

**Red Mile Daily Selections**  
**Thursday, October 3, 2019**  
**Track Handicapper – Gabe Prewitt**

**Race 1                      Selections                      1-5-4**

1	Word of Honor	Lightly raced filly has proven she packs plenty of speed to this point in her brief career, and couldn't have possibly looked any better in local tuneup. Clearly the one to beat.
2	Hecate	Hasn't proven she packs the speed to hang with the top ones in here just yet. Pass for now.
3	Jasmine Volo	Got roughed up with a first over trip last week in LC ranks, which took it's toll in the late stages. One of several in play in here for a minor share in behind the fav with any smoother journey.
4	Billie Claire	Sprung a MAJOR upset here on Opening Day of the Grand Circuit last week, rolling by her rivals late at 45-1. That was another step in the right direction, but she lands back in a bit better crew this afternoon.
5	Impressive Fashion	She most certainly needed that start here last week, and she finally seems to be back on the right track after adding hobbles recently. Hooks tough foe in #1, but anything similar puts her very close.
6	Valhalla	Hasn't been overly impressive of late, would need a complete turnaround this afternoon. Pass for now.

**Race 2                      Selections                      3-6-2                      Tetrick chose 6 over 1**

1	Graceful Lady	Had everything her own way on the lead last week, but came up empty in the late stages. She will need a quick rebound here this afternoon after landing in another competitive crew. Your call.
2	Hotsprings Volo	Launched a first over attack against the eventual winner last week, flattening out in the late stages. Lands back in what seems to be a touch easier crew today though, best effort should put her squarely in the mix against these.
3	Coconut Kate	I think this filly was going to win EASILY last week if she hadn't made the break in stride, and she even re-rallied after losing a lot of lengths through the stretch. I think she will deliver the knockout punch here assuming she trots.
4	Orion's Star	Outpaced her odds here last time, finishing a close 3 <sup>rd</sup> at 88-1. That was a nice step in the right direction, but still likely going to have to pick things up quite a bit to hang with the top ones today.
5	Royalty Winner	Trotted evenly in her local debut, and I could see a similar result this afternoon. I'll consider her for bottom of exotics once more.
6	Torrent	Made an uncharacteristic break in stride as the fav here in week one, so I suppose we can excuse that. She had been progressing nicely prior. I'll give her a chance to rebound today.

**Race 3                      Selections                      2-3-7-4**

1	Beyond Kronos	Trotted evenly in his local debut, and keep in mind he was aided by some breakers there through the stretch. Lands on the pole today in a fairly wide open group, but still going to need his absolute best punch.
2	King Alphonso	Appeared as if he may finish close last week before the break in stride, and note the barn has been red hot during the Grand Circuit action locally. I will expect a big rebound this afternoon.
3	Rome Pays Off	Made up a decent amount of ground late after getting caught in a tough spot here last week to grab 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Gets some post relief this afternoon, he's been ultra-consistent to begin his career. Major player.
4	It's Academic	He was well meant here last week, but ultimately flattened out in the late stages after making a couple of moves in that mile. Appears to have landed in a touch easier spot today, best effort puts him right there.
5	Stonefire US	Took a nice step in the right direction last week, finishing a distant 2 <sup>nd</sup> as a big longshot in behind an impressive winner. Wouldn't take much more to put him in play again today.
6	Hennessy AM S	Not much of a factor to this point in his brief career, would have to pick things up quite a bit still. Not yet.
7	Moveoutof myway K	He's raced well since joining new barn over the last couple of starts, including a nice runner-up in a \$47k stake on Jug Day. Takes a bit of a step up today, but appears to be trending in the right direction. Live longshot? Maybe.

**Race 4                      Selections                      7-3-5-1                      Dunn chose 7 over 3**

1	Café Americano	Picked up a nice 2 <sup>nd</sup> in stakes action week one, but lands in what appears to be a bit deeper group overall this afternoon. Will need his absolute best punch to hang with the top ones in here.
2	Expectations	Not quite sure what happened last time, but we know he is better than that from his prior efforts. Will need a quick rebound against another good group today. Your call.
3	EL Ideal	Couldn't have possibly been anymore impressive in his local debut, easily picking up the first win of his career. Hooks a tough foe today in #7, should be a fun matchup. Dunn opted to that rival, I'll do the same for today.
4	Ontopof thehill	He's been a bit 'hot or cold' to begin his career, but didn't appear to be overloaded before the break in stride here last week. I will wait for a better spot.
5	Synergy	Trotted home evenly last week, and I will consider him for another minor share this afternoon after hooking a couple of tough foes.
6	Berkery J	This guy has had plenty of success on the NY Circuit to begin his career, and he was under aggressive handling last week in his local debut. That didn't work out, but we know he is better than what we saw there.
7	Amigo Volo	Uncorked a 26.3 kicker to blow away his rivals last week in a world record mile for a 2yo gelding. Has plenty of tactical speed to overcome outside post. Lots to like. Repeats.

