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Joe’s 24-25 FINAL Top Pick Stats

Races	Wins	2 nd	3 rd	Win%	WIN ROI	WPS%	WPS ROI	A	A%
474	148	106	49	31.2%	\$1.72	63.9%	\$5.41	234	49.4%

Saturday, December 13, 2025 – Louisiana Champions Day

<p>Race 1 – 50-cent PK 5 (15%)</p> <p>#3 Starry Eyed – Speed drops in fresh; edge in tough call</p> <p>3-1/9-8-6-4-5</p>
<p>Race 2 – 50-cent PK 4</p> <p>#3 Rising Inflation – Better than ever; turf on dam’s side</p> <p>3/4-2-5-1</p>
<p>Race 3 – 50-cent PK 3</p> <p>#1 Secret Faith – Broke slow, rolled home to win prep for fun</p> <p>1/2-3/5-4</p>
<p>Race 4 – 50-cent PK 5 (15%)</p> <p>#2 Touchuponastar – 3-time LA Classic champ hasn’t lost a step</p> <p>2/4-3-6/1</p>

Race 5 – 50-cent PK 4

#11 Mi Solution – Bourgeois not afraid to get aggressive

11-10-6/2-1-5-3-7-9

Race 6 – 50-cent PK 3

#5 Little Miss Curlin – Won prep for fun; tough tables to turn

5/1/4/2-6

Race 7 – 50-cent CC 6 (15%)

Carryover = NONE

#1 Boss of All Bosses – Should sit pocket trip behind speed wall

1-3/4-6/8-9-10-11

Race 8 -- 50-cent PK 5 (15%)

#1 Scar Ship – Breakthrough performance in last; price shot

1-8-3/6-5-2-9

Race 9 – PK 4

#6 Good and Stout – Has done some sneaky good work on turf

6-8-4/7-5-11-9-12

Race 10 – PK 3

#4 Hay Jude – At his best in one-turn races with a fast pace

4-2-5-1/3-6

Race 11

#6 Running Faith – Took a big step forward in second start

6/5-2-7-1-4

Race 12

#1 Sweet Darlin – One of two live wires entered by Calhoun

1-11/8-5-7

Best Bet: Race

Likely Overlay: Race

Favorite Against: Race

