

Race 1

#3 Blondina's Boy

#4 Rachael's Wagon

#6 Waheela

#1 You're So Lucky

#3 BLONDINA'S BOY exits a runner-up finish behind Conn Smythe at this level on May 24. In a race with no obvious speed, he may be able to control the pace. #4 RACHAEL'S WAGON was in good form at Turfway over the winter before returning from a two-month break with a good effort at Presque Isle on May 25. He had a runner-up effort over our surface last year and the speed figures fit. #6 WAHEELA found room up the rail and squeezed through to win in a blanket finish on May 31. That race has already produced a next-out winner. #1 YOU'RE SO LUCKY was only a neck behind Blondina's Boy when running on from last on May 24. He could plod along and be in the mix again.

Race 2

#1 Thanks Your Honour

#9 Audi's World

#6 Capsaicin

#4 Cat's Fury

#1 THANKS YOUR HONOUR debuted against maiden allowance company on May 17, battling between horses before faltering in the stretch. He gets significant class relief for his second attempt. #9 AUDI'S WORLD swung wide and ran on to be fourth, narrowly missing second when kicking off his season on May 23. He goes for a new barn in his second start off of the bench; hopefully he can work out a trip from the outside. #6 CAPSAICIN is by 12% debut sire Classic Empire, out of a mare who has had two winners in as many foals to race. He has been working steadily. #4 CAT'S FURY chased a moderate pace before flattening out to be fourth when dropping in for this tag in November. We'll see if he's improved with the winter off.

Race 3

#5 Willful Warrior

#4 Buium

#6 Powell River

#7 Very Special

#5 WILLFUL WARRIOR tried two turns on May 24, racing wide on the first turn, fighting rating down the backside and coming up a clear second best. A better trip and hopefully a more settled attitude this time should make him a serious factor. #4 BUIUM rallied well to be second behind the speedy El Capo when making his seasonal bow on May 24. He has raced well around two turns against Stakes company and could be the closer to pick up the pieces if Willful Warrior and Powell River wear each other out. #6 POWELL RIVER makes his Woodbine debut after two good runs on turf south of the border, most recently at Churchill on Kentucky Oaks day. Son of Justify could be tough to catch if Willful Warrior fights the

rating again and doesn't leave himself with enough left to make a serious challenge. #7 VERY SPECIAL debuted in the same race that Buium exits, racing in midpack and rallying to be third. Son of Ghostzapper should be able to build off of that effort.

Race 4

#4 Uncle Dodo

#6 Patriotwave

#8 Logan's Thunder

#3 American Pope

#4 UNCLE DODO is by 14% juvenile debut sire Uncle Mo, out of Dream It Is, a Grade 3 winner who was undefeated at two and has produced juvenile Stakes-winner Otto the Conqueror as well as two other debut winners. #6 PATRIOTWAVE is by 10% juvenile debut sire American Pharoah, and is the first foal to race out of Merveilleux, who was a route winner and multiple Stakes placed at two. #8 LOGAN'S THUNDER is by 13% juvenile debut sire Frosted, and is the first foal to race out of an unraced Candy Ride mare. With just three works on the page there is no doubt he got a lot of foundation into him in Ocala. #3 AMERICAN POPE has three starts under his belt already, most recently finishing a distant fourth after racing wide on May 17. We'll see if that experience edge leads him to pick up another check.

Race 5

#3 Crystal Pearl

#7 Hello Stranger

#2 Silverstein

#5 Lover Boy Mo

#3 CRYSTAL PEARL, a \$1.1M yearling purchase at Keeneland makes his debut here as a four-year-old. Son of Curlin is out of the very talented Miss Sunset, a Grade 2 winner who won 10 of 20 lifetime starts and producer of Grade 3-winner and Kentucky Derby starter Track Phantom. I wouldn't call this field easy but it doesn't appear to be in super tough either. #7 HELLO STRANGER pressed the leader through quick fractions and faltered when kicking off his season on May 3. He wants a target to run at and may have needed a race anyways; we'll see if a change in tactics gets him back to form. #2 SILVERSTEIN debuted for \$50,000 at Gulfstream on March 29 and raced well to be second. He draws well and should be competitive despite the rise in class. #5 LOVER BOY MO has been a consistent check earner at this level, already having two third place efforts this season. He raced well to be second in his only previous turf try.

