



CATSKILL STEVE'S PICKS

MONTICELLO RACEWAY THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2018
CHECKING UP ON CATSKILL STEVE (WEDNESDAY)
\$14.00 & \$12.80 WINNERS AMONG 4 ON "TOP" - ALL 8 LISTED. \$401.00, \$143.50 & \$125.50 SUPERFECTAS TABBED. 4 TRIFECTAS LISTED (THE BEST \$298.00 & \$138.00 NUMBERS) AS WELL AS ALL 5 PICK THREES, 7 EXACTAS AND ALL 3 DDS.

RACE 1

	Horse No	Horse Name	Odds
1	2	WE NEVER GETACOLT**	5-2
2	3	LITTLE TJ	7-2
3	6	SUITS	9-2
4	4	SHARK FANTASY	3-1

Comments

WE NEVER GETACOLT finished with good energy after pacing :58.2 middle half making wide backstretch move. Moves inside in second try at reduced level and looks best. LITTLE TJ tired after going first up past a 1:27 three quarters in local debut. Drops off that effort and appears a dangerous foe here.

RACE 2

	Horse No	Horse Name	Odds
1	2	AMERICAN CHAMP	5-2
2	3	LADY'S BAG MAN	3-1
3	4	BIG BAMBU	7-2
4	6	TYLERS GREAT	4-1

Comments

AMERICAN CHAMP was used a bit to make the top past :28 opening quarter, went down the road to beat a few of these in fast mile. Gets a better spot and draws inside his main rival, edge to repeat.

RACE 3

	Horse No	Horse Name	Odds
1	5	ROCKIN BLUE STAR	7-2
2	2	TWIN B ONAROLL	5-2
3	3	SPINSTIGATOR	4-1
4	8	ALWAYS PICKY	3-1

Comments

ROCKIN BLUE STAR made two moves and was left uncovered pushing a :29.3 third panel, held well. Sharp mare seems worth another shot. TWIN B ONAROLL put away top one's bid last time to easily hold sway. Finds a good spot and looks like another tough chalk. SPINSTIGATOR should be staking the speed and figures to be a late threat.

RACE 4

	Horse No	Horse Name	Odds
1	3	ART'S DELIGHT	3-1
2	5	MAY DAY	5-2
3	1	IDONTTHANKYOU CAN	7-2
4	2	GIDDY UP DELIGHT	4-1

Comments

ART'S DELIGHT set a hot pace, for this type, under hounding pressure, gave way grudgingly falling a neck short in Catskill debut. May hold on here despite facing tougher. MAY DAY is in raging form and will likely give top one problems in second try for new barn.

RACE 5

	Horse No	Horse Name	Odds
1	2	RAKIN IT IN	3-1
2	5	ROAD UNTRAVELED	7-2
3	3	PV COMING HOME	5-2
4	6	KEYSTONE ROYCE	6-1

Comments

RAKIN IT IN has finished fast from tough spots in recent, moves inside and can blow by these. ROAD UNTRAVELED has missed some time but debuts for new connections out of sparkling qualifier and has some back class.

RACE 6

	Horse No	Horse Name	Odds
1	2	MAKIN TROUBLE K	5-2
2	1	THE FIGHTER	3-1
3	4	CINDERELLAS DRESS	4-1
4	5	KICKINWITHKOHLER	7-2

RACE 7

	Horse No	Horse Name	Odds
1	6	GOTTA LOVE HIM*	6-1
2	1	MIRICLE MAVERICK	7-2
3	2	CHEYENNE REIDER	5-2
4	8	SHAKE IT SILLY	4-1

Comments

GOTTA LOVE HIM went an improved mile from 8-hole when dropped to this level in latest. Could be value play in a race lacking any standouts.

RACE 8

	Horse No	Horse Name	Odds
1	3	ROAD RAGE	3-1
2	1	AUDACIOUS WARRIOR	4-1
3	7	DEWAR N JACK	5-2
4	2	VIRTUOUS DRAGON	7-2

Preferred Play

WE NEVER GETACOLT 1ST RACE

Long Shot Play

GOTTA LOVE HIM 7TH RACE