

Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Friday, March 10

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

4 MV OK PALACIO BR 5-2
3 PICTONIAN THUNDER 7-2
6 JERRYSTONE 4-1
1 STOLEN ART 6-1

MV OK PALACIO BR comes out of the faster GSY races...PICTONIAN THUNDER had a tough trip in a race he needed...JERRYSTONE can get the lead...STOLEN ART moves inside, best needed.

RACE 2

3 BET BIG ON BLUE 2-1
2 GOES DOWN SMOOTH 5-2
6 LINDYS BOOZE CRUZ 3-1
7 GOLDEN CROSS STONE 7-2

RACE 3

2 C IS FOR COOKIE 8-5
9 WINE N DINE ME 5-2
3 MARGOT HANOVER 7-2
6 TWO PROUD 4-1

C IS FOR COOKIE well bred filly qualified sharp twice although as she was taking the lead in the two path in her second qualifier she did go off stride briefly. She got back on stride and drew clear but that's a concern with what I expect to be a short price here...WINE N DINE ME is by far the most accomplished pacer in this race but hasn't raced since November. Her second qualifier was improved...MARGOT HANOVER raced well at Pocono in return and could be ready for better...TWO PROUD finished off her 3yo season with a couple of nice wins at Pocono and is a threat if ready.

RACE 4

4 MATT SO SURE** 5-1
10 VIOLENCE 8-5
8 HEADOVERBOOTS AS 4-1
9 KELLY'S BABY 5-1

MATT SO SURE ships in from Yonkers and picks up a Hall of Fame driver, took his mark over this track last year...VIOLENCE got up by a nose to beat similar in last; that was his second start off a long layoff and he might be ready for a faster mile...HEADOVERBOOTS AS is in form and gets a better post...KELLY'S BABY was weakening when she made a break in last; has speed but miscued in last two starts.

RACE 5

3 CAPTAIN'S REIGN 7-2
10 TEXAS TERROR N 7-2
2 BILBO HANOVER 7-2
8 SMILEANDSAYCHEESE 6-1

CAPTAIN'S REIGN finally gets an inside post while in good form...TEXAS TERROR N was sharp beating similar in last two...BILBO HANOVER is in form...SMILEANDSAYCHEESE comes off an improved effort.

RACE 6

6 NYLANDER 5-2
4 ROCK OF CASHEL 4-1
9 FIT BITT 9-2
8 DELTASUN A 6-1

NYLANDER comes off an improved effort and picks up Tetrick...ROCK OF CASHEL also comes off an improved effort and picks up Dunn...FIT BITT fits well here despite the post...DELTASUN A is better than last.

RACE 7

8 SETONCRUISECONTROL 10-1
2 SOUTHWIND BRONN 6-5
4 BANK SEA 4-1
11 ROCKABILLY CHARM 11-1

SETONCRUISECONTROL gets a key driver change and the last time he was in this class he raced okay in a faster field than this...SOUTHWIND BRONN looks like the one to beat with Dunn...BANK SEA gets a better post and would have been my top pick with a catch driver...ROCKABILLY CHARM best needed.

RACE 8

4 ONECROOKEDLEG 6-5
2 VIRTUAL SUCCESS 7-2
3 BE BEST 4-1
9 A BETTER GAME 8-1

ONECROOKEDLEG was in a tough spot 10th at the half in last and gained ground willingly with a wide rally...VIRTUAL SUCCESS drops and is better than last...BE BEST was used hard leaving to a :26 opener then made another move and held the show...A BETTER GAME drops and picks up Gingras.

RACE 9

5 MUSCLEDOVER 8-5
1 TAD KRAZY HANOVER 2-1
3 GOTWUTEVERITTAKES 3-1
8 ZLATAN 8-1

MUSCLEDOVER qualified with the hobbles off and looked good breezing along on the lead. He's only raced here once and he was first over against better in that race, lures Gingras off a Burke horse and will probably take the money for hot barn...TAD KRAZY HANOVER broke in her second start off the bench but gets a big driver change to Dunn and she won two in a row the last time he was in the bike...GOTWUTEVERITTAKES had a tough trip, then broke in last; drops and is a threat on one of his good effort...ZLATAN hasn't raced since a dull effort on January 13, probably needs this.

RACE 10

8 FIGHTING EVIL 5-1
7 FOX VALLEY EXPLOIT 2-1
6 LADY ROCKNROLLA A 5-2
4 KAITLYN N 6-1

RACE 11

6 ALL ALONE 8-5
5 IDIOSYNCRATIC 9-5

1 THIRD PILLAR 9-2
2 EL YERNO 9-2

RACE 12

1 SWAN CAROL 4-1
5 JARA 4-1
4 IFNOTMEWHO 4-1
6 MR MULLINIKS 9-1

RACE 13

1 ILLINI DUKE 4-1
6 CHEYENNE REIJANE 4-1
4 BET THE LIMIT 4-1
3 SPECTACULAR SUNSET 4-1

RACE 14

2 ALKIPPE 2-1
6 ONE MORE TRY 7-2
9 STARLITSSIMPLE RIG 5-1
1 TOPVILLE RHONDA 5-1

BEST BET: MATT SO SURE 4th Race