



The Professor's Picks

Handicapping Selections for The Meadows, brought to you
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8

RACE 1

- 1 – FOUR CARD MAJOR – Comes off a good mile last week
- 3 – DAFINATY – Makes first local start since joining the Burke Stable
- 4 – P H KENNY – Has been close in this level

RACE 2

- 2 – DANCE HALL BOUNCER – Big effort last week
- 4 – PERFECT SUMMER K – Weekly contender in here
- 1 – RAILEEGOTAHOLDONME – Up in class off another win
- 3 – STRITCH – Up in class, 1-for-1 since purchase

RACE 3

- 5 – IMIDEAL HANOVER – Drops in class, should be tough to beat in here
- 1 – HUDSONANDBERNARD – Needs to stay close early
- 8 – INDIGO ART – Post hurts, but is down in class
- 4 – VODKA IS TERROR – Changes classes from claimer today

RACE 4

- 4 – STARHIMUP – Fast enough to win, just needs a trip
- 1 – BROOKLYN FLIGHT – Big switch to inside post this week
- 5 – MARVALOUS TOWN – Comes off his best line in a while

RACE 5

- 5 – DOCTOR RJ – Overdue for a win, can get one today
- 4 – THISWAYORTHEHIGHWAY – Has been racing well in lower level, earns a shot here
- 2 – JK ONAROLL – Joins new barn this week after a claim
- 7 – NATHAN FEELSGOOD – Won his last start in this class for this barn

RACE 6

- 3 – JUMPINTHEJAILHOUSE – Drops to bottom level, has to be the pick here
- 2 – I WANT KANDY – Also down in class, will need stronger final quarter today
- 1 – UBER DOOBER DO – Has been a bit inconsistent, has the speed
- 6 – BROADWAY JO ELL – A sleeper in here, don't overlook her

RACE 7

- 6 – VENIER HANOVER – Makes debut in new barn after purchase, adds Lasix
- 4 – WINBAK WILLY T – Very sharp right now, can win again
- 1 – SIN CITY BOOGIE – Big effort from post 10 last week
- 2 – HEZASHININGKNIIGHT – Won last wee with ease, any of these 4 can win

HORSES TO WATCH

Presented by the Professor's colleague, "THE CAPPER"

- **Nailed It** – Caught up in a tangle at three-quarters; lost all chance; tab
- **Valiant Ivy** – Rarely puts in a poor effort; stay close
- **Knocking Around** – Appears to be back in peak form
- **Dance Hall Bouncer** – Midwesterner performed well in first Meadows start
- **Free Flight Fran** – Showed good closing kick with Palone on 11/27
- **Doctor RJ** – Made up many lengths in a good try on 12/1
- **Call To Post** – Classy old trotter turned in a solid effort on 12/3
- **Spoxys Girl** – High speed late in the mile on 12/4
- **Bikini Tina** – Showed plenty of pace in the stretch
- **Bad Tigress** – No room through the mile; had pace final quarter

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

RACE 8

- 5 – ANYTHINGFORLOVE A – Has been chasing some tough horses lately
- 6 – DAPPER DUDE – Should improve in second start after time off
- 7 – HAWKS RED CHIEF – Post hurts a bit today

RACE 9

- 2 – CARMENS BEST – Easy winner last week, same class today
- 4 – TWIN B WRANGLER – Very sharp, will be tested today with move up in class
- 1 – RIP THIS JOINT – Can contend if he can stay close to the front early
- 7 – LYONS KING – A closer with a chance in here if others battle early

RACE 10

- 5 – CATHERINE'SDIAMOND – Parked last week in higher level, gets a drop today
- 2 – MANOLITO MONTOYA – A bit inconsistent, but I'll take a shot here
- 6 – DANCE LIFE WELL – Beaten choice last time, could still win
- 4 – IT'S A DEW THING – Won in here two starts back

RACE 11

- 9 – T'S ELECTRIC – Has gate speed to overcome the post
- 5 – CAPITAL ACCOUNT – Much better mile last time
- 7 – DRUNK ON YOU – Drops in class this week
- 3 – DUNSIDE ART – Made a big move last time but ended up parked

RACE 12

- 1 – MISS LADY HALFMOON – Drops to claimer after a win
- 4 – PEMBROKE MORGAN – Has been close every week
- 5 – MISTER OF ALL – Easy winner in lower level last time
- 7 – WHEELS A TURNING – Has been in the top-3 the last couple of weeks

RACE 13

- 2 – MISTER VIRGIN – Down in class this week, won last start at this level with ease
- 7 – THE DARK SHADOW – Also down in class, put in good effort here on 11/24
- 1 – RUFFLE UP – Made a big move last time, tired a bit late
- 3 – MAYTIME TERROR – Showed improvement last week
- 8 – VALIANT IVY – Strong mile last week, post hurts today

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