

Pandy's Meadowlands Selections for Thursday, December 11

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

4 BLUE JEAN BABY 6-5
3 PINEBUSH SWEETLIFE 4-1
1 CUTTING HUMOR 8-1
9 SANTAFE'S MJ 17-1

BLUE JEAN BABY has 4 wins this year and rallied to beat similar over this track two back, then was in way too tough last start...PINEBUSH SWEETLIFE has 3 wins this year and that alone makes her a contender in this field. If you take out the 3 and 4, the other eight pacers have a combined total of 1 win in 177 starts this year...CUTTING HUMOR moves inside and gets Beckwith.

RACE 2

3 DROP THE MIC 2-1
2 SWANCREDIT 4-1
1 IMMACULATE PRAYER 7-1
4 KNICKKNACK HANOVER 12-1

DROP THE MIC picks up Beckwith and I'll give him the nod in a weak field...SWANCREDIT ships in from Monticello off back to back placings and has 3 wins over this track...IMMACULATE PRAYER drops and moves inside...KNICKKNACK HANOVER showed some life in her 2nd qualifier.

RACE 3

2 ABBYS DANCE 7-5
6 COVER THE CROWN 7-2
3 SHE STINGS 4-1
4 HOUSE BLEND 7-1

ABBYS DANCE was used hard leaving from post 8 in last; can work out an easier trip here...COVER THE CROWN finished willingly in her first start since June and could get more aggressive off that tightener...SHE STINGS worked out a good trip in last and was 2nd...HOUSE BLEND gets a better post.

RACE 4

8 BEACON BEACH** 5-2
5 KINGPIN HANOVER 5-2
1 VELOCIRAPTOR 7-2
4 AARDIE'S PEAK N 7-1

BEACON BEACH had no shot in last, left two back and was shuffled with trot; drops...KINGPIN HANOVER was 2nd against similar in his last two starts and may be the favorite here...VELOCIRAPTOR had an impossible trip last start; moves inside...AARDIE'S PEAK N mare broke again last week; most likely fits with these if she can stay on stride.

RACE 5

3 RONA MAE 5-2
5 DEAR ABBEY 2-1
4 DREAM PILLAR 7-2
7 SWEET SANDY 9-2

RONA MAE gets a big driver change and a better spot...DEAR ABBEY ships in off a good try at Yonkers and can take all...DREAM PILLAR raced gamely at this level in last...SWEET SANDY steps up off a game win.

RACE 6

6 BIG EGO 2-1
8 RIDER HANOVER 5-2
7 BOBBY G 4-1
2 WATCHFIRE 6-1

BIG EGO rallied to beat similar in last and moves into live barn...RIDER HANOVER won his debut at Philadelphia, steps up but seems likely to go well here...BOBBY G is in form...WATCHFIRE best needed.

RACE 7

10 CLEAR FOR LANDING 2-1
2 SUNBURNT SILVERADO 5-2
8 MESSENGER H ANOVER 5-1
5 FIFTYSHADESOFBLU 6-1

CLEAR FOR LANDING now has 7 wins in 12 starts including a win against similar in his first start over this track...SUNBURNT SILVERADO ships in from Illinois, adds lasix; hasn't raced in a month but has 10 wins in 15 starts this year and steps up sharp.

RACE 8

5 DRYDEN HANOVER 5-2
6 AARDIEBYTHEHILL N 2-1
7 TOM SWIFTY 7-2
8 ROCK MY UNIVERSE 4-1

DRYDEN HANOVER ships in sharp and draws well...AARDIEBYTHEHILL N comes off a game effort against similar...TOM SWIFTY ships in and should fit well here...ROCK MY UNIVERSE steps up in good form.

RACE 9

7 HEY PORTER 5-2
8 A REAL LEGEND 8-5
1 SCUDO HANOVER 4-1
4 TOP MAST 9-2

RACE 10

3 D'WOOD 7-5
11 BENNY J 5-2
6 BOURBONISTA S 4-1
5 YOU DONT OWN ME 7-1

RACE 11

5 THE WILL TO PLAY 3-5
2 LYONS LIBERTY 4-1
10 BORN TO DANCE 8-1
3 LOORRIM LAKE A 8-1

RACE 12

1 BRIGHTEN YOUR LIFE 2-1

5 GIRL ALMIGHTY 7-2

8 CATCH SOME SUN 4-1

3 YO JO 8-1

BEST BET: BEACON BEACH 4th Race