Wayne Oke retiring Following Tonite's card

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"The difficulties of converting from a long-time participant in racing to an official can be many," Oke said. "I've found that as long as you treat everyone with respect and are consistent and use common sense in your application of the rules, everything will work out fine."

Of course, being a steward for harness racing and holding the same job with Thoroughbreds can be very different.

"We have to be conscious of the horse's gait, their position relative to the pylons, as well as obvious concerns over interference and the drivers' adherence to the rules.

"The function of the stewards in harness racing also varies greatly relative to the interaction with the racing office and other racing officials. The staffs tend to be smaller, requiring a more hands-on approach from the stewards."

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

MOONSTONE BEACH

Left 3wide, parked turn, took back, out again with cover half, led up, driven. Back inside. Looks like one of many possibilities.

LITTLE EMMA

Away to nice tuck, stalked top pair whole trip, urged. Victorious in most recent Sires Stake, obvious threat for all the marbles too.

BE MY LUCKY LADY

Moved out far turn, followed rival 3wide into lane, closed fast to nail the fave. Decent form, probably will be closing quickest.

KISSED THE BOYS

Bumpy nearing start, cover into far turn, angled wide, no rally. A bit iffy at the moment. Tough to recommend. Steve returns.



1st Race Computer Analysis

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Highest Win %	MOONSTONE BEACH
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	KISSED THE BOYS
Fastest time last race	BE MY LUCKY LADY
Fastest win time this year	LITTLE EMMA
Fastest win time last year	LITTLE EMMA
Fastest last '1/4' last race	MOONSTONE BEACH LITTLE EMMA BE MY LUCKY LADY
Closed Strongly last race	BE MY LUCKY LADY
Big improvement last race	N/A
Consistent early speed	N/A
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	N/A
Favorable post position change from last race	N/A
Blocked or in trouble last race	MOONSTONE BEACH
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	MOONSTONE BEACH LITTLE EMMA

PICK 5 (16% Takeout) - 50¢ WAGER COMBINATIONS

50 Cent Wagers	Your Cost	2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2\$16.00	
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1 x 1 x 2 x 2 x 2	\$4.00	2 x 3 x 3 x 3 x 3	
1 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2	\$8.00	3 x 3 x 3 x 3 x 3	
$1 \times 1 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \dots$	\$13.50	2 x 3 x 4 x 5 x 6\$360.00	

Tar Heel: The Eternal Maternal Grandsire

by Bob Marks

It was said back then that invariably the best son or daughter of any sire would be the one from a Tar Heel mare.

Tar Heel, a son of Billy Direct and the Volomite mare Leta Long, had a dual-gait siring career as initially many of better sons and daughters like Tarquinius, Tar Boy, Bengazi Hanover, and Gamecock were from trotting-bred mares. Stars produced in his later years like Steady Beau, Laverne Hanover, Nansemond, and Isle Of Wight occurred when he began servicing pacingbred mares—especially those by Adios.

Tar Heel was a leading sire—though not necessarily an enduring one—as his male line has virtually dried up. His daughters, however, can still be found in the extended pedigrees of contemporary pacing stars particularly through Romola Hanover.

Romola Hanover out of the Hal Dale mare Romola Hal, is arguably the greatest pacing broodmare of all time, accounting for three distinct

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

JK JOURNEY

Pushed leaving, brushed back past quarter, battled fave balance, caught for 2nd wire. Rail again. Should be on or near the lead. Undercard thoughts.

TAME THE DICE

Left 4wide, parked turn, yielded, stalked to lane, urged late to save place. Favorable post switch makes her a major threat.

BROADWAY JOSE

Away to tuck, cleared last turn gapper, fair late interest. Certainly could be a bit tighter after last tuner.

DOUGS HOBBY HORSE

Cover into last bend, driven, just fair off no use. Luke returns. Iffy but gets into a pretty good spot.

BANK OF LODI

Far back failed to get into it. Adds Willie, stuck outside. Probably the least likely in here.



