



Picks Tip Sheet

Race Day Date	August 30 th
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Race-Day Overview

The Grade 3 Saranac highlights the card, which includes many babies looking to start their career strong to kick off closing weekend at Saratoga!

We will do our best to give you ideas on whom to bet and how, plus stats on trainers/jockeys when appropriate. Based on the variable weather patterns in upstate New York, it is imperative that you CHECK FOR SCRATCHES AND CHANGES, because we often send out the SPP's BEFORE scratches are officially posted. So, our final selections might be VERY DIFFERENT if races taken off the turf!! If that's the case and Spot/Price Plays involve surface changes, those picks will NOT count towards the ROI Stats! We send out the SPP's early to give you ample amount of time to study and make decisions before the races begin. Finally, as we always say....."these picks are our opinions.....once you make a bet, they become your opinions!"

Today's Picks

***For information on how to read an "ABC Grid" and ticket construction, please refer to our podcast website, hhhracingpodcast.com, and go to the "Power Picks" section...you have to scroll down a bit under the SPP promotion...a video explanation is also available on the page.*

Go to the next page for our analysis of the races.....good luck!



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Racetrack: Saratoga

ABC Grid - Post Time 1:10pm EST

Race	A	B	C	Caveman Picks	Caveman Bet	Caveman Cost
1	2,7,8	3	9	2,3,7,8	\$.50	\$72
2	1,6	2	3,10	1,2,6		
3	4,5	6	1	4,5,6		
4	4	1	2,7	4		
5	2,5	1	4,6	1,2,4,5		
6	1,6	5	3	1,6		
7	4,5,6	9	1,7	4,5,6		
8	2,8,10	4	5,6	2,4,5,8,10	\$.50	\$80
9	10	1,7	5	10		
10	1,7	2	4,8	1,7		
11	2,5	1,6	9,10	1,2,5,6		
12	1,9,10	7	2,6	1,7,9,10		

Top 3 Selections

Race	1st	2nd	3rd
1	7	2	8
2	1	6	2
3	4	5	6
4	4	1	7
5	5	1	2
6	6	1	5
7	4	5	6
8	8	2	10
9	10	1	7
10	1	2	7
11	5	2	6
12	1	10	7



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Late P5 Analysis

The Late Pick5 on Saratoga Friday is not easy, as there are three maiden races that highlight this ending sequence along with the feature turf sprint. These baby races look very good, however it makes the sequence very tough when looking at it from a horizontal standpoint. However, there are a couple pace scenarios in the non-maidens that might help us narrow down as we try to build the bankroll one last time before the end of the season.

Below are today's Price / Spot Plays. These are not usually the favorites, but horses I like that will provide some value (hopefully 5-2 or higher in general). The "Stars" rating is 1 – 5, with 5 being the MOST CONFIDENT / RECOMMENDED PLAYS.

Price/Spot Play(s)

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
5	5	Pam Pam	4-1	3	\$20 Win/Place
Notes					
Coming out of the Wilson Chute at Saratoga this year hasn't been too kind to both horses drawn outside, and horses closing from the back this meet, which could leave the favorites here in a vulnerable position. #5 Pam Pam (4-1) should sit just off in second flight with Irad aboard and should get a good jump on horses like #1 Backstretch Rose as they reach the top of the stretch. There is pace in front of her as well with the #2, #3 and #4 all wanting a piece of the lead, so that doesn't concern me either.					
Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
6	6	The Process	9-2	4	\$20 Win \$25 Place
Notes					
The highlight of the card is the G3 Saranac, and I think there could be a pretty decent upset here. I loved the #1 West Hollywood last time, but this is a much different scenario than last time and at a low price my eyes looked elsewhere. #6 The Process (9-2) ran at Colonial Downs last time against arguably easier competition than others in here, however he blew the doors off that field winning by 4 and achieving a beyer which puts him well into contention. This will be a test for sure for him, however he's done everything right so far to warrant a chance and the value is correct to take a shot.					
Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
11	5	Candi Girl	9-2	5	\$30 Win - \$15 Exacta 5 / 1,2
Notes					



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*** THIS IS MY PLAY OF THE DAY AT SARATOGA! ***

For those that have been following the show, they know that this race is not something I would normally choose for my best bet of the day. However, it isn't every day that you find a turf sprint at Saratoga with not a lot of speed up front and many of the favorites wanting to close from far out of it. This leaves my top pick **#5 Candi Girl (9-2)** looking like she might have an advantage in this race, sitting just off the #3 and going by, getting the jump on a lot of the horses who will be low prices. A formally-staked horse at Presque Isle looks to get a little class relief here to hopefully get her confidence up for bigger things ahead.

Race #	Horse #	Horse Name	Odds	Stars	Bet(s)
12	1	Daybright Delights	9-2	3	\$15 Win/Place

Notes

To close out the day, I am going to ride the hot hand of both Dylan Davis and Ray Handal. The **#1 Daybright Delights (9-2)** has shown that he has talent in his previous two, especially in his first time out, closing with a rush at Aqueduct just not getting there in time. My hope is Dylan puts him into the race a little more now that they drew the rail on the stretch out, but his breeding shows that he should be able to handle the mile with no issue, so I am looking to Dylan to keep it going and hopefully close out another strong Saratoga day.

Favorite Vertical/Horizontal Plays in addition to the Price/Spot Plays Bets

Race	Selections	Cost
4	Win #4 Dillinger	\$20
8	\$10 WP on #8 Dark Magic	\$20

Good luck with all your wagers.... **CRUSH YOUR BETS!!**

