



# RACE BY RACE ANALYSIS

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**RACE 1:**

10 – Panama Papers  
1 – Street Code  
7 – Wannabeaplayer  
**SELECTIONS: 10-1-7-4**

**RACE 2:**

7 – Sheikh of Sheikhs  
2 – Forze Mau (Ven)  
1 – Squadron A  
**SELECTIONS: 7-2-1-3**

**RACE 3:**

6 – Motown Man  
1 – Sweat  
3 – Somedreamscometrue  
**SELECTIONS: 6-1-3-2**

**RACE 4:**

7 – Fuel the Bern  
2 – Squadron  
4 – Japonski  
**SELECTIONS: 7-2-4-5**

**RACE 5:**

3 – To Dare  
4 – Twocubanbrothersu  
2 – Cheech Thunder  
**SELECTIONS: 3-4-2-10**

**RACE 6:**

2 – Beta Max  
6 – Salsa Jak  
9 – Striking Heir  
**SELECTIONS: 2-6-9-1**

**RACE 7:**

6 – Hard Study  
5 – Mishegas  
3 – Big Daddy (Chi)  
**SELECTIONS: 6-5-3-2**

**RACE 8:**

5 – Thoristic  
1 – Archer Road  
8 – Without Remorse  
**SELECTIONS: 5-1-8-4**

**RACE 9:**

5 – Empress of the Nile  
1 – Taralena  
2 – Summersault  
**SELECTIONS: 5-1-2-4**

**RACE 10:**

2 – What About Tonight  
7 – Silencer  
3 – Silver  
**SELECTIONS: 2-7-3-8**

**RACE 11:**

3 – Sugarcoated Kitten  
5 – Rate of Return  
9 – La Piu Bella  
**SELECTIONS: 3-5-9-1**

**BEST BET: Race 4 - #7 Fuel the Bern**

This colt was incredibly impressive last time out, as jockey Irad Ortiz Jr. weaved through traffic and managed to get the win. That victory came against \$16,000 non-winners of two races in life, so he is taking a bit of a step up in class. However, I think Ortiz, who stays aboard, handles him beautifully, and after that last win, it looks like Fuel the Bern is ready for his next challenge.

**LONGSHOT: Race 3 - #6 Motown Man**

The last few races for this gelding have not been pretty on paper, but he gets a much needed drop in class today. Now a gelding, Motown Man will be making his third start off the layoff and I am expecting an improved effort, which should also include some more speed from him, especially with apprentice Alvaro Donis in the saddle and the stretch out to the mile.