2nd Race Computer Analysis

2nd Race Computer Analysis			
Highest Win %	TAME THE DICE		
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	TAME THE DICE		
Fastest time last race	DOUGS HOBBY HORSE		
Fastest win time this year	BROADWAY JOSE		
Fastest win time last year	DOUGS HOBBY HORSE		
Fastest last '1/4' last race	DOUGS HOBBY HORSE		
Closed Strongly last race	N/A		
Big improvement last race	N/A		
Consistent early speed	JK JOURNEY		
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	N/A		
Favorable post position change from last race	TAME THE DICE Broadway Jose		
Blocked or in trouble last race	BROADWAY JOSE [,]		
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	TAME THE DICE Broadway Jose ¹ Dougs Hobby Horse		

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age group champions in Romeo Hanover, Romulus Hanover, and Romalie Hanover. All were by Dancer Hanover. It goes without saying that without Romola Hanover, Dancer Hanover might not have survived his first two siring seasons.

Take Romola Hanover from his book and he's not even a marginal stallion.

Another daughter, Romona Hanover, produced the brilliant filly Rodine Hanover, who is responsible for all those Wordly Beauty and Captaintreacherous contemporaries.

Adios was unquestionably the best sire of his day and his all-time best son was Bret Hanover, from the Tar Heel mare Brenna Hanover. She had two other noteworthy Adios performers in the great mare Bonjour Hanover and the excellent Ohio stallion Baron Hanover.

Adios did not get to service Tar Heel mares until late in his siring career or that nick would have been much more profound.

Now let's check some other stallions who are not exactly household names.

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

CHILMA

Parked long eighth plus, back out half, advanced to striking position, stalled late, tw12+. Hikes but better post. Exotic contender.

WISECRACK

Left alone, yielded to quarter mover, popped pocket 3/4s, led, nailed. Good form. Obvious threat for all in this one.

POLISH JOLA

Followed winner out far turn, stalked her 3wide, solid rally, solid tuner. Another threat. And should be tighter tonight.

SLICK FALL

Broke, spotted field 12-15, out past quarter, 3wide, collapsed far turn. Should be interesting if she gets launched.

LOSIRA

Quarter moved, braked, attacked late final bend, faded from the skirmish. Steve returns. Third start back angle applies.

WIZZEL STIX

First out mid far turn, cover by winner into lane, driven, just fair. Stuck outside. Obviously has tactical issues.



3rd Race Computer Analysis

3rd Race Compl	ulei Allalysis
Highest Win %	POLISH JOLA
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	WISECRACK
Fastest time last race	WISECRACK
Fastest win time this year	POLISH JOLA
Fastest win time last year	WISECRACK
Fastest last '1/4' last race	POLISH JOLA
Closed Strongly last race	N/A
Big improvement last race	N/A
Consistent early speed	WISECRACK SLICK FALL LOSIRA
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	CHILMA (B) Wisecrack (B)
Favorable post position change from last race	CHILMA
Blocked or in trouble last race	CHILMA
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	WISECRACK

CAL EXPO PICK 3 RULES

- 1. Any scratch in the first leg of a Pick Three is now a refund.
- **2.** A wager with a scratch in the second leg creates a consolation pool.
- 3. A wager with a scratch in the third leg creates another consolation pool.
- **4.** A wager with scratches in the second and third leg creates another consolation pool.
- **5.** A consolation pool is the sum of all wagers that include the scratch(es) for that leg or legs. The winning combination for the consolation pool is a wager with the winner or winners of the non-scratch leg(s).

Henry T. Adios was not a major stallion, but his alltime best was Silent Majority, from the Tar Heel mare Hobby Horse Tar.

Scarlet Skipper had but one major performer: Forrest Skipper, from the Tar Heel mare Camden Caroline.

Remember Tarport Effrat? Probably not, but you may have heard of his two best sons in Millers Scout and Millers Effort, both from the Tar Heel mare Keystone Saphire.

Despite standing at Hanover Columbia Shoe Farms, George was not an outstanding sire, though you may remember his two best in Le Baron Rouge and Dorado Hanover from the Tar Heel mares Lincoln Land Dream and Double Jewel, respectively.

Columbia George's stud mate and fellow Good Time son, Best Of All, got his richest son in Boyden Hanover from the Tar Heel mare Bouquet Hanover.

