



GULFSTREAM PARK

RACE BY RACE ANALYSIS

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RACE 1:

5 – Jack Beanstalk
10 – Sweet Giant
9 – Traffic Trouble

SELECTIONS: 5-10-9-2

RACE 2:

8 – Hyperfocus
4 – Breakthrough
7 – Full Send

SELECTIONS: 8-4-7-6

RACE 3:

11 – Dur a Cuire
12 – Cat Lady
6 – Mariposa Belle

SELECTIONS: 11-12-6-1

RACE 4:

4 – Too Much War
2 – Dana Grace
6 – Sand Drift

SELECTIONS: 4-2-6-1

RACE 5:

3 – Poseidons Princess
10 – Impression Given
1 – Socially Astray

SELECTIONS: 3-10-1-9

RACE 6:

11 – Reconvene
12 – Eagles Palace
4 – Riggins

SELECTIONS: 11-12-4-8

RACE 7:

9 – Envied
2 – Afficionado (Fr)
3 – Fast Scene

SELECTIONS: 9-2-3-5

RACE 8:

2 – Harper Go Lucky
5 – Louie's Kingdom
7 – Assertiko

SELECTIONS: 2-5-7-8

RACE 9:

9 – Social Paranoia
7 – Hawkish
11 – Admission Office

SELECTIONS: 9-7-11-12

RACE 10:

11 – Shootin the Breeze
6 – Battle of Blenheim
1 – Counter Offer

SELECTIONS: 11-6-1-9

RACE 11:

3 – Tap It to Win
5 – R Mercedes Boy
4 – I'll Fight Dempsey

SELECTIONS: 3-5-4-1

RACE 12:

1 – The Robert
6 – The Queens Jules
3 – Peppi the Hunter

SELECTIONS: 1-6-3-11

Please check all program numbers before wagering.

BEST BET: Race 7 - #9 Envied

I liked this filly at a price last time out, and she ran a really good third in a tough field and after a roughly five month layoff. Since breaking her maiden, she had been facing strictly stakes competition. After the layoff, she got a breather from that, and yet still found a competitive bunch for her first race going 5 furlongs. I feel like this sprint distance suits her well, especially now that she has made the jump to a 3-year-old, and I think that last race will be a perfect setup to a good effort here today.

LONGSHOT: Race 8 - #2 Harper Go Lucky

The gelding is heading back to the main track and taking a drop in class, and those are both things that I think will help him to move forward today. I see a fair bit of speed signed on in this race, including the favorite in Louie's Kingdom, so I'm hoping that this one can sit that perfect, off-the-pace trip. This level seems like the right one for him, and he'll definitely be a good price in this spot.