## Pandy's Meadowlands $\mathbf{\$ 0 . 5 0}$ cent Pick 4, (\$50,000 Guaranteed Pool, 15\% Takeout) Friday, April 27

I had a strong two nights last week, with 12 top winners and a $\$ 22.80$ winner, but I didn't include enough horses in one of the legs Friday and missed a very nice overlaid Pick 4 even though I had a $\$ 22.80$ "single" in the last leg. Minus $\$ 40.00$ for the two nights.

2024: 31 Pick Fours, 4 won, 27 lost, minus $\$ 504.45$. Winning tickets paid $\$ 233.90, \$ 119.05$, $\$ 133.50$ and $\$ 30.10$.

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 $\$ 196.80$.

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 18 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 $\$ 196.80$.

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:
$\$ 3.00$ ticket: $136 / 4 / 2 / 57=\$ 18.00$

Race 6: This is pretty competitive for a 6 horse field...1, 3, 6 .
Race 7: Nice race, but I do think that Primary Colors has the edge.
Race 8: Captain Crusader A gets a better post and may be all set now.
Race 9: My top pick is Its Saturday Night but McCrunch may make a fight of it.