Just a week or two after lowering the speed record to 1:52, Steady Star got whipped in a Liberty Bell overnight by Buckeye Billhe a son of Buckeye Champ

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

KG CODY

Out near half, gapped flow last bend, faded. Willie's choice. Better post. Still a longshot.

IM CONFIDENT

Left to tuck, backed up to far turn, angled wide, driven, no rally. Mooney's back. Also switches inside. Midpriced thought.

RAYS RAYZER

Out past half, some last turn traffic, driven, only fair. Extra time off. Tries Mike here.

THISBOYCANFINISH

Away well, back out far turn, sped on by leader, easy in bow for Quevedo barn. Chip's in the bike now. One more player.

ART GENTA

Settled early, tracked to lane, urged, easily best of the rest. Steve comes back to steer. What's the plan?

DINNERATARTSPLACE

Rode cones to top of lane, tipped, even into fastest quarter of the mile. The question of needs readiness to be answered.



4th Race Computer Analysis

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Highest Win %	DINNERATARTSPLACE
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	DINNERATARTSPLACE
Fastest time last race	THISBOYCANFINISH
Fastest win time this year	DINNERATARTSPLACE
Fastest win time last year	ART GENTA
Fastest last '1/4' last race	ART GENTA
Closed Strongly last race	N/A
Big improvement last race	N/A
Consistent early speed	DINNERATARTSPLACE
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	N/A
Favorable post position change from last race	KG CODY I'M CONFIDENT
Blocked or in trouble last race	RAY'S RAYZER
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	DINNERATARTSPLACE

PYLON RULE

(For Horses Racing Without Interference)

- 1. Going inside two (2) pylons and lapped-on at the finish: The offending horse will be disqualified and placed behind any lapped-on horses at the wire.
- 2. Going inside three (3) or more consecutive pylons: The offending horse will be disqualified and placed last.
- 3. If an unfair advantage is gained by going inside, over, or in-between one or more pylons in order to pass another competitor: The offending horse will be disqualified.

The steward's discretion applies to all placement.

from the Tar Heel mare High Heels.

Armbro Omaha was sired by the modest Adios son, Airliner, though his dam was a Tar Heel matron named Imperial Armbro from Countess Adios, no less.

The best son of Direct Scooter was world champion Matt's Scooter. He was not from a Tar Heel mare, but Direct Scooter's next-best, In The Pocket, was by Tar Heel daughter Black Jade.

Would Most Happy Fella have gotten on the siring map without Tar Heel on the broodmare side?

Most likely, but the likes of Silk Stockings, (out of Maryellen Hanover) Tarport Hap (Tarport Cheer) and Precious Fella (Precious Newport) from his first two crops certainly aided the cause considerably.

Of those, Tarport Cheer is in any discussion of all-time great broodmares, being also responsible for Tyler B, Cheery Hello, and Jamuga.

While Albatross had a special affinity for Bret Hanover mares, his results with the Tar Heel ladies were impressive as well. The likes of

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

CANTORIA

Moved out near half, followed rival 3wide late last bend, driven. Rail makes her one of many.

TRUTH IN ACTION

Out past quarter, cover near half, good lead up, driven, just fair. Mooney chose, back inside. Another threat.

THE LEHIGH LEGEND

Sped to top, yielded quarter, stalked to lane, never fully clear. Wouldn't be the worst stab.

TOUR GUIDE

Parked quarter, immediate pressure from fave, battled balance, tough. Adds to the speed equation again.

FRANKY PROVOLONE

Led into turn, released quarter, popped out into lane, urged to hold. Tries Dave. What's the plan in here?

JESSESJO

Settled early, stalked to lane, cleared deep in drive, urged, up. Stuck outside, but still plenty tough again.



5th Race Computer Analysis

5th Race Computer Analysis		
Highest Win %	JESSESJ0	
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	FRANKY PROVOLONE	
Fastest time last race	JESSESJ0	
Fastest win time this year	TOUR GUIDE	
Fastest win time last year	THE LEHIGH LEGEND	
Fastest last '1/4' last race	FRANKY PROVOLONE	
Closed Strongly last race	JESSESJ0	
Big improvement last race	N/A	
Consistent early speed	TOUR GUIDE	
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	FRANKY PROVOLONE (W)	
Favorable post position change from last race	TRUTH IN ACTION	
Blocked or in trouble last race	CANTORIA THE LEHIGH LEGEND JESSESJO	
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	JESSESJ0	

CHRB Rule No. 1699

(b) A horse shall not interfere with or cause any other horse to lose stride, ground or position in a part of the race where the horse loses the opportunity to place where it might be reasonably expected to finish.

