



The Professor's Picks

Handicapping Selections for The Meadows, brought to you
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15

RACE 1

- 8 – WINBAK WILLY T – Second last week, still very sharp
- 1 – HEZASHININGKNIGHT – Draws a good spot again this week
- 7 – MYKONOS – Up in class this week but is 2-for-2 locally
- 5 – BAY MEADOWS – Good closing effort in most recent

RACE 2

- 2 – MISTER VIRGIN – First start in new barn after claim
- 7 – MARVALOUS ARTIST – Moves to claimer today
- 3 – VALIANT IVY – Much better post this week
- 1 – VODKA IS TERROR – Needs to stay close early from the rail

RACE 3

- 7 – UNCLE COZ – Just missed last week
- 2 – NATHAN FEELSGOOD – Good closing effort last time
- 1 – PH KENNY – Moves to claimer after a win
- 3 – TERROR O – Good late rally last time

RACE 4

- 4 – ZONE BLITZ – Hasn't faced claiming company in a while
- 2 – LYONS KING – Up in class today, but moves to inside post
- 1 – CLASS SIX – Newcomer isn't sharp, but track change could work
- 6 – REGGIE RAIDER – A sleeper in here, don't overlook him

RACE 5

- 1 – STARTHIMUP – Made huge recovery after break last time
- 6 – CRANKIN IT UP – Good win in same class last week
- 8 – I'MIDEAL HANOVER – Drops to bottom conditioned level today
- 4 – FOUR CARD MAJOR – Another one with a chance...any of these 4 can win

RACE 6

- 4 – REAL PEACE – Too sharp to pick against right now
- 1 – ROYALTYHASARRIVED – Can win, lowest level this one has seen in a while
- 6 – SAM HILL – Look for him to use his gate speed today
- 9 – BOBBY K HILL – Post hurts, may be hard-pressed early

RACE 7

- 3 – T'S ELECTRIC – Another near-miss last time, can win with better post
- 6 – DANCE LIFE WELL – Big close to get second last week
- 1 – MANOLITO MONTOYA – Needs to hold his position at the start
- 10 – CAPITAL ACCOUNT – Will need to work out a trip from post 10

HORSES TO WATCH

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

- **Bikini Tina** – Showed plenty of pace in the stretch
- **Bad Tigress** – No room through the mile; had pace final quarter
- **Hockey Hanover** – Caught in behind stopping trotter; speed late
- **TJ Hanover** – Should come with mutuel value
- **American Darlin'** – Just failed to last in first start here
- **Bridge To Tomorrow** – Raced well following nearly 4 months off
- **Jewels Forreal** – Closed a big gap early; then rallied
- **Late Night Delight** – Hopelessly blocked in the late stages on 12/11

**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 – ATTA BOY DAN – Took last week off, but is on a roll right now
- 6 – ARTHUR PENDRAGON – Up in class after an easy win, but has missed a few weeks
- 4 – UNLOCKED – Huge closing effort last week

RACE 9

- 5 – DOCTOR RJ – Easy winner last week off perfect trip
- 2 – NOBETTERPLACETOBE – Has had some bad posts to deal with
- 7 – DAFINATY – Faded last week, moves to claimer today
- 1 – DEALIN DAN – Makes third start back after time off

RACE 10

- 5 – SCRAMBLE CAMP – Very good effort last week
- 7 – RAILEEGOTAHOLDONME – May be able to use some gate speed today
- 1 – TRAK – Up in class again, very sharp right now
- 8 – JOHNY VICTORY – May like the switch to a bigger track

RACE 11

- 1 – LIMA RAIDER – Has won 4 of last 5 starts in Ohio
- 2 – FAIRYTALE PRINCE – Ships from Yonkers for the series
- 5 – THISWAYORTHEHIGHWAY – Rawlings chose this one over #4
- 4 – CATHERINE'SDIAMOND – Costly early break left him with a tough trip last time

RACE 12

- 3 – WHAMBAMTHANKUMAAM – Comes off her best line in a while
- 5 – BREEDLOVE – Drops in class, should fit well here
- 7 – ROCKEFELLER LINDY – May use some gate speed this week
- 2 – FIREBALL'S PRAYERS – Needs a stronger final quarter today

RACE 13

- 5 – COLOSSAL – Comes off a good win last week in same class
- 10 – EPIC UNION – Very good mile last week
- 3 – DRUNK ON YOU – Tried to make 2 moves during the mile last week
- 7 – HICKORY LITTLE RED – Drops back to the 7000 claimer today
- 9 – SKULL OF ROSES – Look for improvement in second start after layoff

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