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CATEGORIES

WIN FACTOR: A comprehensive rating (ranging from zero to 10) comprised of general ability, current form, speed, class, conditioning, and distance compatibility. The higher the rating, the more reliable the Fair Odds are likely to be. Horses that are switching surfaces or those coming off of long layoffs are designated as "unknowns" (UK). Ratings preceded by a dollar sign (\$) denote a Key Selection (explanation below).

RACE RATING: A percentage (0-100) proceeding the race number that measures the separation between contenders and the inherent value (overlay) potential of the race in question. Higher percentages generally indicate more predictable and/or formful races.

RECENT PLACING: Horse's placing in his/her most recent start: (W)in, (P)lace, or (S)how. A plus notation (+) indicates a performance at today's par or above, while an exclamation point (!) represents a significant recent speed advantage over today's foes.

CLASS PAR: A comparison between today's speed par and the speed par of the horse's latest race. An up arrow (\uparrow) denotes a horse moving up in par, while a down arrow (\downarrow) indicates a horse moving down.

TRACK & DAYS LAPSED: The racetrack at which the horse most recently competed and the number of days since that effort.

WIN RATE: Horse's current winning percentage.

CLASS RATING: A figure (ranging from zero to one) that measures both average earnings per start and average purse value as a means of identifying overall class. Anything above 0.25 is considered to be significant and is highlighted by bold type in the report.

RATED STARTS: The number of races used to derive the performance ratings listed above. Horses with less than five Rated Starts should be treated with great caution and their performance numbers greeted with skepticism (see "Guidelines" below).

FAIR ODDS: The minimum acceptable betting odds on the entrant(s) in question. Fair odds are independent of track take and are adjusted for unknown entities. Those preceded by the "@" sign denote a Sharp Contender, while those followed by a question mark (?) indicate a Prime Overlay possibility (explanation below).

GUIDELINES

The purpose of this report is really twofold. Obviously, the primary goal is to increase your profits at the track by providing a reliable odds line. Beyond that, however, you will also find a lot of other useful and unique data that can be incorporated into your own handicapping. Regardless of how you choose to view the

- 1) All ratings and selections (unless otherwise noted) are made in light of the conditions existing at the time of entry. Races taken off the turf, or modified in any way, should be passed.
- 2) Because the goal is to provide as accurate an odds line as possible, not all horses are rated. This is due to the fact that not every horse can be reasonably assessed given the criteria that is used. While an attempt is made to adjust the Fair Odds in accordance with the overall ability level of any unknown entrants, it is probably wise to pass races with exceedingly low Race Ratings.
- 3) Be very wary of horses with fewer than five Rated Starts. Because their performance ratings are based on such limited data, they tend to be notoriously unreliable even when they appear to be overlays.
- 4) There are four kinds of "automatic" plays (bets that don't require any analysis on the part of the report user):
 - a) Key Selections Strong contenders at any price; can be used to anchor your exotic wagering.
 - b) Prime Overlays These horses produce tremendous profits when going to post at odds equal to or greater than their fair odds.
 - c) Sharp Contenders Horses in exceptionally good form that can be played at almost any price.
 - d) Speed Racers (asterisk before name) These horses have a significant recent speed edge and can be used as exotics keys.
- 5) If a horse with a low or non-existent Win Factor rating is going to post as a heavy favorite or you observe other severe discrepancies in the Win Factor ratings and the tote, it is best to limit your wagering. When none of the top plays are getting any action, it is likely that the Fair Odds are out of sync or irrelevant in that event.
- 6) No distinction is made between restricted and unrestricted races in regards to performance standards such as wins and earnings; thus, ratings can occasionally be unjustly skewed towards females or horses that have raced exclusively in state-bred company.
- 7) Try to be conscious of anything that greatly alters the composition of a race (extreme biases, excessive scratches, etc.). Exercise good wagering judgment at all times.

