

## **Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Saturday, 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**

- 2 SEA ISLE CITY 2-1
- 3 SPINDOCTOR HANOVER 5-2
- 6 DUDDIE'S LOR 3-1
- 8 FENDI HANOVER 7-2

SEA ISLE CITY shipped in from Dover two back and had a lot of pace in traffic, was bet down to 6/5 against a similar field last week and drew clear in a sharp performance...SPINDOCTOR HANOVER shipped in from Canada two back and improved sharply for new barn; steps up two levels off a romping win...DUDDIE'S LOR is a solid veteran in good form...FENDI HANOVER has won three in row and has a shot in a competitive race to start the proceedings.

#### **RACE 2**

- 7 WINTER SOLDIER 8-5
- 8 CHIPPER DALE 5-2
- 5 LUKE'S BAR 7-2
- 1 ROCKET MAN HILL 4-1

WINTER SOLDIER hasn't raced in a month but takes a key drop for a barn that usually has them ready...CHIPPER DALE had a good 3yo season with 11 wins and has come back well with 4 wins in 9 starts including a game wire to wire win here last week...LUKE'S BAR gets a better post and will be closing...ROCKET MAN HILL left and was 2<sup>nd</sup> to CHIPPER DALE in last.

#### **RACE 3**

- 5 OUTCRY 7-5
- 4 LINCOLN BOULEVARD 5-2
- 2 GOTTA MINUTE N 6-1
- 10 BARBOSSA HANOVER 8-1

OUTCRY only has 2 wins the last two years but gets Bartlett while in good form...LINCOLN BOULEVARD drops and gets a big driver change coming out of the amateur driver races...GOTTA MINUTE N is better than last...BARBOSSA HANOVER may show early speed here.

#### **RACE 4**

- 8 SHES A STREAKER 6-5
- 4 PLEASE BE YOU 5-2
- 1 AMERICA HANOVER 3-1
- 3 BEACH BABE 6-1

SHES A STREAKER raced well against some good fields last year and is fastest if ready; qualified nicely for Burke and Gingras took this one over the 3...PLEASE BE YOU comes off a good closing win over a weaker field...AMERICA HANOVER qualified well for Tatker, makes her first career start, and note that Beckwith took this filly over PLEASE BE YOU, a filly he won with last week...BEACH BABE gets Dunn in the bike for Burke.

#### RACE 5

6 SMOOTH DREAM 8-5  
5 ODDS ON BROWARD 5-2  
8 TWIN FURY 3-1  
4 BULLDOZER 7-2

SMOOTH DREAM raced well in all three starts last year and returns off a sharp qualifier for good barn...ODDS ON BROWARD rallied to win at 31-1 as one of the biggest overlays of the year last week; he was 6-1 on my odds line...TWIN B FURY left to the early lead from post 7, yielded and had pace in traffic late...BULLDOZER raced okay in start two and can keep improving.

#### RACE 6

8 GRAND CAYMAN 5-1  
3 MAXIM HANOVER 5-2  
9 EFFINGHAM 5-1  
2 PRIMARY COLORS 5-1

GRAND CAYMAN ships in sharp for live barn and gets Beckwith; upset call in a competitive race...MAXIM HANOVER drops off a good first over effort and beat similar two back...EFFINGHAM is another sharp Dover Downs shipper and he's capable of leaving...PRIMARY COLORS consistent sort has been racing well at this level.

#### RACE 7

7 ALWAYS B COLOUR IR 8-5  
9 T H TYSON 5-2  
6 HANDSOME STRANGER 7-2  
4 TOM HORN 4-1

ALWAYS B COLOUR IR colorful horse set his own pace and was an easy winner in his U.S. debut...T H TYSON was a decent two year old but only raced twice last year and showed nothing. He returned for his 4yo season at Philadelphia last week, was 8<sup>th</sup>, twelve lengths behind at the half, a seemingly impossible spot, but stormed home for the win...HANDSOME STRANGER raced well in both starts this year and has a shot here...TOM HORN is still a maiden but hit the board in 9 of 13 starts as a two year old and he fits well here for Burke.

#### RACE 8

9 BOBCAT BAY\*\* 5-1  
10 TARANAKI 7-5  
6 SWIMWITHTHECURRENT 6-1  
1 HAGGARD 12-1

BOBCAT BAY picked up Beckwith, left and was shuffled out in last...TARANAKI worked his way to the lead from post 10 and drew off to an impressive win against similar last wee...SWIMWITHTHECURRENT steps up off a good closing win...HAGGARD gets a better spot.

#### RACE 9

5 MADRID A 8-1  
6 ALWAYS IN FLIGHT 7-2  
9 ABSOLUTE POWER 9-2  
1 HERS HUNGRY 9-2-1

MADRID A never got into the race last start; faces a softer field this week...ALWAYS IN FLIGHT set a pressured pace and drew clear to beat weaker gamely and may be tough again...ABSOLUTE POWER was

used hard and shuffled in last...HERS HUNGRY showed little from post 10 in her first start of the year; she's better than that and a threat here.

#### RACE 10

2 GEM QUALITY 8-5

3 MANOLETE 2-1

7 ZEPPOLE HANOVER 5-2

5 ITS SATURDAY NIGHT 4-1

GEM QUALITY qualified well for a good layoff barn and has a class edge here. It's hard to say what kind of drive he'll get, as top driver Dexter Dunn often isn't that aggressive with horses coming off layoffs...MANOLETE was a solid 2yo who has the potential to be a sub 1:50 pacer. He looks well prepped with two good qualifiers for return and could be fastest here. This is a similar situation to Gem Quality, as talented driver Scott Zeron often isn't that aggressive with horses coming off layoffs...ZEPPOLE HANOVER looks like the one to catch...ITS SATURDAY NIGHT finished gamely in his first start back; Dunn took the 2 over this one.

#### RACE 11

6 DEAN B HANOVER 9-5

1 BELMONT ROYALE N 2-1

10 JOEMIKIYOURSOFINE 7-2

7 DE LA HOYA HOVER 8-1

#### RACE 12

10 HERVEY HANOVER 8-5

3 I'LL HUNT YOUR DOWN 5-2

4 WARRAWEE TOTAL 7-2

6 ROCKIN THE ACES 4-1

#### RACE 13

2 BOLD SPIRIT 7-2

9 LITE N SWEET 4-1

4 FOX VALLEY REN 9-2

10 BAILEYS ROCK N 10-1

#### RACE 14

7 SUNSHINE'S FINEST 2-1

3 NATIONAL SPORT 2-1

5 CAPTAIN PLANET 6-1

6 HOUND ON THE BEACH 6-1

BEST BET: BOBCAT BAY 8<sup>th</sup> Race