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The Yonkers Hilltop Helper

Expert Raceway Selections

****THE LAST HELPER HAD****
4 WINNERS ON TOP
2 COLD EXACTAS
2 EXACTA BOXES
TRIPLE BOX
SUPERFECTA BOX (\$791.00)

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UP TO 8% REWARDS

ART ROONEY (\$300,000) AND LISMORE (\$140,760) FINALS

EARLY PICK 4 PLAY (RACES 3-6) - \$2 1&2 WITH 1&4 WITH 1&2 WITH 4&7 = \$32

PICK 5 PLAY (RACES 7-11) - 50¢ 2&6 WITH 3 WITH 1&2&3 WITH 1&5&6 WITH 1&2 = \$18

LATE PICK 4 PLAY (RACES 5-8) - \$2 1&2 WITH 4&7 WITH 2&6 WITH 3 = \$16

SATURDAY, MAY 27, 2017 – NOTE: SUNDAY, MAY 28, 2017 FIRST POST – 12:30 PM

Race 1: \$50,000 CLAIMERS

- 7 – NEWBIE – Pocket 2nd to good one in last this level; moves outside, but has enough speed to get involved; Bartlett's pick (#3); 5-1 ML
- 4 – CANBEC KINGKAZIMIR – 2nd in last at 29-1 this level (from this slot with Kakaley); recent tries make him at least exotics threat
- 2 – BOLD AND BRAVE – Has won 4 of 5 versus cheaper claimers (3 in PA & other was 8 hole); Fusco reclaims & draws well on hike

Race 2: N/W \$15,000 L5 – EARLY PICK 3 (2-4)

- 4 – BEAT THE DRUM – Heavily bet in 1st for Sholty and never got close; wired field from 8 hole five back this level; blast off
- 2 – BETTOR ROCK ON N – Doing good work upstate and returns here at reduced level; Bartlett/Rohr combination always tough
- 1 – ROYAL HEART – Very mediocre this year, but lands rail for Sears

Race 3: \$50,000 CLAIMERS – EARLY PICK 4 (3-6)

- 1 – E Z NOAH – Returns off poor PA try; speedster tries claimers & lands rail; expect he'll try to take these as far as he can 10-1 ML
- 2 – WESTERN YOUNG GUN – Tired late in 1st this level off \$30k claim by Lare; big factor if he can secure a good trip tonight
- 3 – RANCOUSY – Solid win this level in last; 1st up tonight?
- 4 – INPIRATION VIEW – Impressive win two back this level & post

Race 4: N/W \$20,000 L5 – MIDDLE PICK 3 (4-6)

- 1 – RONNY BUGATTI – Recent form better than it looks; Stratton replaces listed Lachance; big chance on drop down & post relief
- 4 – JENERAL PATTON – Returns to Hilltop off of some solid PA tries; has won at this level before and figures to be aggressive
- 2 – PANSFORMATIVE – 2nd two back one level down; 7 hole in last when stepped up to this level; move inside makes him big factor

Race 5: N/W \$20,000 L5 – LATE PICK 4 (5-8)

- 2 – DREAM OUT LOUD N – Returns off 2 good PA tries, but winless in 8 2017 starts (4 2^{nds}); expected good trip can lead to picture
- 1 – ALTA JEROME N – 5th in lone YR try last year vs. better; 2-5 this year (vs. lesser); expect good trip; ships with barn's Lismore star
- 3 – TYBER TYKE – Double jumps off big 8 hole win; saves ground here

Race 6: \$140,770 LISMORE FINAL

- 4 – AGENT Q – Solid 8 hole win in elimination; gets big tactical advantage over main rival and is unlikely to harassed by others
- 7 – TEQUILA MONDAY – Has put in brilliant performances here (2 YO NYSS win) & very impressive in elim; main threat despite post
- 3 – CAVIART ALLY – Third behind top two in elimination; déjà vu?

Race 7: OPEN HDP – PICK 5 (7-11)

- 2 – TEXICAN N – 2nd to Levy runner up in last (at this Open level); has been solid in 6 2017 tries & can take with aggressive steer; 7-1 ML
- 6 – MACH IT SO – Finally put it together last week when paired with Holland; likely to be much harder for him to make the lead here
- 4 – GUANTANAMO BAY – Post-Levy form solid; late board factor

Race 8: \$300,000 ART ROONEY FINAL – LATE PICK 3 (8-10)

- 3 – DOWNBYTHESEASIDE – Dominant elimination win makes him 2-2 on the year; Miller drove 2YO star like he's the best; he is
- 2 – MISO FAST – Breeders' Crown third place finisher rallied nicely for 2nd in elimination; talented, but think he's still 2nd best
- 6 – SUMMER SIDE – Left sharply in elim & was 4th; likes track
- 8 – STEALTH BOMBER – Sharp 3rd in elim; tri/super despite post

Race 9: N/W \$25,000 L5

- 1 – LUCAN HANOVER – Out of the box for 3 weeks, but returns at reduced level and can use rail draw to control the action
- 2 – THE REV – Much softer spot than last; pocket?; 15-1 ML
- 3 – COWBOY TERRIER – Better one notch down; saves ground

Race 10: W/O \$25,000 L5

- 1 – TE KAWAU N – Solid win this level 3 back from 6 hole; has speed to seat all comers, or at worst sit pocket; 7-1 ML
- 5 – SANTA FE BEACHBOY – Couldn't handle slop in last and broke at 1-5; erratic, but more than capable on his best
- 6 – THE REAL ONE – Takes big step up after pair of wins at N/W \$20,000 level; class master back on track & can handle jump
- 4 – PARNU HANOVER – Super 2nd in first (off 4 weeks) for Renaud

Race 11: W/O \$25,000 L5

- 1 – LETTUCEROCKTHEM A – Solid second from rail this level in last (behind good one); all systems go in 4th off 2 month gap
- 2 – BETTING EXCHANGE – Won off double jump; tries triple jump
- 4 – MOONLITEONTHEBEACH – Easy trip for 2nd in last this level

Race 12: N/W \$25,000 L5

- 3 – NATIONAL SEELSTER – Big 3rd last this level; bad posts last 2 here & tired vs. much better at Swamp; blasting; Dube picks #6
- 1 – WICK N – Returns after two failed Harrington starts; won here one level down 3/25 and can protect his inside position
- 2 – FAMOUS WESTERN – Nice 2nd one level down in last; slice?
- 4 – SIR MACHALOT – Returns at reduced level; use underneath

SUNDAY – RACE 3 – BELMONT – POST 2:32 PM

- 9 – BUSTIN IT – Seeks 3rd straight this level; clear speed/class edge
- 6 – SOL THE FREUD – May be close enough if choice falters

SUNDAY – RACE 7 – YONKERS – POST 2:45 PM

- 5 – AGGRESSIVE – Major class relief; Open winner at distance
- 8 – B YOYO – Been facing much better at The Swamp

SUNDAY'S NEW YORK, NEW YORK DOUBLE
RACE 3 AT BELMONT/RACE 7 AT YONKERS:
\$2 6&9/5&8 = \$8 \$2 9/4&5&8 = \$6 \$2 6&7&8&9/5 = \$8