MTH Race 1 (13%) \$20,000 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Main	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	Win <u>Factor</u>	Recent <u>Placing</u>	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u>	Win <u>Rate</u>	Class <u>Rating</u>	Rated Starts	Fair <u>Odds</u>
	1 5 4 6	LIVIN A DREAM (3-2) AGORA (3-1) SUNSET EMPIRE (5-2) ATLANTIS ROMANCE (9-2)	UK 0.44 0.43 UK	S	↓ ↓ ↓	TAM176 TAM48 TAM20 MTH309	13% 25% 25% 14%	0.09 0.14 0.10 0.23	8 8 4 7	2-1 4-1 9-2 6-1
MTH Race 2 (49%) \$20,500 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Main	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	Win <u>Factor</u>	Recent <u>Placing</u>	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & Days Lapsed	Win <u>Rate</u>	Class Rating	Rated Starts	Fair <u>Odds</u>
	3 6 5 7	GAMBLER'S GHOST (5-2) DOODLE HOPPER (7-2) WHITE BLUFF (9-2) DISCREETLY PLACED (5-1)	0.77 0.51 0.40 0.32	P W P	↑ ↑	MTH21 TAM31 MTH21 MTH13	23% 42% 23% 20%	0.29 0.18 0.17 0.12	13 19 22 20	2-1 7-2 5-1 6-1
MTH Race 3 (24%) \$18,000 Purse 8.3 Furlongs Main	<u>#</u>	Name	Win <u>Factor</u>	Recent <u>Placing</u>	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u>	Win <u>Rate</u>	Class <u>Rating</u>	Rated <u>Starts</u>	Fair <u>Odds</u>
	3 6 5 1	OPEN BAR (4-1) PAX IN TERRA (3-1) BRAVE REQUEST (6-1) HIGH FIVE COTTON (8-1)	0.42 0.36 0.31 0.30	S S	↓ ↓ ↓	PRX32 PRX11 MTH7 MTH7	17% 0% 16% 15%	0.16 0.19 0.09 0.11	18 8 19 13	7-2 9-2 5-1 5-1
MTH Race 4 (26%) \$17,000 Purse 8.5 Furlongs Turf	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	Win <u>Factor</u>	Recent <u>Placing</u>	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & Days Lapsed	Win <u>Rate</u>	Class <u>Rating</u>	Rated Starts	Fair <u>Odds</u>
	11 10 1 5	BOSTALETO (7-2) HIGHLAND BOWL (5-1) TONY (6-1) SMART RAGS (4-1)	0.17 UK UK 0.09		↓ ↓ ↓	GP37 TAM36 TAM38 KEE35	0% 0% 0% 0%	0.06 0.04 0.05 0.02	6 4 4 1	4-1 7-1 8-1 9-1
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MTH Race 5 (46%) \$50,000 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Main	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	Win <u>Factor</u>	Recent <u>Placing</u>	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & Days Lapsed	Win <u>Rate</u>	Class <u>Rating</u>	Rated Starts	Fair <u>Odds</u>
	6 1 7 11	BUBBA'S WILL (7-2) GOLDEN BROWN (4-1) EVIL MONKEY (9-2) SCOBEYVILLE (10-1)	0.43 0.31 0.29 0.20	W+ P W	↓	PRX26 MTH21 MTH21 MTH7	27% 25% 25% 15%	0.07 0.17 0.09 0.03	11 4 4 13	7-2 5-1 6-1 10-1
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MTH Race 6 (23%) \$19,000 Purse 8.5 Furlongs Turf	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	Win <u>Factor</u>	Recent <u>Placing</u>	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u>	Win <u>Rate</u>	Class <u>Rating</u>	Rated Starts	Fair <u>Odds</u>
	3 6 9 7	WAR WINGS (6-1) NEW JERSEY JOHN (9-2) BANJO BILL (4-1) AQUA TEEN (3-1)	0.37 UK 0.25 0.25	W S	↑ ↑ ↓	TAM56 TAM119 TAM71 TAM35	50% 8% 25% 11%	0.11 0.15 0.09 0.13	2 12 4 9	4-1 6-1 6-1 6-1
MTH Race 7 (57%) \$15,000 Purse 8.5 Furlongs Main	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	Win <u>Factor</u>	Recent <u>Placing</u>	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & Days Lapsed	Win <u>Rate</u>	Class <u>Rating</u>	Rated <u>Starts</u>	Fair <u>Odds</u>
	9 7 3 2	MY UNCLE AL (6-1) SALEM LOOP (7-2) LITTLE MATT (10-1) LOOKIN UP (8-1)	0.91 0.45 0.43 0.39	S	Ţ	MTH7 MTH14 PRX5 MTH14	13% 12% 9% 13%	0.22 0.11 0.11 0.10	16 25 11 16	2-1 5-1 6-1 6-1
VULNERABLE FAVORITE: 4. \$1 CONDITIONAL EXACTA(\$): 9-7 (\$16), 9-3 (\$17), 9-2 (\$19), 7-9 (\$20), 7-3 (\$42), 7-2 (\$47).										

