

## Saturday, September 19, 2015

## **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.

LRL Race 1 (50%) \$15,000 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 2	GIG EM (7-2) Q'S JACK (4-1) ISLAND SUNSET (3-1) PETER'S CREEK (12-1)	1.04 0.44 0.31 0.30	W S	† †	PEN17 TIM14 TIM14 LRL27	17% 6% 0% 7%	0.13 0.13 0.09 0.08	6 17 12 15	7-5 9-2 7-1 7-1
		VULNERABLE FAVORITE: 6. \$1 CONDITIONAL	, 5–2 (\$40).							
LRL Race 2 (41%) \$42,000 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Main	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	Win <u>Factor</u>	Recent Placing	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u>	Win <u>Rate</u>	Class <u>Rating</u>	Rated Starts	Fair Odds
	2 8 4 7	TEAM TIM (2-1) DELTA OUTLAW (9-5) SIR ORINOCO (9-2) WILLIE B MINE (20-1)	0.43 0.30 0.28 0.22	W! S W	↓ ↑ ↑	LRL28 PRX21 DEL87 TIM22	20% 11% 33% 23%	0.17 0.17 0.09 0.08	10 9 6 13	5-2 9-2 5-1 6-1
LRL Race 3 (43%) \$14,000 Purse 5.5 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>
	4 1 2 5	CHOCKLIT E CLARE (10-1) INSPIRED VOYAGE (2-1) THESSA'S ROAR (3-1) DEUCESWILDCAT (8-1)	0.65 0.42 0.42 0.31	W	↑ ↑	TIM22 TIM20 TIM13 TIM13	11% 11% 9% 10%	0.16 0.10 0.13 0.09	9 9 11 10	5-2 5-1 5-1 7-1
		VULNERABLE FAVORITE: 6. \$1 CONDITIONAL		(S): 4–1 (\$17)						
LRL			Win	Recent	Class	Track &	Win	Class	Rated	Fair
Race 4 (33%)	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Factor</u>	<u>Placing</u>	<u>Par</u>	Days Lapsed	Rate	Rating	<u>Starts</u>	<u>Odds</u>
\$250,000 Purse 9.0 Furlongs Turf	2 4 6	MR SPEAKER (8-5) CUT TO ORDER (10-1) TALK SHOW MAN (10-1)	0.43 0.42 0.39	W	↓ ↑ ↑	WO34 MTH41 LRL28	27% 60% 33%	0.26 0.01 0.03	11 10 15	7-2 7-2 4-1
	7	LEGENDARY (7-2)	0.26		1	AP35	31%	0.07	13	6-1
LRL Race 5 (41%)	<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>
Turf	11 1 2	HIGH BAR (5-1) GRAIN (7-2) ESCROW KID (7-2)	0.19 UK UK	P!+ P+	↓ ↓ ↓	LRL56 PIM139 TIM14	15% 50% 11%	0.32 0.72 0.25	13 2 19	7-1 7-1 7-1
	14	UNMATCHED FORCE (10-1)  VULNERABLE FAVORITE: 3. \$1 CONDITIONAL	0.15	P 'S): 11-1 (\$66	s) <i>11–2 (</i> \$6	DEL21 6) 11–14 (\$83) 1–1	18% 1 (\$66) 1-	0.10 -2 (\$68) 1-	11 14 (\$86)	10-1
LRL Race 6 (17%) \$16,000 Purse 7.0 Furlongs Main			Track &	Win Class Rated F						
	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Factor</u>	<u>Placing</u>	<u>Par</u>	<u>Days Lapsed</u>	Rate	Rating	<u>Starts</u>	<u>Odds</u>
	8 6 1 3	ANOTHER SEVEN (8-5) RIDING THE TIDE (5-2) ENDURING (20-1) SLEW HOT TO HANDLE (8-1)	UK 0.37 0.32 0.30	S P!	↑ ↓ ↑	LRL36 TIM12 TIM13 TIM13	0% 0% 0% 0%	0.18 0.13 0.05 0.05	5 6 12 8	2-1 6-1 7-1 7-1
LRL Race 7 (38%) \$22,000 Purse 5.5 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>
	12 6 3 15	JUSTLOOKATMENOW (3-1) POP OF COLOR (4-1) CLEM GEM (10-1) SATURDAY BLUES (10-1)	UK UK 0.17 0.14	W	↓ ↓ ↓	PIM126 TIM20 LRL57 DEL32	20% 11% 11% 17%	0.25 0.25 0.22 0.15	5 9 9 6	5-1 6-1 9-1 11-1

LRL			Win	Recent	Class	Track &	Win	Class	Rated	Fair
Race 8 (69%)	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Factor</u>	<u>Placing</u>	<u>Par</u>	Days Lapsed	Rate	Rating	<u>Starts</u>	<u>Odds</u>
\$45,000 Purse										
5.5 Furlongs	14	CINDER BLOCK (5-1)	0.60	W	$\downarrow$	PRX19	71%	0.21	7	7-2
Turf	16	CAME BACK (2-1)	UK	W+	$\downarrow$	PRX112	43%	0.16	7	6-1
	5	UNSEEN (10-1)	0.23	+	<b>\</b>	MTH13	43%	0.10	7	10-1
	7	IT'S A BANG (9-2)	UK		1	DEL52	29%	0.11	7	12-1
		\$1 CONDITIONAL EXACTA(S): 14–16 (\$26), 14–5 (\$44), 14–7 (\$48), 16–14 (\$29), 16–5 (\$73), 16–7 (\$80).								
LRL	1		Win	Recent	Class	Track &	Win	Class	Rated	Fair
Race 9 (33%)	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Factor</u>	Placing	<u>Par</u>	Days Lapsed	Rate	Rating	<u>Starts</u>	<u>Odds</u>
\$400,000 Purse										
9.0 Furlongs	5	FORCE THE PASS (6-5)	0.57	S	$\downarrow$	AP35	57%	0.22	7	3-1
Turf	1	GO AROUND (5-2)	0.39	S+	1	SAR14	40%	0.02	5	9-2
	2	VISION PERFECT (20-1)	0.36		1	SAR14	43%	0.03	7	5-1
	8	FUNDAMENTAL (6-1)	0.28	W	1	SAR34	50%	0.01	4	7-1
LRL	1		Win	Recent	Class	Track &	Win	Class	Rated	Fair
Race 10 (25%)	<u>#</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Factor</u>	<u>Placing</u>	<u>Par</u>	Days Lapsed	Rate	Rating	<u>Starts</u>	<u>Odds</u>
\$40,000 Purse										
8.5 Furlongs	6	RAPID REPAIR (4-1)	0.19	S+	$\downarrow$	DEL32	0%	0.18	8	8-1
Turf	13	FORENSIC (2-1)	0.17	+	$\downarrow$	SAR28	0%	0.14	12	8-1
	4	MOON OVER PARIS (5-2)	0.17	P+		LRL50	0%	0.15	3	8-1
	14	PRETTY SURPRISE (10-1)	0.14	Р	1	PEN17	0%	0.07	9	11-1