

## **Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Friday, September 9**

**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 VASARI N 8-1  
1 KINGOFTHEJUNGLE 4-1  
5 SVENGALI 4-1  
8 SUNSHINE'S FINEST 8-1

VASARI N had post 7 in last at Freehold; he's 0 for 8 over this track but moves into a very weak field and gets one of the best amateur drivers; upset call in a field that lacks good current form.

#### RACE 2

1 PRETENDER 4-1  
2 TEMPORAL HANOVER 2-5  
4 KING OF THE NORTH 6-1  
4 PERICULUM 12-1

PRETENDER has raced well against TEMPORAL HANOVER and might be able to pull off a minor upset here.

#### RACE 3

9 ANNELIESE HANOVER 5-2  
1 ROCKNATION 5-1  
5 MAKE SWEET MAGIC 5-1  
4 ALEXA'S FANTASY 5-1

#### RACE 4

8 SOUTHWIND ADMIRAL 7-5  
1 EL LINCOLN 9-2  
4 AIR POWER 6-1  
6 BRACE FOR LANDING 6-1

#### RACE 5

3 CECIL CASANOVA 4-1  
6 MV OK PALACIO BR 4-1  
4 DEERFIELD BEACH 4-1  
5 CHIEF OF STAFF 4-1

#### RACE 6

4 FASHION SCHOONER 3-5  
8 JIGGY JOG S 4-1  
3 LILBITALEXIS 6-1  
1 YANABA 8-1

FASHION SCHOONER is having a big year for Jim Campbell and Fashion Farms...JIGGY JOG S went into the Hambletonian instead of the Oaks and raced well in there, then broke on the lead in last at Pocono; she's

fast enough to pose a threat to the favorite and Dunn will be leaving ink this stakes Final...LILBITALEXIS added lasix and closed gamely behind Fashion Schooner in last...YANABA holds her form.

#### RACE 7

1 LANDING STRIP 5-2  
9 DEVILISH HILL 7-2  
2 DYLDMAR 6-1  
8 MUNK 6-1

#### RACE 8

3 BLUE BAYOU DEO 6-1  
1 MISSWALNER FASHION 8-5  
2 PENELOPE J 7-2  
5 BRICKHOUSE BABE 8-1

BLUE BAYOU DEO was in tougher in last but is on an improving trend and adds lasix...MISSWALNER FASHION is sharp and looking for three in a row...PENELOPE J comes off a nice win over the track...BRICKHOUSE BABE finished with good trot in last and might be coming around now.

#### RACE 9

1 ROBERTSIN 2-1  
2 TESTING TESTING 5-2  
6 ABRUZZO 3-1  
4 STRIDE THE HILL 6-1

ROBERTSIN is in good form and can take another...TESTING TESTING got bet heavily in first start for hot barn but didn't have it; moves inside and can improve...ABRUZZO was used pretty hard to get the lead from post 8 and held gamely behind Robertsin...STRIDE THE HILL beat weaker in last but has his moments and barn has been clicking this summer.

#### RACE 10

1 BELLA BELLINI 3-5  
2 WHEN DOVESCRY 7-2  
7 NEXT LEVEL STUFF 6-1  
4 GHOSTINTHESHELL S 10-1

#### RACE 11

8 SAINT TRIXIE 4-5  
9 MIRASOL S 9-2  
1 DEFACEMENT 8-1  
5 CHECK HER OUT 10-1

#### RACE 12

6 SOUTHWIND CHERRY 5-2  
4 SWEET TACTICS 5-1  
8 QUIETLY BRILLIANT 7-1  
1 THE EMPRESS ICE 15-1

SOUTHWIND CHERRY didn't beat much at Hoosier in last but she raced okay against faster fillies here in June and July and may be best..SWEET TACTICS showed some life against similar in last...QUIETLY BRILLIANT chased faster in her first two starts and we'll get a chance to see if she can be competitive here as she faces a slower field...THE EMPRESS ICE broke in last and is hard to gauge.

#### RACE 13

7 SECRET VOLO 8-5

1 UNICORN BLUE CHIP 4-1  
5 DESTINY'S DARLING 4-1  
3 CYNICAL 6-1

RACE 14

6 ODDS ON HAIL MARY\*\* 9-1  
1 ZIRA 5-2  
9 TWO PISTOL ANNIE 3-1  
2 GAME TO GO 4-1

ODDS ON HAIL MARY prepped okay over this track a couple of times then broke at the start of her debut at Philadelphia, caught the field and was coming on at the end; gets a key driver change and can improve...ZIRA lost at even money in last at Yonkers but qualified back nicely here and could be best...TWO PISTOL ANNIE ships into hot barn off two big wins over a half mile track in Canada and gets Dunn; threat...GAME TO GO was probably in tougher in last.

BEST BET: ODDS ON HAIL MARY 14<sup>th</sup> Race