

HANDICAPER'S SELECTIONS - Les

Thursday June 14 (6:30 PM Post Time)

Race 1 2-6-1

Lyndae Coco She's been dropping her times steadily in every start and a continuation of that trend could see her dispose of her maiden status.

House Of Style Lost all hope with the early break last time but if she can avoid a repeat of that tonight her previous efforts indicate that she's worth considering in here.

Putnams Spitfire She's been on the board in two of her last three and with rail control for this one she's got a good shot at adding to those totals.

Race 2 6-2-4

I Aint No Lady This marks his first start of the season but he comes in off a decent qualifier, has Jason at the controls and catches a vulnerable group so we'll treat him as the one to beat.

Majian Cash Despite being winless last year he was respectable on the tough stakes circuit. Nothing to scary to kick off his four year old season and the ideal post he gets to work from could put him right in the thick of it.

Dora Nothing too spectacular in her sophomore debut as she preps for the stakes season in a few weeks but it was faster than she's ever gone before. She's got some credibility.

Race 3 3-2-6

Elm Grove Mistress Drawing in here will likely see her headed to the front and if she can secure the lead uncontested and steal a fraction it could be all over.

Kinross Kate Looks like she should be able to sit and stalk all the way from here and if she kicks home the way she has been, she'll be close if not a winner.

Lornevalleytrinity Steps up in class tonight but the ease with which she won her last start leads us to believe she should be able to handle it.

Race 4 1-5-7

Shock The Rock Meets a fairly camera shy field in here and since they all appear to be evenly matched, the rail could be the deciding factor. Top call.

Laugh Amile His local debut was nothing to write home about but he drops a notch this time around and if he goes as much tonight as he did in that one he'll be right in the hunt.

Eyes Of Glory He was first up before the half last week which pretty much sealed his fate. If he can pick up some cover tonight instead of providing it he's possible tri material.

Value play Shock The Rock

Race 5 5-2-3

Freddie If you like to play trends, it's his turn this week, especially since the mare that got the better of him last time is sitting this one out.

Frill Seeker His results improve dramatically when he's allowed to control his own destiny, a scenario that looks very possible in here. Could be the best of the rest.

Holy Molie Maggie After a predictable result in her first start off the bench she's now back to where we're used to seeing her, on the board. Look for that trend to continue in here.

Most probable Freddie

Race 6 6-3-1

Keepcalmndanceon She had a fairly successful campaign and the way things are shaping up, her sophomore season could be a lot better. Tough post but she's been out here most of the year anyway and won three times. Quite possibly the one to beat.

Private Di She can kick home with the best of them, an advantage that should be greatly enhanced by the short field. She'll give them all they can handle.

Silverhill Misty Made up a ton of ground at Truro to just miss hitting the board and since a much better beginning is in the cards from this improved post she's a solid tri candidate.

Longshot play Elm Grove Misty

Race 7 2-4-6

Rosberg Exits the open class for this one and there are none in here like the three that beat him last week. Matching that effort will make him hard to deny.

Suicide Shift He went right to the front from the seven hole last week and it worked out pretty well so he's probably headed there again. If he makes it without being used too hard he's a force to be reckoned with.

Professor Gordon That was a solid performance last week in his first start off the bench and since he'll likely be a little tighter for this one he's got a good shot at cracking the top three again.

Race 8 1-4-3

Vintage Winner She hasn't missed a cheque since dropping to this level and with the absence of any real standouts in here and rail control she could be the one to knock off.

Sir Native She's been knocking on the door a couple of classes up from this so if she brings her best tonight, it should be good enough to beat most and possibly all of these.

Rojans White Jet She's not exactly a model of consistency but she is capable of whipping off a good one when she puts her mind to it. Which version will show up tonight? It's your call.

Race 9 6-4-5

Julep Hanover Hasn't looked totally out of her element against the open mares so dropping to this level should be most welcome. The outside draw is the only real knock.

Outrageous Spirit This mare is about as consistent as they come and is fresh off a career best performance last week. She's a major threat barring anything unexpected.

Good Luck Kathy She was last at the half in her latest but ended up just two lengths in arrears at the finish. With not as many horses to pass tonight and not as far to come she's a legitimate contender.

Race 10 3-6-8

What A Babe Had a terrible beginning last week and things got progressively worse so we'll just toss that one. Gets some class relief tonight and the best post she's had in ages so the road to the winners circle could go through her.

Swingirl She was first up before the half last time which proved to be her downfall. Since she draws outside she'll probably be coming from farther back tonight so the cover might already be there and if so, she could have some say in the outcome.

Diduseethat She hasn't had a lot of luck lately and the post is a big obstacle to overcome but she's still a threat so ignore her at your own peril.

Race 11 1-6-5

Give Em Heck He's steadily climbing the class ladder but he's yet to taste defeat since teaming up with Gilles and lady luck seems to be on his side draw day. With what appears to be another easy path to the front he's hard to go against.

Nogreatmischief He offers a not worse than second record from his last four starts and don't be too concerned about the post since he's out here most of the time anyway. He's a top contender.

Narragansett He's got back to back seconds since coming back from hiatus and he looks like he was never gone. Not sure what kind of trip he'll get from out here but he's dangerous with the right one.

Race 12 5-1-2

Nikes Cowgirl It was pretty much all or nothing for her last year but when she was on her game she was some good. Being her first start makes us a bit wary but if she gets some live flow and a cover trip to bring her into it late, beware.

Bettim Vicky She's been finding the sledding a little tough the past month so the class relief could be just what the doctor ordered. Since the rail has also been known to cure a lot of ills she could make her presence felt.

Caught Me Speeding Hasn't been getting much support at the windows but with her hitting the board in each of her last three races, maybe it's time she did. Don't underestimate her.