

# BOB IKE'S SANTA ANITA SELECTIONS

## THURSDAY, FEB. 21

### THURSDAY SELECTIONS, BETTING STRATEGY AND PICK 4 TICKET

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

**Today's Best Plays: Races 3, 4, 6 and a \$48 Pick 4 ticket. Also, with a Pick Six carryover of more than \$89,000, I will give out two suggested P6 "singles".**

1st race--

1. UFFIZI (1A) 2. SOUPY (5) 3. COURTLY JAZZ (1) 4. MINISTER BLAIR (4)

2nd race--

1. FLAMINGO PRINCESS (5) 2. SHERRY'S HIGH (3) 3. WARREN'S GRANDSLAM (2)

**\*\*\*3rd race--**

**1. LIT'SGOODLOOKNGRAY (6) (P6 SINGLE) 2. AUSTIE (1A) 3. SKIMMETRY (7) 4. BESTDRESSED (3)**

The Pick Six kicks off with a difficult downhill turf event but I like the chances of lukewarm favorite LIT'SGOODLOOKNGRAY (3-1). Coming off a win and re-claimed by Carava, 'GRAY has already shown the ability to handle this layout, winning here for this barn during the Oak Tree meet. I will "single" 'GRAY in the Pick Six and Wheel him in the trifecta over the other six runners. Also, play exactas using ALL over 'GRAY.

**Trifecta numbers: 6/ALL/ALL=\$30**

**Exacta numbers: ALL/6**

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

**1. FAMOUS RUBY (3) 2. SPANISH HEAT (5) 3. RENEES BEAUTY (1) 4. IMPROVISING GAL (7)**

Although FAMOUS RUBY (4-1) did not train all that well before her first start, she turned in a solid effort considering her trip. She broke slowly, lagged, moved up wide on the turn, then finished with interest through the lane. With that race under her belt she might be ready to show her best. Make a **Win Bet on 'RUBY** and key her in the trifecta over RENEES BEAUTY (3-1), SPANISH HEAT (2-1) and IMPROVISING GAL (4-1) for second, then use ALL for third. Play a second ticket using those three on top, with 'RUBY for second, then ALL for third.

**Trifecta numbers: 3/1,5,7/ALL=\$21 and 1,5,7/3/ALL=\$21**

5th race--

**1. HE'S THE RAGE (6) (P6 SINGLE) 2. SEVEN SECRETS (5) 3. OCEANUS (7)**

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

**1. RECOIL (7) 2. MINEZENO (3) 3. STORM THE FIELD (5) 4. DEE TEE BEE (8)**

Favorite RECOIL (2-1) looks very solid in this spot, coming off consecutive runner-up efforts to similar. Although he's been the beaten favorite in his last pair, the Cerin-trained colt figures right there again. I will try to get value by playing two trifecta tickets keying RECOIL with MINEZENO (15-1), STORM THE FIELD (15-1) and DEE TEE BEE (7-2).

**Trifecta numbers: 7/3,5,8/ALL=\$21 and 3,5,8/7/ALL=\$21**

7th race--

1. PUBLIC IMAGE (3) 2. DEE DEE'S LEGACY (5) 3. BAMAHA BREEZE (2)

8th race--

1. E BRADLEY (6) 2. AFLEET'S LOVE SONG (4) 3. ATA HONOUR (5)

**\*\*\*\$48 PICK 4 TICKET (races 5-8):**

**5th race--SEVEN SECRETS, HE'S THE RAGE**

(Alternate: OCEANUS)

**6th race--MINEZENO, STORM THE FIELD, RECOIL, DEE TEE BEE**

(Alternate: GO CORY GO)

**7th race--BAMAHA BREEZE, PUBLIC IMAGE, DEE DEE'S LEGACY**

(Alternate: NONE)

**8th race--AFLEET'S LOVE SONG, E BRADLEY**

(Alternate: ATA HONOUR)

**Pick 4 numbers: 5,6/3,5,7,8/2,3,5/4,6=\$48**

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