CHURCHILL DOWNS TIPS - SATURDAY, JUNE 04, 2022

Historically our BEST BETS have finished in the money 69% of the time at this track.

RACE #1 \$50,000 CLAIMING

1 MILE ON THE DIRT - POST TIME: 12:45 PM ET

BEST BET: #5 CRAFTY DADDY

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	5-1	5	Crafty Daddy	B J Hernandez Jr.
PLACE	5-2	1	Winter Pool	R Santana Jr.
SHOW	3-1	3	Big Lake	L Saez
WILD CARD	4-1	2	Proverb	F Arrieta
ALTERNATE 1	3-1	4	Chocolate Bar	T Gaffalione
ALTERNATE 2	6-1	6	Truculent	R Bejarano

* EXACTA: 5-1 BOX, 1-3 BOX, 3-2 BOX

* TRIFECTA: 1/3/5 BOX, 1/2/3 BOX

RACE #2 \$30,000 CLAIMING

6 FURLONGS ON THE DIRT - POST TIME: 1:14 PM ET

BEST BET: #3 WILD FOR WYCLIFF

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	9-2	3	Wild for Wycliff	R Diaz
PLACE	7-2	6	Hope and Dignity	T Gaffalione
SHOW	6-1	9	Sag Harbor	A Achard
WILD CARD	12-1	2	Sir Giannis	B J Hernandez Jr.
ALTERNATE 1	9-2	7	Mahomey	J Talamo
ALTERNATE 2	4-1	1	Kings Mischief	C Landeros

* EXACTA: 3-6 BOX, 6-9 BOX, 9-2 BOX

* TRIFECTA: 3/6/9 BOX, 2/6/9 BOX

RACE #3 \$120,000 MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT

7 FURLONGS ON THE DIRT - POST TIME: 1:43 PM ET

BEST BET: #5 MISREAD

PICK ORDER M/L P# HORSE NAME JOCKEY

WIN	7-2	5	Misread	C J Hernandez
PLACE	4-1	6	Colorful Mischief	T Gaffalione
SHOW	9-2	3	Overcooked	L Saez
WILD CARD	12-1	8	Classic Coyne	M Murrill
ALTERNATE 1	8-1	14	Lil Town Sis	A Beschizza
ALTERNATE 2	12-1	12	Smugness	B J Hernandez Jr.

* EXACTA: 5-6 BOX, 6-3 BOX, 3-8 BOX

* TRIFECTA: 3/5/6 BOX, 3/6/8 BOX

RACE #4 \$134,000 ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING

1 1/8 MILES ON THE DIRT - POST TIME: 2:13 PM ET

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	3-1	8	Powder River	F Geroux
PLACE	7-2	5	Lady Frosted	R Diaz
SHOW	5-1	3	Bees and Honey	T Gaffalione
WILD CARD	8-1	1	Semble Juste	B J Hernandez Jr.
ALTERNATE 1	20-1	4	Miss Tulsa	R Gutierrez
ALTERNATE 2	6-1	9	Family Time	J Talamo

* EXACTA: 8-5 BOX, 5-3 BOX, 3-1 BOX

* TRIFECTA: 3/5/8 BOX, 1/3/5 BOX

RACE #5 \$200,000 STAKES

1 1/8 MILES ON THE TURF - POST TIME: 2:45 PM ET

** BONUS COMMENTARY ** \$200,000 REGRET STAKES GRADE III

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	7-5	3	McKulick	T Gaffalione
PLACE	9-2	1	Walkathon	J R Leparoux
SHOW	2-1	2	Beside Herself	L Saez
WILD CARD	4-1	6	Candy Raid	R Bejarano
ALTERNATE 1	6-1	4	Kneesnhips	J R Velazquez
ALTERNATE 2	30-1	5	Lola Flo	J Graham

* EXACTA: 1,2,3 Box

* TRIFECTA: 1,2,3/1,2,3/1,2,3,4,6

should be better in the second start after a long layoff. WALKATHON is a length from winning three in a row and is undefeated in two on turf. BESIDE HERSELF popped a nice win at Keeneland in her last going wire to wire. She could do the same today as one of only a couple of speed types. CANDY RAID has been up against some good company and will be closing late.

RACE #6 \$127,000 ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING

1 MILE ON THE DIRT - POST TIME: 3:18 PM ET

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	9-2	3	Sacred Samurai	L Saez
PLACE	4-1	8	Emirates Road	R Santana Jr.
SHOW	15-1	11	Glacial	J R Leparoux
WILD CARD	15-1	5	My Buddy B	J Talamo
ALTERNATE 1	9-2	1A	McLaren Vale	F Geroux
ALTERNATE 2	15-1	12	Stellar Tap	F Geroux

* EXACTA: 3-8 BOX, 8-11 BOX, 11-5 BOX

* TRIFECTA: 3/8/11 BOX, 5/8/11 BOX

RACE #7 \$200,000 STAKES

1 1/16 MILES ON THE DIRT - POST TIME: 3:50 PM ET

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	3-5	5	Paulines Pearl	L Saez
PLACE	9-2	4	Army Wife	T Gaffalione
SHOW	6-1	6	Crazy Beautiful	B J Hernandez Jr.
WILD CARD	7-2	3	Avas Grace	D Cohen
ALTERNATE 1	15-1	2	Shes All Wolfe	F Arrieta
ALTERNATE 2	20-1	1	Temper Time	R Santana Jr.