**Race 5                      Selections                      1-7-4-2**

1	Wata yankee	I was very impressed with this filly's stretch burst last week, she was really flying in the final 1/8 of a mile. That was best effort we've seen from her to this point. Live longshot? I think so.
2	Context	Dips back into much more manageable company today in LC ranks after jumping off stride last week in a difficult assignment. Should be able to hang with this crew, I wouldn't overlook.
3	Becky Kronos	Couldn't hang with the top ones in late stages last time, but appears to have landed in a touch easier group overall this afternoon. Best effort puts her squarely in the mix here.
4	Syrinx Minx	Unleashed a vicious 3-wide rally around the far turn and easily put away her rivals down the lane here last week. She seems to have really rounded the corner since arriving locally. Major player.
5	Queentrix	Had a bit of traffic trouble through the stretch last week, but did salvage 2 <sup>nd</sup> when she finally snuck through down at the inside. She seems to be improving with every appearance, one of several in play here in a WIDE open affair.
6	Devine Equine	Gingras chose this filly last week over several other 'short price' rivals, but she ultimately lost all chance with the break in stride. I still think we may have a talented filly here, but hard to trust after consecutive breaks.
7	Thankful For You	She's been holding her own with some very good company to begin her career, and this should serve as a much easier assignment today on the dip in to LC level. Big chance.

**Race 6                      Selections                      7-5-2-6**

1	Patriarch Hanover	Picked up his first career win against mid-level stakes company last week at The Meadows, but takes a step up to the major leagues here this afternoon against some of the top colts in NA. Not sure he is ready for these just yet.
2	Big Oil	Bounced back with a good effort against stakes rivals last week, but lands in what seems to be an even deeper group overall this afternoon. Will need his very best once more, I'll consider for a minor share.
3	Ready for Moni	Seemed to be a bit fractious scoring down last week, and eventually made a break in stride late in the mile. Can't afford any mistakes today against a very good group. I'll watch one.
4	Rays the Limits	A notch below stakes rivals here last week, would have to step things up a bit still to hang with these. I'll wait for a better spot.
5	Real Cool Sam	Undefeated colt named in honor of our friend and longtime voice of Grand Circuit action, Sam McKee. Sam's favorite 2 weeks of the year were in Lexington, and I have a feeling this 'Sam' is going to enjoy it as well.
6	Capricornus	Took all the tote action last week to go off as a prohibitive favorite, but ran into a tough rival there and had to settle for 2 <sup>nd</sup> . Still a solid effort, and he's been very consistent to begin his career.
7	Gangster Hanover	The Gangster absolutely crushed his rivals last week, in what was one of the more impressive wins we saw in the opening week. I'll give him slight upset edge over the big fav here.

**Race 7                      Selections                      10-2-3-8-1                      Gingras chose 6 over 8; McCarthy chose 2 over 10 & 11**

1	Odds on Greenville	A very good runner-up finish in her first local spin in behind a tough rival. She lands on the pole today in what seems to be a wide open shootout to close the card. Demand value with whomever you choose.
2	Sail By	A change of tactics here last week, but she actually held fairly well there to finish a distant 3 <sup>rd</sup> in behind a very tough rival. That was a solid step in the right direction, and she gets some post relief today as well. Maybe.
3	Shining Beauty	The regally bred filly unleashed an impressive stretch rally last week to get up in the final steps over #9 for the win. Things set up very nicely for her in there, my only fear is that she may be 'overbet' here today in wide open group.
4	Fuss N Feather	Came up completely empty in her first local spin, would need a lot more still. Pass for now.
5	Coconut Beach	This filly owns a stakes win, but she got roughed up here in local debut and flattened out in the late stages. Plenty of options today from a perfect mid-pack post, any smoother journey would likely put her in play.
6	Onemore fortheroad	Should continue to improve in only her 3 <sup>rd</sup> career start, but she couldn't hang with the top ones in the late stages here last week. Still going to have to pick things up a bit to make any major noise.
7	Pristine Beauty	She's been picking up minor checks of late, and I will consider her for bottom of Super Hi-Five tickets once again.
8	Trizzle Trazzle	Canadian invader has been holding her own with mid-level stakes company north of the border, and seems to own a solid closing kick. She will need a lively pace up front, but should be rolling late.
9	Real Long Hanover	Myself and Mr Brower were all over her last week, but she came up a neck short in a tight photo there with #3 after getting off at a generous 4-1 price. She fits with these, but won't be easy from tough starting slot today.
10	Love For Sail	We always have to give a long look to those horses that exit stakes company in week one and land in LC ranks in week two. She was used hard there first up. Tough post today, but the price should be right. I'll give her edge.
11	Caviart Sunkist	Took an aggressive swing last week, putting in a very solid bid there before getting mowed down in the final yards. That was another nice step in the right direction. Anything similar puts her in the mix once again.

**\$1 Pick 4 (Races 4 – 7)**

**Race 4 – 7**

**Race 5 – ALL**

**Race 6 – 7**

**Race 7 – 2, 3, 8, 10**

**Total \$1 Ticket Cost - \$28**

**LOCK OF THE DAY: RACE 1 #1 WORD OF HONOR (1-1 ML)  
LONGSHOT OF THE DAY: RACE 5 #1 WATAYANKEE (10-1 ML)**

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