



RACE BY RACE ANALYSIS

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RACE 1:

2 – Chiseled
7 – Ship Disturber
1 – Gentrify

SELECTIONS: 2-7-1-6

RACE 2:

9 – Take a Stroll
4 – Untruthful Sonnet
7 – Sugrasugarsugar

SELECTIONS: 9-4-7-5

RACE 3:

1 – Aztec Sense
2 – Dream Saturday
6 – Flashy Jewel

SELECTIONS: 1-2-6-7

RACE 4:

4 – Leroids Mommie
3 – Feed Me Carats
2 – Bossyatta

SELECTIONS: 4-3-2-1

RACE 5:

3 – Bannon
4 – Gran Fortress
1 – Bullroarer

SELECTIONS: 3-4-1-6

RACE 6:

8 – Budding
7 – Diamond Mint
5 – Tu Exageres

SELECTIONS: 8-7-5-9

RACE 7:

5 – Sumner
1 – Dino Dude
2 – Cowtown Duke

SELECTIONS: 5-1-2-6

RACE 8:

3 – Ultimate Cause
4 – Indygita
1 – Blame It On Dixie

SELECTIONS: 3-4-1-10

RACE 9:

1 – Abounding Legacy
5 – Unbridled Outlaw
6 – Delta Bluesman

SELECTIONS: 1-5-6-4

RACE 10:

9 – Bakelite
12 – Elk Camp
1 – Cabin John

SELECTIONS: 9-12-1-4

BEST BET: Race 9 - #1 Abounding Legacy

I have always had an affinity for this horse, in large part because of his consistency. He ran a big second two starts back in stakes competition behind Splash Rules, who was at the top of his game and stringing wins together at that time, and then followed it up with another big second behind Eight Town, the very highly regarded Brian Lynch trainee. Abounding Legacy turns back to 6 furlongs and should get a good trip from the inside post.

LONGSHOT: Race 6 - #8 Budding

In a race that will likely center around the rematch between Tu Exageres and Diamond Mint, I wanted a fresh face. Budding gets a drop in class shipping in from Woodbine, but he has already had success locally. He broke his maiden here at Gulfstream on the turf, and Tyler Gaffalione, who rode him that day, will have the call again today.