

Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Thursday, July 7

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 LISA LANE 4-1
- 2 CANADIAN BALLETT 4-1
- 7 UCANDOIT BLUE CHIP 8-5
- 3 DEVILISH DREAMS 4-1

LISA LANE left and worked her way to the lead from post 9, set the pace and held the show with a solid :26.3 last quarter in a good debut...CANADIAN BALLETT chased and held the place in debut and that was off one qualifier so she could go much faster tonight...UCANDOIT BLUE CHIP beat similar in last and can take another, although I'd be wary of taking a short price since several of these are likely to improve...DEVILISH DREAMS also raced well in debut and is a threat.

RACE 2

- 1 WALL OF BLUE 8-5
- 6 GET ANSWERS 13-1
- 3 SHOWMEMAGIC 4-1
- 4 MAKE SWEET MAGIC 7-1

WALL OF BLUE finished willingly into a stepped-up last half in debut and gets the call in a much weaker division than the first race...GET ANSWERS was in a better field here in debut two back then drew post 7 at Harrahs Philly; gets Gingras back...SHOWMEMAGIC had post 9 in debut...MAKE SWEET MAGIC went evenly in debut.

RACE 3

- 6 GRAND FASHION** 8-5
- 2 SOUTHWIND CHERRY 4-1
- 1 QUICK STOP 2-1
- 8 GOTTA GET CRACKIN 8-1

GRAND FASHION saved ground in debut and was trotting solidly late; well bred filly could be unleashed tonight...SOUTHWIND CHERRY finished with steady late trot in debut...QUICK STOP stole her debut with cagey handling by Dunn, but she's a threat to break and she's unlikely to get away with a :58 half this time...GOTTA GET CRACKIN added hoppers and stayed flat in her second prep.

RACE 4

- 2 BLUE LOU 2-1
- 7 TICKERTAPE HANOVER 5-2
- 5 HUNGRY MAN 3-1
- 2 ANTS MARCHING 4-1

Keep in mind that my odds-line in this race for 2yo colts making their first lifetime start is my best guess. BLUE LOU looked good in both of his prep races and note that Andy took this one over the 5...TICKERTAPE HANOVER won his first prep then held well in a fast race...HUNGRY MAN improved nicely in his second prep...ANTS MARCHING Yannick took this one over the 6.

RACE 5

7 SHAVING MUG 2-1
8 IDEAL SUSPECT 7-2
9 SIX DAY WARS 4-1
4 ATOMIC REI 7-1

RACE 6

6 CULTURED 7-5
2 DIAMONDSNPEARLS 9-5
5 CAVIART LEELOO 5-1
3 CANTGETUOUTAMYMIND 5-1

CULTURED looks promising and Linda Toscano can get them ready...DIAMONDSNPEARLS looked sharp in both preps and would have gone faster on June 18 if not for strong headwinds. This could be a good match-up between these two daughters by Captaintreacherous...CAVIART LEELOO debuts for a top 2yo barn...CANTGETUOUTAMYMIND debuts for Holloway and he can get them ready at first asking.

RACE 7

4 SECRET VOLO 2-1
8 WALNER PAYTON 5-2
1 BUBZARELLIE 7-2
5 TRICK PLAY 4-1

SECRET VOLO and WALNER PAYTON both finished well in debut...BUBZARELLIE won her debut at the Meadows and was sitting in a good spot as the favorite when she broke last week...TRICK PLAY debuts for Holloway after showing steady advancement in her preps.

RACE 8

4 ILLINI DUKE 9-2
5 KINGOFTHEJUNGLE 2-1
6 LOVE YOURSELF 9-2
1 FINAL JUSTICE 5-2

ILLINI DUKE has speed and gets a key driver change to Tetrick...KINGOFTHEJUNGLE was used hard leaving in last, came back on for the place...LOVE YOURSELF ships in for good barn and gets a key driver change...FINAL JUSTICE beat similar off a good trip.

RACE 9

6 MACHDAVID 8-5
4 NOME HANOVER 3-1
7 SPOILERONTHEBEACH 7-2
2 GAMBLING ADDICTION 4-1

BEST BET: GRAND FASHION 3rd Race