

BOB IKE'S SANTA ANITA SELECTIONS

SATURDAY, FEB. 23

SATURDAY SELECTIONS, BETTING STRATEGY AND PICK 4 TICKET

Friday Results: Hit 5 top choice winners; 3rd race trifecta for \$114 (\$24 play after scratches); and 7th race trifecta for \$222 (\$48 total investment).

Today's Best Plays: Races 6, 7, 8 and an \$84 Pick 4 ticket.

1st race--

1. ADEBAYOR (1) 2. FOREST PRINCE (4) 3. PROCESSOR'S TURF (5) 4. GIANT GEM (9)

2nd race--

1. SPORTS EDITION (6) 2. LADY DISDAIN (3) 3. EARLY ANNA (5)

3rd race--

1. SHORE DO (6) 2. INDIAN SUN (4) 3. GHETTO (8) 4. RIVERGRADE BOY (5)

4th race--

1. NEW RULE (7) 2. CURRENCY TRADER (5) 3. SWING YOUR PARTNER (2)

5th race--

1. CHEROKEE HEAVEN (6) 2. WILD DIPLOMAT (7) 3. ONLY HIM (2) 4. LIVER (4)

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

1. T KAY B (9) 2. SAILBOAT SAM (2) 3. TOPPLER (5) 4. JOLYMPIO (1)

Although T KAY B (8-1) finished only mid-pack in his first start, he did receive betting support (7-1 in a 12-horse field) when facing better straight maidens. With the drop to MC\$40,000 and a solid work tab for Vienna, let's give 'B another chance, especially since Flores stays aboard. Make a **Win Bet on 'B** and key him in the trifecta over five horses in the second and third spots: JOLYMPIO (6-1), SAILBOAT SAM (5-2), TOPPLER (7-2), JAMIESON (12-1) and KADAYIF (8-1). Play a second ticket using those five in the first and third spots, with 'B in the middle.

Trifecta numbers: 9/1,2,5,8,11/1,2,5,8,11=\$20 and 1,2,5,8,11/9/1,2,5,8,11=\$20

*****7th race--**

1. SPRING HOUSE (5) 2. ON THE ACORN (10) 3. CHURCH SERVICE (9) 4. ROCKET LEGS (8)

In an extremely competitive running of the San Luis Obispo, I will give the edge to morning line favorite SPRING HOUSE (5-2). The Canani-trainee finished a distant third in a Grade I last time

after racing wide throughout, but won for Gomez over this course in the Burke at Oak Tree. His best race might give him a slight edge, so let's play a pair of trifecta tickets keying 'HOUSE with five others: PORFIDO (12-1), SUDAN (4-1), ROCKET LEGS (6-1), CHURCH SERVICE (15-1) and ON THE ACORN (7-2).

Trifecta numbers: 5/1,3,8,9,10/1,3,8,9,10=\$20 and 1,3,8,9,10/5/1,3,8,9,10=\$20

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

1. DRAFT CHOICE (5) 2. FLIER MONEY (11) 3. KBELLO (9) 4. WARRENS A P STRIKE (4)

If DRAFT CHOICE (2-1) runs back to his last runner-up effort, he is the one to beat in this Calbred maiden spot. He comes off a solid runner-up effort while showing good improvement in his second start and the Sadler barn continues red hot. I will key him on a pair of trifecta tickets with WARRENS A P STRIKE (6-1), KBELLO (20-1) and FLIER MONEY (4-1). Also, box my top four choices in the exacta and trifecta.

Trifecta numbers: 5/4,9,11/ALL=\$27 and 4,9,11/5/ALL=\$27

Exacta/Trifecta Box: 4-5-9-11

9th race--

1. STORMY WOODS (5) 2. NOTARIZED (2) 3. CATCH THAT THIEF (6)

10th race--

1. MAGIC MIKE (10) 2. RAINGEAR (9) 3. RIVER ROYAL (12) 4. FABULOUS MR. MIKE (11)

*****\$84 PICK 4 TICKET (races 7-10):**

7th race--PORFIDO, SUDAN, SPRING HOUSE, ROCKET LEGS, CHURCH SERVICE, ON THE ACORN

(Alternate: OBRIGADO)

8th race--DRAFT CHOICE

9th race--NOTARIZED, STORMY WOODS

(Alternate: NONE)

10th race--SCOTT'S SPIRIT, FOREVER CHOCOLATE, RAINGEAR, MAGIC MIKE, FABULOUS MR. MIKE, RIVER ROYAL, BALA RAPIDA

(Alternate: NONE)

Pick 4 numbers: 1,3,5,8,9,10/5/2,5/5,7,9,10,11,12,13=\$84

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