(c) A horse which interferes with another and thereby causes any other horse to lose stride, ground or position, when such other horse is not at fault and when such interference occurs in a part of the race where the horse interfered with loses the opportunity to place where it might, in the opinion of the Stewards, be reasonably expected to finish, may be disqualified and placed behind the horse so interfered with.

Praised Dignity, Royce, Jonquil Hanover, Armbro Wolf, Cheery Hello, Albaquel, Coal Harbor, and Colt Fortysix were from assorted Tar Heel daughters.

Meadow Skipper revolutionized the pacing breed. His
all-time richest performer,
Ralph Hanover, was from the
Tar Heel mare Ravina
Hanover. Meadow Skipper
had another good one from
Ravina Hanover in Raven
Hanover, one of the few
times he ever managed
repeat quality from the same
mare.

And then there was Knight Dream's son, Torpid, whose two best, Truluck and Vicar Hanover, were both from Tar Heel mares.

Of course, the times and earnings achieved from Tar Heel's daughters in the '60s,'70s and early '80s may seem modest in comparison with today's numbers, but there's little denying his impact on the breed.

Invariably, most stallions active back then would achieve their best results when given Tar Heel mares.

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

WESTERN DEVIL

Parked eighth plus, 1st over into last bend, advanced to lane, urged, 3 across, ouch. Now the rail. Should trip out. Obvious use.

MUSCLE BEACH

Pushed hard leaving, pocketed the balance, urged. Looks like he'll be among the undercard contenders.

ARMY OF ONE

Changed tactics, took cover into far turn, kicked wide late in bend, urged, up near wire. Does he fire out here? Obvious choice.

FIRSTDIBBS

Parked hard eighth plus, braked, sped up far turn, caught wire, tough. Repeat of last makes him very dangerous. Can he leave again?



6th Race Computer Analysis

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Highest Win %	ARMY OF ONE
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	ARMY OF ONE
Fastest time last race	ARMY OF ONE FIRSTDIBBS
Fastest win time this year	WESTERN DEVIL ARMY OF ONE
Fastest win time last year	
Fastest last '1/4' last race	ARMY OF ONE
Closed Strongly last race	ARMY OF ONE
Big improvement last race	N/A
Consistent early speed	ARMY OF ONE
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	WESTERN DEVIL (B)
Favorable post position change from last race	N/A
Blocked or in trouble last race	N/A
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	ARMY OF ONE

THE 50¢ PICK 6 - MANDATORY PAYOUT

Winning tickets with six correct selections will share in 75% of the daily net pool, and 100% of the carryover. Ticket holders with five correct selections share in 25% of the daily net pool.

If there are no tickets with six winners, all ticket holders with the greatest number of winners share in 25% of the daily net pool, with the remainder of the net pool carried over to the next racing day.

There is a mandatory payout of the entire net pool on the last night of the race meet.

Cutler-bound trotters eve 2017 turnaround

byKen Weingartner

Freehold, NJ — Crazy Wow and JL Cruze didn't have the best of luck last year, but their connections are hoping for better fortunes this season. The two horses are among a dozen ready for Grand Circuit action Saturday's \$200,000 Arthur J. Cutler Memorial for older trotters at the Meadowlands Racetrack in New Jersey.

The Cutler attracted 13 horses, with European newcomer Tuonoblu Rex eliminated from the 12-horse field based on 2016-17 earnings. Tuonoblu Rex will race Sunday at The Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono.

Because the size of the field will require two horses to start in the second tier --Windsun Revenae and Muscle Diamond —- the race will be contested at 1-1/8 miles.

JL Cruze, the 2015 Dan Patch Award winner for best older male trotter, won five of 18 races in 2016 and earned \$231,355 in purses. He battled issues with dehydration and synchronous diaphragmatic flutter, more common-

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

LAISSEZ MOI PASSER

Off gate pair, at back whole trip, urged, fair tuner into quick panel. William returns. Certainly could be tighter.

