## Pandy's Meadowlands $\mathbf{\$ 0 . 5 0}$ cent Pick 4, (\$50,000 Guaranteed Pool, 15\% Takeout) Friday, February 9

Tough beat on Friday as my pick in the $9^{\text {th }}$ just got nailed by a longshot. Saturday night I was ticked off at myself for not including all 4 of my listed contenders in the $8^{\text {th }}$ because I had the other 3 races and it paid pretty well.

2024: 9 Pick Fours, 1 won, 8 lost, minus $\$ 85.10$. Winning ticket paid $\$ 233.90$.
2023: 80 Pick Fours, 15 won, 65 lost, minus $\$ 716.40$. I finished in the red for the year 2023 in my Pick 4's. This was disappointing since I showed a profit in the last three years. Hitting 15 out of 80 was pretty good but I needed one or two big payoffs, which didn't happen. My biggest hits in 2023 were $\$ 247.25, \$ 220.55$ and $\$ 196.80$.

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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: $245 / 5,10 / 37 / 359=\$ 18.00$
$\$ 1.00$ ticket: $245 / 5,10 / 7 / 3=\$ 6.00$
Race 6: This is a competitive trot. I'm going to use $2,4,5$.
Race 7: I'm going with the two here and keep my fingers crossed, 5, 10.
Race 8: Lisa Lane really should win this at a short price but has a young driver so I'll include Corsini A with Dunn. 3, 7

Race 9: Mon Amour is going to be a single on one of my tickets but not on all, but that's mainly because of the young driver. I'm going to have to use Outside The Fire and Some Chapter on my main ticket.