* EXACTA: 5-4 BOX, 4-6 BOX, 6-3 BOX

* TRIFECTA: 4/5/6 BOX, 3/4/6 BOX

RACE #8 \$200,000 STAKES

1 1/16 MILES ON THE TURF - POST TIME: 4:22 PM ET

** BONUS COMMENTARY ** \$200,000 ARLINGTON STAKES GRADE III

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
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WIN	5-2	5	Field Pass	R Santana Jr.
PLACE	7-2	6	Grays Fable	J R Leparoux
SHOW	3-1	1	Admission Office	J R Velazquez
WILD CARD	4-1	2	Floriform	T Gaffalione
ALTERNATE 1	12-1	3	Like the King	L Saez
ALTERNATE 2	3-1	4	Get Smokin	J Castellano

* EXACTA: 1,2,5,6 Box

* TRIFECTA: 1,5,6/1,2,5,6/1,2,3,5,6

COMMENTS: FIELD PASS ran his best early pace numbers in his last start and could take it up a notch in round two after a layoff. GRAYS FABLE is making his first start for trainer Brian Lynch who is winning at 32 percent to start the Churchill meet. ADMISSION OFFICE has been off for more than a year but 24 furlongs of workouts since April 30th suggest he will be ready. FLORIFORM has not missed the money in five races on grass but this will be the stiffest competition he has faced.

RACE #9 \$200,000 STAKES

6 FURLONGS ON THE DIRT - POST TIME: 4:55 PM ET

** BONUS COMMENTARY ** \$200,000 ARISTIDES STAKES

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	10-1	7	Jalen Journey	R Santana Jr.
PLACE	3-1	5	Bobs Edge	A Beschizza
SHOW	7-2	6	Top Gunner	R Gutierrez
WILD CARD	4-1	1	Bango	T Gaffalione
ALTERNATE 1	4-1	4	Necker Island	M Murrill
ALTERNATE 2	9-2	2	Miles Ahead	J Talamo

* EXACTA: 1,5,6,7 Box

* TRIFECTA: 5,6,7/1,5,6,7/1,4,5,6,7

COMMENTS: JALEN JOURNEY ran some faster fractions in his last start and should be near peak fitness in the third start after a layoff. BOBS EDGE has four wins and three thirds in eight outings on a fast track. TOP GUNNER is not all that from winning eight of his last nine races. BANGOs last race was better than it looks on paper with better times.

RACE #10 \$200,000 STAKES

1 1/8 MILES ON THE DIRT - POST TIME: 5:26 PM ET

** BONUS COMMENTARY ** \$200,000 BLAME STAKES

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	8-5	8	Americanrevolution	F Geroux
PLACE	5-2	6	Scalding	J Castellano
SHOW	9-2	1	Proxy	L Saez
WILD CARD	20-1	4	Militarist	R Bejarano
ALTERNATE 1	9-2	5	Dynamic One	T Gaffalione
ALTERNATE 2	12-1	2	Super Stock	C J Lanerie

* EXACTA: 1,4,6,8 Box

* TRIFECTA: 1,6,8/1,4,6,8/1,4,5,6,8

COMMENTS: AMERICANREVOLUTION has not raced since December but won the other time with a similar rest. SCALDING has won four in a row and gets upgraded to top pick on a wet track. PROXY finished third in his last but has been lighting up the workouts since. MILITARIST has improved his late pace numbers in his last four races and could make things interesting at the wire.

RACE #11 \$200,000 STAKES

1 1/8 MILES ON THE TURF - POST TIME: 5:58 PM ET

** BONUS COMMENTARY ** \$200,000 AUDUBON STAKES

PICK ORDER	<u>M/L</u>	<u>P#</u>	HORSE NAME	JOCKEY
WIN	9-2	9	James Jones	R Santana Jr.
PLACE	20-1	4	Play Action Pass	C J Lanerie
SHOW	8-1	8	Summer Anthem	J Castellano
WILD CARD	30-1	5	Kitodan	G Corrales
ALTERNATE 1	4-1	7	Smokin T	J R Velazquez
ALTERNATE 2	10-1	6	Red Run	J R Leparoux

* EXACTA: 4,5,8,9 Box

* TRIFECTA: 4,8,9/4,5,8,9/4,5,7,8,9

COMMENTS: JAMES JONES got the maiden win in his second race and first go on Churchill turf. Maybe he is a horse for the course. PLAY ACTION PASS also got the win in his first effort on Churchill grass last out. SUMMER ANTHEM is a head from being unbeaten in two including the top last race speed number. KITODAN gained a lot of ground late in his last and is less than a length from winning four in a row