

**Pandy's Meadowlands \$0.50 cent Pick 4, (\$50,000 Guaranteed Pool, 15% Takeout) Friday, April 26**

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.

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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: 13/46/12/2468 = \$16.00

**Race 6:** Chucky Hanover was used pretty hard in last and may have needed the race. Air Guitar gets a better spot.

**Race 7:** Pencils Down broke in last and went down at 4/5. The American Eagle finished well in an improved effort.

**Race 8:** In The Spotlight had a tough trip in last; looks ready now. Village Jade ships in from Yonkers and fits well here.

**Race 9:** This is a competitive race. I'll use all four of my listed contenders, 2, 4, 6, 8.

