

## **Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Saturday, September 17**

**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 clear edge.**

### **Meadowlands Race Picks by Bob Pandolfo**

#### RACE 1

5 GRACELYN HANOVER 4-5  
8 NYLANDER 7-2  
6 SHINKANSEN 4-1  
1 NEVER MIND N 6-1

#### RACE 2

3 ROCKIN THE ACES\*\* 2-1  
7 HEZA REAL DIAMOND 4-1  
1 BETTERROCK 4-1  
6 MY PAL JOE 5-2

ROCKIN THE ACES drops and should go well here...HEZA REAL DIAMOND wired weaker nicely two back then left from post 9 and got used hard parked the mile in last, actually didn't tire that badly considering; gets a driver change and a better post...BETTERROCK had bad spots in his last two starts at Yonkers, beat similar the last time he raced over this track and has a shot here...MY PAL JOE drops and fits well here.

#### RACE 3

2 DONTPASSME HANOVER 2-1  
7 COPPER TEEN 3-1  
1 STONEBRIDGE REEF 7-2  
5 TWIN B DELUXE 7-1

DONTPASSME HANOVER drops, gets a better spot and driver change...COPPER TEEN ships in sharp from Yonkers...STONEBRIDGE REEF comes off a solid placing at this level, although I think this field is a bit faster...TWIN B DELUXE was over his head in last at Tioga; has something to prove around two turns.

#### RACE 4

9 FLANAGAN DESTINY 5-1  
5 MUSKINGUM 10-1  
1 ZLATAN 5-1  
2 TEQUILA N ROSES 5-1

#### RACE 5

5 BRUCE'S MAGIC 4-1  
6 ROPE THE MOON 4-1  
10 INSTANTANEOUS 6-1  
4 FINAL JUSTICE 6-1

#### RACE 6

6 DOUBLE ACCOUNT 2-1  
5 AMBASSADOR HANOVER 2-1  
2 BALLENCIAGA 4-1  
3 JL CRUZE 5-1

DOUBLE ACCOUNT stepped up to this level and raced gamely behind a classy trotter...AMABASSADOR HANOVER looms the one to beat at this level...BALLENCIAGA raced well behind the top pick in last...JL CRUZE was a nice overlay winner at 2.90-1 in a race where he should have been odds-on; classy veteran steps up now.

#### RACE 7

4 DECISION DAY 2-1  
1 BIG CHIC MAGNET 5-2  
5 PALOMAR 4-1  
6 TRASHYTONGUETALKER 7-1

DECISION DAY classy veteran drops and gets a better post...BIG CHIC MAGNET won his last start over this track at this level...PALOMAR drops and should improve in this field...TRASHYTONGUETALKER beat weaker gamely.

#### RACE 8

6 CLIFFHANOVER 2-1  
3 SOUTHWIND ONYX 7-2  
2 NEEDLESS TO SAY 4-1  
4 ROCKS NOBLE ARTIST 4-1

#### RACE 9

9 CRYSTAL FASHION 2-1  
5 CINDY MICHELLE 3-1  
6 FIX-IT-UP 7-2  
4 TOCCOA FALLS 14-1

CRYSTAL FASHION classy veteran battled gamely against a classy veteran in last...CINDY MICHELLE drops to a level where she should go well...FIX-IT-UP crushed weaker from off the pace; steps up looking for his third straight and is clearly in career form now...TOCCOA FALLS gets cagey veteran driver tonight.

#### RACE 10

3 CAPTAIN BARBOSSA 2-1  
2 ONE EIGHT HUNDRED 8-5  
5 MAJOR FERNCO N 3-1  
4 THE DARK SHADOW 7-1

CAPTAIN BARBOSSA had post 10 off a three month layoff in first start for the Bongiorno barn; speedy pacer hasn't been that sharp so far this year but he can be tough against this type...ONE EIGHT HUNDRED was used hard to get the lead, set the pace and held gamely to be second best in first try for Burke; key rival...MAJOR FERNCO N raced well in his first start over this track...THE DARK SHADOW is in good form, tries tougher.

#### RACE 11

4 ALKIPPE 5-2  
4 WOODMERE HARRIET 8-1  
2 J ROCKIN B 9-1  
9 KAT 10-1

ALKIPPE had no shot in a fast race last time but the last two times she raced at this level she won...WOODMERE HARRIET had a tough spot in last; took her mark over this track and has a shot at a price here...J ROCKIN B is another one that could go well at a price, she went first over and won the last time she was at this level over this track...KAT is a hard one to figure. She ships in from Canada with no form and she rarely wins but this is a key trainer change into the sport's leading barn.

RACE 12

8 APRIL AVA 2-1

5 SUNDAY AFTERNOON 5-2

10 SLY ELEANOR N 9-2

3 FLOSSIE N 7-1

RACE 13

6 BETTORS DONTTELL 4-1

3 LOU'S PEARLMAN 8-5

4 BILLY CLYDE 2-1

1 IMAGINARY LINE 9-2

RACE 14

6 BACI BACI

9 ONE MORE TRY

4 GRATEFUL KISS

2 MAKE IT BIG

I'm leaving a line off this race on purpose, it's a weak field and hard to put a line on. BACI BACI broke from post 10 in last; drops and gets a key driver change...ONE MORE TRY finished well in last and gets a key driver change...GRATEFUL KISS raced well from post 9 two back...MAKE IT BIG best needed.

BEST BET: ROCKIN THE ACES 2<sup>nd</sup> Race