

BOB IKE'S HOLLYWOOD PARK SELECTIONS

FRIDAY, JUNE 29

FRIDAY SELECTIONS, BETTING STRATEGY AND PICK 4 TICKET

Thursday Results: Hit 3 top choice winners but went 0-for-3 on my Best Plays.

Tonight's Best Plays: Races 4, 6, 8 and a \$56 Pick 4 ticket. Also, with the Pick 6 carryover of more than \$95,000, I will give out two suggested P6 "singles".

1st race--

1. NOBLE COURT (2) 2. LUIS'S ESPECIAL (3) 3. ZONING IN (1)

2nd race--

1. MOONLIT HABIT (1) 2. GENERAL BUENO (5) 3. CINDER CONE (2)

3rd race--

1. LIL NUGGET (9) 2. I'MALADYTAK (1) 3. JIMMIE PONG (3) 4. SEXY OPERATOR (4)

*****4th race--**

1. COWBOYSANDINDIANS (14) 2. SURFER KRIS (6) 3. TRUCKEE LITE (8) 4. EAGLE RIDGE (9)

With a full field of maiden claimers going postward, this race offers decent betting value. I will make a small Win Bet on my top choice and box my top four selections in the exacta and trifecta. COWBOYSANDINDIANS (5-1) ran off to a huge lead when going long vs. better. He understandably stopped that day but shortens up in distance, drops two levels and is drawn well outside, so look for him to run much better tonight. In the exacta/trifecta, use SURFER KRIS (7-2), who exits stronger straight maiden heats; TRUCKEE LITE (5-1), who has shown steady improvement in each start; EAGLE RIDGE (9-2), who took up into the stretch to lose his best chance vs. better; and COWBOYSANDINDIANS (5-1).

Exacta/Trifecta Box: 6-8-9-14

5th race--

1. COURT OF QUEENS (4) 2. SUM MISTAKE (6) 3. REMEMBER MAGGIE (8) 4. BLUSHING BEAR CAT (3)

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

1. BAD BOY (1A) (P6 SINGLE) 2. STORMS OF LIFE (8) 3. PUSH SEND (2)

I will try to get out of this race by using just my top two choices in the Pick 4 and keying around them on a pair of trifecta tickets. BAD BOY (5-2) looks like the one to beat off his narrow loss vs. similar last time. Although he's had nine previous chances, he may have found his niche as a

turf sprinter. The one to fear is STORMS OF LIFE (5-1), who finished behind the top one in their last meeting but has more early speed and might be able to shake loose early.

Trifecta numbers: 1,8/1,8/ALL=\$18 and 1,8/ALL/1,8=\$18

7th race--

1. CATEGORIZE (8) (P6 SINGLE) 2. CHARMIN DOT (3) 3. BUTTERFLY BELLE (5)

*****8th race--**

1. PICA FRESA (14) 2. CAPTURE THE CAT (7) 3. HANGIN WITH MY BUDS (8) 4. SODA POP SYD (10)

In a wide-open finale, I will try price horse PICA FRESA (8-1) in here. After stumbling and veering out badly at the break, 'FRESA moved up within range before understandably tiring in mid-stretch. She drops two more levels and should be very competitive with a clean start. Make a Win Bet on 'FRESA and key her in the trifecta over six horses in the second and third spots: ANGELICA'S ACE (6-1), STAYS IN VEGAS (9-2), CAPTURE THE CAT (3-1), HANGIN WITH MY BUDS (12-1), SODA POP SYD (15-1) and SAN LAMEER (7-2). Play a second ticket using those six in the first and second spots, with 'FRESA in the middle.

Trifecta numbers: 14/1,4,7,8,10,11/1,4,7,8,10,11=\$30 and 1,4,7,8,10,11/14/1,4,7,8,10,11=\$30

*****\$56 PICK 4 TICKET (races 5-8):**

5th race--BLUSHING BEAR CAT, COURT OF QUEENS, SUM MISTAKE, REMEMBER MAGGIE (Alternate: HERE COMES RAY RAY)

6th race--BAD BOY, STORMS OF LIFE (Alternate: None)

7th race--CATEGORIZE (Alternate: CHARMIN DOT)

8th race--ANGELICA'S ACE, STAYS IN VEGAS, CAPTURE THE CAT, HANGIN WITHMY BUDS, SODA POP SYD, SAN LAMEER, PICA FRESA (Alternate: None)

Pick 4 numbers: 3,4,6,8/1,8/8/1,4,7,8,10,11,14=\$56

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