



# RACE BY RACE ANALYSIS

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**RACE 1:**

1 - Speed Bump  
7 - Cotton Field  
5 - Blazing Brooke  
**SELECTIONS: 1-7-5-4**

**RACE 2:**

2 - Givonna's Magic  
6 - Fast Mama  
8 - Stormy Arabella  
**SELECTIONS: 2-6-8-1**

**RACE 3:**

7 - Bulkcarrier  
4 - Salary Cap  
1 - Down South  
**SELECTIONS: 7-4-1-5**

**RACE 4:**

5 - R Showgirl  
9 - I'm Just Fancy  
4 - First Off  
**SELECTIONS: 5-9-4-7**

**RACE 5:**

4 - Texas Rustler  
2 - Creaky Cricket  
1 - Colonel Red  
**SELECTIONS: 4-2-1-7**

**RACE 6:**

10 - Yes Darlin  
6 - Dreamy Martini  
7 - First Goal  
**SELECTIONS: 10-6-7-3**

**RACE 7:**

5 - Salute the Colonel  
9 - Sahara Storm  
8 - Elk Camp  
**SELECTIONS: 5-9-8-6**

**RACE 8:**

6 - Incredible Grace  
2 - Champagne Diva  
1 - Kathy's Clown  
**SELECTIONS: 6-2-1-3**

**RACE 9:**

1 - Reagan's Heart  
3 - School Song  
2 - Field Officer  
**SELECTIONS: 1-3-2-8**

**RACE 10:**

7 - Tiz From Boston  
11 - Yawl Lyin  
9 - Stay On Base  
**SELECTIONS: 7-11-9-4**

**BEST BET: Race 8 - #6 Incredible Grace**

This pricey filly by Medaglia d'Oro will certainly be short odds on the board, but after her impressive maiden score, she is the one to beat. She won first out, and in a race that produced three next out winners. Given her pedigree, she should be able to stretch out to the mile distance today with no issues. Purchased as a yearling for \$775,000, today will be a good test of her ability.

**LONGSHOT: Race 2 - #2 Givonna's Magic**

On paper, this horse doesn't look great, as she was beaten by 22 lengths last out. However, she has a legitimate excuse, since her jockey that day lost his iron at the start and she never got involved in the race. She is making her first start now for trainer Peter Walder, who recently is 20% first off the claim. In addition, she has a nice closing kick, but is a bit more handy than some of the others in this field.