

Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Friday, June 28

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

5 GAZOO 2-1
9 MARTY MONKHOUSER A 3-1
4 KISSINBYTHEBEACHES 7-2
8 DANDY IDEA 4-1

RACE 2

3 HIDALGO 8-5
5 FRANK LEAHY 5-2
1 NOBLE WINE 7-2
2 BLUE CARTIER 4-1

HIDALGO prepped well for Burke and Gingras took this one over three others in this 2yo maiden trot race as the Kindergarten Series gets underway.

RACE 3

5 MARYLAND 6-5
6 MR WALNER FASHION 5-2
3 TACTICAL DYNASTY 4-1
1 SAFE TALK 9-2

MARYLAND set the pace and trotted home in :27.2 in his last prep...MR WALNER FASHION broke in his first prep race but won in quick time in his second...TACTICAL DYNASTY Gingras took this one over the other two Burke horses...SAFE TALK prepped well for Burke.

RACE 4

8 ASCENDANCE 8-5
3 DURATION 2-1
6 ODDS ON YOU 5-2
7 SIMPLY PERFECT 9-2

Kindergarten Series 2yo pacers here and it looks like there are some nice prospects in this race...ASCENDANCE has prepped sharply for trainer Linda Toscano and Zeron took this one over another filly who prepped sharply...DURATION appears to have talent and has Dunn in the bike for the Tony Alagna barn...ODDS ON YOU shows two sharp preps but Zeron took the 8 instead...SIMPLY PERFECT picked it up nicely in his second prep.

RACE 5

3 SMOKEN BOB 6-5
5 PARIS PISTOL 5-2
1 GANNON'S VELOCITY 9-2
7 MANOLETE 6-1

SMOKEN BOB looked sharp for Toscano dropping 4 seconds in his second prep...PAPIS PISTOL showed solid improvement in his second and third prep races and looks ready for a big effort.

RACE 6

5 NAMASTE HANOVER 2-1
9 RAILROAD STATION 5-2
8 WORLD BEATER 7-2
2 BEANZY FRESH 6-1

NAMASTE HANOVER prepped well over the track...RAILROAD STATION won both his prep races for Burke...WORLD BEATER improved sharply in his second prep race...BEANZY FRESH came home nicely in last.

RACE 7

10 EMPEREURTHEBEST FR 4-1
2 FASHION CANTAB 4-1
7 JIVE NINETY FIVE 5-1
4 ZLATAN 6-1

RACE 8

2 GEMINI EXPRESS 8-5
8 CARIBBEAN SPORTS 10-1
5 BIG BAD BILL 5-2
3 BIBLE THUMPER 10-1

GEMINI EXPRESS is fast and fit...CARIBBEAN SPORTS is a 3yo facing older horses and moving up in class but he may have turned a corner last week with a sharp upset win from post 10...BIG BAD BILL has been in good form and has speed...BIBLE THUMPER had a tough trip from post 9, held okay.

RACE 9

4 JUST A ROCKET MAN 8-5
8 WAY TO CLOSE 5-2
10 MAJORLY SEXY A 4-1
6 WARRAWEE YANKEE 5-1

JUST A ROCKET MAN looked good in his first start for new barn as he was used hard leaving in :26 flat from post 9, yielded and came on again for the win...WAY TO CLOSE is in form and can leave...MAJORLY SEXY A gets Yogi back in the bike...WARRAWEE YANKEE is been racing well.

RACE 10

4 HEREITTIZ** 4-1
7 AIR GUITAR 5-2
2 NATIONAL SPORT 4-1
1 VANDALISM 6-1

HEREITTIZ ships in from Pocono making his second start off a barn change and gets Andy McCarthy in the bike tonight; upset call.

RACE 11

3 PL PORTIA 8-5
5 PHELGON 5-2
1 FLAMBOYANCE 4-1
4 QUEEN SUN RYSER 9-2

PL PORTIA has raced well in all three starts for new barn. Last week she made an early move, brushed to the lead at the half, carved out a lively pace and held well for the show in one of the best efforts of her career.

RACE 12

4 DONTKARENIFIDO 8-1
5 ABSOLUTE POWER 2-1
6 SWEET CHEYANNE 4-1
8 AVF CLAIRE 5-1

DONTKARENIFIDO gets Stratton back in the bike and beat similar including the ML favorite the last time Stratton was in the bike...ABSOLUTE POWER was used hard leaving in last and may be tough to beat here...SWEET CHEYANNE ships in and gets a Hall of Fame driver...AVF CLAIRE has turned in some solid miles this month.

RACE 13

6 MONEY MATTERS 7-5
2 UNO MAS BLUE CHIP 9-2
5 SWAN CAPTAIN 5-1
7 TAILGATE BUZZ 6-1

RACE 14

2 CHAPARMBRO 9-5
3 BELLA'S MUSCLEHILL 2-1
8 DIPLOMACY 4-1
5 ALAMO MISSION 9-1

BEST BET: HEREITTIZ 10th Race