

Race 1

#3 Heaven's Champion

#1 Tiger Town

#6 Alpha Kadin

#2 Coherence

#3 HEAVEN'S CHAMPION was a bit reluctant to split foes in deep stretch but went through and ran a game third outkicked by two outside closers when beaten a neck for \$15,000 on August 14. He drops back in for the price he was taken for and should be very live. #1 TIGER TOWN was a vet scratch on May 17 and now returns to the races. The extra time off after a disappointing Oaklawn campaign was likely a good thing for this colt who had a fairly busy 2025 campaign. #6 ALPHA KADIN was in contention in the stretch but faded late to be sixth in the same race that Heaven's Champion exits; should be competitive with the drop in for \$7,500. #2

COHERENCE threw in a clunker last time after running a distant second to the back-classy Armstrong in his first start off of the bench. On his best day he could be a win threat here.

Race 2

#4 Midnight Martini - Best Bet

#6 Disco Star

#1 Stroke of Genius

#3 Elusive Yaupon

#4 MIDNIGHT MARTINI ran a credible fourth in an N1X/\$32,000 with some solid multiple winners on August 1. A speed threat stretching out from five furlongs, she should be live getting back to straight N2L company. #6 DISCO STAR was in good form against New York bred on turf earlier this summer and now makes her Woodbine debut. She is not hooking the toughest of fields here and may appreciate the long EP Taylor stretch. #1 STROKE OF GENIUS raced wide and lacked late kick on the Tapeta on August 8. She was a half-length behind Midnight Martini when finishing fifth in her first start off of the bench back on June 6. #3 ELUSIVE YAUPON came up empty in the same Tapeta race that Stroke of Genius exits after breaking her maiden in her previous start. Her lone turf try was a game runner-up finish in her career debut.

Race 3

#4 Up N the Ante

#6 Frankness

#5 Manchester Ice

#1 Mister Bean

#4 UP N THE ANTE raced wide and came up empty in the stretch when last racing on August 23. He drops in for \$25,000 for his turf debut and catches a field with some cheap speed for him to track. #6 FRANKNESS ran a good second on debut in April but disappointed in two subsequent starts and now drops in for \$25,000 for his first start in 81 days. Son of Reload gets on turf for the first time. #5 MANCHESTER ICE's best effort to date was his debut for this price over this course and distance in which he set the pace before coming up second best. We'll see if he can find that early speed again after lacking speed last time on the Tapeta. #1 MISTER BEAN was a distant fourth at the OS/\$40,000 level on August 2. He drops in class and switches back to turf for his second start with the blinkers on.

Race 4

#3 Balboni's Crew

#5 Monday Morning

#4 Coolcollected

#6 Allbetsareoff

#3 BALBONI'S CREW was the best horse in the race on August 14 when finishing a resurgent third after being shuffled to last on the far turn. With a clean trip he should be tough here. #5 MONDAY MORNING was a neck better than Balboni's Crew when scoring his second consecutive runner-up placing on August 14. Looking for his first win since September 2024, he should be able to grind out another check here. #4 COOLCOLLECTED was not particularly competitive but ran a much better race than he had been running when returning from a 70 day break on August 28. He returns on short rest and drops back in for \$7,500. #6 ALLBETSAREOFF re-adds the blinkers after finishing a distant fourth when last racing on July 24, finishing 2 ¾ lengths behind Monday Morning on that day.

Race 5

#3 You Mule

#6 Unbridled Weather

#4 Mor Joe's Spirit

#1 Extraordinary One (GB)

#3 YOU MULE ran a decent fourth in his return to the races at Tampa this winter before a flat effort at Gulfstream when last seen in March. Son of Army Mule may appreciate getting to sprint for the first time in his career. #6 UNBRIDLED WEATHER saved ground but finished evenly when travelling a mile in a field topped by two legitimate Stakes horses on August 15. The 2024 Frost King winner gets in easier here and is probably better sprinting. #4 MOR JOE'S SPIRIT was clear on the lead and held comfortably in the stretch when winning his seasonal debut on August 23. He tries turf for the first time here; we'll see if he gets as easy a lead this time. #1 EXTRAORDINARY ONE (GB) had good closing momentum when beaten a length in a five furlong inner turf dash on July 19 and warrants consideration in his first try over the EP Taylor turf.

Race 6

#2 Star Attraction

#5 Purr Factor

#4 Z Train (IRE)

#3 Lady On the Nile

#2 STAR ATTRACTION battled down the stretch to win a place photo in a race won by the very solid Sheshimaintenance on August 16. She has raced well in all three of her starts this year and should be tough today. #5 PURR FACTOR was also second best to Sheshimaintenance after setting the pace in the Midsummer Handicap, then did not have the best of trips when facing N2X/\$50,000 foes over seven furlongs on the EP Taylor on August 14. She drops in for \$32,000 and is a threat to wire them. #4 Z TRAIN (IRE) raced very gamely to be beaten a head in an OS/\$40,000 non-three over this course on July 25 and does not look out of place at this level in this short field. #3 LADY ON THE NILE rises in class after three consecutive wins, going through each of her conditions for \$25,000, and needs to be considered based on confidence alone.

Race 7

#4 Silverstein

#5 Crystal Pearl

#2 Beach Factor

#1 Irish Mojo

#4 SILVERSTEIN was forwardly placed and kept on well to be second in his Woodbine debut behind Bond Market, who came back to be a very credible sixth in the King's Plate in just his second lifetime start. He looks like a speed threat with the stretch out to 10 furlongs. #5 CRYSTAL PEARL was unable to overcome a massive inside/speed bias when finishing second in his debut on June 14, then could not get by the game first timer Keepmypowderdry when returning on King's Plate day. \$1.1 million son of Curlin figures to be a short price in his turf debut. #2 BEACH FACTOR has had good closing kick in each of his three starts against easier company over the inner turf this season and could rally to pick up a share in his first start not entered for a tag. #1 IRISH MOJO has not been able to overcome wide draws in his two local starts. He finally draws inside here and could be a better horse with a ground saving trip.

Race 8

#8 Lake Como Heist

#5 Found Money

#4 Glorious Revenge

#3 Imperial War

#1 Almasty Five

#8 LAKE COMO HEIST ran on fairly well to be third for at this level on August 16 after just being run down late in his previous start. He is still lightly raced and figures to fare well again. #5 FOUND MONEY made his seasonal debut in a 7 ½ furlong \$25,000 race on the inner turf on August 7, adding blinkers and coming up empty after getting in a bit tight at the head of the lane. He gets major class relief and sheds the blinkers for his second start off of the bench. #4 GLORIOUS REVENGE has picked up a check in all but one of his starts this season and hopes to make 33rd time the charm here after a second-place effort on August 21. #3 IMPERIAL WAR battled on the lead and held second from Lake Como Heist in his second start off of the bench on August 16; speed threat looks logical here today. #1 ALMASTY FIVE sprints and tries the Tapeta for the first time today after three efforts against \$25,000 foes on the inner turf to begin his career.