



# JASON BLEWITT'S

## Race Analysis

Saturday, April 20, 2019

- RACE 1: 4 – 1 – 5 – 3
- RACE 2: 4 – 7 – 1 – 8
- RACE 3: 3 – 7 – 11 – 6
- RACE 4: 4 – 5 – 7 – 6
- RACE 5: 4 – 3 – 5 – 2
- RACE 6: 7 – 3 – 8 – 9
- RACE 7: 6 – 7 – 9 – 2
- RACE 8: 1 – 2 – 6 – 5
- RACE 9: 4 – 12 – 8 – 14
- RACE 10: 4 – 3 – 11 – 1
- RACE 11: 3 – 2 – 8 – 4
- RACE 12: 9 – 1 – 12 – 11

**First Post: 12:45 p.m. ET**  
**GP Spring Meet: Day 11**

### Two-Stake, 12-Race Saturday at GP

Three-year-old colts and fillies share the Saturday spotlight this Easter weekend at Gulfstream Park thanks to dueling features in the \$75,000 Roar and Game Face Stakes. The Game Face, up first as race 5, will likely play out as a two-filly affair between heavy favorites A Bit of Both and Karama. It's a terrific match-up between two talented fillies – I like Karama to score right back off a strong and convincing maiden victory here for trainer Michael Pino – but don't expect to get rich playing an Exacta box.

Meanwhile, the Roar Stakes turned up arguably as tough as it ever has and goes much later in the day – race 11 of 12 – with a post time of about 6:05 p.m. ET. Here's a brief rundown of the Roar's biggest players:

**Releasethehunder** – One of two Todd Pletcher-trained runners in the mix. This More Than Ready colt exits a salty allowance field here on March 1<sup>st</sup> behind Mucho (who did not really fire his best subsequently in Aqueduct's Bay Shore Stakes.) Paco Lopez rides.

**Garter and Tie** – This overachieving Florida-bred colt gets some class relief while returning to a more suitable one-turn, seven-furlong sprint. I like him off a no-shot trip from post 11 in the Florida Derby.

**Promo Code** – The second Pletcher colt in the race teams up with top jockey Edgard Zayas. Promo Code gets extra points for winning his debut (heavy favorite or not) at a demanding seven furlongs. His maiden field has already produced a big next-out winner in Bernin' Thru Gold, who returned with a fast-figure maiden victory earlier this month.

**Bronzed** – Unbeaten and better than ever off two races for trainer Jason Servis and a \$50,000 claim. This is obviously a tougher field than he faced in a recent optional claiming romp although Math Wizard (second to Bronzed on March 15<sup>th</sup>) returned with a surprisingly strong 4<sup>th</sup>-place finish at 64-1 in the Wood Memorial in New York.

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