



RACE BY RACE ANALYSIS

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RACE 1:

7 – Wigwam Summer
3 – Diplomatic Shaft
5 – Family Justice

SELECTIONS: 7-3-5-1

RACE 2:

2 – Our Sarge
4 – Force
5 – Starship Danny

SELECTIONS: 2-4-5-1

RACE 3:

1 – Saucy Don
5 – Jewel Heist
6 – R Limo Joe

SELECTIONS: 1-5-6-2

RACE 4:

5 – Charnley River (Aus)
3 – Inchesky (Ire)
1 – Blurred Line

SELECTIONS: 5-3-1-4

RACE 5:

3 – Noble Drama
2 – Striking Heir
7 – Bonterra

SELECTIONS: 3-2-7-6

RACE 6:

5 – Four Knights
7 – Finished
8 – Victor Lounge (Ire)

SELECTIONS: 5-7-8-6

RACE 7:

8 – Virginia Key
5 – Dictate Cool
2 – Starcloud

SELECTIONS: 8-5-2-6

RACE 8:

8 – Bee Quiet
4 – Remember the Maine
2 – Uncle Pepe

SELECTIONS: 8-4-2-9

RACE 9:

2 – Tale of Silence
6 – Sonic Mule
1 – Quijote

SELECTIONS: 2-6-1-4

RACE 10:

4 – Enigmatica
6 – Arcelor
1 – Competitive Player

SELECTIONS: 4-6-1-2

RACE 11:

6 – Cryogenic
2 – Dexter
1 – Boom Daddy

SELECTIONS: 6-2-1-9

BEST BET: Race 4 - #5 Charnley River

This Australian bred gelding was well-beaten as the favorite last time out, but takes a needed drop in class to the maiden claiming ranks today, a move that trainer Christophe Clement does exceptionally well: 34% win average on the turf. Either of his first two U.S. races should make him a major player in here, and he also keeps jockey Irad Ortiz Jr. aboard.

LONGSHOT: Race 10 - #4 Enigmatica

Although the barn has been a bit cold lately, I think that this filly finds herself in the right spot. Though she was a distant second last time out, she was still second at a big price to the Todd Pletcher runner Ascertain. Additionally, the race flow should be in her favor today. With plenty of speed signed on, she should sit a perfect trip under Edgard Zayas.