

LOS ALAMITOS HANDICAPPERS' RACING REPORT

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8, 2017 • *LES ONAKA* – HANDICAPPER/CLOCKER

REPORT SUMMARY

Always Check Program Numbers.

RACE	1 st PICK	2 nd PICK	3 rd PICK
1	(4) MRS. O P CAFÉ ✓	(1) ROCKET RHEA	(5) LA FORTUNADA
2	(2) LAND OF THE FREE ✓	(3) VOLUNTARY	(1) RAINSFORD
3	(4) REE O KERR	(5) SOAP BOX	(7) MISTY'SVIEWTHEGOLD
4	(9) ALL RIGHT NOW	(4) STRAWFINDERS JESSEE	(8) FIRST N FINAL
5	(3) RULE HE WILL ✓	(7) MILITANT	(1) ELMONTE CRISTO
6	(5) POUNDTOWN ★	(4) ALIBI	(3) COUNTRY ICON
7	(6) WELL GOOD	(1) RENEWED	(2) STELFAST
8	(1) JESS RAVIN	(8) QUIRKY	(10) SASS ME BLUE

✓ BEST BETS OF THE EVENING:	MRS O P CAFE LAND OF THE FREE RULE HE WILL	1ST RACE 2ND RACE 5TH RACE
★ PRICE PLAY (Longshot):	POUNDTOWN	6TH RACE

Abbreviations:

(Q) Qualifier/Workout
(BTL) Better Than Looked

Note: Horses are listed in order of preference.

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STELFAST (20.28) broke in at the start, quick in stride, -1 length past the gap, lacked the needed response thru the final 1/2 vs. eventual TWO MILLION FUTURITY winner WORTH DOING. Prior effort (17.52) he broke in, bumped at the start, quick in stride (lead), drifted out early, losing lead past the gap, kept to his task to the end (9.52 final 1/8). He will be facing a softer field.

ONE SWEET SPEED (15.57) broke off balance, drifted in, bumped shortly after the start, quick in stride (lead), losing lead past the gap, kept to her task to the end over the slower-than-normal racing surface. Prior effort (15.56) she broke off balance at the start, quick in stride, close up past the gap, kept to her task (improving her position late) thru the 9.77 final 1/8.

ONE AMERICAN EAGLE broke in, bumped back (losing -2 lengths), never looked comfortable (toss it out). Prior effort (17.89) he bumped at the start, losing -1/2 length, quick in stride, -1 1/2 length midway, leveled too late (9.51 final 1/8) vs. eventual 2 million Futurity finalist CARTEL SIXES.

SCHOOL PREZ (16.91) bumped at the start, losing -1/2 length, quick in stride, right there midway, kept to his task to the end (rail trip). Prior effort (19.98) he broke -1/2 length slow, quick in stride (lead), losing lead midway, battled back and just missed.

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RACE 8

(1) JESS RAVIN	(8) QUIRKY	(10) SASS ME BLUE
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CHARGER BAR HANDICAP (grade 1)

PURSE: \$100,00-

DISTANCE 400 YARDS

JESS RAVIN (19.53) broke -1/2 length slow, drifted in early, put in a big run (lead) near the gap, flashed good speed, held strong despite lugging in (3-4 lanes) thru the final 1/2 (9.55 final 1/8) when capturing the Las Damas Handicap. Prior effort she was extremely fractious in gate, broke off balance, drifted in shortly after the start, losing - 1 1/2 length, drifted in at the gap (toss it out). 3-back (19.71) she broke off balance at the start, losing -3/4 length, raced -1 length past the gap, gamely kept to her task to the end. CHECK OUT HER POWERFUL RECENT RACING AND SIMPLY DOES HER BEST RUNNING FROM THE POST POSITION #01.

QUIRKY (19.84) broke well, quick in stride (lead), losing lead at the gap, gamely kept to her task to the end vs. SASS ME BLUE in the MILLIE VESSELS. Prior effort (19.78) she broke in at the start, quick in stride, gained the advantage past the gap, gradually pulled clear late. Classy performer will be seeking her 3rd consecutive CHARGER BAR win and her 9th stakes win of her career.

SASS ME BLUE (21.40) broke off balance at the start, losing -3/4 length, dropped back -2 lengths as the pace quickened past the gap, gamely kept to her task to the end (9.68 final 1/8) in the CHAMPION OF CJHAMPIONS vs. MALE RIVALS. Prior effort (19.81) she broke well, quick in stride, gained the advantage at the gap, held strong (9.65 final 1/8). She was runner-up to QUIRKY in last year's CHARGER BAR.

LITTLE TALKS (19.62) broke well, raced -2 1/2 lengths past the gap, leveled too late (9.60 final 1/8). Prior effort (19.67) she broke well, quick in stride, gained the advantage past the gap, continued strong for the score (9.49). 3-back (19.73) she broke well, gained the advantage at the gap, held strong (9.48 final 1/8).

SEND ME THIS WAGON (17.45) broke fastest (lead), flashed good speed, held strong (9.52 final 1/8) at 350 yards. Prior effort (19.53) she broke in, bumped at the start, losing -3/4 length, raced -1 length past the gap, put in a big run (lead) midway, held strong (9.49 final 1/8). 10 time lifetime winner is capable of posting a stronger final clocking!

TIME FOR JESS (19.72) bumped both sides shortly after the start, losing -1/2 length, quick in stride, gamely kept to her task to the end (tough loss) thru the 9.63 final 1/8. Prior effort (19.65) she broke in at the start, quick in stride (lead), flashed good speed, held strong when posting the fastest qualifying time trials. She carries an ultra consistent record!

