

BOB IKE'S HOLLYWOOD PARK SELECTIONS

SUNDAY, MAY 27

SUNDAY SELECTIONS, BETTING STRATEGY AND PICK 4 TICKET

Saturday Results: Went 0-for-3 on my Best Plays.

Today's Best Plays: Races 5, 6, 9 and a \$72 Pick 4 ticket.

1st race--

1. MARGENOT (1) 2. AUGMENT (3) 3. STELLA MARK (4)

2nd race--

1. GRITS (1) 2. KAILEE RUSH (4) 3. HASTY TEXAN (3)

3rd race--

1. BOLD TRUST (3) 2. THOROUGHLY (5) 3. KRIS THE RED (1) 4. YOUNG JOE (7)

4th race--

1. LUIS'S ESPECIAL (4) 2. STEADY DEMAND (6) 3. DAYTONA (7) 4. RUMMADA (1)

*****5th race--**

1. PROUD OF MY CURLS (9) 2. KIN TO A KITTY (2) 3. PROMISE OF SPRING (5) 4. MADRE MAY (6)

Although PROUD OF MY CURLS (8-1) did not break her maiden until last time out at age 5, she should fit very well in this restricted claimer. From the hot Warren barn, 'CURLS showed the ability to sit behind a hot pace and still win, so let's try her right back in this spot. Make a Win Bet on 'CURLS and key her in the trifecta over KIN TO A KITTY (3-1), PROMISE OF SPRING (8-1) and MADRE MAY (7-2). Play a second ticket using those three on top, with 'CURLS for second, then ALL for third. Finally, play a "saver" that leaves out 'CURLS and includes my other three picks.

Trifecta numbers: 9/2,5,6/ALL=\$30 and 2,5,6/9/ALL=\$30

"Saver" Trifecta/Exacta Box: 2-5-6

*****6th race--**

1. DAKOTA PADRE (4) 2. BUCK BASOLO (9) 3. ABANDONEER (5) 4. LIGHT OF THE WORLD (12)

After three poor starts in SoCal, DAKOTA PADRE came back as a first-time gelding and ran tons better at Bay Meadows last time. 'PADRE raced in a tough spot down inside, got shuffled back, then re-rallied to run a good second. Trainer Ed Moger has popped with a pair of Bay Area shippers at the meet, so let's key 'PADRE with a Win Bet and in the trifecta over ABANDONEER (4-1), BUCK BASOLO (3-1) and LIGHT OF THE WORLD (7-2) for second,

then use ALL for third. Play a second ticket using those three on top, with 'PADRE for second, then ALL for third.

Trifecta numbers: 4/5,9,12/ALL=\$27 and 5,9,12/4/ALL=\$27

7th race--

1. TIMIAS (4) 2. GEM PROOF (2) 3. OUT OF CONTROL (8)

8th race--

1. WONDERFUL LUCK (5) 2. ANOTHER ALEYNA (6) 3. B R'S GIRL (8)

*****9th race--**

1. BLUE KITTY (7) 2. ANGELINA'S ACE (3) 3. BARTOK'S BLING (5)

I will try to get out of this tough nightcap by just using my top two choices on a pair of trifecta tickets. I will start with a Win Bet on BLUE KITTY (6-1), who responded to the class drop with a decent runner-up try to similar. Even though the final time was slow, she had to work very hard on the front end while dueling through a fast opening quarter for this level. ANGELINA'S ACE (6-1) ran third in the same race and horses from the Sise barn generally improve a bunch second time out. Key these two on a pair of trifecta plays.

Trifecta numbers: 3,7/3,7/ALL=\$18 and 3,7/ALL/3,7=\$18

*****\$72 PICK 4 TICKET (races 6-9):**

6th race--DAKOTA PADRE, ABANDONEER, BUCK BASOLO, LIGHT OF THE WORLD

7th race--GEM PROOF, TIMIAS, OUT OF CONTROL

8th race--WONDERFUL LUCK, ANOTHER ALEYNA, B R'S GIRL

9th race--ANGELINA'S ACE, BLUE KITTY

Pick 4 numbers: 4,5,9,12/1,4,8/5,6,8/3,7=\$72

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