BOB IKE'S SANTA ANITA SELECTIONS MONDAY, FEB. 18

MONDAY SELECTIONS, BETTING STRATEGY AND PICK 4 TICKET PICK SIX CARRYOVER OVER \$1.2 MILLION!

Sunday Results: Hit 2 top choice winners, including Best Play winner CHEROOT (\$58.80) in 9th race.

Today's Best Plays: Races 2, 7, 9 and a \$48 Pick 4 ticket. With the huge P6 carryover, I will also give out two suggested "singles".

1st race--

1. SOUTH AFRICAN BABY (10) 2. STAR'S PROMISE (5) 3. CANTABILE (4)

***2nd race--

1. BEYOND LOADED (7) 2. RATEAU (10) 3. DAKOTA PADRE (9) 4. SURF TOWN (6) Hillside claiming races are often wide open but BEYOND LOADED (7-2) might be a solid key at a fair price in an otherwise tough one to figure. The Cal-bred winner of two races down this layout was compromised by the race shape when favored in his last start but can run these down from just off the pace. Make a **Win Bet on 'LOADED** and key him in the trifecta over six horses in the second and third spots: MEDZENDEEKRON (6-1), SWIFT WINDS (8-1), FURIOSO STAR (6-1) SURF TOWN (8-1), DAKOTA PADRE (5-1) and RATEAU (9-2). Play a second ticket using those six in the first and third spots, with 'LOADED in the two-hole.

Trifecta numbers: 7/3,4,5,6,9,10/3,4,5,6,9,10=\$30 and 3,4,5,6,9,10/7/3,4,5,6,9,10=\$30

3rd race--

1. SILK THUNDER (6) 2. MASTERFUL MISS (8) 3. QUIET AT THE TOP (1)

4th race--

1. PAUL'S HOPE (6) 2. FAMILIAR STRANGER (7) 3. SPOT THE DIPLOMAT (3)

5th race-

1. AINAMAA (1) 2. DELMARVA (10) 3. SIAMESE CAT (5)

6th race--

1. NORWAY HOUSE (1) (P6 SINGLE) 2. THE RYE MAN (5) 3. SI CHIMI (7)

***7th race--

1. DEVILS MARTINI (11) 2. TRUE SUGGESTION (12) 3. CLASSY ATTRACTION (3) We're shooting for the moon here with DEVILS MARTINI (12-1) off a few angles in a race that warrants such a stab. Filly by Harlan's Holiday did not show much first out off training center

drills but was not ignored in the betting that day, retains the high-riding David Flores for the dangerous Peter Miller barn and takes an important drop in class. Bombs away in a race filled with slow maidens. Make a **Win/Place Bet on 'MARTINI** and key her in the 1-2-3 slots on three different trifecta tickets, which include four other contenders in the other two slots: CLASSY ATTRACTION (9-2), HURRICANE RETSINA (12-1) COLONY TRICK (5-1) and TRUE SUGGESTION (7-2).

Trifecta numbers: 11/3,7,10,12/3,7,10,12=\$12; 3,7,10,12/11/3,7,10,12=\$12; 3,7,10,12/3,7,10,12/11=\$12

8th race--

1. BLACK MAMBA (7) (P6 SINGLE) 2. TRICK'S PIC (6) 3. ALEXANDRA ROSE (5)

***9th race--

1. MEDJOOL (3) 2. TIZ NOW TIZ THEN (2) 3. NO LIEN HERE (8) 4. CATASTAIRE (7)

Sure looks like graduation day for MEDJOOL (7-2) despite being overmatched in his last start. Back in against maidens today, his previous seconds at this level stamp him as the one to beat. Make a **Win Bet on MEDJOOL** and key him in the 1-2 slots on two trifecta tickets, surrounded by five other contenders: TIZ NOW TIZ THEN (5-1), SCREEN TO SCREEN (10-1), CATASTAIRE (6-1), NO LIEN HERE (6-1) and THRUST (8-1).

Trifecta numbers: 3/2,4,7,8,11/2,4,7,8,11=\$20 and 2,4,7,8,11/3/2,4,7,8,11=\$20

10th race--

1. BRITNEY HEAT (13) 2. TRICK A CAT (9) 3. RONAWAY BRIDE (4) 4. ROYAL PRANA (2)

***\$48 PICK 4 TICKET (races 7-10):

7th race--CLASSY ATTRACTION, DEVILS MARTINI, TRUE SUGGESTION

(Alternate: COLONY TRICK)

8th race--TRICK'S PIC, BLACK MAMBA

(Alternate: ALEXANDRA ROSE)

9th race--TIZ NOW TIZ THEN, MEDJOOL

(Alternate: NO LIEN HERE)

10th race--ROYAL PRANA, ROANAWAY BRIDE, TRICK A CAT, BRITNEY HEAT

(Alternate: PINDARIC)

Pick 4 numbers: 3,11,12/6,7/2,3/2,4,9,13=\$48

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