



# RACE BY RACE ANALYSIS

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**RACE 1:**

- 7 - First Appeal
- 5 - Ortiga (Ire)
- 10 - Pillango

**SELECTIONS: 7-5-10-12**

**RACE 2:**

- 5 - Magic Maker
- 1 - She's So Needy
- 2 - Sybils Best Friend

**SELECTIONS: 5-1-2-3**

**RACE 3:**

- 2 - Treatherlikestar
- 7 - Grace's Drama
- 5 - Queens Quarters

**SELECTIONS: 2-7-5-1**

**RACE 4:**

- 7 - For Kicks
- 8 - Midnight Buffet
- 1 - Bless the Rains

**SELECTIONS: 7-8-1-5**

**RACE 5:**

- 4 - Awesome Hills
- 2 - Learn Story (Dom)
- 6 - Sky Run

**SELECTIONS: 4-2-6-5**

**RACE 6:**

- 4 - Peru (GB)
- 10 - Kylla Instinct (GB)
- 1 - Hogans Holiday

**SELECTIONS: 4-10-1-3**

**RACE 7:**

- 11 - Cover Model
- 3 - Tapin Through Life
- 6 - Her Latest Film

**SELECTIONS: 11-3-6-5**

**RACE 8:**

- 6 - Diamond Bachelor
- 8 - Conquest Big E
- 2 - Inhibition

**SELECTIONS: 6-8-2-9**

**RACE 9:**

- 6 - A Thread of Blue
- 10 - Current
- 3 - Casa Creed

**SELECTIONS: 6-10-3-5**

**RACE 10:**

- 1 - Early Entry
- 3 - Griff
- 5 - French Quarter

**SELECTIONS: 1-3-5-6**

**RACE 11:**

- 1 - La Feve (Fr)
- 4 - Mission From Elee
- 5 - Eyeinthesky

**SELECTIONS: 1-4-5-7**

**RACE 12:**

- 10 - Bean Counter
- 12 - Getmotherarose
- 2 - Skyphos

**SELECTIONS: 10-12-2-6**

**BEST BET: Race 6 - #4 Peru (GB)**

This mare looks like she has a bit of a class edge in here, as she has been running outstanding numbers lately for trainer Mike Maker. Her win two starts back in the Claiming Crown Tiara was outstanding. I do think she was hindered by her late-closing running style last time out in the Via Borghese, and it looks on paper like she'll have some pace to chase today. Jose Ortiz, who has guided her to victory before, has the call.

**LONGSHOT: Race 7 - #11 Cover Model**

Though coming off a layoff and drawn far outside, this filly by War Front has done some solid running in her three-race career, and has jockey John Velazquez up today. Trainer Shug McGaughey is 11-for-50 with horses in maiden special weight coming off a 61-180 day layoff on the turf, for a 22% win average and finishes in the money 48% of the time. There's an even return of investment of \$2.00, as well, and I hope this filly will get some pace to run at today.