

DOGHOUSE CONFIDENTIAL

SARATOGA STRATEGIES by **Mr. X**

Breeders' Cup Day

Saturday, October 25, 2008

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5	4		Square Eddie	Won last off plane, slow work, one to beat
	11		Midshipman	Baffert closer, +Gomez, good works, not best post
	8		Street Hero	Beat 11 in last, chance on best
	2		Gallant Son	Mystery horse from EmD, good numbers, good works
	1		Munnings	Expensive, Pletcher/Vel, rail, but dist?, not good %E
			Tri: 4-11/1-2-4-8-11/1-2-4-8-11	Pk3: 2-4-8-11/10-11/2-4-9
6	11		Bittel Road	Pletcher/Vel, closer, 3/3, very tough race
	10		Skipadate	Right there, +shades, +Bridg, good B's, chance on best
	7		CoronetofaBaron	Harty/Darley, bad trainer numbers, +Garcia, many works, suspicious, no turf
	5		Relatively Ready	Donk ships? Never on firm, looks slower, why the trip?
			Tribx: 5-7-10-11	DD: 10-11/2-4-9
			Pk4: 10-11/2-4-9/2-3-4/9	Longshot DD: 11-9
				Pk4: 11/2-4-9/3/1-9-11
7	9		Fatal Bullet	Outside, speed, best closing time, good %E, lesser longshot
	2		Street Boss	Good numbers, but inside not good, still looks one to beat
	4		Midnight Lute	Needs to rebound to SAR form, -shades, working well, Baffert chirping
			Exbx: 2-4-9	Exbx: 2-9
				Win: 9
				DD: 9-3
8	3		Grand Couturier	Hard to go past, best racing of career, loves dist, Garcia, his to lose
	2		Red Rocks	Layoff to new trainer, +Dettori, been sick, needs best to win
	4		Soldierof Fortune	Dangerous Euro, good trainer, good ratings, but hard turf?
			Win: 3	Exbx: 3/2-4
				DD: 3-9
9	9		Curlin	Still the one to beat, hasn't beaten much this year, good dist
	1		Go Between	Rail, Gomez choice, lightly raced this yr, good at dist, track (now different)
	11		Colonel John	Forgotten 3 yr old, outside, good dist, track
			Ex: 9-1	Ex: 9/1-11
				Tri: 9/1-11

Broke even today with one for three on the Spot Plays. Very tough card as usual, but we need to try to win. Good luck!

