



# RACE BY RACE ANALYSIS

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## RACE 1:

**3 COURAGEOSLUKE**, who has run well on the turf at this distance in the past, goes back to the grass after finishing 2<sup>nd</sup> in his local debut vs \$12,500 maidens in a race moved to 7 furlongs on a fast track.

**8 MY COMPUTER** is hoping to save more for the stretch run after dueling for the lead and fading to finish a distant 4<sup>th</sup> at this level and distance.

**11 OUR PRINCE** is debuting locally for trainer Ken Westlye, who also conditions the top choice, after showing speed in a series of 5-furlong turf sprints at Evangeline Downs. The gelding should be prominently placed with 7-pound bug Gaddiel Martinez at the controls.

**SELECTIONS: 3-8-11**

## RACE 2:

**2 YODEL E. A. WHO** is stepping up the competition after putting all together in the 3<sup>rd</sup> start after the claim by Gilberto Zerpa when he drew clear to crush a field of \$25,000 conditioned claimers by 10 ½ lengths, and receive a 90 Beyer for his performance.

**6 NOON TIME GEM** was solid in defeat when he rallied 5-wide to finish 2<sup>nd</sup> – beaten a length at the distance – in a \$35,000 conditioned claimer on a sealed sloppy track. **3 SHARETHEBLAME**, who is stakes-placed on the main track, albeit going 7 furlongs in the slop, returns to the dirt after failing to fire when facing \$50,000 starter optional claimers on the turf. The son of Blame classes up perfectly in this spot.

**SELECTIONS: 2-6-3**

## RACE 3:

**7 NEWMANS FAST GIRL** is going back to the main track after following her ‘2-lifetime’ score on a sloppy surface with a set-the-pace-3<sup>rd</sup> when facing \$10,000 claimers going a mile and a sixteenth on the turf.

**4 POESIA** is stepping up to the next level after parlaying a stalking trip into a victory – as the favorite – vs \$6,250 ‘2-lifetime’ claimers at the distance.

**9 KINDHEARTED KOTA** is a late striding type who should be along to grab a piece of the tri or super; Edgard Zayas rides for Antonio Sano.

**SELECTIONS: 7-4-9**

## RACE 4:

**11 MADAME BOURBON** is stretching out to a mile, and breaking from the outside, after finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> in consecutive \$50,000 maiden races contested at 7 ½ furlongs. Trainer Mike Yates tabs Miguel Vazquez to ride. **5 SUBTLE JOY** is dropping into the maiden claiming ranks after the ambitious career debut in the \$117,000 Sharp Susan in which she saved ground and never launched a rally. **4 REMARKABLE SILVER** is stretching out around 2-turns after the pair of troubled trips going 5 furlongs vs \$25,000 to \$35,000 maidens, respectively. Trainer Joe Orseno has Jairo Rendon handling the added real estate.

**SELECTIONS: 11-5-4**

## RACE 5:

**4 UPSY DAISY DO** is stretching out to 6 ½ furlongs after rallying to finish 2<sup>nd</sup> in back-to-back sprints going three-quarters of a mile. Trainer Ralph Catanese has Jeffrey Sanchez in the irons. **1 GOLDEN SPLENDOR** is dropping to the \$20,000 level after failing to show much when facing considerably tougher in her 3 races before the layoff. Trainer Victor Barboza Jr has the sophomore working well, and has go-to rider Emisael Jaramillo at the controls. **3 LADY NOELA** is a 4-year-old daughter of Treasure Beach debuting for trainer Kathleen O’Connell with Lasix, and Miguel Vazquez named to ride. The tote action should tell us more.

**SELECTIONS: 4-1-3**

## RACE 6:

**5 LOVE CONQUERS** is wheeling back after a solid performance at the distance last out in which she broke from the rail, had to wait on the turn, and settled for 3<sup>rd</sup> – beaten 1 ¾ lengths. Trainer Leo Gabriel Jr has Luca Panici returning on the Louisiana-bred.

**12 SON OF OAHU** is dropping to the \$10,000 level after making a move for the lead and weakening to finish 7<sup>th</sup> when facing \$16,000 conditioned claimers going a mile last out. Trainer Armando De La Cerda has Emisael Jaramillo handling the outside draw.

**4 GRANNY’S KITTEN** is hoping to get back to her winning ways after back-to-back 6<sup>th</sup> place finishes vs this level of competition. Trainer Mike Maker has Reyly Gutierrez named to ride.