RAGINS FLIGHT

Quarter moved, attacked by winner last bend, tough to the end. Favorable draw again. Gimmick must.

BARBOSA

Left 3wide, took back to tuck, tried to follow winner out midfar turn, urged, only fair. Price probably drifts a little here.

WALKER MEISTER

Took back, 4th over near half, came 3-4wide into lane, failed to rally. Extra week off. Better post. May just fire out.

BETTORMEBOY

Settled early, burst out half, kept marching, tough to wire. James returns. Another usable in the exotics.

BESTNOTLIE HANOVER

Tucked early, rode rail to lane, urged to save show slot. Tactical concern. Probably can land some of it.

TORNADO HENRY

Sent hard to hold position, pocketed to lane, clear along cones, urged. Tough post, Mooney hops aboard here. Plan?

STYLEMASTER

Tracked to far turn, loose cover midbend, driven, only fair. Adds Tony but has problems from outside.



7th Race Computer Analysis

7th Race Compt	alei Alialysis
Highest Win %	BETTORMEBOY
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	BETTORMEBOY
Fastest time last race	RAGIN'S FLIGHT BETTORMEBOY
Fastest win time this year	BETTORMEBOY
Fastest win time last year	BETTORMEBOY
Fastest last '1/4' last race	LAISSEZ MOI PASSER
Closed Strongly last race	N/A
Big improvement last race	N/A
Consistent early speed	N/A
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	BARBOSA (B) BETTORMEBOY (W) BESTNOTLIE HANOVER (B)
Favorable post position change from last race	N/A
Blocked or in trouble last race	BARBOSA
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	BETTORMEBOY

THE WARM-UPS

horses warming-up for later races. an hour before his race, he's warmedhorse is jogged by going the "wrong As a rule, those working out between example: HORSE NUMBER 3 IN THE way" (clockwise) on the track, follow- races ONE and TWO are in final prepa- SEVENTH RACE.

Standardbreds are a rugged breed and up again. Different trainers have difthis activity enhances their perfor- ferent methods. Some go slowly, othmance. About two hours prior to rac- ers ask for speed. Only experts can Saddle pads at Cal Expo will indicate ing, the trainer will "jog" the horse, the detect such things as lameness. Look, the horse's betting number and the same way any athlete runs to loosenthough, to see if his gait is fluid. If it is, race number in a smaller size, in upper up prior to competing. Generally, the chances are he's ready to do his best. right hand corner. In the adjacent

ing a traffic pattern that is standard on ration for the FOURTH RACE, those The track is busy between races, with tracks all over North America. About between <u>Two</u> and <u>THREE</u> will be prep-

SADDLE PADS



ly referred to as thumps, throughout the season.

"He wouldn't drink away from home very well," trainer Eric Ell said. "We fought that most of the year. It was an issue with a little bit of dehydration. We finally did get him straightened out at the end of the year. As far as soundness, he was fine. He had an OK year. He probably should have made double or three times what he made if he didn't have the thumps. But it is what it is. We hope this year is going to be better."

JL Cruze failed to win on the Grand Circuit last year. He finished third in the Breeders Crown Open Trot, Cashman Memorial, and Allerage Farms Open Trot.

"He was in the hunt a lot, but he was always like fourth or fifth best," Ell said. "He's come back real good. He's carrying his weight better than he ever has, he feels better than he ever has. He's had a little bit of foot issues, which he's had in the past and they're still with him. But other than that he's fantastic. If I could ever get him a hundred percent I think he could go with most any of them out there."

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

MANHATTAN BENNY

1st over into last turn, sped by leader, held tough to wire. Solid form. Gimmick must from pole. FLY AWAY

Followed winner into far turn, stalked him 3wide, solid rally. Back inside. And he'll be flying at the end.

MR PEARL

Parked half turn, grabbed to release 3/8s, stalked, urged, up wire. James choice. Good form. One more to use.

DONTDOUBTTHELAKERS

Away well, tracked whole trip, urged, no close. A likely longshot among these.

EASTENDER

Grabbed cover entering last bend, tipped wide, urged, up, strong. Regularly nearby and looks best on paper again.

