Pandy’s Meadowlands Selections for Friday, April 19

Note: My odds-line for my top four contenders is based on what I think each horse’s chances are to win the race. For instance, if I make a horse 4-1, I think the horse’s chances of winning are about 20%, so if the same exact race was run ten times, he’d win it twice. If I make all of the horses about the same odds, that’s an indication that I think the race is wide open, or that I can’t pinpoint a horse that appears to have a clear edge.

Meadowlands Race Picks
by Bob Pandolfo

RACE 1
6 IN NEVADA N 5-2
4 HARRY HANOVER 5-2
5 CLOUDBREAK 10-1
2 STOLEN ART 13-1

IN NEVADA N rallied gamely in an improved effort in last...HARRY HANOVER left, yielded and was shuffled back in tight quarters...CLOUDBREAK had a tough parked out trip in last; gets better post...STOLEN ART isn’t a reliable horse but he didn’t have a good trip in last and was coming on late.

RACE 2
2 PINEBUSHDRAGONROLL 5-2
3 BETTER THAN SOME 2-1
1 BARRIER 6-1
6 CAPTAIN TERMINATOR 8-1

RACE 3
3 ROLLINWITDAPONYZZZ 1-1
7 XMARXTHESPOT 5-2
5 HELLO ROCKY 8-1
6 TRANSFER THE ERA 8-1

ROLLINWITDAPONYZZZ chased a sharp three-peat winner in a better field last week...XMARXTHESPOT hasn’t won since 2022 but drops and might be the main rival here.

RACE 4
1 CLAYTONS BETTOR N** 5-1
7 JUST A ROCKET MAN 7-5
2 MISTER GODRO 5-1
8 PRIVATE SCOTT 6-1

CLAYTONS BETTOR N seems to be in pretty good form and gets a catch driver tonight...JUST A ROCKET MAN looks for his 4th straight win and even though this isn’t that good of a field, I still think it’s a better field than the one he beat last week...MISTER GODRO showed some life in last and driver Todd McCarthy took him over DYNOMIATES PEAK...PRIVATE SCOTT hasn’t been consistent but he fits here on one of his better efforts.

RACE 5
8 LACIE MAGUIRE N 2-1
5 TIDAL SHARK 7-2
2 ATTA BOY DAN 5-1
6 FURIOUS BEACH 6-1
LACHINE MAGUIRE N has been facing faster horses and I’ll give him top billing here...TIDAL SHARK was beaten at 6/5 in last but rallied for the place...ATTA BOY DAN chased a much the best winner home second beset...FURIOUS BEACH won a slow race with a big 4th quarter rally.

**RACE 6**

4 MAJOR BATTLE 5-1  
1 SHAKE IT TWICE 5-1  
2 LETS RYDE GIRL 5-1  
5 WINDSUN MOJITO 5-1

MAJOR BATTLE left, took an early tuck and had late pace in local return; seems as good as any in this wide open fillies and mares race.

**RACE 7**

4 PENCILS DOWN 6-5  
3 UNIQUE KEMP 4-1  
7 STONE MASON 5-1  
6 WHATS THE WORD 7-1

PENCILS DOWN wired similar at 1-2 odds in last...UNIQUE KEMP gets a better post and finished well in her last two starts...STONE MASON didn’t have a good trip from post 9 in last, rallied...WHATS THE WORD comes off an improved effort.

**RACE 8**

3 ROCK JAGGER 7-2  
8 DEALER’S TABLE 10-1  
7 KISSINBYTHEBEACHES 4-1  
6 ROCKABILLY CHARM 8-1

ROCK JAGGER is no world beater but might be in a good spot moving into the amateur driver races...DEALER’S TABLE is the fastest of these when right but recent form is suspect...KISSINBYTHEBEACHES fits well here...ROCKABILLY CHARM seems better than last.

**RACE 9**

9 JL CRUZE 3-1  
6 INSTAGRAM MODEL 8-5  
5 DULY RESOLVED 7-2  
1 DONATO PATRIOT K 6-1

JL CRUZE classy veteran comes off an improved effort...INSTAGRAM MODEL takes a key drop off a race she needed....DULY RESOLVED drops and should show more...DONATO PATRIOT K was the odds-on favorite at Yonkers and Pocono in his last two starts and wasn’t close but fits with these.

**RACE 10**

4 MISS LIMELIGHT N 2-1  
5 PATTYCAKE MOOSS 7-2  
6 HEAVENS SHOWGIRL 4-1  
2 ROCK MY SOCKS 9-2

**RACE 11**

5 CHARMING VIXEN 7-2  
9 ALMOST KAREN 4-1  
1 CORSINI A 5-1  
8 TESLA POWER 6-1
RACE 12
5 LINDY'S COYOTITO 2-1
2 CHAPALONIA 2-1
4 LOVELY HEART 6-1
6 CROWN MONARCH 8-1

LINDY'S COYOTITO qualified well for a barn that can have them ready...CHAPALONIA was starting to put things together in her last four starts of the year and could be tough to beat if ready.

RACE 13
4 SWEETEST BELLE 2-1
5 MISS MAJESTY 2-1
2 SHEZAFREAKLIKEEME 4-1
6 BENICIO 6-1

SWEETEST BELLE takes a key drop...MISS MAJESTY ships in from Pocono where she won her last three starts at the same NW4 level; this looks like a tougher field but she's sharp for a live barn...SHEZAFREAKLIKEEME drops and she can go with these if she turns in one of her better efforts...BENICIO has the trainer in the bike but needed last and fits well here.

RACE 14
2 FASHION FOREVER 4-1
10 HOLY BEING 4-1
5 LA MAGIC 5-1
4 SHINKASEN 6-1

BEST BET: CLAYTONS BETTOR N 4th Race