**SELECTIONS: 5-12-4**

**RACE 7:**

**1 BLACK HOPE** is a gelded son of Twirling Candy debuting for trainer Victor Barboza Jr with Lasix, and a consistent work tab over the track showing; Emisael Jaramillo rides. **10 FRIENDLY WAGER** is turning back to five-eighths of a mile, and departing from the outside, after stalking the pace and finishing a distant 2<sup>nd</sup> in his 5 ½-furlong debut. Trainer Kathy Ritvo has Carlos Montalvo returning on the son of Race Day.

**9 JEFE GRANDE** is a gelded son of Amira's Prince debuting for trainer Ed Plesa Jr with Lasix, and apprentice Cristian Torres named to ride.

**SELECTIONS: 1-10-9**

**RACE 8:**

**7 PRICKLY KITTEN** moved to the Liz Dobles barn via the claim, and steps up to the \$20,000 level again, after coming within three-quarters of a length of exiting the maiden ranks at the \$12,500 level. The daughter of Kitten's Joy has leading pilot Edgard Zayas at the controls. **11 CATNIP KITTEN**, another 3-year-old daughter of Kitten's Joy, is cutting back to 7 ½ furlongs after rallying to get beat three-quarters of a length when finishing 2<sup>nd</sup> vs \$20,000 maidens going a mile on a 'good' turf. **10 ALGODONAL** moved to the Jose D'Angelo barn after the claim, and makes her first start since finishing a troubled 4<sup>th</sup> – beaten 2 lengths – at this level and distance during June.

**SELECTIONS: 7-11-10**

**RACE 9:**

**1 RUPP**, a reclaim by Arindel Farm, is stretching out to a mile after returning from the 8-month layoff to finish a rallying 4<sup>th</sup> vs \$10,000 conditioned claimers going 6 furlongs in the slop. Trainer Shamir Maragh has Rajiv Maragh named to handle the previous winner at the distance. **11 ZAMAN** is stretching out to 8 furlongs after following his much the best maiden victory at this 1-mile distance with a late-closing 2<sup>nd</sup> – beaten a length – vs \$10,000 2-lifetime' claimers going 7 furlongs on a sealed sloppy track. **10 MYSTERIO**, now in the Victor Barboza Jr barn, the gelding wheels back hoping the change in scenery helps him notch the elusive 2<sup>nd</sup> career victory (22-1-3-4).

**SELECTIONS: 1-11-10**

**RACE 10:**

**1 TAYLOR'S IN ORBIT**, now under the tutelage of trainer Kendall Condie, the consistent 4-year-old makes her first start since reeling off back-to-back victories at the distance during June & July. The 5-furlong specialist has jockey Luca Panici going for 3 victories in a row. **8 R NEXT ROLL**, who runs exceptionally well fresh, makes her first start since setting the pace and just getting edged at the wire by hard-knocking Eila in a state-bred \$16,000 optional claimer during April. Trainer Georgina Baxter has Reyly Gutierrez named to ride. **10 ABUELA'S LOVE**, bred to love the turf, the daughter of Cairo Prince debuts on the lawn after returning from the 9-month layoff to run a solid 2<sup>nd</sup> vs \$75,000 optional claimers going 5 ½ furlongs on the main track; don't ignore!

**SELECTIONS: 1-8-10**

**RACE 11:**

**1 BALADA** exits a productive turf race, that produced next-out Treasure Coast Stakes winner Lady Alida, to merit respected as speed influence from the rail. The 7-year-old mare is worth a look at a price.

**4 PERSPIRE** will try to make it 2 in a row at the distance after drawing clear to defeat a field of entry-level allowance runners by 3-plus lengths. Trainer Stanley Gold has Jairo Rendon returning on the daughter of Brethren. **6 SEAN'S IDEA** is stretching out to a mile after a sharp outing vs '2-other-than' allowance competition going 7 furlongs last out. Trainer Mark Molina has Carlos Lugo named to ride.

**SELECTIONS: 1-4-6**

**RACE 12:**

**5 BIG ANNIE**, 3<sup>rd</sup> at this distance on the turf 2 starts back, returns to the grass after finishing a distant 3<sup>rd</sup> in a race moved to 7 furlongs on a sealed sloppy track.

**4 ALLEZ ALLEZ** is stretching out around 2 turns hoping the added real estate sparks an improved performance, Trainer Juan Rodriguez has Jesus Rios named to ride for zero-for-15 maiden. **10 AND I KNOW** this is a good spot to stretch out after responding to the dropdown in competition with a late-closing 4<sup>th</sup> vs this level of competition going 5 furlongs.

**SELECTIONS: 5-4-10**

**BEST BET: RACE 9 – 1 RUPP**

**LONGSHOT: RACE 11 – 1 BALADA**