ONE AND ONLY

Parked half turn, braked to last bend, no resistance when attacked, tired bit. Back outside. What's his plan now?



8th Race Computer Analysis

8th Race Compl	liter Amanysis
Highest Win %	EASTENDER
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	EASTENDER
Fastest time last race	EASTENDER
Fastest win time this year	ONE AND ONLY
Fastest win time last year	MANHATTAN BENNY
Fastest last '1/4' last race	FLY AWAY Eastender
Closed Strongly last race	MR PEARL
Big improvement last race	N/A
Consistent early speed	MANHATTAN BENNY One and only
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	EASTENDER (W)
Favorable post position change from last race	N/A
Blocked or in trouble last race	N/A
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	EASTENDER

Pick Four (16%) - Mandatory Payout

To win the **Pick Four**, you must select the winners of the four (4) races designated as the pick four races. Otherwise, pursuant to (CHRB 1976.9)

There is a mandatory payout of the entire net pool on the last night of the race meet.

In 2015, JL Cruze won the Hambletonian Maturity at 1-1/8 miles in a world-record 2:04.2 at the Meadowlands. He also won the Graduate Series championship at the Big M in a world-record 1:49.4 and captured the Sun Invitational at Pocono in a world-record equaling 1:51.

JL Cruze began this year with a third-place finish behind Rock Of Cashel and Opulent Yankee last Friday at the Meadowlands. He was beaten by a nose in 1:51.3.

"He was tremendous," Ell said. "He lost a little bit of ground in the last turn and that's the only thing that got him beat."

David Miller drove JL Cruze in his seasonal debut, but will be unavailable Saturday because of his daughter's college graduation, Ell said. Corey Callahan will get the assignment in the sulky. JL Cruze will start from post No. 7.

Crazy Wow, who won \$1.02 million in 2015 at age 3 and banked \$280,524 last season, will start the Cutler from post six with Yannick Gingras driving for trainer Ron Burke.

Last year, Crazy Wow won one of 14 races, but he fin-

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

SHEZ SO SASSY

Away to protect, soft trip to lane, urged, fair. Mooney's back. Rail again. Player.

ONE CHIEF

Away to tuck, quarter moved, left on rim balance, still marched away on own. Steve's in the bike now. Deserves top billina.

CADET

Got taken to clear mid turn, attacked by winner late last bend, faded once passed. Extra week off. Down the road again? THE EVICTOR

Other rival broke, on own whole way, little urging. Tries Willie in his return. How ready can he be?

WINDSUN GALAXIE

Left, parked full attacking, kept fighting, tough to end. Time off. Luke's choice over 2 others. Big threat.

SILVERHILL VOLO

Left on delay, surged 3wide near half, remained wide balance, led, snapped off, ouch. Outside again but after last can't be taken lightly.



9th Race Computer Analysis

Juli nace Computer Analysis		
Highest Win %	ONE CHIEF	
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	ONE CHIEF	
Fastest time last race	ONE CHIEF Silverhill volo	
Fastest win time this year	CADET	
Fastest win time last year	SILVERHILL VOLO	
Fastest last '1/4' last race	SHEZ SO SASSY	
Closed Strongly last race	N/A	
Big improvement last race	N/A	
Consistent early speed	CADET The Evictor Windsun Galaxie	
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	ONE CHIEF (W) WINDSUN GALAXIE (B)	
Favorable post position change from last race	ONE CHIEF	
Blocked or in trouble last race	N/A	
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	ONE CHIEF	

HI-FIVE - .20¢ WAGER COMBINATIONS

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ished the campaign strongly with a second-place finish by a nose to Obrigado in the TVG Free For All Series championship at the Meadowlands. He also was second in the Allerage and fifth (beaten by 2-1/4 lengths) in the Breeders Crown.

"He started to turn it around at the end of last year," Burke said. "I was happy with the way he finished.

Anything that could go wrong did go wrong earlier in the year. Finally things started to go better for him. Maybe mentally he matured too. They have to get tougher to race in that division against the older horses. Maybe he toughened himself up mentally.

"He has plenty of ability. He wasn't that far from the best ones last year. I definitely think he has the right to get even better this year."

