



The Professor's Picks

Handicapping Selections for The Meadows, brought to you
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SATURDAY, AUGUST 31

RACE 1

- 1 – CHRISTCHURCH – Has been racing against some of the sport's best
- 5 – SUMOMENTSOMWHERE A – Returns from NY, won here earlier this year
- 4 – LITENINGONTHEBEACH – Sharp win last week, up in class today

RACE 2

- 5 – LITE THE CANDLES – Won in this class last start
- 1 – DREBIN – Up in class after a good win
- 2 – OPEN BAR – Hasn't won in a while but has been racing well
- 6 – FOUR SIXES – Faced tough stake colts last start

RACE 3

- 7 – DARK SOUL – Big class drop to NW1
- 2 – AIDEN STATION – Top-3 finisher in 4 of 5 career starts
- 4 – WAITINGFORGUFFMAN – Second last week, better post today
- 6 – WHERE'S PAPI – Makes career debut after 3 prep races

RACE 4

- 4 – RIVER NESS – Strong second in local return
- 8 – IDIOSYNCRATIC – Fourth last week after cutting quick fractions
- 3 – GOOGLE MY CHROME – Much better post today will help
- 2 – CAPTAIN MAX HENRY – Second in lower level, moves up
- 1 – SHANGHAI JAMES – Changes classes from conditioned claimer

RACE 5

- 8 – TAKEMETOTHELMIT GB – Has gate speed to overcome the post
- 6 – MATTEO – Joins new barn today after a claim
- 2 – LYONS BEACHBOY – Post works in his favor today
- 3 – TISADREAM N -Newcomer raced well last start at Pocono

RACE 6

- 2 – ASTON HILL DAVE – Overdue for a win
- 6 – KILOWATT KID N – Fourth last week, but paced a good mile
- 1 – FREE ON THE BEACH – Returns from Ohio after two wins
- 4 – MISTER SPOT A – Makes second start since claim

RACE 7

- 4 – FEARLESS FURY – Just missed last week, new barn today
- 5 – SOUTHPORT BEACH – Last week's winner, joins Sokol Stable
- 3 – RYANS AMBASSADOR – Upset winner last time, won't be 9-1 today
- 8 – NIGHT WATCHMAN – Third last week as choice, tough post here
- 2 – WOODMERE ANDROLLI – Yet another one coming off a claim last week

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

RACE 8

- 2 – BETTER B BOLD – Won in similar company here 2 starts ago
- 1 – MONEYMAN MIKKI – Inside post draw certainly doesn't hurt
- 3 – FLITE CRAFT – Might use his gate speed this week
- 5 – THE REAL WAY – Another one that may want to be closer to the front today

RACE 9

- 6 – CHIEF MATE – Gets a double class drop from Open level
- 5 – PRINCE OF TIDES – Up in class, but has been here before
- 2 – JK MIKI MANTLE – Ignore last start due to post
- 7 – ROLL WITH TIME – Another one that's down in class this week

RACE 10

- 6 – COMMANDER FRANK – Drops in class after a third place finish
- 3 – MON AMOUR – Should be able to work out a very good trip here
- 4 – RESOLUTE BAY – Finished third in this class 2 starts back
- 7 – PHANNYS MATTER – Broke last time, try her again

RACE 11

- 1 – CRUNCHY – Has faced stake horses, makes first NW1 start
- 4 – CAPTAIN ASHTON – Drops from Stallion Series stake
- 5 – IMAHUNGRYBAKER – Fourth last week, good final quarter
- 2 – CODIGO LEE – Post draw is much better this week

RACE 12

- 5 – GO FOR GAAGAA – Parked early, tired late last time
- 1 – THREEPOINTBLUECHIP – Has gate speed and an inside post
- 2 – ACTIVATION – Returns from Kentucky, won last local start
- 4 – MAJOR'S SONG – Third last time, took a week off

RACE 13

- 7 – DANCIN SANCHO – Has been racing tougher classes at Scioto
- 1 – BET ON ZETTE – Fourth last week, big post change today
- 5 – SMOKIN JOE HANOVER – Drops in class this week
- 9 – ROCKED N LOADED – Back to action after 4 months off
- 6 – OLLIESTRIKESFAME – Fast final quarter last week

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