

# The Professor's Picks

Handicapping Selections for The Meadows, brought to you by the Meadows Standardbred Owners Association

# **FRIDAY, JANUARY 26**

# RACE 1

- 1 PATRIKTHEPIRANHA Drops in class and draws inside
- 3 AMERICAN FLING Third in this class last week
- 6 SEEYOU AT THEBEACH Working his way back up in class
- 4 WEHADABABYETZABOY Costly break last week in Ohio

#### RACE 2

- 8 JB VELVET If she has gate speed, today's the day to use it
- 6 SISTER SWELL Makes first start on Lasix
- 4 MARI Hasn't raced in a month, may need a start
- 5 SHOW THE WILL In good form right now

#### RACE 3

- 2 BIG PLACE Strong return to action after layoff
- 6 PATRIOT WAY Last 2 starts have been good
- 8 TWENTYSEVENBELOW Had plenty of late pace last time
- 3 SHOOTERS DREAM Tried the front last week, got caught late

#### RACE 4

- 2 PAYCHECK Very sharp right now, fast mile last time on a slow track
- 1 DINNER PARTY Impressive win last week in return after 15 months off
- 5 GLORYVIEW IMAGE Yet another contender here, but has been off a month
- 9 DIEHL Proven winner in this class, but gets the worst post
- 3 DIVAS DRAGON No worse than third lately, but faces tough group

## RACE 5

- 2 MATT'S CHOICE 1-for-1 in the 7000 class
- 1 KERRIN JOSEPH Tough trip last week after early break
- 7 CATCHME IF YOU CAN Moves to an outside post today
- 3 BEACH HOUSE Scratched last time, has been off over 3 weeks

# RACE 6

- 1 EXPRESSO JOE Needed last start after missing 6 weeks
- 3 HOLD MY DRIINK Up in class after a win
- 5 FEARLESS FURY Newcomer makes local debut for new barn
- 6 BOBS REDEMPTION Hasn't raced in 4 weeks, hope he's ready

## RACE 7

- 6 MYSTICAL PETER Won in this class in most recent start
- 7 CHIN CHIN HALL Up in class after a win
- 1 GOOD FEELN TO KNOW Had plenty of late trot last time
- 3 DOUBLE ACCOUNT Tough trip last time, raced well
- 4 CRAZY SUPERSPORT Should improve in second start after time off

<sup>\*\*</sup>Please note...selections are made prior to scratch time. Numbers may change due to early scratches. Verify the horse name matches program #

#### RACE 8

- 3 SUMOMENTSOMWHERE A Up in class but can win
- 5 WILD WILD WESTERN Returns from layoff with a sharp qualifier
- 4 LUNAR Beaten favorite last time
- 6 AMERICAN MUSIC Upset winner last week, worth a look again

#### RACE 9

- 6 BEST BOLT Returns to conditioned claimer today
- 3 HAWAIIAN CHIP Third last time, took a couple of bad steps in stretch
- 1 DREAM OF DRAGONS Has longshot possibilities here
- 4 SWEETEST SWING Won in this class in mid-November

#### RACE 10

- 1 PRAIRIE RANGA 3-for-3 locally, won in this class last week
- 5 SILLY ACTIONS Moves to better post, steps up in class
- 2 CHEZACTIC Off 4 weeks, may be a step short
- 3 TEN COUNT Second in this class last week, raced well

#### **RACE 11**

- 3 SNEAKY HILL Significant class drop today
- 5 MASTER MIKI Changes classes this week, can win
- 4 SHIPSHAPE Makes third start after layoff
- 8 SAMSON BLUE CHIP Good effort last week, tough post today

#### RACE 12

- 2 GOLDEN COMPASS Overdue for a win
- 1 SOUTHWIND CAINE Drops in class, needs quick start from inside post
- 4 MAKE IT A DOUBLE Has the speed, but is risky due to breaks
- 5 HOBBS Off 4 weeks, returns today

#### **RACE 13**

- 5 WARRAWEE VELOCE Just missed last week
- 3 SMOKIN JOE HANOVER Best post he's had in a month
- 1 MARKHAM EYRE N Got caught late last time, up in class today
- 8 MIKI MINAJ Needs quick fractions up front
- 4 GENERAL IDEA Qualified well for return to action

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