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Joe's '18 Top Pick Stats through March 18

Races	Wins	2 nd	3 rd	Win%	WPS%
461	127	93	74	27.5%	63.8%

Friday, March 30, 2018

Race 1

- #8 **Jane Ran a Double** – Smoked slow maidens; edge.
- #5 **Syrup Cake** – Returns from Delta in good form.
- #3 **Palmettovowmenot** – Rounding into form; can.
- #1 **Anytime Baby** – Blinks off; 1 for 19, but maybe.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 8/5-3-1-7

Race 2

- #5 **Mix and Mingle** – Should appreciate stretch out.
- #2 **Ravish** – Fits like a glove for Mr. Brad; respect.
- #4 **Unfading Beauty** – Drops in; off the pace threat.
- #6 **Tiz Cecile** -- \$160K buy debuts cheap for Mr. Brad.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 5-2-4-6/8

Race 3

- #2 **Shaniko's Secret** – Short stretch hurt in last; edge.
- #6 **They Call Me Seb** – Dangerous stretch out speed.
- #7 **Bowknot Billy** – Consistent & versatile; consider.
- #4 **Gone Lucky** – Game & fits; gimmick player here.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 2-6/7-4/3

Race 4

- #5 **Fire Blaster** – Should have won last; hung late.
- #7 **Jake the Band Man** – Tough loss in last; fine form.
- #1 **Run Away Ralph** – Rounding into form; maybe.
- #2 **Warned** – Even effort this level; gimmicks.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 5-7/1/2-4/3-6-8

Race 5

- #8 **Nunc Pro Tunc** – Should have won last; edge.
- #5 **Neon Sky** – Wins soon by process of elimination.
- #4 **C'Mon Ve** – Lots of gate works leading up to this.
- #7 **Personal Double** – Strong finish after slow start.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 8-5-4-7/2-6-9

Race 6

- #10 **Vanquish** – Cuts back turf to dirt & drops in.
- #4 **Warrior Inside** – 2nd off wide debut this level.
- #12 **Just Old School** – Faced tough foes; big drop.
- #11 **Mischievous Dancer** – Sharp claim adds blinks.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 10-4-12-11/1-5

Race 7

- #1 Channel Won** – Major post shift + blinkers on.
- #9 Garey Park** – Improver adds blinks; tough call.
- #3 Pain in the Arch** – Fits like a glove; good as any.
- #5 Take the Count** – Turf/route influences; wild card.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 1-9-3/5-8-7

Race 8

- #12 Shakopee Town** – Promising debut; tough loss.
- #8 Stella's Surprise** – Sneaky good works; watch \$\$.
- #3 Is Too** – Just missed after tough trip in second try.
- #13 Flat Out Sassy** – Del Mar cameo; back home

Joe's SELECTIONS – 12-8-3-13-11/7-5-1

Race 9

- #9 Fashion's Touch** – Cooked herself on lead in last.
- #7 Concord Coupe** – Placement makes sense; ready.
- #8 Warrior's Way** – Chased sharpie in last; drops in.
- #11 Backseat Promises** – Solid debut; claim steps up.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 9-7-8/11-6-5

Race 10

- #9 Charge the Line** – Keeps getting better; trip suits.
- #6 Aw Shucks** – Putting it all together; big threat.
- #5 Zippy** – Cuts back off turf route win; respect.
- #1 Cowboy City** – Claimed out of win; steps up.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 9-6-5/1-4-11-10-3

Race 11

- #8 Anything But Amie** – Hasn't much to beat here.
- #5 Sainly Cry** – Usually runs his race; good enough?
- #10 Sophie's Illusion** – Steadily improving; maybe.
- #3 Wise Journey** – Even efforts so far; best of rest.

Joe's SELECTIONS – 11-5-10/3-4-12