Crazy Wow made his seasonal debut April 21 at the Meadowlands and finished second to Tuonoblu Rex in 1:52.1.

"I was very happy with his first start," Burke said. "He came back excellent."

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

GETOUTTHEWAYANMOVE

Sat in to far turn, tipped out on rim, urged, only fair. Inside and drops to nw club. That helps.

JUNTIQUE

Saved all ground, urged in lane, then ended up in traffic, tough to gauge. James returns. And also could awaken among nw bunch.

MOON IS ON FIRE

Followed top pair out far turn, urged, best of the rest, tw12+. Luke returns. Tighter after the tuner?

FAST LANE FERRARI

Stuck last to the lane, urged, fair close into fast panel, tw12+. William chose. Looks like undercard material.

NUTMEGS DESIRE

Reserved to last bend, sped out on rim, right by leader, some urging, no doubt. Remains eligible to this class. Slim call.

ST LADS GABBY GAL

Sent under urging, braked into backside hw, attacked into lane, no resistance. Outside. Tactical problems. Longshot.



10th Race Computer Analysis

Tuth Race Comp	utel Allalysis
Highest Win %	NUTMEGS DESIRE
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	GETOUTTHEWAYANMOVE
Fastest time last race	JUNTIQUE
Fastest win time this year	JUNTIQUE
Fastest win time last year	JUNTIQUE
Fastest last '1/4' last race	MOON IS ON FIRE Fast lane Ferrari
Closed Strongly last race	JUNTIQUE Fast lane Ferrari
Big improvement last race	N/A
Consistent early speed	N/A
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	NUTMEGS DESIRE (W)
Favorable post position change from last race	N/A
Blocked or in trouble last race	GETOUTTHEWAYANMOVE JUNTIQUE
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	JUNTIQUE

C.H.R.B. BREAKING RULES

- **1722. Breaking.** Should any horse break from its gait in either trotting or pacing, the driver shall:
- (a) Where clearance exists, take such horse to the outside.
- (b) Attempt to pull the horse to its gait.
- (c) Lose ground.
- **1723.** Lapped-on Break. The driver of a horse which has broken from its gait who has complied with the breaking rule shall not be set back unless a contending horse on his gait is lapped on the hind quarter of the breaking horse at the finish.

Burke has two more starters in the Cutler, Rose Run Parker and Gural Hanover. Rose Run Parker will start from post eight and Gural Hanover from post nine.

"They're both working their way back," Burke said. "I think they're all right, but they drew the worst two spots. It's going to be a long road from out there. They're going to have to try to find a way to get in the flow without getting locked in and try to pick them up late. So we'll see."

Burke's Hannelore Hanover, who received the 2016 Dan Patch Award for best older female trotter and finished one vote behind Marion Marauder for Trotter of the Year, will skip the Cutler in favor of Sunday's \$86,400 Miami Valley Distaff for trotting mares.

"I had her in (the Cutler) and then I took her out of the second payment," Burke said. "She's going to race against the boys enough this year that I'm not going to do it starting off the year. Pretty much every other time there's a bigger race, with boys going for more money, if she's as sharp as I think she is I'll give her shots against the boys."

Individual Recap Last Race Footnotes

LINCOLN

Looped leaving, had to grab, back out last bend, attacked, urged, away late. Hikes. Steve returns. Confidence builder? GORILLA MONSOON

Away well, burst back near quarter, shook off last turn attacker, urged to hold. James choice over 2 others. Also takes hike.

FF BIGSHOW

Parked 3/8s to clear, braked to lane, sped home, caught by pocketeer, tw12. Great form. Obvious threat for all.

BUDDYS HOPE

Left well, soft trip to lane, urged, failed to rally into blazing mile. Drops after missing time. Chip returns. Can't ignore.

RUSTY CARTER

Moved out behind top trio 4th over last bend, angled wide, urged. Luke's back. Another major player. What's the plan? HIHOS LITTLE REV

Stuck at back whole trip, no chance into fast final quarter. Outside again. Will needs some racing luck.



