

## Presque Isle Downs Selections and Analysis by Dick Powell Thursday 06/20/19

### Race One:

1<sup>st</sup>: **(7) WHISPER SLOW** – First-time starter from Tim Hamm who wins 11% with his debut runners and 15% with his overall maiden special weight starters. Daughter of Distorted Humor (16% debut winners) is out of a dam by Street Cry (11% debut winners).

2<sup>nd</sup>: **(5) KISSMEONEMORETIME** – First-time starter from Teresa Connelly who wins 12% with her debut runners and 19% with her overall maiden special weight starters. Daughter of Congrats (10% debut runners) is training well and gets Pablo Morales.

3<sup>rd</sup>: **(4) LOOPY** – First-time starter from Shackelford (13% debut runners) is training well here and gets Mario Pino.

### Race Two:

1<sup>st</sup>: **(3) ALPHADAR** – Speedball ran well against allowance foes on the dirt at Thistledown. He has good speed, can handle the distance and draws well with Luis Rivera – 28% with his route mounts. Jeff Radosevich wins 27% first start after being beaten as the favorite.

2<sup>nd</sup>: **(4) CHUCKLES CANDY** – Beat allowance foes here two starts back going two turns then tired last out when moved up in class. He drops down some in class for Ryan Walsh who wins 14% with his synthetic-track starters and 17% when he rides Ron Allen, Jr.

3<sup>rd</sup>: **(2) SCIENCE TO WIN** – Beat this claiming level two starts back then could not handle the move back up in class.

### Race Three:

1<sup>st</sup>: **(5) SECRET MILITAIRE** – Was a good second in her first start off the long layoff then she came right back against this claiming price and won easily as the 4/5 favorite. Erin Walker rides back – 11% with her sprint mounts and the last 53 of them show a flat-bet profit.

2<sup>nd</sup>: **(7) DANCE OR STROLL** – Horse for the course is 6 for 11. She dropped down to the bottom last out and won going away and moves up a notch for Gerry Brooks who wins 19% first start after a win and 33% when he rides Antonio Gallardo.

3<sup>rd</sup>: **(6) AUDREYS CHOICE** – Horse for the course removes blinkers and moves up in class off the claim by Kevin Rice.

### Race Four:

1<sup>st</sup>: **(9) REGAL CHANT** – Ran well here last year in her career debut. She returned this winter with two poor races on the dirt at Tampa Bay Downs but broke her maiden by almost eight lengths when she returned here. Tim Hamm wins 15% first start after a maiden win.

2<sup>nd</sup>: **(4) MARJORIE'S GAL** – Rallied from way back to break her maiden first time out on the dirt at Thistledown then ran evenly here nine months later against similar claiming company. Jeff Radosevich wins 23% second start off the layoff and 22% with his claiming starters.

3<sup>rd</sup>: **(3) A. P. LIZ** – Went gate to wire at 13/1 in her belated career debut and now returns two years later.

### Race Five:

1<sup>st</sup>: **(4) MY DOUGHNUT** – Did nothing in her first two career starts on the dirt then came here and was a good third. She came right back and was a good second last out for Wayne Rice and Arienne Cox. Daughter of Temple City is a half-sister to a stakes winner.

2<sup>nd</sup>: **(1) WICKED T** – First-time starter from Teresa Connelly who wins 12% with her debut runners and 19% with her maiden special weight starters. Daughter of new sire Wicked Strong is out of a stakes-winning dam by Successful Appeal (16% debut winners)

3<sup>rd</sup>: **(5) ROSEFLINCH** – First-time starter by Warrior's Reward (12% debut winners) from Ryan Walsh – 9% with his debut runners.

### Race Six:

1<sup>st</sup>: **(7) STEVIS MAN** – Horse for the course has won 14 times here. Claimed for \$16K three starts back at Tampa Bay Downs, he returned here to win both starts against better company at the age of nine. Darien Rodriguez wins 32% third start off the layoff.

2<sup>nd</sup>: **(8) RED HOT LOOKS** – Dropped down to \$8K claimers last out and went gate to wire to win easily in fast time. He moves up in class for Joe Cheeks who wins 14% with his synthetic starters and 13% with his sprinters. Erin Walker gets the mount

3<sup>rd</sup>: **(1) ASTUTE WARRIOR** – Raced well on the turf at Tampa Bay Downs this winter then just missed here against this class level.

### Race Seven:

1<sup>st</sup>: **(1) IRONY OF REALITY** – Consistent filly was a game second on the turf at Tampa Bay Downs then came back and won here against allowance foes going a mile in good time. She draws the rail again with Huber Villa-Gomez back aboard – 23% riding for Ron Potts.

2<sup>nd</sup>: **(5) MARMALADE** – Horse for the course has a ton of speed and plenty of back class. She just missed in a fast-paced race on the turf two starts back at Tampa Bay Downs then almost still a race here after setting a slow pace and losing by a neck.

3<sup>rd</sup>: **(4) GOOD SALLY** – Finished up last year with a close second going two turns and has a six-furlong prep this year as her lone start.

### Race Eight:

1<sup>st</sup>: **(8) EL SEVENTYSEVEN** – I like this one's pattern coming in here. He finished up last year here with three straight sprint wins. This year, he raced evenly in two starts and now drops down to the bottom third start off the layoff for Tim Girten who wins 26% in this spot.

2<sup>nd</sup>: **(7) EXPECTING CASH** – Horse for the course did nothing in her last start last year on the dirt and went to the sidelines for seven months. He returned against this claiming level for Mike Pappada off a rallying third in his comeback race.

3<sup>rd</sup>: **(9) DISTINCTIVE STYLE** – Returned to the races with two good efforts and should be ready for a good effort for Glenn Wismer.