



RACE BY RACE ANALYSIS

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RACE 1:

2 – Legendofthekitten
7 – Sassy Astray
3 – Publicist

SELECTIONS: 2-7-3

RACE 2:

5 – Gia Mama Mia
4 – Toother Belle
1 – Dungeness

SELECTIONS: 5-4-1

RACE 3:

6 – Bellamy Torch
5 – Fist Bump
1 – Track Teller

SELECTIONS: 6-5-1

RACE 4:

5 – Mandeville
1 – Leroids Mommie
4 – Princess Akris

SELECTIONS: 5-1-4

RACE 5:

5 – Yield to Honor
3 – Nico's On the Run
1 – Tom Liz

SELECTIONS: 5-3-1

RACE 6:

3 – Warrior Hall
2 – Psalmody
1 – O. K. Kay

SELECTIONS: 3-2-1

RACE 7:

1 – Hieroglyphics
9 – Bushmill's Legend
3 – Areyoutalkingtome

SELECTIONS: 1-9-3

RACE 8:

1 – Silver Sashay
3 – Killin Them Softly
4 – Dancing Cool

SELECTIONS: 1-3-4

RACE 9:

5 – Beantown Saint
6 – Amelia's Wild Ride
4 – Zoot Suit

SELECTIONS: 5-6-4

RACE 10:

4 – Invidia
3 – Strayana
6 – Flying Dude

SELECTIONS: 4-3-6

BEST BET: Race 8 - #1 Silver Sashay

After a solid second place finish behind repeat winner Dancing Wind, Silver Sashay has her claiming tag cut in half to the lowest level she's been at in a while. She has some tactical speed to her, and gets in light today with seven-pound apprentice Carlos Hernandez in the saddle. Since there is some other speed in the race, it looks like a positive that she is versatile enough to dictate the pace, or to carve out a stalking trip from the rail.

LONGSHOT: Race 7 - #8 Careless World

This is a competitive maiden special weight field, but I'll give a first time starter a second look in here at a price. Careless World is debuting with Lasix, and boasts a lovely pedigree. He is the half brother to multiple graded stakes winner and accomplished turf runner Heart to Heart, who won at first asking. Over the past five years, trainer Rachel Halden wins at roughly 19% with first time starters and boasts a \$3.74 ROI. This gelding has been working sharply on the Payson Park turf course as well.