Race 6

#6 Maker's Flatter

#5 Who Goes There

#9 Kamasi

#2 Tony From Angus

#6 MAKER'S FLATTER had a wide journey, had to come into the race a little earlier than he would have liked as a foe make a premature backstretch rush on his outside, and kept on well to be second behind the very well-tripped Noburu on May 24. A repeat of that effort should

make him a serious threat here. #5 WHO GOES THERE debuted in the same race that Maker's Flatter exits, falling back to trail early and finishing up well despite lugging in in the stretch. He can definitely build on that performance. #9 KAMASI drops in for a tag for the first time here after offering little in the stretch on May 24. He has a tough draw to overcome. #2 TONY FROM ANGUS raced very well on debut for \$25,000 but had a wide trip and was empty midway around the far turn when rising up to this level on August 3, going on the sidelines a few breezes after that race. He draws inside and could run on for a check with a good trip.

Race 7

#7 Flirting With Fire

#3 Egbert Who

#1 Lean Music Machine

#9 Wild Card

#7 FLIRTING WITH FIRE chased Saugeen and emptied out when facing N1X/\$32,000 routers on May 23. He gets in for \$40,000 and could be a speed factor with the blinkers being reapplied. #3 EGBERT WHO was four-wide on the turn while battling for the lead, giving way to be third behind a pair of closers when last racing on May 23. He is still lightly raced and should definitely be able to save more ground this time. #1 LEAN MUSIC MACHINE sat at the back, swung wide turning for home and ran on gamely to be second behind Yoshii in the same race that Egbert Who exits. He has raced well in both of his starts since arriving here and looks very logical. #9 WILD CARD was getting into the race turning for home but lost his momentum when checking and ended up a distant fifth behind Lean Music Machine and Egbert Who last time. He has a tough draw; the blinkers are coming off.

Race 8

#5 Romantica

#3 Design

#6 Valence

#1 Lupa (IRE)

#5 ROMANTICA stalked the pace and kicked on to an easy win against N2L types over this course on June 22 before being sidelined. She now returns after nearly a year off; the speed figures fit and she has enough speed to find good position here. #3 DESIGN was able to go through her allowance conditions last year with wins on both turf and Tapeta but failed to threaten in two tries against tougher company at Gulfstream over the winter. She returns after a few months to freshen up; hopefully there will be enough pace for her to run at here. #6 VALENCE is a wild card here making her first start in over a year. A Stakes-winner on the Zia Park dirt who has been on the fringes in a couple of Stakes on the turf at Santa Anita, she is a capable enough racehorse who should fit at this level. #1 LUPA (IRE) was a real Jekyll and Hyde type last year, with two wins and three defeats by double digit lengths last year. She should show speed from the inside; we'll see which version of her we get in her seasonal debut.

Race 9

#4 William T - Best Bet

#6 Marshal

#1 El Magnate

#3 Golden Truth

#4 WILLIAM T made his return to the races on May 17 with a game runner-up finish behind the very talented Yukon Striker. He has since been gelded and looks tough. #6 MARSHAL went to the lead and probably set quicker fractions than he's comfortable with before being outkicked by the talented Military Time on May 2. He is a consistent check earner and figures to be in the fray again. #1 EL MAGNATE overcame clipping heels late on the turn when winning his debut against a somewhat questionable maiden allowance group on May 17. There's clearly ability there; we'll see how he handles the deeper waters. #3 GOLDEN TRUTH has had two good third place finishes this year, finishing behind Marshal first and then behind William T the next time. He is a consistent money maker and figures to pick up another share.

Race 10

#6 No More Options

#8 Ever Dangerous

#4 Niigon's Law

#2 Whiskey N Soda

#9 King d'Oro

#6 NO MORE OPTIONS had his hand forced on the turn as Sedbury's Ghost advanced on his outside, was in a bit tight in early stretch and kept on before galloping out strongly in an N2X/\$50,000 sprint on May 17. He drops in for \$32,000 and gets back to his preferred distance; figures to be a bit overlooked in this wide open affair. #8 EVER DANGEROUS tracked the pacesetter before overtaking the lead on the far turn and cruising in to an easy win while attracting a \$15,000 claim on May 9. He has the speed to find position and loves to win; definitely warrants consideration at this level. #4 NIIGON'S LAW raced well over 12 furlongs at Turfway two back before cutting back to this distance and scoring an easy maiden win on May 24. He faces some salty multiple winners here but does not look out of place. #2 WHISKEY N SODA has raced well in each of his starts since being claimed by these connections, running on well to be third behind the pacesetter Saugeen when making his Tapeta debut on May 23. We'll see if he steps forward with a start over the surface. #9 KING D'ORO rallied to be a good fifth on the Gulfstream turf in his first start off of a \$35,000 claim. He has never been worse than fourth on the synthetic; hopefully he can work out a trip.