

**Pandy's Meadowlands \$0.50 cent Pick 4, (\$50,000 Guaranteed Pool, 15% Takeout)
Saturday, January 20**

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2024: 3 Pick Fours, 0 won, 3 lost, minus \$90.00.

2023: 80 Pick Fours, 15 won, 65 lost, minus \$716.40.

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Saturday, December 3, 2022, I spent more than I usually do, \$72.00 total on two tickets, because I thought it was an interesting sequence, and my \$67.50 bigger ticket hit the Pick 4 for \$744.35. My Best Bet, Big Chic Magnet, was one of the winners and it paid \$16.80. Friday night, June 3, my \$36.00 ticket hit for \$686.20 as veteran trotter JL Cruze really helped as my top pick, paying \$20.20 (he should have been around 2-1). Saturday night, February 19, I hit the Pick 4 on a \$36.00 ticket and it paid \$1113.05.

Final record for 2022: 78 Pick Fours, 13 won, 65 lost, plus \$1753.00.

I hit the Pick 4 twenty one times in 2021. Final 2021 record: 92 pick fours, 21 won, 71 lost, plus \$240.60. I hit the Pick 4 eight times in 2020, a solid year with a nice profit. Meet record for year ending 2020: 54 pick fours, 8 won, 46 lost, plus \$885.30.

Tonight's tickets:

\$0.50 cent ticket: 23/347/156,10/478 = \$36.00

\$0.50 cent ticket: 23/7/156,10/78 = \$8.00

Race 6: Fika Time might be up to this, third off the long layoff, but I'll also use Full Horse as he ships in sharp.

Race 7: Hot Mess Express would normally be a single here but the driver is a provisional driver, so I'll include two others on my main ticket, 3, 4, 7.

Race 8: This is a wide open pace so I'll use all four of my listed contenders, 1, 5, 6, 10.

Race 9: This is a interesting race. I'm going to try three 4, 7, 8 on my main ticket.