MTH Race 8 (7%) \$36,000 Purse 5.5 Furlongs Turf	 # Name 5 NORA'S DRAMA (3-1) 4 SENSIBLE MYTH (5-2) 7 OFF THE BOURBON (4-1) 8 GIGGLE BYTE (6-1) 	Win Factor UK 0.28 UK UK	Recent Placing S	Class <u>Par</u> ↓ ↓	Track & Days Lapsed TAM20 BEL21 GP154	Win Rate 0% 0% 0% 0% 0%	Class Rating 0.10 0.14 0.00 0.01	Rated Starts 2 5 0 1	Fair Odds 4-1 9-2 5-1 8-1
MTH Race 9 (27%) \$60,000 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Main	# Name 3 BROTHER CHUB (7-2) 4 CHUBLICIOUS (5-2) 6 SAUCY DON (3-1) 7 COZY LOVER (9-2)	Win Factor 0.79 UK UK 0.58	Recent Placing W P P P	Class <u>Par</u> ↑ ↑	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u> PRX14 FG133 GP100 PRX39	Win Rate 33% 29% 0% 47%	Class Rating 0.11 0.50 0.09 0.10	Rated Starts 18 7 8 15	Fair Odds 3-1 3-1 4-1 9-2
MTH Race 10 (33%) \$75,000 Purse 8.5 Furlongs Turf	# Name 10 REVERSETHEDECISION (5-2) 3 GOLDEN ORB (9-2) 11 BLUE STRIKE (9-2) 2 FAIRY LINK (10-1)	Win Factor 0.52 UK UK 0.25	Recent Placing W W+	Class <u>Par</u> ↑ ↑	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u> AQU42 GP140 PRX25 AQU38	Win Rate 50% 20% 50% 33%	Class Rating 0.17 0.11 0.08 0.13	Rated Starts 2 5 4 3	Fair Odds 7-2 7-1 7-1 8-1
MTH Race 11 (35%) \$100,000 Purse 8.0 Furlongs Main	 # Name 3 SUNNY RIDGE (5-2) 4 CHIP LEADER (3-1) 6 PAGE MCKENNEY (7-2) 7 GREAT STUFF (9-2) 	Win Factor 0.72 0.49 0.49 0.33	Recent Placing P P	Class <u>Par</u> ↑ ↓	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u> AQU36 KEE42 GP56 BEL14	Win Rate 40% 50% 45% 27%	Class Rating 0.43 0.10 0.23 0.13	Rated Starts 5 8 11 11	Fair Odds 5-2 9-2 9-2 7-1
MTH Race 12 (19%) \$200,000 Purse 9.0 Furlongs Turf	# Name 7 FROSTMOURNE (4-1) 4 DIVISIDERO (4-1) 2 PROJECTED (3-1) 5 FORCE THE PASS (9-2)	Win Factor 0.44 UK 0.27 0.25	Recent Placing + P!+ W	Class <u>Par</u> ↓ ↓	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u> KEE43 KEE231 AQU48 MTH21	Win Rate 50% 14% 25% 100%	Class Rating 0.26 0.25 0.13 0.05	Rated Starts 6 7 8 1	Fair Odds 3-1 5-1 5-1 6-1
MTH Race 13 (44%) \$14,000 Purse 8.0 Furlongs Main	# Name 1 UP TO ELEVEN (3-1) 6 DISRUPTOR (2-1) 8 CASINO KING (10-1) 3 FAKE FRONTIER (6-1)	Win Factor 0.57 0.54 0.46 UK	Recent Placing W S	Class <u>Par</u> ↑ ↓	Track & Days Lapsed MTH13 GP15 MTH6 MTH21	Win Rate 33% 14% 7% 10%	Class <u>Rating</u> 0.10 0.16 0.18 0.16	Rated Starts 3 7 15 10	Fair Odds 3-1 7-2 4-1 8-1