11th Race Computer Analysis

11th Race Comp	uter Analysis
Highest Win %	FF BIGSHOW
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	BUDDY'S HOPE
Fastest time last race	BUDDY'S HOPE
Fastest win time this year	FF BIGSHOW
Fastest win time last year	GORILLA MONSOON BUDDY'S HOPE RUSTY CARTER
Fastest last '1/4' last race	HI HO'S LITTLE REV
Closed Strongly last race	N/A
Big improvement last race	N/A
Consistent early speed	N/A
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	FF BIGSHOW (B)
Favorable post position change from last race	N/A
Blocked or in trouble last race	N/A
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	FF BIGSHOW BUDDY'S HOPE

STARTER'S RULES

1728. Starter's Control. The starter shall have control over the horses from the formation of the parade until he gives the word 'go.' The starter shall report to the stewards any misconduct or violation on the part of the driver and may order any unmanageable or disabled horse declared (scratched) from the race with the concurrence of the stewards.

1729. Starting the race. The starter shall bring the horses to the starting gate as near one-quarter of a mile from the starting point as the track may permit, and shall endeavor to get all horses away in position and on gait. If a horse refuses to come to the gate, is unmanageable or liable to cause an accident or injury to any other horse or driver, it may be declared and all monies wagered on that horse shall be refunded.

1730. Recalls. The starter may sound a recall for only the following reasons: 1-A horse scored ahead of the gate; 2-There is interference prior to the word 'go' being given; 3-A horse has broken equipment; 4-A horse falls prior to the word 'go' being given. There shall be no recall after the word 'go' is given and any horse, regardless of his position or an accident, shall be deemed a starter from the time he entered into the starer's control unless dismissed.

Following is the Cutler field in post order with listed drivers and trainers. The Cutler is race seven on Saturday's Meadowlands card, with a 9:15 p.m. estimated post time.

PP-Horse-Driver-Trainer

1-Centurion ATM-Brett Miller-Ake Svanstedt

2 - Crazshana - Tim Tetrick-Jeff Bamond Jr.

3-Maestro Blue Chip-Tim Tetrick-Jim King Jr.

4-Rubber Duck-Joe Bongiorno-Richard Johnson

5 - Resolve - Ake Svanstedt-Ake Svanstedt

Wow-Yannick 6-Crazy Gingras-Ron Burke

7-11 Cruze-Corey Callahan-Eric Ell

8-Rose Run Parker-Yannick Gingras-Ron Burke

9-Gural Hanover-Matt Kakaley-Ron Burke

10-Musical Rhythm-Tim Tetrick-Benoit Baillargeon

11-Windsun Revenge-Scott Zeron-Jeff Durham

12-Muscle Diamond-John Campbell-Brett Bittle

Individual Recan Last Race Footnotes

LILBITOFMAMA

Settled early, good trip to lane, cleared, urged, many across late. Rail, undercard thoughts.

ITSGOODTOBEKING

Left, broke into turn one, wide before tucking, failed to get involved. Back inside. Danger off prior solid tries.

SOUNION

Out on rim, didn't make much progress, but held fair considering. Post relief noted.

HAPPY HEATH

Out well before half, attacked balance, held okay to deep str. adds Chip Lackey. Cannot rule him out.

BO MASTER

Rode cones in return, had some late interest into fastest quarter of the mile. Drops. Luke's choice. And figures big among this crew.

DRAGGING DRAGON

No hurry early, followed winner out last bend, failed to keep up late stages. Another dropper. William hops aboard. Usable in aimmicks too.

PL JALAPENO

Led early, pocket into turn, stalked, urged to hold. Has speed. May consider firing out from the outer post.



12th Race Computer Analysis

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Highest Win %	ITSG00DT0BEKING		
Highest Average Earnings Per Start	ITSG00DT0BEKING		
Fastest time last race	BO MASTER P L JALAPENO		
Fastest win time this year	DRAGGING DRAGON		
Fastest win time last year	BO MASTER		
Fastest last '1/4' last race	BO MASTER		
Closed Strongly last race	N/A		
Big improvement last race	N/A		
Consistent early speed	ITSG00DT0BEKING		
Favorite last race (B) Beaten (W) Winning	N/A		
Favorable post position change from last race	SOUNION		
Blocked or in trouble last race	N/A		
Computer Choices Multiple picks rated equal	ITSGOODTOBEKING BO MASTER		

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