Pandy's Meadowlands \$0.50 cent Pick 4, (\$50,000 Guaranteed Pool, 15% Takeout) Saturday, February 10

Tough beat on Friday as my pick in the 9th 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 8th 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: 568/49/89/89 = \$12.00 \$1.00 ticket: 56/49/89/89 = \$16.00 \$0.50 cent ticket: 1568/49/89/89 = \$16.00

Race 6: JK Lucky Charms and Desire's Captain are the two obvious sharp horses but I think Like Clockwork can improve.

Race 7: The favorite, Homestretch Wes, looks pretty good here but I'm using two, 4, 9.

Race 8: This could be a tricky race but I think the down under import Keayang Kamikaze A is probably ready, and Great Somewhere needed last. On my main ticket I'm using 2, 3, 8, 9.

Race 9: Naturally Gifted qualified sharply and Stellar Yankee steps up in rare form.