem to be favoring closers more on the second half of the card, or maybe I'm just looking for an excuse that doesn't exist. Seems to fit well here, had a couple of weeks off and gets Dunn; upset call...WINGDING HANOVER is from the same barn as the two and similar in ability...DARKRSHADEOPALE N draws well and drops, has a shot.

RACE 10
1 DANCINGINTHEDARK N 4-5
2 NYLANDER 3-1
7 CHIPLOSIVE 12-1
3 MEMO 12-1

DANCINGINTHEDARK N returns for his 3yo campaign off two sharp qualifiers. Trainer Marcus Melander tends to have his 3yo's ready to win off the bench...NYLANDER raced gamely first over against a solid trotter in last...CHIPLOSIVE has been in tough but his form is fine...MEMO may be well placed.

RACE 11
3 LEXUS WITHA VIEW A** 6-5
8 UNLOADED N 7-2
2 FOREVERNALWAYS 10-1
1 BATTLE STRONG 10-1

LEXUS WITH A VIEW lacked a rally in last but that was clearly a much better field because the winner was taking a key drop and appeared to have a clear class edge...UNLOADED N has had trouble breaking stride at the start but stayed flat and left in last, held okay...FOREVERNALWAYS might be able to sneak into the money at a price with the right kind of trip...BATTLE STRONG needs to do best.

RACE 12

5 NORTHERN STORM 5-2
3 LADY LOU 8-5
7 OFF THE RECORD 4-1
4 SOUNDWIND XENA 6-1

NORTHERN STORM improving sort may be well placed again...LADY LOU tailed off badly last year and hasn't come back that sharp, but she's the one to beat on anything close to her best...OFF THE RECORD was starting to put it together in her last couple of starts last year; her two comeback races at Pocono weren't that good but she did have outside posts, and she might prefer this track...SOUTHWIND XENA needs to do more.

RACE 13
4 IT AINT THE WHISKEY 2-1
3 FASHION CREDITOR 2-1
2 OBERTO 9-2
7 MY BOY CHRISTIAN 20-1

BEST BET: LEXUS WITHA VIEW 11th Race